

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Wednesday, October 5, 2022 – 0730 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity:**

Initial attack activity:	Light (79 fires)
New large incidents:	2
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires: **	12
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	5
***Complex IMTs committed:	1

\*\*\*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 66 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.

IMT 1 (Florida Red Team) has been mobilized to Fort Meyers, FL to assist with Hurricane Ian response operations. IMT 1 (Florida Gold Team) has been mobilized to Orlando, FL to assist with Hurricane Ian search and rescue operations.

<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>	<b>Change in Personnel</b>
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	13	346,431	25	61	17	1,586	-171
ONCC	3	178,524	26	52	0	1,743	-2
OSCC	3	2,473	2	6	1	102	-5
NRCC	5	29,676	0	22	1	132	62
GBCC	12	198,410	10	37	10	667	-30
SWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RMCC	2	22,508	5	20	0	223	73
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	19	9,418	2	17	0	80	-7
<b>Total</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>787,441</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>4,533</b>	<b>-204</b>

**Northwest Area (PL 2)**

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

**Cedar Creek**, Willamette NF, USFS. IMT 2 (NW Team 7) and IMT 2 (NW Team 9). Fifteen miles east of Oakridge, OR. Timber and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with creeping, single tree torching and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Double Creek**, Wallowa-Whitman NF, USFS. Ten miles southeast of Imnaha, OR. Timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Goat Rocks**, Gifford Pinchot NF, USFS. Eight miles east of Packwood, WA. Timber and closed timber litter. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and torching. Numerous residences threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Kalama**, Gifford Pinchot NF, USFS. Six miles north of Cougar, WA. Timber and light slash. Moderate fire behavior with creeping, smoldering and backing. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**White River**, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF, USFS. Twenty-three miles northwest of Leavenworth, WA. Timber. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Cedar Creek	OR-WIF	120,855	98	36	Ctn	11/1	702	-86	11	12	5	0	113M	FS
Double Creek	OR-WWF	171,505	0	89	Ctn	10/31	234	-36	3	8	3	4	36M	FS
Goat Rocks	WA-GPF	4,249	0	0	Ctn	11/1	187	-12	2	10	4	0	11.2M	FS
Kalama	WA-GPF	443	0	5	Ctn	10/31	127	-4	4	5	2	0	6.2M	FS
White River	WA-OWF	4,561	---	10	Ctn	10/30	118	---	3	8	1	0	17M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Thor	WA-COF	1,800	336	0	Comp	10/31	13	0	1	1	0	0	2M	FS
Slate Creek	WA-COF	820	0	1	Comp	10/31	0	0	0	0	0	0	95K	FS
Siouxon	WA-GPF	297	---	0	Comp	10/31	8	---	0	2	0	0	101K	FS
Goat Mountain Two	OR-WWF	584	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	75K	FS
Nebo	OR-WWF	12,608	---	94	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	2.1M	FS
Sturgill	OR-WWF	21,625	---	80	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	3.6M	FS
McAllister Creek	WA-NCP	550	---	0	Comp	10/31	5	---	0	0	1	0	10K	NPS
Alligator	WA-COF	800	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	300K	FS
Boulder Lake	WA-MSF	797	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	35K	FS
Lake Toketie	WA-MSF	612	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FS
Chilliwack Complex	WA-NCP	8,910	---	0	Comp	12/31	22	---	0	0	1	0	497K	NPS

NCP – North Cascades NP, NPS

COF – Colville NF, USFS

MSF – Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie NF, USFS

**Great Basin Area (PL 2)**

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

**Moose**, Salmon-Challis NF, USFS. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (GB Team 5) to IMT 2 (GB Team 7) will occur today. Seventeen miles north of Salmon, ID. Short grass, brush and timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

**Four Corners**, Payette NF, USFS. Six miles west of Cascade, ID. Timber and closed timber litter. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Area, road and trail closures in effect. 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			
Moose	ID-SCF	130,114	0	80	Ctn	10/31	303	-3	3	7	3	9	98M	FS
Four Corners	ID-PAF	13,729	0	96	Ctn	10/5	17	-6	0	3	0	0	35.3M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Ross Fork	ID-STF	37,883	10	70	Comp	10/31	46	0	0	8	1	3	18M	FS
Tenmile	ID-PAF	2,028	---	65	Comp	10/31	15	---	0	1	1	0	7.1M	FS
Woodtick	ID-SCF	9,598	---	50	Comp	UNK	2	---	0	0	0	0	5.9M	FS
Wolf Fang	ID-SCF	2,082	---	0	Comp	UNK	1	---	0	0	0	0	80K	FS
Porphyry	ID-PAF	2,930	---	50	Comp	10/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	2M	FS
Patrol Point	ID-PAF	16,561	---	66	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	250K	FS
Dismal	ID-PAF	9,501	---	66	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	300K	FS
Norton	ID-SCF	9,069	---	21	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	900K	FS
Horse	ID-SCF	397	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	21K	FS

STF – Sawtooth NF, USFS

**Southern Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 52  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 3

**Lazy**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land three miles northeast of Brad, TX. Brush and tall grass. No new information.

