

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, February 25, 2022 – 0730 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity (February 18 – February 24, 2022):

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|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| Initial attack activity: | Light (806 Fires) |
| New large incidents: | 34 |
| Large fires contained: | 43 |
| Uncontained large fires: *** | 6 |
| Area Command teams committed: | 0 |
| NIMOs committed: | 0 |
| Type 1 IMTs committed: | 0 |
| Type 2 IMTs committed: | 0 |

Nationally, there are 0 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 0730 Mountain time unless significant activity occurs.

| Active Incident Resource Summary | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| GACC | Incidents | Cumulative Acres | Crews | Engines | Helicopters | Total Personnel | Change in Personnel |
| AICC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NWCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ONCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| OSCC | 1 | 4,136 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 81 | -642 |
| NRCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GBCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SWCC | 1 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 16 | 16 |
| RMCC | 1 | 495 | 0 | 31 | 0 | 75 | -80 |
| EACC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SACC | 38 | 30,708 | 7 | 75 | 3 | 326 | -230 |
| Total | 41 | 35,350 | 9 | 116 | 3 | 498 | -936 |

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 695
 New large incidents: 31
 Uncontained large fires: 5

* **WF5 Rum Creek**, Florida Forest Service. Fifteen miles east of Arcadia, FL. Closed timber litter and southern rough. Active fire behavior with creeping.

* **North Marble Field**, Oklahoma DOF. Five miles northwest of Kansas, OK. Hardwood litter and grass. Minimal fire behavior.

* **Four Mile Creek**, Osage Agency, BIA. Four miles south of Barnsdale, OK. Grass and timber. Extreme fire behavior with wind-driven runs and running. Structures threatened.

* **Sulphur Flats**, Oklahoma DOF. Five miles southwest of Jay, OK. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with wind-driven runs.

508, National Forests in Mississippi, USFS. Ten miles north of Morton, MS. Timber and brush. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

| Incident Name | Unit | Size | | % | Ctn/ Comp | Est | Personnel | | Resources | | | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|-------------------------|--------|-------|------|-----|--------------|------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| | | Acres | Chge | | | | Total | Chge | Crw | Eng | Heli | | | |
| * WF5 Rum Creek | FL-FLS | 1,535 | --- | 90 | Ctn | 2/25 | 6 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | NR | ST |
| * North Marble Field | OK-OKS | 382 | --- | 90 | Ctn | 2/27 | 1 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20K | ST |
| * Four Mile Creek | OK-OSA | 3,456 | --- | 75 | Ctn | UNK | 17 | --- | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 18K | BIA |
| * Sulphur Flats | OK-OKS | 342 | --- | 80 | Ctn | UNK | 3 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3K | ST |
| 508 | MS-MNF | 2,363 | --- | 98 | Ctn | UNK | 29 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6K | FS |
| * Attala Chester | MS-MSS | 921 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 6 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 184K | PRI |
| * Holmes County, Tchula | MS-MSS | 365 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 3 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 73K | PRI |
| * MS-MSS-223100465 | MS-MSS | 354 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 7 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 71K | PRI |
| * North A. Sandifer | MS-MSS | 325 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 16 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 65K | PRI |
| * Prolly | OK-OKS | 1,664 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 4 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 63K | ST |
| * Glen Creek | OK-OKS | 758 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 4 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 31K | ST |
| * Cascilla Road | MS-MSS | 149 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 4 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30K | PRI |
| * Claiborne Peyton | MS-MSS | 140 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 2 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 28K | PRI |
| * South of Reservoir | TX-AHR | 786 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 11 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 23K | FWS |
| * County Rd 17 | MS-MSS | 111 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 5 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22K | PRI |
| * Munn Road | MS-MSS | 107 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 3 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21K | PRI |
| Greasy Creek | OK-OMA | 4,500 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 20K | BIA |
| Flamesville | OK-OMA | 438 | -125 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 12 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 20K | BIA |
| Katy | OK-OMA | 740 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 16 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 20K | BIA |
| * Spring Day | FL-EAQ | 2,200 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20K | DOD |
| 1980 Road | OK-OKS | 4,080 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 1 | -4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 19K | ST |

