

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Monday June 1, 2020 – 0800 MT  
National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity May 29 – May 31, 2020:**

|                               |                       |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Initial attack activity:      | Light (348 new fires) |
| New large incidents:          | 12                    |
| Large fires contained:        | 1                     |
| Uncontained large fires:***   | 12                    |
| Area Command teams committed: | 0                     |
| NIMOs committed:              | 1                     |
| Type 1 IMTs committed:        | 0                     |
| Type 2 IMTs committed:        | 0                     |

Nationally, there are 2 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 be posted Monday – Friday at 0800 Mountain time unless significant activity occurs.

NIMO (Houseman) has been assigned to COVID-19 support at Forest Service headquarters in Washington D.C.

| <b>Active Incident Resource Summary</b> |                  |                         |              |                |                    |                        |
|-----------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| <b>GACC</b>                             | <b>Incidents</b> | <b>Cumulative Acres</b> | <b>Crews</b> | <b>Engines</b> | <b>Helicopters</b> | <b>Total Personnel</b> |
| AICC                                    | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      |
| NWCC                                    | 2                | 1,561                   | 8            | 11             | 3                  | 220                    |
| ONCC                                    | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      |
| OSCC                                    | 1                | 468                     | 3            | 0              | 1                  | 80                     |
| NRCC                                    | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      |
| GBCC                                    | 4                | 14,067                  | 8            | 17             | 3                  | 282                    |
| SWCC                                    | 6                | 16,262                  | 8            | 30             | 3                  | 275                    |
| RMCC                                    | 1                | 11,818                  | 1            | 2              | 0                  | 25                     |
| EACC                                    | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      |
| SACC                                    | 3                | 27,071                  | 1            | 4              | 4                  | 44                     |
| <b>Total</b>                            | <b>17</b>        | <b>71,247</b>           | <b>29</b>    | <b>64</b>      | <b>14</b>          | <b>926</b>             |

**Southwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 58  
 New large incidents: 4  
 Uncontained large fires: 4

\* **Ocotillo**, Central District, Arizona Department of Forestry and Fire Management. One mile north of Cave Creek, AZ. Brush, chaparral and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Sunset**, Phoenix District Office, BLM. Thirty-two miles southeast of Prescott, AZ. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with running and spotting. Road and trail closures in effect.

\* **Sawtooth**, Tonto National Forest, USFS. Seven miles northwest of Superior, AZ. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with short crown runs, wind-driven runs and uphill runs.

**Park**, San Carlos Agency, BIA. One mile north of San Carlos, AZ. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with running and spotting.

| Incident Name | Unit   | Size  |      | %   | Ctn/<br>Comp | Est | Personnel |      | Resources |     |      | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>Own |
|---------------|--------|-------|------|-----|--------------|-----|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
|               |        | Acres | Chge |     |              |     | Total     | Chge | Crw       | Eng | Heli |              |             |               |
| * Ocotillo    | AZ-A4S | 980   | ---  | 10  | Ctn          | 6/3 | 160       | ---  | 3         | 20  | 0    | 20           | 1M          | ST            |
| * Sunset      | AZ-PHD | 4,000 | ---  | 0   | Ctn          | UNK | 97        | ---  | 3         | 6   | 3    | 0            | 500K        | BLM           |
| * Sawtooth    | AZ-TNF | 3,500 | ---  | 0   | Ctn          | UNK | 5         | ---  | 2         | 0   | 0    | 0            | 150K        | FS            |
| Park          | AZ-SCA | 706   | 0    | 95  | Ctn          | 6/3 | 0         | -44  | 0         | 0   | 0    | 0            | 600K        | BIA           |
| * Range       | AZ-A3S | 3,286 | ---  | 100 | Ctn          | --- | 7         | ---  | 0         | 2   | 0    | 0            | 175K        | ST            |

A3S – Southeast District, Arizona Department of Forestry and Fire Management

**Great Basin Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 65  
 New large incidents: 4  
 Uncontained large fires: 4

\* **Tabby Canyon**, Salt Lake Field Office, BLM. Twenty-nine miles northwest of Salt Lake City, UT. Short grass. Active fire behavior with running, flanking and torching.

