

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, January 31, 2020 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1

National Fire Activity (January 24 – January 30, 2020)

Initial attack activity:	Light (90 new fires)
New large incidents:	0
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:***	0
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

Nationally, there are 0 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.

This report will post every Friday at 0800 Mountain Time unless significant activity occurs.

Twenty-two wildland fire personnel are assigned to support large fires in New South Wales, Australia.

Five wildland fire personnel are assigned to support large fires in South Australia, Australia.

One hundred thirty-eight wildland fire personnel are assigned to support large fires in Victoria, Australia.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
RMCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	0	1	0	0	0	0
Total	0	1	0	0	0	0

Fires and Acres (by Protection) from January 24 to January 30, 2020:

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	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	3	1	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	13	2	16
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	26	26
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	2	0	0	1	1	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	545	0	545
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	61	1	62
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	138	30	168
TOTAL FIRES:		0	3	0	0	80	7	90
TOTAL ACRES:		0	0	0	0	683	56	739

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (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	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	19	1	20
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	58	9	69
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	20	44	64
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Southwest Area	FIRES	1	4	0	0	12	7	24
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,699	4	1,703
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	2	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3,892	544	4,436
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	21	4	25
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	21	41	62
Southern Area	FIRES	36	0	3	3	929	16	987
	ACRES	2,958	0	21	1	7,379	158	10,518
TOTAL FIRES:		37	6	3	4	1,046	40	1,136
TOTAL ACRES:		2,958	0	21	1	13,018	792	16,791

Ten Year Average Fires (2010 – 2019 as of today)	1,449
Ten Year Average Acres (2010 – 2019 as of today)	26,684

***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/>

Prescribed Fires and Acres from January 24 to January 30, 2020 (by Ownership):

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	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	1	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	13	2	16
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	26	26
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	1	1	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	545	0	545
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	61	1	62
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	138	30	168
TOTAL FIRES:		0	3	0	0	80	7	90
TOTAL ACRES		0	0	0	0	683	56	739

***Prescribed fire acres are for reference only and may not reflect the most up-to-date information.

***Official prescribed fire accomplishment reporting occurs through agency specific systems of record.

Predictive Services Discussion: Warm and dry conditions will continue across Southern California, the Southwest, and the Great Basin through Saturday as high pressure remains firmly entrenched over the eastern Pacific Ocean. The high pressure ridge will be flattened out by a strong, wet cold front that will move on shore and into Northern California and the Pacific Northwest on Saturday bringing cooler temperatures and snow. Southwesterly winds will become gusty across the southern Great Basin and the Four Corner's region. Significant snow will be possible across Colorado, Kansas and the Panhandles of Texas and Oklahoma Monday night and Tuesday as the front passes. A strong north to northwesterly flow pattern will set up over the West for the remainder of the week and will keep temperatures below average. Mountain snow showers will continue to add to the snowpack across the Pacific Northwest and the Northern Rockies while most other areas will remain dry. In the East, three wet systems will move across the eastern portion of the nation over the next week. This will continue to keep fire potential low during the period.

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



Leading Up

Leadership Category

Looking out for our people includes not only those who work for us but also our leaders and peers. Leadership is about influencing others to accomplish tasks that are in the best interest of our organization which often means influencing those above us and **leading up**. Similarly, we are open to upward leadership – and, in fact, encourage and reward it.

Fire leaders are expected to lead in many directions, an expectation that increases complexity and risk. Summoning the courage needed to intervene and influence peers or leaders above can be difficult, especially if providing unwelcome feedback about behavior or pointing out an alternative to a potentially bad decision. In high-risk environments, no one can afford to assume that anyone has all the answers. To build the kind of healthy and resilient culture required in the wildland fire service, we lead up—holding our leaders accountable, providing unvarnished situational awareness in challenging situations, and offering unbiased and viable alternatives.

Discussion Points:

- How can we practice leading up?
- Describe a situation where leading up took place. How was the situation affected?
- Describe a situation where there was opportunity for leading up but it was not done. How was the situation affected?
- Discuss leading “laterally”: influencing peers or those with similar responsibilities.

References:

- [Wildland Fire Leadership Development Program](#)
- [Leading in the Wildland Fire Service, PMS 494-2](#)