| Incident Name | Unit | Size | | % | Ctn/ Comp | Est | Personnel | | Resources | | | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------------------|--------|-------|------|-----|--------------|-----|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| | | Acres | Chge | | | | Total | Chge | Crw | Eng | Heli | | | |
| * CR 1530 | OK-OKS | 423 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 4 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 17K | ST |
| * CN Boggy Hollow | AL-ALF | 723 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 14 | --- | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 15K | FS |
| Brokey | OK-OSA | 982 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 23 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10K | BIA |
| * Woodland | OK-CHA | 1,100 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 37 | --- | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 10K | BIA |
| Deere 2 | OK-OMA | 689 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10K | BIA |
| * Wells | OK-OKS | 340 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 7 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10K | ST |
| 8 Mile | OK-OSA | 1,555 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 11 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8K | BIA |
| * Blue Valley | OK-OKS | 920 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 8 | --- | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 7K | ST |
| * Pigeon Point | OK-OKS | 248 | --- | 100 | Ctn | -- | 5 | --- | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5K | ST |
| * ST-17 | FL-APQ | 557 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 9 | --- | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5K | DOD |
| * Alderson Branch | KY-KYS | 141 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 8 | --- | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5K | ST |
| * Branches Road | VA-VAS | 145 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 6 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5K | ST |
| Woodman | MS-MNF | 105 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5K | FS |
| * Bully Lane | OK-OKS | 1,984 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 8 | --- | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4K | ST |
| * Rattlesnake Ridge | OK-OKS | 978 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 4 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4K | ST |
| Bent Branch | KY-KYS | 126 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4K | PRI |
| * Johnson Co 34911 | KY-KYS | 629 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3K | ST |
| * 15 M Up Will May Bridge | KY-KYS | 230 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 10 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3K | ST |
| Little Fourche Maline #3 | OK-OKS | 350 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3K | ST |
| West Chilli | OK-OKS | 230 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2K | ST |
| * South Pine Mountain | OK-OKS | 104 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 2 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1K | ST |
| * 28123 | TX-TXS | 1,150 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 6 | --- | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1K | PRI |
| WF5 Southeast | FL-FLS | 326 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 2 | -11 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | NR | ST |
| Experiment Station #1 | TX-TXS | 434 | 0 | 100 | Ctn | --- | 1 | -15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | NR | PRI |

MSS – Mississippi Forestry Commission AHR – Anahuac NWR, FWS OMA – Okmulgee Field Office, BIA
 EAQ – Eglin AFB, DOD ALF – National Forests in AL, USFS CHA – Chickasaw Agency, BIA APQ – Avon Park AFB, DOD
 KYS – Kentucky DOF VAS – Virginia DOF

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 45
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Airport, San Bernardino Unit, Cal Fire. Three miles southeast of Bishop, CA. Brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous structures and communication infrastructure threatened.

| Incident Name | Unit | Size | | % | Ctn/ Comp | Est | Personnel | | Resources | | | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|--------|-------|------|----|--------------|------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| | | Acres | Chge | | | | Total | Chge | Crw | Eng | Heli | | | |
| Airport | CA-BDU | 4,136 | 0 | 90 | Ctn | 2/28 | 643 | -23 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 6.6M | ST |

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 2
New large incidents: 2
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 | | | |
| * Bestpitch | MD-MDS | 450 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1K | ST |
| * Elliotts Island | MD-MDS | 2,000 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1K | ST |

MDS – Maryland DNR

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires: 3
New large incidents: 1
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 | | | |
| * Brake Drum CA | SD-SDS | 495 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 75 | --- | 0 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 100K | ST |

SDS – South Dakota Wildland Fire Suppression

Fires and Acres (February 18 – February 24, 2022) (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 | 1 | 1 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern California Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 40 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 7 |
| Southern California Area | FIRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 34 | 10 | 45 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 14 | 28 |
| Northern Rockies Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Great Basin Area | FIRES | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 10 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 101 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 118 |
| Southwest Area | FIRES | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 10 |
| | ACRES | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 65 | 1 | 68 |
| Rocky Mountain Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 503 | 0 | 503 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 23 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 651 | 19 | 695 |
| | ACRES | 1,872 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 10,005 | 141 | 12,020 |
| TOTAL FIRES: | | 26 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 738 | 35 | 806 |
| TOTAL ACRES: | | 1,874 | 102 | 1 | 0 | 10,610 | 160 | 12,748 |

