

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, October 8, 2019 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 1

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (100 new fires)
New large incidents:	5
Large fires contained:	3
Uncontained large fires:***	6
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Nationally, there are 11 large fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

*** Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

[Link](#) to Understanding the IMSR.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	1	167,164	0	1	0	8
NWCC	1	6,000	2	10	2	85
ONCC	1	532	2	18	2	153
OSCC	2	600	32	61	3	898
NRCC	1	60	0	0	0	1
GBCC	1	100	0	0	0	5
SWCC	2	2,466	1	5	1	57
RMCC	2	7,287	36	31	14	1,117
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	16	4,108	5	28	0	207
Total	27	188,317	78	154	22	2,531

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	7
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Decker, Rio Grande NF, USFS. IMT 1 (RM Type 1). Nine miles south of Salida, CO. Timber and light logging slash. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, flanking and backing. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations, road, area and trail closures in effect. Sage-grouse habitat threatened.

Middle Mamm, White River NF, USFS. Previously reported incident. IMT 2 (RM Team Blue) mobilizing. Eleven miles south of Rifle, CO. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, smoldering and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Decker	CO-RGF	6,326	171	14	Comp	12/20	896	14	25	29	12	2	6.2M	FS
Middle Mamm	CO-WRF	961	-24	2	Comp	10/20	221	56	11	2	2	0	1.5M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Granite Lake	CO-WRF	713	---	2	Comp	12/1	36	---	1	1	1	0	150K	FS

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires:	45
New large incidents:	3
Uncontained large fires:	4

Rockcastle, Kentucky DOF. Fourteen miles west of London, KY. Hardwood litter, tall grass and light logging slash. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Structures threatened.

Sky Bridge, Daniel Boone NF, USFS. Four miles southeast of Frenchburg, KY. Hardwood litter and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

* **Powell Lease**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Eleven miles south of Eldorado, TX. Brush. Minimal fire behavior with single tree torching.

* **Cedar Road**, Alabama Forestry Commission. Three miles south of Bellamy, AL. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rockcastle	KY-KYS	484	0	95	Ctn	UNK	37	0	2	4	0	0	75K	ST
Sky Bridge	KY-DBF	125	0	95	Ctn	UNK	42	0	2	2	0	0	290K	FS
* Powell Lease	TX-TXS	500	---	0	Ctn	10/10	29	---	0	6	0	0	NR	PRI
* Cedar Road	AL-ALS	365	---	75	Ctn	10/8	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	PRI
* Connex	FL-EAQ	970	---	100	Ctn	---	7	---	0	2	0	0	25K	DOD

EAQ – Eglin Air Force Base, DOD

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	18
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	1

* **Briceburg**, Merced-Mariposa Unit, Cal Fire. Eight miles north of Mariposa, CA. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with uphill runs and torching. Structures threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Briceburg	CA-MMU	550	---	5	Ctn	10/21	784	---	30	52	3	0	1M	ST

Northwest Area (PL 1)

New fires:	1
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	1

* **Matson**, Spokane District, BLM. One mile southeast of Mesa, WA. Tall grass and brush. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs and spotting. Structures threatened.

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		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Matson	WA-SPD	6,000	---	30	Ctn	10/10	85	---	2	10	2	0	50K	BLM

Southwest Area (PL 1)

New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Maton	NM-CAF	105	0	100	Ctn	---	52	0	1	4	1	0	150K	FS
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Ikes	AZ-GCP	9,000	---	75	Comp	10/15	63	---	1	5	1	0	2.7M	NPS
Telephone	AZ-ASF	2,361	---	90	Comp	10/10	5	---	0	1	0	0	120K	FS
Sheridan	AZ-PNF	21,510	---	90	Comp	10/12	0	---	0	0	0	0	4.2M	FS

CAF – Carson NF, USFS GCP – Grand Canyon NP, NPS ASF – Apache-Sitgreaves NF, USFS PNF – Prescott NF, USFS

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	17
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0

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		Chge	Total				Chge	Total	Crw	Eng	Heli			
American	CA-LNU	532	-30	100	Ctn	---	153	0	2	18	2	1	225K	ST

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
South	CA-SHF	5,332	---	62	Comp	10/31	43	---	1	1	1	2	4.4M	FS

LNU - Sonoma-Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire SHF – Shasta-Trinity NF, USFS

Alaska Area (PL 1)

New fires: 0
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Swan Lake	AK-KKS	167,164	---	90	Comp	12/31	8	---	0	1	0	0	49M	FWS
Tokaina 2	AK-CRS	9,412	---	0	Comp	UNK	5	---	0	0	1	0	NR	ST

