

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Saturday, November 7, 2020 – 0730 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity:

Initial attack activity:	Light (106 new fires)
New large incidents:	2
Large fires contained:	4
Uncontained large fires:***	21
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	4

Nationally, there are 14 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.

NIMO (Reinarz) has been assigned to provide wildland fire support to California.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	4	364,465	3	20	1	154
ONCC	5	1,514,057	22	51	10	1,456
OSCC	10	843,575	25	33	17	1,580
NRCC	2	6,493	0	9	1	47
GBCC	9	96,833	1	20	2	131
SWCC	4	58,311	2	4	1	97
RMCC	7	626,459	10	50	9	967
EACC	1	600	0	9	0	35
SACC	3	200,539	0	1	0	59
Total	45	3,711,332	63	197	41	4,526

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 21
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 6
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Creek, Sierra NF, USFS. IMT 2 (AK Black Team). Thirty-five miles northeast of Clovis, CA. Timber, chaparral and tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

SQF Complex, Sequoia NF, USFS. IMT 2 (CA Team 13). Thirty-three miles east of Porterville, CA. Timber and chaparral. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, single tree torching and spotting. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Silverado, Orange County Fire Authority. Nine miles east of Irvine, CA. Chaparral, brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Area and trail closures in effect.

Blue Ridge, Orange County Fire Authority. One mile north of Corona, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Area and trail closures in effect.

El Dorado, San Bernardino Unit, Cal Fire. Three miles northeast of Yucaipa, CA. Timber, chaparral and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area and trail closures in effect.

Coleman, Los Padres NF, USFS. Thirteen miles southwest of King City, CA. Brush and tall grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Creek	CA-SNF	379,716	381	70	Ctn	11/15	868	-14	15	12	6	853	180.3M	FS
SQF Complex	CA-SQF	171,032	110	80	Ctn	11/20	332	-8	6	10	9	228	114.3M	FS
Silverado	CA-ORC	12,466	0	99	Ctn	11/7	137	-135	1	2	0	5	19.6M	CNTY
Blue Ridge	CA-ORC	13,694	0	99	Ctn	11/7	33	-41	0	4	0	1	9.1M	CNTY
El Dorado	CA-BDU	22,744	0	95	Ctn	12/31	61	-11	1	3	1	20	41.3M	ST
Coleman	CA-LPF	574	---	93	Ctn	11/15	54	---	1	0	0	0	3.9M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Bullfrog	CA-SNF	1,185	0	60	Comp	11/15	1	0	0	0	0	0	370K	FS
Rattlesnake	CA-KNP	7,840	---	40	Comp	11/30	8	---	0	0	1	0	130K	NPS
Dolan	CA-LPF	124,924	---	98	Comp	11/15	86	---	1	2	0	19	67.3M	FS
Bluejay	CA-YNP	6,922	---	50	Comp	11/20	16	---	0	0	0	1	185K	NPS
Wolf	CA-YNP	2,057	---	30	Comp	11/20	0	---	0	0	0	0	75K	NPS

KNP – Sequoia & Kings Canyon NP, NPS YNP – Yosemite NP, NPS

Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 12
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 5
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

August Complex (2 fires), Mendocino NF, USFS. IMT 2 (CA Team 14). Fourteen miles northwest of Elk Creek, CA. Timber, chaparral and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

North Complex, Plumas NF, USFS. One mile southwest of Crescent Mills, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Red Salmon Complex, Six Rivers NF, USFS. Fourteen miles northeast of Willow Creek, CA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Slater, Klamath NF, USFS. Five miles northeast of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
August Complex	CA-MNF	891,705	0	96	Ctn	11/15	710	31	10	28	5	881	161.5M	FS
North Complex	CA-PNF	318,935	0	96	Ctn	11/30	311	0	5	6	2	2,352	109.1M	FS
Red Salmon Complex	CA-SRF	144,474	0	78	Ctn	11/15	240	0	2	13	3	0	115M	FS
Slater	CA-KNF	157,270	0	87	Ctn	11/15	174	-32	4	4	0	440	53.4M	FS

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	4
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Cameron Peak, Arapaho and Roosevelt NF and Pawnee National Grassland, USFS. IMT 1 (PNW Team 2). IMT 2 (NW Team 10) mobilizing. Fifteen miles southwest of Redfeather Lakes, CO. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

East Troublesome, Medicine Bow-Routt NF and Thunder Basin National Grassland, USFS. Seventeen miles northeast of Kremmling, CO. Timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Sage-grouse habitat threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Calwood, Boulder County. Ten miles northwest of Boulder, CO. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area and trail closures in effect.

Middle Fork, Medicine Bow-Routt NF and Thunder Basin National Grassland, USFS. Ten miles north of Steamboat Springs, CO. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Energy infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Williams Fork, Arapaho and Roosevelt NF and Pawnee National Grassland, USFS. Fifteen miles southwest of Fraser, CO. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Cameron Peak	CO-ARF	208,913	0	92	Ctn	11/8	619	-472	7	15	6	466	120.9M	FS
East Troublesome	WY-MRF	193,812	0	47	Ctn	11/30	181	-7	3	8	2	478	14M	FS
Calwood	CO-BLX	10,106	0	85	Ctn	11/30	68	0	0	8	1	28	6.2M	CNTY

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Leslie Gulch	OR-VAD	4,500	---	0	Ctn	11/8	42	---	0	7	1	0	150K	BLM
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Big Hollow	WA-GPF	24,995	0	70	Comp	UNK	13	0	0	2	0	0	4.1M	FS
Thielsen	OR-UPF	9,975	---	85	Comp	11/14	30	---	0	1	0	0	13.5M	FS

GPF – Gifford Pinchot NF, USFS UPF – Umpqua NF, USFS

Northern Rockies Area (PL 1)

