

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, August 10, 2022 – 0730 MDT
National Preparedness Level 3**

National Fire Activity:

Initial attack activity:	Light (147 fires)
New large incidents:	4
Large fires contained:	3
Uncontained large fires: **	30
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	7
***Complex IMTs committed:	0

***Complex Incident Management Teams (CIMTs) are configured to respond to large, complex fires and can expand and reduce staffing in all functional areas as necessary to meet the needs of the incident.

Nationally, there are 61 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.

One RC-26 aircraft with Distributed Real-Time Infrared (DRTI) capability and support personnel from the 141st Air Refueling Wing (Washington Air National Guard) have been deployed to Boise, ID. One RC-26 aircraft with Distributed Real-Time Infrared (DRTI) capability and support personnel from the 162nd Operations Group (Arizona Air National Guard) have been deployed to Eugene, OR in support of wildland fire operations.

Active Incident Resource Summary							
GACC	Incidents	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel	Change in Personnel
AICC	3	285,884	1	1	0	34	0
NWCC	12	62,564	62	119	17	2,461	-210
ONCC	4	78,565	131	334	14	5,145	126
OSCC	2	24,130	9	16	4	578	-83
NRCC	12	45,209	27	54	18	1,282	-140
GBCC	7	79,545	39	71	16	1,659	92
SWCC	1	341,735	4	5	1	445	-94
RMCC	4	23,986	3	28	1	226	-13
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	16	13,832	2	22	1	162	-49
Total	61	955,449	278	650	72	11,992	-371

Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires:	18
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	8
NIMOs committed	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

McKinney, Klamath NF, USFS. IMT 1 (CA Team 2). Fifteen miles northwest of Yreka, CA. Timber, tall grass and brush. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Several communities, numerous residences and infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

2022 SRF Lightning Complex (5 fires), Six Rivers NF, USFS. NIMO (NIMO Team 1) and IMT 2 (CA Team 11). One mile northeast of Willow Creek, CA. Timber and slash. Active fire behavior with group torching, uphill runs and spotting. Several communities, structures and infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, area, road and trail closures in effect.

Yeti, Klamath NF, USFS. IMT 2 (CA Team 10). IMT is also managing the Alex fire. Eight miles northeast of Happy Camp, CA. Closed timber litter and timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Several communities, numerous structures and communication infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, road and trail closures in effect.

Alex, Klamath NF, USFS. Twenty-two miles northwest of Yreka, CA. Closed timber litter and timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
McKinney	CA-KNF	60,389	10	60	Ctn	8/30	3,144	-384	75	223	5	185	37M	FS
2022 SRF Lightning Complex	CA-SRF	10,139	3,363	0	Ctn	8/27	1,125	600	35	67	6	0	1.9M	FS
Yeti	CA-KNF	7,886	1	78	Ctn	8/20	956	-90	20	44	3	0	9.8M	FS
Alex	CA-KNF	151	0	80	Ctn	8/12	20	0	1	0	0	0	450K	FS

Northwest Area (PL 3)

New fires:	55
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	9
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

Windigo, Umpqua NF, USFS. IMT 2 (NW Team 6). IMT is also managing the Potter fire. Twenty miles southwest of La Pine, OR. Closed timber litter, timber and medium slash. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, torching and spotting. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Potter, Willamette NF, USFS. Forty-six miles southwest of La Pine, OR. Closed timber litter, timber and medium slash. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, torching and spotting. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Cedar Creek, Willamette NF, USFS. IMT 1 (PNW Team 2). Fifteen miles east of Oakridge, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Active fire behavior with flanking, single tree torching and short-range spotting. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Vantage Highway, Southeast Region, Washington DNR. IMT 2 (NW Team 12). IMT is also managing the Cow Canyon fire. Five miles west of Vantage, WA. Short grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Structures threatened. Area closure in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Cow Canyon, Southeast Region, Washington DNR. Eleven miles north of Naches, WA. Short grass, timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Williams Lake, Northeast Region, Washington DNR. Twelve miles south of Cheney, WA. Timber and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping.

Beech Creek, Malheur NF, USFS. Nine miles south of Long Creek, OR. Timber and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, backing and isolated torching. Structures threatened.