\* **Hogan**, Elko District, BLM. Twenty-five miles southwest of Wells, NV. Brush, short grass and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

\* **Browns**, Mountain Home AFB, DOD. Twenty-five miles southeast of Mountain Home, ID. Brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

\* **Ibapah**, Elko District, BLM. Twenty-two miles south of Wendover, NV. Brush, dormant brush, hardwood slash and grass. Minimal fire behavior with backing.

| Incident Name  | Unit   | Size  |      | %  | Ctn/<br>Comp | Est | Personnel |      | Resources |     |      | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>Own |
|----------------|--------|-------|------|----|--------------|-----|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
|                |        | Acres | Chge |    |              |     | Total     | Chge | Crw       | Eng | Heli |              |             |               |
| * Tabby Canyon | UT-SLD | 4,157 | ---  | 20 | Ctn          | 6/3 | 125       | ---  | 4         | 6   | 2    | 0            | 250K        | BLM           |
| * Hogan        | NV-EKD | 502   | ---  | 0  | Ctn          | 6/1 | 55        | ---  | 1         | 6   | 1    | 0            | 200K        | BLM           |
| * Browns       | ID-MHQ | 2,368 | ---  | 0  | Ctn          | 6/1 | 3         | ---  | 0         | 1   | 0    | 0            | 10K         | DOD           |
| * Ibapah       | NV-EKD | 7,040 | ---  | 80 | Ctn          | 6/1 | 99        | ---  | 3         | 4   | 0    | 0            | 200K        | BLM           |

**Northwest Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 35  
 New large incidents: 3  
 Uncontained large fires: 2

\* **Gibbon**, Spokane District, BLM. Eight miles east of Prosser, WA. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened. Road closures in effect.

\* **Doe Creek**, Fremont-Winema National Forest, USFS. Nineteen miles southeast of Chemult, OR. Timber and medium logging slash. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

\* **Marsh**, Klamath Marsh National Wildlife Refuge, FWS. Twenty-three miles southeast of Chemult, OR. Tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

| Incident Name | Unit   | Size  |      | %  | Ctn/<br>Comp | Est | Personnel |      | Resources |     |      | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>Own |
|---------------|--------|-------|------|----|--------------|-----|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
|               |        | Acres | Chge |    |              |     | Total     | Chge | Crw       | Eng | Heli |              |             |               |
| * Gibbon      | WA-SPD | 1,000 | ---  | 25 | Ctn          | 6/2 | 138       | ---  | 5         | 2   | 3    | 0            | 60K         | BLM           |
| * Doe Creek   | OR-FWF | 111   | ---  | 0  | Ctn          | 6/1 | 82        | ---  | 25        | 3   | 7    | 0            | 80K         | FS            |
| * Marsh       | OR-KLR | 450   | ---  | 0  | Comp         | 6/8 | 0         | ---  | 0         | 0   | 0    | 0            | 33K         | FWS           |

**Southern California Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 76  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

\* **Scorpion**, Channel Islands National Park, NPS. Twenty-four miles west of Oxnard, CA. Short grass and brush. Moderate fire behavior with wind-driven runs and running.

| Incident Name | Unit   | Size  |      | % | Ctn/<br>Comp | Est | Personnel |      | Resources |     |      | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>Own |
|---------------|--------|-------|------|---|--------------|-----|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
|               |        | Acres | Chge |   |              |     | Total     | Chge | Crw       | Eng | Heli |              |             |               |
| * Scorpion    | CA-CNP | 468   | ---  | 0 | Ctn          | 6/7 | 80        | ---  | 3         | 0   | 1    | 0            | 200K        | NPS           |

**Southern Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 7  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Guava**, Everglades National Park, NPS. Twenty miles southwest of Kendall, FL. Brush and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with flanking and creeping. Structures threatened.

| Incident Name | Unit   | Size   |        | %  | Ctn/<br>Comp | Est  | Personnel |      | Resources |     |      | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>Own |
|---------------|--------|--------|--------|----|--------------|------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
|               |        | Acres  | Chge   |    |              |      | Total     | Chge | Crw       | Eng | Heli |              |             |               |
| Guava         | FL-EVP | 26,398 | 20,122 | 30 | Ctn          | 6/28 | 40        | 6    | 1         | 2   | 4    | 0            | 225K        | NPS           |

**Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 16  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 0

| Incident Name                                                                                            | Unit   | Size   |      | %  | Ctn/<br>Comp | Est | Personnel |      | Resources |     |      | Strc<br>Lost | \$\$<br>CTD | Origin<br>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 |        |        |      |    |              |     |           |      |           |     |      |              |             |               |
| Cherry Canyon                                                                                            | CO-LSX | 11,818 | ---  | 80 | Comp         | UNK | 25        | ---  | 1         | 2   | 0    | 0            | 450K        | CNTY          |

LSX – Las Animas County

**Fires and Acres May 29 – May 31, 2020 (by Protection):**

| Area                     |       | BIA        | BLM           | FWS        | NPS       | ST/OT      | USFS         | TOTAL         |
|--------------------------|-------|------------|---------------|------------|-----------|------------|--------------|---------------|
| Alaska Area              | FIRES | 0          | 3             | 0          | 0         | 12         | 1            | 16            |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 63            | 0          | 0         | 268        | 0            | 331           |
| Northwest Area           | FIRES | 0          | 5             | 6          | 0         | 6          | 18           | 35            |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 16            | 667        | 0         | 1          | 128          | 812           |
| Northern California Area | FIRES | 0          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 43         | 10           | 53            |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 76         | 7            | 83            |
| Southern California Area | FIRES | 1          | 2             | 0          | 0         | 60         | 13           | 76            |
|                          | ACRES | 2          | 28            | 0          | 0         | 24         | 6            | 60            |
| Northern Rockies Area    | FIRES | 0          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 1          | 3            | 4             |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 0          | 0            | 0             |
| Great Basin Area         | FIRES | 1          | 27            | 0          | 2         | 27         | 8            | 65            |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 9,971         | 0          | 0         | 104        | 8            | 10,082        |
| Southwest Area           | FIRES | 13         | 6             | 1          | 3         | 4          | 31           | 58            |
|                          | ACRES | 106        | 4,007         | 0          | 63        | 24         | 3,664        | 7,864         |
| Rocky Mountain Area      | FIRES | 1          | 2             | 0          | 0         | 2          | 11           | 16            |
|                          | ACRES | 1          | 1             | 0          | 0         | 10         | 3            | 15            |
| Eastern Area             | FIRES | 5          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 11         | 2            | 18            |
|                          | ACRES | 3          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 5          | 1            | 9             |
| Southern Area            | FIRES | 0          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 6          | 1            | 7             |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0             | 0          | 0         | 43         | 0            | 43            |
| <b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>      |       | <b>21</b>  | <b>45</b>     | <b>7</b>   | <b>5</b>  | <b>172</b> | <b>98</b>    | <b>348</b>    |
| <b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>      |       | <b>112</b> | <b>14,086</b> | <b>667</b> | <b>63</b> | <b>554</b> | <b>3,818</b> | <b>19,300</b> |