KKS – Kenai-Kodiak Area, Alaska DOF CRS – Valdez-Copper River Area, Alaska DOF

Great Basin Area (PL 1)

New fires: 3
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Tincup	ID-CTF	268	---	0	Comp	UNK	4	---	0	1	0	0	110K	FS

CTF – Caribou-Targhee NF, USFS

Northern Rockies (PL 1)

New fires: 1
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Large Fires Being Managed With a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Shale Creek	ID-NCF	630	---	0	Comp	11/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	25K	FS

NCF – Nez Perce-Clearwater NF, USFS

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
Northern California Area	FIREs	1	0	0	0	16	0	17
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	543	0	543
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	15	2	18
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	23	0	23
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	1	1	0	0	1	3
	ACRES	0	0	11	0	0	99	110
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	0	2	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	1	1	0	3	2	7
	ACRES	0	10	49	0	6	202	267
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
Southern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	42	3	45
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,232	62	1,294
TOTAL FIRES:		1	4	2	0	82	11	100
TOTAL ACRES:		0	10	60	0	1,818	364	2,252

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	243	0	0	416	44	703
	ACRES	0	1,692,467	0	0	884,548	13	2,577,028
Northwest Area	FIREs	232	189	17	29	1,877	989	3,333
	ACRES	49,840	29,192	23,490	4	20,837	25,281	148,645
Northern California Area	FIREs	53	45	4	7	2,465	477	3,051
	ACRES	28	5,599	25	1	33,851	85,151	124,656
Southern California Area	FIREs	21	82	10	20	3,277	333	3,743
	ACRES	188	421	2,727	106	18,716	23,023	45,181
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	746	47	22	15	812	465	2,107
	ACRES	12,076	952	10,026	116	37,474	11,601	72,245
Great Basin Area	FIREs	39	736	9	34	843	469	2,130
	ACRES	172	259,100	14	430	150,874	35,440	446,031
Southwest Area	FIREs	611	204	11	52	596	833	2,307
	ACRES	52,016	6,826	55	12,729	28,958	326,460	427,045
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	265	317	2	11	557	338	1,490
	ACRES	1,953	21,586	5,097	29	30,042	27,217	85,924
Eastern Area	FIREs	301	0	16	31	3,878	298	4,524
	ACRES	569	0	428	520	28,565	5,136	35,218
Southern Area	FIREs	257	0	36	46	17,911	304	18,554
	ACRES	22,694	0	2,549	2,320	386,142	20,300	434,006
TOTAL FIRES:		2,525	1,863	127	245	32,632	4,550	41,942
TOTAL ACRES:		139,537	2,016,144	44,410	16,255	1,620,010	559,625	4,395,982

Ten Year Average Fires (2009 – 2018 as of today) **51,698**

Ten Year Average Acres (2009 – 2018 as of today) **6,665,971**

***Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

***Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <https://gacc.nifc.gov/>

Predictive Services Discussion: The frontal boundary in the East will begin to fall apart early in the day as it begins to approach the coast. However, residual shower activity will continue to positively affect the western halves of the Carolinas, North Georgia and northern Alabama. Temperatures will be average to slightly below average east of the Mississippi River. In the West, the ridge of high pressure will flatten into a westerly flow. This will allow a very weak disturbance to move east from California into the Great Basin. Impacts from this disturbance will be nearly nonexistent, perhaps only enhancing vertical mixing of potential smoke from area burns. A stronger but compact front will move into the Pacific Northwest early in the afternoon increasing winds west of the Continental Divide and reintroducing shower activity into the Cascades.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



Escape Routes Take 5@2

Operational Engagement

Its 1400...you have been working all morning. How far away have your safety zones become? Safety zones are only good if you can reach them. How long will your escape route take? What is the condition of the crew? How long will it take your slowest member to get there? Are your expectations realistic?

Look at the times below...if your fire blew up right now, can you and every member of your crew make it to your safety zone?

Only Minutes



Loop, Griffith Park - 5 min
Dude - 8 min
South Canyon - 9 min
Rainbow Springs, Spanish Ranch - 10 min
Hauser Creek - 11 min
Cart, Blackwater - 15 min
Pepper Run - 17 min
Cramer - 24 min
Rock Creek - 30 min
Tuolumne - 39 min
Battlement Creek - 48 min
Thirty-mile Canyon - 50 min
Yarnell Hill - 52 min
Blue Ribbon - 60 min



Blowup to Burnover

Resources:

- [Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)
- [Wildland Fire Safety Training Annual Refresher](#)
- [Wildland Fire Lessons Learned Center](#)
- [Wildfire Leadership Development Program Website](#)

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