Griffin, Burns District, BLM. Thirty-six miles northeast of Burns, OR. Brush, tall grass and timber. Active fire behavior.

Miller Road, The Dalles Unit, Oregon DOF. Eight miles west of Maupin, OR. Short grass, brush and timber. 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			
Windigo	OR-UPF	1,053	0	25	Ctn	10/1	528	-37	11	16	5	0	6.3M	FS
Potter	OR-WIF	279	45	0	Ctn	10/30	263	27	8	8	5	0	2.4M	FS
Cedar Creek	OR-WIF	3,536	302	0	Ctn	10/1	520	445	15	7	5	0	3.3M	FS
Vantage Highway	WA-SES	30,659	0	90	Ctn	8/11	126	-29	1	5	0	4	6.9M	ST
Cow Canyon	WA-SES	5,832	0	60	Ctn	8/15	262	-126	9	10	1	4	4.5M	ST
Williams Lake	WA-NES	1,868	0	80	Ctn	8/11	187	-68	5	26	0	0	2.8M	ST
Beech Creek	OR-MAF	155	0	75	Ctn	8/24	80	-71	2	4	0	0	1.7M	FS
Griffin	OR-BUD	1,927	0	50	Ctn	8/11	106	-23	3	8	0	0	2.5M	BLM
Miller Road	OR-954S	10,847	---	98	Ctn	UNK	274	---	8	9	0	40	3.5M	ST
* Whitcomb	WA-MCR	300	---	100	Ctn	---	12	---	0	4	0	0	5K	FWS

MCR – Mid Columbia National Wildlife Refuge Complex, FWS

Northern Rockies Area (PL 3)

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

Elmo, Flathead Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (NR Team 7). Eight miles west of Elmo, MT. Grass and timber. Active fire behavior with flanking, backing and single tree torching. Structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Evacuations, area and road closures in effect.

Hog Trough, Bitterroot NF, USFS. IMT 2 (NR Team 5). Seventeen miles southeast of Hamilton, MT. Closed timber litter, timber and heavy slash. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and torching. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

* **Indian Ridge**, Bitterroot NF, USFS. Thirty miles southwest of Darby, MT. Timber. Active fire behavior with short crown runs and spotting. Last narrative 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			
Elmo	MT-FHA	21,349	4	55	Ctn	8/20	548	-60	12	28	9	8	11.4M	BIA
Hog Trough	MT-BRF	824	26	50	Comp	10/15	360	-60	6	4	3	0	6.2M	FS
Busman Road	MT-LG33	12,886	-114	100	Ctn	---	0	-40	0	0	0	0	510K	CNTY

Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned

* Indian Ridge	MT-BRF	2,400	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FS
Redhorn	MT-FHA	483	85	0	Comp	10/1	108	56	4	0	4	0	700K	BIA
Weasel	MT-KNF	1,465	205	0	Comp	9/30	39	-35	0	1	0	0	850K	FS
Clover	MT-BDF	1,101	2	38	Comp	10/30	78	0	3	3	1	0	1.8M	FS
Diamond Watch	ID-IPF	120	---	0	Comp	9/30	24	---	1	1	0	0	153K	FS

LG33 – Treasure County KNF – Kootenai NF, USFS BDF – Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF, USFS
IPF – Idaho Panhandle NF, USFS

Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires:	13
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1

Moose, Salmon-Challis NF, USFS. IMT 1 (GB Team 1). Seventeen miles north of Salmon, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, group torching and short-range spotting. Numerous structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Moose	ID-SCF	72,710	1,364	21	Ctn	9/15	1,432	92	34	66	10	7	33.6M	FS

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Woodtick	ID-SCF	5,416	254	18	Comp	9/15	83	0	2	4	2	0	2.3M	FS
Dismal	ID-PAF	772	---	0	Comp	10/15	9	---	0	0	1	0	26K	FS
Halfway Hill	UT-SCS	11,666	---	90	Comp	10/1	30	---	0	3	0	2	11.6M	ST
Goshute	NV-EKD	1,966	---	90	Comp	9/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	3.2M	BLM
Wolf Fang	ID-SCF	871	---	0	Comp	10/1	1	---	0	0	0	0	31K	FS

PAF – Payette NF, USFS SCS – South Central Area, Utah DOF EKD – Elko District, BLM

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	5
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	2

Fish, Crook County. Seven miles south of Sundance, WY. Short grass and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area closures in effect.