**Haystack**, Texas A&M Forest Service. Started on private land three miles northeast of Childress, TX. Brush and tall grass. No new information.

**Rat**, Chickasaw Agency, BIA. One mile southeast of Ringling, OK. Tall grass and hardwood litter. No new information.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Lazy	TX-TXS	1,800	---	85	Ctn	10/5	4	---	0	1	0	0	NR	PRI
Haystack	TX-TXS	313	---	85	Ctn	10/5	14	---	0	4	0	0	NR	PRI

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rat	OK-CHA	160	---	70	Ctn	10/6	7	---	1	1	0	0	50K	BIA
* Allen	LA-KIF	205	---	100	Ctn	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FS

KIF – Kisatchie NF, USFS

### **Northern California Area (PL 2)**

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

**Mosquito**, Tahoe NF, USFS. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (CA Team 2) to IMT 2 (CA Team 12) will occur today. Twenty miles south of Emigrant Gap, CA. Timber and chaparral. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. 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			
Mosquito	CA-TNF	76,788	0	95	Ctn	10/15	1,372	30	21	45	0	78	136M	FS

### **Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)**

New fires:	1
New large incidents:	1
Uncontained large fires:	2
Complex IMTs committed:	1

**Bovee**, Nebraska National Forest. CIMT (RM Team 1). Three miles southwest of Halsey, NE. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**Fir**, Pine Ridge Agency, BIA. Four miles south of Porcupine, SD. Timber and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. 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			
Bovee	NE-NBF	18,932	3,932	56	Ctn	10/14	219	94	5	19	0	13	676K	FS
Fir	SD-PRA	1,112	0	90	Ctn	10/6	4	-21	0	1	0	0	250K	BIA
* Eads	CO-KWX	575	---	100	Ctn	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	CNTY

KWX – Kiowa County

## Northern Rockies Area (PL 1)

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														
Bull Gin Complex	MT-KNF	4,281	0	44	Comp	10/31	20	-62	0	3	0	0	14M	FS
Kootenai River Complex	ID-IPF	22,559	0	84	Comp	10/15	89	0	0	14	1	0	13M	FS
Diamond Watch	ID-IPF	1,220	---	60	Comp	10/31	16	---	0	0	0	0	1.2M	FS
Van Camp	ID-NCF	3,539	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	18.2K	FS
Castle	ID-NCF	678	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	160K	FS
Fire Creek	ID-NCF	607	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	8K	FS
Frenchman Butte	ID-NCF	267	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Huckleberry	ID-NCF	482	---	0	Comp	12/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	FS
Bear Creek	MT-BRF	235	---	75	Comp	10/22	0	---	0	0	0	0	78K	FS
Hog Trough	MT-BRF	1,701	---	76	Comp	10/30	3	---	0	1	0	0	NR	FS
Trail Ridge	MT-BDF	17,539	---	78	Comp	10/31	41	---	0	7	0	0	3.5M	FS
Indian Ridge	MT-BRF	8,953	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	115K	FS
Ursus	MT-FNF	4,274	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	30K	FS
Cayuse Mountain	MT-BRF	3,635	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	2K	FS
Twist Creek	MT-BRF	2,316	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	55K	FS
Cannon	MT-FNF	2,025	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	25K	FS
Margaret	MT-FNF	1,554	---	0	Comp	10/31	5	---	0	1	0	0	25K	FS
No Grass Creek	MT-HLF	1,145	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	95K	FS
Mill Lake	MT-BRF	915	---	63	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	890K	FS
George Lake	MT-FNF	682	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	16K	FS
Cayuse	MT-BRF	560	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FS
Dean Creek	MT-FNF	520	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	26K	FS
Solomon	MT-LNF	434	---	87	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	45K	FS
Fire Creek	MT-BRF	342	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FS
Green Ridge	MT-BRF	186	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	20K	FS
Eagle Creek	MT-BRF	176	---	0	Comp	10/31	1	---	0	0	0	0	3K	FS
Boulder Lake	MT-LNF	1,831	---	90	Comp	11/1	1	---	0	0	0	0	235K	FS
Blodgett Lake	MT-BRF	2,307	---	51	Comp	11/15	31	---	0	1	0	0	2.5M	FS
Lower Twin	ID-NCF	1,993	---	0	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Caledonia	ID-NCF	1,535	---	0	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Deep Creek	ID-NCF	598	---	0	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Wallow	ID-NCF	481	---	0	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	10K	FS
Isabella	ID-NCF	467	---	0	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Wash	ID-NCF	444	---	0	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Big Creek	MT-BRF	157	---	75	Comp	11/15	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Warm Springs	ID-NCF	5,232	---	1	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
Columbus	ID-IPF	2,298	---	0	Comp	10/31	20	---	0	4	0	0	350K	FS
Post Office	ID-NCF	2,145	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	FS
South Fork	ID-NCF	1,604	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	2.4K	FS
Howard Creek	ID-NCF	339	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	2K	FS
Ranger	ID-NCF	124	---	0	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	FS

