



**Southern Area (PL 1)**

**Fire Activity and Teams Assigned**

**Quantity**

New fires: 138  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 0

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Pine Mt. Fire	OK-OKS	436	---	100	Ctn	---	5	---	0	2	0	0	3K	ST

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**Fires and Acres from December 30, 2022 to January 4, 2023 (by Protection):**

<b>Geographic Area</b>	<b>Fires / Acres</b>	<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Alaska	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	<b>3</b>
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	9	9	<b>18</b>
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern Rockies	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Great Basin	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southwest	FIRES	1	1	0	0	2	1	<b>5</b>
Southwest	ACRES	0	15	0	0	3	10	<b>28</b>
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	<b>1</b>
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	3	<b>3</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	19	0	0	0	118	1	<b>138</b>
Southern Area	ACRES	390	0	0	0	210	155	<b>755</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>20</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>165</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>390</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>786</b>

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

<b>Geographic Area</b>	<b>Fires/ Acres</b>	<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alaska	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	5	1	6
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Southwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	18	0	0	0	50	0	68
Southern Area	ACRES	386	0	0	0	152	0	538
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>78</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>386</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>549</b>

<b>Ten Year Average</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
<b>Fires (2013 – 2022 as of today)</b>	<b>80</b>
<b>Acres (2013 – 2022 as of today)</b>	<b>822</b>

**Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.**

## **Predictive Services Discussion:**

A series of atmospheric rivers will impact the West Coast through next week, focused on California where snow levels will fluctuate between 4,000 feet and 8,000 feet. Heavy rain, with many areas likely to exceed several inches and a few exceeding a foot, will fall in the Coast Ranges of California, lower to mid elevations of the Sierra, and the Central Valley into next week. Precipitation, valley rain, and mountain snow will fall across much of the Intermountain West into next week as well with snow levels near 3,000 feet in the north to 7,000 feet in the Southwest. Periods of strong winds are also likely to occur in portions of California and southwest Oregon, especially early next week.

Periods of elevated conditions are likely across portions of the southern High Plains into west and south Texas through mid-next week due to gusty winds and low relative humidity as the storms exit the West. A period of stronger downslope winds is likely today, with areas of critical conditions across eastern New Mexico and the Texas Panhandle, but the timing of any period of stronger winds early to mid-next week remains uncertain. Little to no precipitation is forecast for much of the Plains through next week, with only light precipitation for the Mississippi Valley to the East Coast while showers and thunderstorms bring moderate rain to east Texas and Louisiana this weekend. A return to wetter conditions is possible late next week for portions of the Southeast as well.

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

## **6 Minutes for Safety:**

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