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

| <b>Area</b>              |       | <b>BIA</b>    | <b>BLM</b>    | <b>FWS</b>   | <b>NPS</b>   | <b>ST/OT</b>   | <b>USFS</b>   | <b>TOTAL</b>   |
|--------------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| Alaska Area              | FIRES | 0             | 8             | 0            | 0            | 85             | 11            | <b>104</b>     |
|                          | ACRES | 0             | 251           | 0            | 0            | 492            | 25            | <b>768</b>     |
| Northwest Area           | FIRES | 52            | 33            | 9            | 0            | 336            | 81            | <b>511</b>     |
|                          | ACRES | 413           | 1,182         | 1,670        | 0            | 530            | 160           | <b>3,956</b>   |
| Northern California Area | FIRES | 2             | 6             | 0            | 0            | 785            | 86            | <b>879</b>     |
|                          | ACRES | 1             | 66            | 0            | 0            | 1,075          | 415           | <b>1,557</b>   |
| Southern California Area | FIRES | 3             | 36            | 1            | 0            | 979            | 109           | <b>1,128</b>   |
|                          | ACRES | 4             | 67            | 0            | 0            | 6,379          | 230           | <b>6,681</b>   |
| Northern Rockies Area    | FIRES | 385           | 2             | 1            | 0            | 182            | 55            | <b>625</b>     |
|                          | ACRES | 2,724         | 2             | 172          | 0            | 8,670          | 350           | <b>11,918</b>  |
| Great Basin Area         | FIRES | 13            | 158           | 10           | 14           | 248            | 42            | <b>485</b>     |
|                          | ACRES | 40            | 52,723        | 0            | 52           | 1,997          | 914           | <b>55,727</b>  |
| Southwest Area           | FIRES | 319           | 92            | 4            | 9            | 226            | 415           | <b>1,065</b>   |
|                          | ACRES | 1,912         | 7,337         | 24           | 65           | 13,360         | 5,149         | <b>27,847</b>  |
| Rocky Mountain Area      | FIRES | 115           | 40            | 4            | 2            | 229            | 116           | <b>506</b>     |
|                          | ACRES | 701           | 185           | 362          | 0            | 44,407         | 1,280         | <b>46,936</b>  |
| Eastern Area             | FIRES | 300           | 0             | 31           | 1            | 4,882          | 1,181         | <b>6,395</b>   |
|                          | ACRES | 284           | 0             | 1,486        | 1            | 19,536         | 3,054         | <b>24,361</b>  |
| Southern Area            | FIRES | 194           | 86            | 16           | 28           | 7,272          | 262           | <b>7,858</b>   |
|                          | ACRES | 17,788        | 404           | 3,192        | 9,506        | 182,449        | 21,950        | <b>235,289</b> |
| <b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>      |       | <b>1,383</b>  | <b>461</b>    | <b>76</b>    | <b>54</b>    | <b>15,224</b>  | <b>2,358</b>  | <b>19,556</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>      |       | <b>23,867</b> | <b>62,220</b> | <b>6,906</b> | <b>9,624</b> | <b>278,897</b> | <b>33,530</b> | <b>415,045</b> |

|                                                         |                  |
|---------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Ten Year Average Fires (2010 – 2019 as of today)</b> | <b>22,120</b>    |
| <b>Ten Year Average Acres (2010 – 2019 as of today)</b> | <b>1,146,050</b> |

\*\*\*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 May 29 – May 31, 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        | 1          | 0        | 1          |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 9          | 0        | 9          |
| Southern California Area | FIRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          |
| Northern Rockies Area    | FIRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          |
|                          | 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          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          |
| Rocky Mountain Area      | FIRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          |
| Eastern Area             | FIRES | 1          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 1          |
|                          | ACRES | 100        | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 100        |
| Southern Area            | FIRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 152        | 0        | 152        |
|                          | ACRES | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0        | 809        | 0        | 809        |
| <b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>      |       | <b>1</b>   | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>153</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>154</b> |
| <b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>      |       | <b>100</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>818</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>918</b> |

\*\*\*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:** Cooler than average conditions will continue along the West Coast as a low pressure trough offshore continues to strengthen. Scattered wet storms will be possible across western portions of the Northern Rockies, Oregon, northeastern California, and Nevada. Isolated dry storms will be possible across the Four Corner states and southern Wyoming. Hot and dry conditions will be possible across the Great Plains as the weakening high pressure ridge continues to move east. Breezy, dry, but cooler conditions will be present across the Northeast as northwesterly flow continues. In Alaska, scattered showers will be possible across the Interior, and southwestern-south central portions of the state as a low pressure area over the eastern Aleutian Islands continues to pump moisture into the state.

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



## EXTREME FIRE BEHAVIOR 1

*Weather / Fire Behavior Category*

Mild, moderate, and EXTREME fire behavior has always been present in cases of shelter deployment. It is critical for firefighters to maintain situational awareness of live and dead fuel moisture conditions, as well as predicted and current weather conditions. As fire behavior changes, it is critical to act decisively in regard to the changing situation.

Discuss the following indicators of extreme fire behavior:

- Relative humidity less than 15%.
- 1-hour fuel moisture less than 5%.
- Transition from surface to crown fire.
- Smoldering fires that exist in the early part of the day are beginning to burn very actively as the day progresses.
- Approaching thunderheads with dark clouds beneath.
- Presence of dust devils indicating an unstable atmosphere.
- Increased spotting.
- Sudden calm.
- High clouds moving fast in direction different from surface wind.
- Predicted Haines Index of 5 and 6 in those areas where this level is a good indicator of atmospheric instability.
- Fire whirls.



### References:

Fire Whirls video produced by Rocky Mountain Research Station:

<http://youtu.be/wEpW24WlgR8>

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