Sugarloaf, Medicine Bow-Routt NF, Thunder Basin National Grassland, USFS. Twenty-five miles northwest of Wheatland, WY. Timber, short grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Fish	WY-CRX	6,793	0	98	Ctn	8/20	178	0	3	17	3	0	5.3M	CNTY
Sugarloaf	WY-MRF	839	0	60	Ctn	8/17	20	-13	0	2	0	0	NR	FS

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	12
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1

Oak, Mariposa-Merced Unit, Cal Fire. Five miles northeast of Mariposa, CA. Tall grass, chaparral and timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Oak	CA-MMU	19,244	0	98	Ctn	8/10	514	-83	8	12	2	194	88.3M	ST

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	37
New large incidents:	2
Uncontained large fires	7

Burns Creek, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land 13 miles northwest of Brenham, TX. Timber, hardwood litter and short grass. Moderate fire behavior. Residences threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Big Sky, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land 10 miles north of Fredericksburg, TX. Grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

* **Fountain Creek**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land three miles southwest of Groveton, TX. Timber and closed timber litter. Active fire behavior with running, group torching and short crown runs. Residences threatened.

Sarco, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land 19 miles northeast of Beeville, TX. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

* **Gate 6**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land 18 miles north of Livingston, TX. Timber and closed timber litter. Active fire behavior with running, group torching and short crown runs.

Shell Rock Creek, Ouachita NF, USFS. Fifteen miles northwest of Broken Bow, OK. Hardwood litter and timber. No new information. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Bickley Highway, Georgia Forestry Commission. Five miles south of Tifton, GA. Timber. 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			
Burns Creek	TX-TXS	398	-100	80	Ctn	8/10	43	-5	1	7	0	5	NR	PRI
Big Sky	TX-TXS	1,459	0	95	Ctn	8/10	76	-5	1	14	0	4	NR	PRI
* Fountain Creek	TX-TXS	514	---	90	Ctn	8/11	12	---	0	0	1	0	NR	PRI
Sarco	TX-TXS	515	0	95	Ctn	UNK	0	-8	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
* Gate 6	TX-TXS	100	---	0	Ctn	8/12	17	---	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Shell Rock Creek	AR-OUF	230	---	85	Ctn	8/12	4	---	0	1	0	0	4K	FS
Bickley Highway	GA-GAS	235	---	97	Ctn	8/11	1	----	0	0	0	0	17K	ST
Ranger Creek	TX-TXS	3,237	6	100	Ctn	---	1	-57	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Hermits Peak, Santa Fe NF, USFS. IMT 2 (SW Team 3). Twelve miles northwest of Las Vegas, NM. Hardwood litter and timber. Minimal fire behavior. Area, road and trail closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Hermits Peak	NM-SNF	341,735	0	98	Ctn	UNK	445	-94	4	5	1	903	288M	FS
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Keystone	AZ-FTA	461	---	20	Comp	10/1	2	---	0	1	0	0	20K	BIA
Dragon	AZ-GCP	1,362	---	0	Comp	9/1	27	---	1	1	0	0	900K	NPS
C-3	AZ-TCA	1,378	---	75	Comp	UNK	136	---	2	3	0	0	1.1M	BIA

FTA – Fort Apache Agency, BIA GCP – Grand Canyon NP, NPS TCA – Truxton Canyon Agency, BIA

Alaska Area (PL 2)

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														
Clear	AK-FAS	73,284	---	91	Comp	8/31	18	---	0	1	0	33	27.1M	ST
Bean Complex	AK-TAD	212,503	---	98	Comp	10/1	3	---	0	0	0	0	11.7M	ST