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 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 12 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 11 | 21 |
| Northern California Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 163 | 5 | 168 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 50 |
| Southern California Area | FIRES | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 245 | 42 | 292 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 902 | 21 | 924 |
| Northern Rockies Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Great Basin Area | FIRES | 0 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 16 | 2 | 29 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 28 | 0 | 0 | 125 | 0 | 153 |
| Southwest Area | FIRES | 19 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 35 | 14 | 83 |
| | ACRES | 120 | 174 | 0 | 0 | 746 | 33 | 1,073 |
| Rocky Mountain Area | FIRES | 29 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 18 | 5 | 55 |
| | ACRES | 41 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 2,907 | 294 | 3,257 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 227 | 20 | 247 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4,440 | 205 | 4,645 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 228 | 1 | 9 | 10 | 5,790 | 161 | 6,199 |
| | ACRES | 20,578 | 3 | 2,144 | 119 | 102,638 | 14,168 | 139,649 |
| TOTAL FIRES: | | 278 | 29 | 13 | 11 | 6,504 | 252 | 7,087 |
| TOTAL ACRES: | | 20,739 | 206 | 2,159 | 119 | 111,819 | 14,732 | 149,774 |

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|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Ten Year Average Fires (2011 – 2020 as of today) | 3,779 |
| Ten Year Average Acres (2011 – 2020 as of today) | 79,574 |

***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: An upper-level trough will move off the East Coast today with snow and mixed precipitation for the Northeast and rain for the Mid-Atlantic. Behind this trough, broad ridging is forecast for much of the central and western US into early next week with troughing continuing over the Northeast and a weak upper-level trough moving through Texas and the Southeast this weekend. Light to moderate rain will fall with the Southeast trough, with the possibility of ice and mixed precipitation on the northern edge of the precipitation while the remainder of the CONUS is dry.

The upper-level ridge will move over the Plains for the latter half of next week as troughing moves into the West Coast with valley rain and mountain snow likely for northern California, the Northwest, northern Rockies, and northern Great Basin.

Below normal temperatures for much of the country today will moderate this weekend with above normal temperatures likely for the West and much of the Plains for next week. However, below normal temperatures are forecast to continue for the Northeast through next week. Light offshore winds are likely this weekend into mid-next week for southern California with locally breezy and dry post-frontal conditions are possible across portions of the Southeast early next week. Elevated to critical conditions may return to the central and southern Plains late next week as the western trough moves inland.

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



Hazard Mitigation Through Risk Management

Operational Engagement Category

● Step 1 – Situational Awareness:

- Obtain information.
- Scout the fire.
- Identify hazards.
- Consider all aspects of current and future situations.
- Consider known historical problem areas (apply local area information from the Fire Danger PocketCard).
- Recognize the need for action.
- Demonstrate ongoing awareness of fire assignment status.
- Note deviations.
- Attempt to determine why any discrepancies exist before proceeding.

● Step 2 – Hazard Assessment:

- Assess hazards to determine risks (e.g., fire behavior, snags, unburned fuels, work/rest).
- Use the Look Up, Down, and Around and the Tactical Watch Outs (both located in the [Incident Response Pocket Guide \[IRPG\], PMS 461](#)) to identify high-risk tactical hazards.
- Assess the impact of each hazard in terms of potential loss, cost, and mission/operational degradation based on probability and severity (probability: how likely an event will occur; severity: consequences if the event occurs). Keep in mind that increased exposure time increases probability.

● Step 3 – Hazard Control:

- Determine the best approach to mitigate or control the risk based on the hazards assessed.
- Establish controls (e.g., anchor point, Lookouts, Communications, Escape Routes, and Safety Zones [LCES], utilize downhill checklist, limit exposure time).
- As control measures are developed, reevaluate each risk until it is reduced to a level where benefits outweigh potential costs.

● Step 4 – Decision Point (decision to accept or not accept the risks associated with an action):

- Ask yourself: (1) are controls in place for identified hazards, (2) are tactics selected based on expected fire behavior, and (3) are instructions given and understood?
- Make certain the decision is made at the appropriate level. If not, elevate to a higher level.
- Reject the action if the risk is unacceptable.

● Step 5 – Evaluation:

- Ensure controls are implemented and accomplished to standards.
- Supervise/evaluate the effectiveness of controls and decisions. Monitor the situation and adjust risk controls as necessary.
- Anticipate consequences of decisions; if controls do not work, determine the problem, and derive a better solution.
- Adjust actions as the situation changes. Maintain situational awareness.
- Solicit and provide feedback throughout the process.

Resources: [Incident Response Pocket Guide \(IRPG\), PMS 461](#); [Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations \(Red Book\)](#); [10 Standard Firefighting Orders, PMS 110](#); [18 Watch Out Situations, PMS 118](#); [10 and 18 Poster, PMS 110-18](#)

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