

National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Thursday, October 6, 2022 – 0730 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2

National Fire Activity:

Initial attack activity:	Light (74 fires)
New large incidents:	3
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires: **	14
Area Command teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
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 67 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.

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	12	325,963	25	57	17	1,487	-99
ONCC	3	178,524	22	40	0	1,613	-130
OSCC	3	2,479	2	4	1	73	-29
NRCC	4	29,871	0	17	1	108	-24
GBCC	12	198,420	9	37	9	667	0
SWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RMCC	2	22,437	5	18	0	231	8
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	17	10,342	3	20	0	95	15
Total	53	768,036	66	193	28	4,274	-259

Northwest Area (PL 2)

New fires:	2
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	3

Cedar Creek, Willamette NF, USFS. IMT 2 (NW Team 7) and IMT 2 (NW Team 9). IMT 2 (NW Team 12) mobilizing. 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 single tree torching. Numerous residences threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

White River, Okanogan-Wenatchee NF, USFS. Twenty-three miles northwest of Leavenworth, WA. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and isolated torching. Numerous structures 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 smoldering and creeping. Structures threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Bolt Creek, Northwest Region, DNR. Previously reported incident. Two miles north of Skykomish, WA. Timber and hardwood litter. Moderate fire behavior with backing, creeping and flanking. Area, road and trail closures in effect. 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			
Cedar Creek	OR-WIF	120,926	71	39	Ctn	11/1	646	-56	11	14	5	0	113M	FS
Double Creek	OR-WWF	171,505	0	89	Ctn	10/31	215	-19	3	3	3	4	36.2M	FS
Goat Rocks	WA-GPF	4,426	177	0	Ctn	11/1	177	-10	2	9	4	0	11.6M	FS
White River	WA-OWF	5,150	589	10	Ctn	10/30	118	0	3	8	1	0	17.2M	FS
Kalama	WA-GPF	454	11	5	Ctn	10/31	134	7	4	5	2	0	6.2M	FS

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

Bolt Creek	WA-NWS	12,863	1,586	36	Comp	10/31	169	0	2	15	1	0	9.2M	ST
Siouxon	WA-GPF	306	9	0	Comp	10/31	8	---	0	2	0	0	101K	FS
McAllister Creek	WA-NCP	550	---	0	Comp	10/31	5	---	0	0	1	0	10K	NPS
Slate Creek	WA-COF	820	---	1	Comp	10/31	0	---	0	0	0	0	95K	FS
Thor	WA-COF	1,800	---	0	Comp	10/31	13	---	1	1	0	0	2M	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
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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
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:	4
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Moose, Salmon-Challis NF, USFS. IMT 2 (GB Team 7). 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.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Moose	ID-SCF	130,119	5	80	Ctn	10/31	303	0	2	7	2	9	98M	FS
Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned														
Ross Fork	ID-STF	37,888	5	70	Comp	10/31	46	0	0	8	1	3	18M	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
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

STF – Sawtooth NF, USFS PAF – Payette NF, USFS

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires:	50
New large incidents:	3
Uncontained large fires:	5

* **4250 Road**, Oklahoma DOF. Two miles southwest of Rattan, OK. Timber and grass. Active fire behavior with flanking, isolated torching and wind-driven runs.

* **Rumble**, Chickasaw Agency, BIA. Four miles northeast of Graham, OK. Tall grass and hardwood litter. Moderate fire behavior with smoldering, backing and creeping. Residences threatened.

* **713 WF**, Region 3 Air Force Wildland Fire Branch, DOD. Ten miles northeast of Navarre, FL. Tall grass. Moderate fire behavior with flanking, backing and running.

Rat, Chickasaw Agency, BIA. One mile southeast of Ringling, OK. Tall grass and hardwood litter. Minimal fire behavior with creeping.

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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* 4250 Road	OK-OKS	435	---	30	Ctn	10/8	6	---	0	2	0	0	6K	ST
* Rumble	OK-CHA	375	---	60	Ctn	10/12	13	---	1	2	0	0	150K	BIA
* 713 WF	FL-EAQ	1,845	---	70	Ctn	UNK	6	---	0	3	0	0	10K	DOD
Rat	OK-CHA	160	0	95	Ctn	10/6	7	0	1	1	0	0	50K	BIA
Haystack	TX-TXS	313	---	85	Ctn	UNK	14	---	0	4	0	0	NR	PRI
Lazy	TX-TXS	1,800	0	100	Ctn	---	2	-2	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:	6
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Mosquito, Tahoe NF, USFS. IMT 2 (CA Team 12). Twenty miles south of Emigrant Gap, CA. Timber and chaparral. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Mosquito	CA-TNF	76,788	0	95	Ctn	10/15	1,268	-104	18	34	0	78	136M	FS