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Tolstine Creek	AK-SWS	6,652	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	3K	ST
Hardscrabble Creek	AK-SWS	2,514	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	3K	ST
Goose	AK-UYD	6,357	---	0	Comp	10/1	8	---	0	0	0	0	60K	FWS
Christian	AK-UYD	4,696	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	3K	TRI
Kocacho	AK-UYD	5,758	---	0	Comp	10/1	7	---	0	0	0	0	60K	TRI
Dalton Highway Complex	AK-TAD	91,680	---	57	Comp	8/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	7M	BLM
Slathtouka	AK-TAD	7,789	---	90	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	2M	BLM
Paradise Complex	AK-TAD	275,703	---	65	Comp	9/1	6	---	1	0	1	0	2.8M	BLM
Minnkohwin	AK-TAD	7,450	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	30K	FWS
Bearman	AK-UYD	649	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	80K	TRI
Middle Tanana Complex	AK-DAS	62,861	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	3.4M	ST
Poorman Complex	AK-GAD	140,356	---	0	Comp	UNK	65	---	1	0	0	0	135K	BLM
AK-TAD-0000532	AK-TAD	5,482	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Contact Creek	AK-SWS	10,654	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	25K	NPS
Minto Lakes	AK-FAS	37,554	---	53	Comp	UNK	10	---	0	0	2	0	9.2M	ST
Chalatna	AK-TAD	661	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FWS
East Henshaw	AK-TAD	440	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Little Mud	AK-TAD	10,673	---	0	Comp	10/1	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	TRI
Fort Hamlin Hills	AK-TAD	468	---	0	Comp	9/30	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Middle Fork	AK-FAS	1,245	---	0	Comp	8/15	2	---	0	0	0	0	60K	ST
Eddy Creek	AK-GAD	3,355	---	0	Comp	8/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	BLM
Tagagawik 2	AK-GAD	620	---	0	Comp	8/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	BLM
Apoon Pass	AK-GAD	84,138	---	0	Comp	8/10	0	---	0	0	0	0	55K	FWS
Fish Creek	AK-TAD	1,054	---	0	Comp	8/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Adak	AK-SWS	919	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FWS

FAS – Fairbanks Area, Alaska DOF TAD – Tanana Zone, BLM SWS – Southwest Area, Alaska DOF
 YUD – Upper Yukon Zone, BLM DAS – Delta Area, Alaska DOF GAD – Galena Zone, BLM

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	1	0	1
Northwest Area	FIREs	1	8	0	0	16	30	55
	ACRES	43	4	0	0	13	4	64
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	10	7	18
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	15	3	18
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	11	1	12
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	75	0	75
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	2	2	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2,087	2,087
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	6	0	0	5	2	13
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	4,311	4,311
Southwest Area	FIREs	0	1	0	0	1	1	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	1	0	0	1	2	1	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIREs	8	0	0	0	27	2	37
	ACRES	26	0	0	0	67	0	93
TOTAL FIRES:		10	16	0	1	74	46	147
TOTAL ACRES:		69	4	0	0	182	6,405	6,660

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	179	0	0	339	29	547
	ACRES	0	1,526,365	0	0	1,560,264	10	3,086,639
Northwest Area	FIREs	121	171	19	17	505	349	1,182
	ACRES	1,207	45,180	255	2	12,939	6,457	66,040
Northern California Area	FIREs	6	19	4	15	2,046	222	2,312
	ACRES	2	248	20	44	14,024	68,313	82,651
Southern California Area	FIREs	20	34	7	23	2,684	328	3,096
	ACRES	114	295	102	5,269	18,466	2,048	26,294
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	256	17	3	1	577	176	1,030
	ACRES	24,465	2,103	207	0	7,684	4,770	39,228
Great Basin Area	FIREs	22	422	5	28	524	184	1,185
	ACRES	42	26,098	58	29	36,006	118,115	180,348
Southwest Area	FIREs	381	182	3	24	529	708	1,827
	ACRES	42,946	13,325	0	2,712	159,636	759,654	978,272
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	245	241	12	20	937	230	1,685
	ACRES	17,556	5,893	130	597	175,114	10,627	209,917
Eastern Area	FIREs	88	0	20	10	4,917	307	5,342
	ACRES	253	0	680	12	38,658	2,886	42,490
Southern Area	FIREs	732	4	24	63	21,144	602	22,569
	ACRES	99,767	88	5,763	2,929	1,024,436	38,717	1,171,700
TOTAL FIRES:		1,871	1,269	97	201	34,202	3,135	40,775
TOTAL ACRES:		186,351	1,619,595	7,215	11,595	3,047,225	1,011,596	5,883,577

