

Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, January 16, 2026 – 0730 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1

National Fire Activity (January 9, 2026 – January 15, 2026):

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned	Totals
Initial attack activity:	Light (255 fires)
New large incidents:	9
Large fires contained:	7
Uncontained large fires:	3
CIMTs committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0

Nationally, there are zero fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

Fires not managed under a full suppression strategy or fires managed under a full suppression strategy but utilizing a combination of tactics – such as monitoring, confinement or point zone protection – achieve specific fire management objectives while balancing the most effective utilization of resources. Fires managed as described above are identified in the situational report as Comp fires. Additional information including definitions can be found in the [NWCG glossary](#) or [here](#).

Understanding the IMSR

IMSR Map

This report will be posted 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	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RMCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EACC	1	700	0	1	0	5	-7
SACC	16	16,759	7	26	0	152	81
Total	17	17,459	7	27	0	157	74

Southern Area (PL 1)

Fire Activity and Teams Assigned

Totals

New fires:	206
New large incidents:	9
Uncontained large fires:	3

* **Calf**, Oklahoma, DOF. Four miles northeast of Stuart, OK. Timber, closed timber litter and brush. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, flanking and backing.

* **Shell Creek**, Okmulgee Agency, BIA. Eleven miles southeast of Henryetta, OK. Grass. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, running, and short-range spotting. Structures threatened.

* **Hwy 125**, Georgia Forestry Commission. Four miles northwest of Nashville, GA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Total Acres	Chge in Acres	%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Total PPL	Chge in PPL	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Calf	OK-OKS	14,210	---	65	Ctn	1/16	7	---	0	3	0	0	25K	ST
* Shell Creek	OK-OMA	1,174	---	0	Ctn	1/22	0	---	0	0	0	0	5K	BIA
* Hwy 125	GA-GAS	191	---	97	Ctn	1/16	1	---	0	0	0	0	6.5K	ST
* Turkey	OK-OMA	411	---	100	Ctn	---	9	---	0	5	0	0	15K	BIA
* Midnight	OK-CHA	688	---	100	Ctn	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	17K	BIA
* Clay Fork Road	KY-KYS	377	---	100	Ctn	---	29	---	1	0	0	0	12K	ST
* August Creek	OK-OKS	219	---	100	Ctn	---	4	---	0	1	0	0	3.5K	ST
* Ridley	SC-FMF	481	---	100	Ctn	---	12	---	0	1	0	0	NR	FS
* Blackston	GA-GAS	218	---	100	Ctn	---	39	---	0	3	0	0	12K	ST
Hopkins Fork	KY-KYS	236	116	100	Ctn	---	22	2	1	3	0	0	5.5K	PRI

CHA – Chickasaw Agency, BIA

KYS – Kentucky DOF

FMF – Francis Marion & Sumpter NF, USFS

Fires and Acres from January 9, 2026 – January 15, 2026 (by Protection):

Geographic Area	Fires/ Acres	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
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	2	0	2
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California	FIREs	0	1	0	0	20	2	23
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Northern Rockies	FIREs	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
Northern Rockies	ACRES	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Great Basin	FIREs	1	0	0	0	5	0	6
Great Basin	ACRES	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Southwest	FIREs	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Southwest	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain	FIREs	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Eastern Area	FIREs	0	0	0	0	9	3	12
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	8	19	27
Southern Area	FIREs	49	0	1	2	145	9	206
Southern Area	ACRES	2,710	0	0	150	1,223	78	4,161
TOTAL FIREs:		54	1	1	2	181	16	255
TOTAL ACRES:		2,712	0	0	150	1,234	102	4,198

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

Geographic Area	Fires/ Acres	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
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	2	0	2
Northern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California	FIRES	0	1	0	0	24	3	28
Southern California	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1	2	0	0	5	1	9
Northern Rockies	ACRES	1	6	0	0	1	0	8
Great Basin	FIRES	1	0	0	0	5	1	7
Great Basin	ACRES	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Southwest	FIRES	3	0	1	0	6	3	13
Southwest	ACRES	1	0	112	0	35	9	157
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	0	0	0	7	6	13
Rocky Mountain	ACRES	0	0	0	0	393	9	403
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	1	0	30	7	38
Eastern Area	ACRES	0	0	0	0	13	728	741
Southern Area	FIRES	94	0	3	3	1,378	35	1,513
Southern Area	ACRES	3,305	0	63	200	8,592	1,474	13,633
TOTAL FIRES:	99	3	5	3	1,457	56	1,623	
TOTAL ACRES:	3,308	6	175	200	9,040	2,220	14,948	

Ten Year Average		Quantity
Fires (2016 – 2025 as of today)		514
Acres (2016 – 2025 as of today)		9,501

Cumulative acres shown in the Active Incident Resource Summary Table may not be reflected in the YTD statistics due to a lag in units completing YTD adjustments in the SIT/209 Application. Otherwise, changes in agency YTD fires and acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

Predictive Services Discussion:

Strong upper-level ridging will continue across the West into early next week with above normal temperatures except for valleys where strong inversions persist. A strong cold front will move through Texas and the Appalachians today and off the East Coast tomorrow, with strong and dry northerly winds behind it bringing elevated to critical conditions to much of the southern Plains today and for the northwest Gulf Coast tomorrow. A second Arctic cold front will follow this weekend with much colder air behind it for the Midwest. The fronts will be relatively dry with only light precipitation for much of the Southeast, Appalachians, and East Coast, with mixed precipitation and snow from the central Appalachians and Mid-Atlantic northward. Locally heavier snow will fall downwind of the Great Lakes. The pattern will change the latter half of next week as the western ridge weakens with colder temperatures and light precipitation for the northern half of the West late next week. The eastern US will also warm with widespread rain possible for the Lower Mississippi Valley into the Ohio Valley late next week, falling as mixed precipitation on the northern extent. Strong southerly flow will move into Alaska with warming temperatures this weekend and heavy snow for much of the southern half of the state, with localized blizzard conditions.

[National Predictive Services Outlook](#)

6 Minutes for Safety:

The 6 Minutes for Safety topic of the day is [Fatigue and Stress](#).