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	1
New large incidents:	0
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. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

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		% Acres	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Bovee	NE-NBF	18,861	-71	94	Ctn	10/14	227	8	5	17	0	16	1.1M	FS
Fir	SD-PRA	1,112	0	90	Ctn	10/6	4	0	0	1	0	0	250K	BIA

Northern Rockies Area (PL 1)

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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		% Acres	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	55	Comp	10/31	19	-1	0	3	0	0	14M	FS
Kootenai River Complex	ID-IPF	22,786	227	85	Comp	10/15	86	-3	0	13	1	0	13.1M	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	2	0	0	0	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Northern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	3	3	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIREs	0	0	0	1	1	2	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	5	5	10
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	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	20	0	20
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIREs	7	0	0	0	35	8	50
	ACRES	27	0	0	0	2,032	71	2,129
TOTAL FIRES:		7	2	0	1	51	13	74
TOTAL ACRES:		27	0	0	0	2,058	76	2,161

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIREs	0	199	0	0	363	31	593
	ACRES	0	1,531,779	0	0	1,575,401	9	3,107,189
Northwest Area	FIREs	196	344	27	46	1,004	897	2,514
	ACRES	2,125	75,864	278	4,532	21,043	267,790	371,631
Northern California Area	FIREs	8	28	5	18	2,670	346	3,075
	ACRES	2	288	20	131	23,022	188,314	211,778
Southern California Area	FIREs	26	41	9	25	3,339	469	3,909
	ACRES	140	306	103	6,774	53,144	18,428	78,896
Northern Rockies Area	FIREs	513	35	7	8	1,244	649	2,456
	ACRES	32,904	136	572	1,687	43,267	110,995	189,561
Great Basin Area	FIREs	33	600	6	43	764	411	1,857
	ACRES	6,641	102,942	58	37	44,766	265,947	420,392
Southwest Area	FIREs	400	198	8	29	523	844	2,002
	ACRES	39,368	13,328	15	2,717	159,777	764,397	979,602
Rocky Mountain Area	FIREs	332	349	13	26	1,130	327	2,177
	ACRES	22,185	7,996	142	848	190,627	16,082	237,880
Eastern Area	FIREs	106	0	21	11	6,232	374	6,744
	ACRES	264	0	680	17	40,120	2,935	44,016
Southern Area	FIREs	991	4	44	72	27,744	681	29,536
	ACRES	106,888	88	12,302	3,070	1,130,032	40,531	1,292,910
TOTAL FIRES:		2,605	1,798	140	278	45,013	5,029	54,863
TOTAL ACRES:		210,516	1,732,727	14,170	19,813	3,281,200	1,675,428	6,933,854

Ten Year Average Fires (2012 – 2021 as of today)	45,837
Ten Year Average Acres (2012 – 2021 as of today)	6,488,528

***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 push south across the central and southern Plains and from the southern Great Lakes into the Ohio Valley. Low relative humidity of 15-30% will continue from eastern Kansas into east Texas and from the Ohio Valley to the Gulf Coast. Northwest winds of 10-15 mph will also develop across the Mid to Lower Mississippi Valley, with locally elevated conditions. Warm and dry conditions with light winds will continue in California, the western and northern Great Basin, and Inland Northwest. Thunderstorms will continue over eastern Arizona and New Mexico, spreading into portions of the Texas panhandle as well. Scattered showers with isolated thunderstorms are likely across the Great Lakes with an upper low. Light rain, possibly mixed with snow, is forecast to develop overnight across portions of the northern High Plains.

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



Aviation Watch Outs

Aviation Category

As part of risk management, especially during high activity fires, each aviation manager and employee should be asking questions about every mission.

- Is the flight necessary?
- Who is in charge?
- Are hazards identified and known?
 - Have flight hazards been assessed? Have the pilots been informed?
- Should the operation or the flight be stopped due to a change in conditions? Consider the following:
 - Radio communications.
 - Environmental conditions – weather, visibility, terrain, elevation, temperatures.
 - Mission priorities.
 - Successful mission completion probabilities.
- Is there a better way to complete the mission?
- Is there pressure to complete a mission at all costs?
- Can you justify your actions?
- Is the mission airspace confined or congested?
 - Multiple aircraft.
 - Mixed types of aircraft.
 - Poor visibility.
- Do you have an escape route?
- Are any guidelines or policies being ignored?
- Is communication between any individuals strained or tense?
- Are you deviating from the assigned operation or flight?

References:

Incident Response Pocket Guide, PMS 461, <https://www.nwcg.gov/publications/461>

NWCG Standards for Helicopter Operations, PMS 510, <https://www.nwcg.gov/publications/510>

Interagency Standards for Fire & Fire Aviation Operations (Red Book),
<https://www.nifc.gov/standards/guides/red-book>

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