Ten Year Average Fires (2012 – 2021 as of today)	36,050
Ten Year Average Acres (2012 – 2021 as of today)	4,083,859

***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/>

Canadian Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO- DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	11	1,055	565	32,246
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	271	175,204
ALBERTA	3	0	738	111,920
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	1,906	189	382,950
SASKATCHEWAN	3	1	307	223,350
MANITOBA	0	1	120	134,362
ONTARIO	1	0	176	2,415
QUEBEC	1	0	332	29,567
NEWFOUNDLAND	2	4,177	69	17,125
NEW BRUNSWICK	2	0	172	134
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	113	3,369
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	2	0
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	49	6,785
TOTALS	23	7,140	3,148	1,119,426

*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: Scattered showers and mixed wet and dry thunderstorms are likely to be ongoing across Washington into the Idaho Panhandle in the morning and possibly southeast Oregon into southwest Idaho. Scattered mostly wet thunderstorms will develop across eastern Oregon, eastern Washington, southern and central Idaho, and western Montana in the afternoon, although drier storms are likely across northern Idaho into western Montana. Severe storms are possible across portions of northern and eastern Washington into northeast Oregon and northern Idaho. Drier air will move into central Oregon and northern California in the afternoon, with elevated fire weather conditions likely due to southwest sustained winds of 10-20 mph gusting to 25-35 mph amid minimum relative humidity of 8-20%. Dry and breezy conditions are also expected across portions of north-central and northeast Montana.

Scattered wet monsoonal thunderstorms will continue across the Southwest, Colorado Rockies, southeast California, and much of the Great Basin. Scattered showers and thunderstorms are likely across much of Texas, becoming more numerous across the Lower Mississippi Valley into the central and southern Appalachians and Mid-Atlantic. Thunderstorms will be more isolated across Florida, Georgia, and South Carolina.

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



Uninformed on Strategy, Tactics, or Hazards

Operational Engagement Category

Firefighters who are uninformed on strategy, tactics, or hazards are in conflict with Watch Out Situation #5. Before going to the fireline, it is imperative that firefighters obtain information about strategies, tactics, or hazards by asking themselves the following questions:

- Can communications be established to find out strategy, tactics, or hazards?
 - Discuss ways you might establish communications.
 - For example: Contact someone who is already on the fire and ask them what tactics and strategies are working or not working, what hazards have they witnessed, etc.
- Can scouting safely identify potential hazards?
 - Talk about different methods of scouting a fire (e.g., using a lookout from your crew or sending a line scout ahead, utilizing air attack or the spotter on a smokejumper airplane).
 - Discuss what types of hazards you might come across and ways you would mitigate them.
 - For example: If you arrive at a fire after dark and are instructed to dig line downhill with the fire below, how could you make this a safe situation?
- Have strategies, tactics, or hazards changed since last informed?
 - Discuss situations that might alter the way you are fighting a fire (e.g., wind shifts, resources you expected don't arrive, etc.).
 - Also, think about what new hazards can develop while you are on the fireline (e.g., roots burning out and trees coming down, winds shifting direction and speed, etc.).
- Can you get a briefing from your supervisor?
 - Talk about the importance of constant communications and ensuring firefighters are on the same page with strategies and tactics.
 - For example, if one crew decides to do a burnout but doesn't let the crew at the other end of the line know what they are doing, what can happen?
- To reduce the risks:
 - Post lookouts.
 - Determine escape routes and establish safety zones.
 - Consider retreating until you are better informed.
 - Don't leave a staging area or operational briefing until you have all the pertinent information.
 - Emphasize ways to inform firefighters about strategies, tactics, and hazards. Tell a story about when you were uninformed and what you did to correct the situation so that you were safe.
 - Use the [NWCG Incident Response Pocket Guide \(IRPG\), PMS 461](#), (back inside cover) Briefing Checklist.

References:

- 10 Standard Firefighting Orders, PMS 110, <https://www.nwcg.gov/publications/pms110>
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- NWCG Incident Response Pocket Guide (IRPG), PMS 461, <https://www.nwcg.gov/publications/461>
- Interagency Standards for Fire & Fire Aviation Operations (Red Book),
<https://www.nifc.gov/standards/guides/red-book>

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