New fires: 0
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 2

Porcupine, Custer Gallatin NF, USFS. Started on state land 4 miles east of Big Sky, MT. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

Sourdough, Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF, USFS. Eighteen miles west of Lima, MT. Timber, brush and short grass. Minimal fire behavior.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Porcupine	MT-CGF	682	282	50	Ctn	11/8	17	-23	0	1	1	0	30K	ST
Sourdough	MT-BDF	5,811	0	90	Ctn	11/30	30	-23	0	4	0	0	200K	FS
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Bryan Mountain	ID-NCF	1,000	---	0	Comp	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	25K	FS
Shissler	ID-NCF	10,686	---	100	Comp	---	0	-3	0	0	0	0	3.8M	FS

NCF – Nez Perce-Clearwater NF, USFS

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 20
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 1

Caribou Cattail, Minnesota DNR. Twelve miles northeast of Lancaster, MN. Timber, brush and short grass. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Caribou Cattail	MN-MNS	600	---	90	Ctn	11/6	35	---	0	9	0	0	5K	ST

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 39
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 1

Jumping Jack, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land 10 miles east of Childress, TX. Tall grass. No new information. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Jumping Jack	TX-TXS	524	---	95	Ctn	11/5	5	---	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

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	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	11	1	12
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	17	4	21
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	7	70	77
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	6	1	9
	ACRES	0	54	0	0	569	270	893
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	4	0	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	22	10	32
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	16	4	20
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	17	43	60
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	38	1	39
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	139	8	147
TOTAL FIRES:		0	2	0	0	93	11	106
TOTAL ACRES:		0	54	0	0	758	401	1,213

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	140	0	0	186	16	342
	ACRES	0	45,295	0	0	135,915	24	181,234
Northwest Area	FIRES	279	220	66	18	1,820	1,040	3,443
	ACRES	395,171	146,640	32,976	86	309,796	619,809	1,504,479
Northern California Area	FIRES	59	74	3	39	3,546	647	4,368
	ACRES	22,041	90,451	44	10,007	1,128,343	1,270,476	2,521,362
Southern California Area	FIRES	34	127	8	37	4,328	636	5,170
	ACRES	304	26,935	1	65,789	123,680	442,045	658,755
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	1,580	81	6	10	1,042	580	3,299
	ACRES	137,889	11,669	833	4,132	227,445	68,933	450,901
Great Basin Area	FIRES	45	991	17	54	1,155	595	2,857
	ACRES	7,052	388,222	154	70	126,614	322,356	844,469
Southwest Area	FIRES	972	274	24	38	594	1,334	3,236
	ACRES	162,927	33,065	3,279	1,518	97,829	721,566	1,020,185
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	490	385	12	16	1,104	581	2,588
	ACRES	12,754	198,117	463	30,284	218,727	549,698	1,010,043
Eastern Area	FIRES	353	0	34	16	8,485	495	9,383
	ACRES	455	0	3,415	52	36,527	2,412	42,861
Southern Area	FIRES	332	86	28	56	13,505	357	14,364
	ACRES	14,272	404	4,236	32,986	409,409	23,894	485,201
TOTAL FIRES:		4,144	2,378	198	284	35,765	6,281	49,050
TOTAL ACRES:		752,866	940,799	45,401	144,924	2,814,287	4,021,215	8,719,494

Ten Year Average Fires (2010 – 2019 as of today)	52,622
Ten Year Average Acres (2010 – 2019 as of today)	6,436,214

***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 Yesterday (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	3	3
	ACRES	0	0	9	0	0	469	478
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	168	0	168
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	3	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	170	170
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	102	102
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	22	22
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	750	750
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	86	0	86
Southern Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	654	8	663
	ACRES	80	0	0	0	8,487	6,263	14,830
TOTAL FIRES:		1	0	0	0	656	18	675
TOTAL ACRES:		80	0	9	0	8,741	7,776	16,606

***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: Upper-level troughing will broaden and deepen over the West as another upper low tracks from British Columbia into Pacific Northwest and northern California. A cold front will continue to swing through the Intermountain West and into northwest Mexico with below average temperatures expected behind the front. Precipitation is expected across much of the West with heavy snow likely in portions of the Sierra and Rocky Mountains. Elevated fire weather conditions are likely on portions of the southern and central High Plains as lee troughing and downslope flow strengthen. Heavy rain is likely in portions of South Florida and far southeast Louisiana.

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



In Country Not Seen In Daylight

Operational Engagement Category

Often, firefighters arrive on a fire after dark. This is recognized as Watch Out Situation #2. Before safely fighting fire, in country not seen in daylight, firefighters must be able to answer the following questions:

- Can the resources you are replacing give you a thorough briefing? Identify whom you might get information from. Can you meet up with the departing overhead/resource leaders?
- Can you observe the area/use scouts? List ways you could observe the area you need to work.
- Have escape routes and safety zones been thoroughly scouted and marked for night use? Talk about what constitutes an escape route and a safety zone; who would identify them; and in what ways might they be marked.
- Have potential dangers been located; can they be mitigated? What are the dangers associated with Watch Out Situation #2? How can they be worked around?
- Reduce the risks by:
 - Posting lookouts.
 - Checking communications.
 - Retreat if you have doubts about your escape routes or safety zones, or the situation becomes too complex. Give examples of arriving on a fire after dark and what was done to allow you to fight fire safely in country not seen in daylight.
 - Identifying prominent geographic features.

Resources:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide, PMS 461](#)
[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)
[Wildland Fire Incident Management Field Guide, PMS 210](#)
[10 Standard Firefighting Orders, PMS 110](#)
[18 Watch Out Situations, PMS 118](#)
[10 and 18 Poster, PMS 110-18](#)

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