KNF – Kootenai NF, USFS      IPF – Idaho Panhandle NF, USFS      NCF – Nez Perce-Clearwater NF, USFS  
 BRF – Bitterroot NF, USFS      BDF – Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF, USFS      FNF – Flathead NF, USFS  
 HLF – Helena-Lewis and Clark NF, USFS      LNF – Lolo NF, USFS

**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	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	2	0	0	0	8	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	7	3	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	9	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	2	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	10	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	1	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	6	0	1	0	41	4	6
	ACRES	77	0	1	0	112	40	77
TOTAL FIRES:		9	0	1	0	56	13	79
TOTAL ACRES:		78	0	1	0	125	53	258

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	197	0	0	363	31	591
	ACRES	0	1,531,779	0	0	1,575,401	9	3,107,189
Northwest Area	FIRES	196	344	27	46	1,002	897	2,512
	ACRES	2,124	75,863	278	4,532	21,042	266,693	370,534
Northern California Area	FIRES	8	28	5	18	2,667	343	3,069
	ACRES	2	288	20	131	23,022	188,314	211,778
Southern California Area	FIRES	26	41	9	25	3,332	469	3,902
	ACRES	140	306	103	6,773	53,144	18,428	78,895
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	513	35	7	8	1,243	649	2,455
	ACRES	32,904	136	572	1,687	43,267	110,995	189,561
Great Basin Area	FIRES	33	600	6	42	762	405	1,848
	ACRES	6,641	102,941	58	37	44,761	265,942	420,381
Southwest Area	FIRES	400	198	8	29	523	844	2,002
	ACRES	39,367	13,328	15	2,717	159,776	764,397	979,601
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	332	362	13	26	1,129	327	2,189
	ACRES	22,185	6,949	142	848	190,607	16,082	236,814
Eastern Area	FIRES	106	0	21	11	6,232	374	6,744
	ACRES	263	0	680	17	40,120	2,934	44,016
Southern Area	FIRES	984	4	44	72	27,631	670	29,405
	ACRES	106,861	88	12,302	3,069	1,127,142	40,305	1,289,769
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>2,598</b>	<b>1,809</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>44,884</b>	<b>5,009</b>	<b>54,717</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>210,489</b>	<b>1,731,680</b>	<b>14,170</b>	<b>19,812</b>	<b>3,278,284</b>	<b>1,674,102</b>	<b>6,928,540</b>

<b>Ten Year Average Fires (2012 – 2021 as of today)</b>	<b>45,694</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres (2012 – 2021 as of today)</b>	<b>6,773,978</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>



**Predictive Services Discussion:** A cold front will slowly push south across the southern Plains and east through the Ozarks as it weakens, but another cold front will start moving south on the northern Plains and into the western Great Lakes. Low relative humidity of 15-30% will continue from the southern Great Lakes to the Gulf Coast and south Texas, but winds should remain relatively light. Warm and dry conditions will remain in California, the western and northern Great Basin, and Inland Northwest. Thunderstorms will continue over the Southwest into the Colorado Rockies, and scattered showers with isolated thunderstorms are likely across portions of the Midwest and western Great Lakes associated with the cold front and upper low passage. Lingering showers are also likely along portions of the Mid-Atlantic and New England coasts.

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



## **Fight Fire Aggressively, Having Provided for Safety First**

### *Operational Engagement Category*

Standard Firefighting Order #10 must be considered at all times when fighting fire. In order to fight fire safely and aggressively, every firefighter must be able to answer the following questions:

- Is the suppression method adequate? Are we making progress? Are we beating our heads against a wall? Is there a better way to get this done?
  - Give examples of when you have had to change your suppression method.
- Are there adequate resources and time for effective suppression? Do we need to retreat and reevaluate?
  - Talk about how you dealt with times when you realized you were not making progress on a fire.
- Are lookouts posted? When you post lookouts, who would you choose to be a lookout, and where should they be located?
- Are communications prompt with crews and other resources?
  - Review the importance of effective communications on the fireline.
- Have escape routes and safety zones been established?
  - Talk about your crew's procedure for establishing escape routes and safety zones. Review what constitutes an escape route and a safety zone.
- Do you feel comfortable with your assignment?
  - Discuss how you evaluate the situation. Remind firefighters that every individual has the right to question an assignment.
- To reduce the risks:
  - Post lookouts.
  - Establish trigger points.
  - Retreat if the situation is too complex. Emphasize that safety is everyone's responsibility; we all want to be good firefighters and being safe is part of that.

#### References:

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<https://www.nifc.gov/standards/guides/red-book>

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