

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
 FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2000 - 1000 MST
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light in the Southern Area. Nationwide, no new large fires were reported. With predicted precipitation in the Appalachian states, fire activity is expected to remain low. Demobilization of resources from the Southern Area fires is nearly complete.

OUTLOOK:

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FOR SANTA ANA WINDS FROM MIDNIGHT TONIGHT THROUGH SUNDAY MORNING ***

High pressure aloft Sunday and Monday will give way to a low pressure system off the coast of southern California Tuesday and Wednesday. This low will move onshore and bring a chance of showers Thursday. The strong offshore winds this weekend will diminish on Sunday. Winds for the upcoming week will generally be southwest or onshore at 5 to 15 mph. High temperatures will range from the 40s and 50's in the mountains to the 60's and 70's in the valleys. Desert temperatures in the low 80's may return by midweek. Minimum relative humidities will range from 10 to 30 percent.

In Virginia and North Carolina, a cold front will bring a chance of rain Sunday and early Monday. Conditions will be cool and dry through the remainder of the week as a west to northwest flow is expected to take hold. High temperatures will be in the 40's and 50's, with 30's in the mountains. Minimum relative humidities will range from 40 to 60 percent. Winds will be northwest at 5 to 15 mph.

FIRES AND ACRES PAST THREE DAYS:

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA FIRES							0
ALASKA ACRES							0
NORTHWEST FIRES					7		7
NORTHWEST ACRES					2		2
CA-NORTH FIRES							0
CA-NORTH ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH FIRES		1				3	4
CA-SOUTH ACRES		0				0	0
NORTHERN FIRES							0
NORTHERN ACRES							0
GB-EAST FIRES							0
GB-EAST ACRES							0
GB-WEST FIRES							0
GB-WEST ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST FIRES	2						2

SOUTHWEST	ACRES	0						0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES						3	3
EASTERN	ACRES						6	6
SOUTHERN	FIRES					99	6	105
SOUTHERN	ACRES					410	32	442
TOTAL	FIRES	2	1	0	0	106	12	121
TOTAL	ACRES	0	0	0	0	412	38	450

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	1	13	22	8	302	5	351
ALASKA	ACRES	6	143076	246961	43763	317427	0	751233
NORTHWEST	FIRES	228	263	41	20	1516	1047	3115
NORTHWEST	ACRES	24062	223440	83023	10	256118	147810	734463
CA-NORTH	FIRES	227	14	6	10	2425	722	3404
CA-NORTH	ACRES	276	142	254	1	30761	58326	89760
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	31	87	6	72	2742	879	3817
CA-SOUTH	ACRES	53	41086	98	132	28187	75353	144909
NORTHERN	FIRE	969	79	34	53	1246	1684	4065
NORTHERN	ACRES	41227	12904	3008	6098	231114	789512	1083863
GB-EAST	FIRES	84	1159	5	54	669	1210	3181
GB-EAST	ACRES	42680	497884	2393	10517	136738	813634	1503846
GB-WEST	FIRES	8	674	5	9	105	262	1063
GB-WEST	ACRES	2380	597608	1106	13	7211	27424	635742
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1375	310	23	88	1335	2777	5908
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	18782	71212	16091	11403	338098	145955	601541
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	657	857	40	60	891	851	3356
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	164413	109493	25585	33334	54617	114602	502044
EASTERN	FIRES	776		11	28	10736	509	12060
EASTERN	ACRES	15910		1325	519	117225	16886	151865
SOUTHERN	FIRES	163		92	112	48595	1545	50507
SOUTHERN	ACRES	12353		16305	30293	958696	57378	1075025
TOTALS	FIRES	4519	3456	285	514	70562	11491	90827
TOTALS	ACRES	322142	1696845	396149	136083	2476192	2246880	7274291

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES PAST THREE DAYS:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
NORTHWEST	ACRES						200	200
CA-NORTH	FIRES			1			18	19
CA-NORTH	ACRES			900			3729	4629

CA-SOUTH	FIRES						0	0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES						407	407
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
NORTHERN	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES		1				8	9
GB-EAST	ACRES		175				330	505
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
SOUTHWEST	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES					29	4	33
EASTERN	ACRES					890	458	1348
SOUTHERN	FIRES						3	3
SOUTHERN	ACRES						1624	1624
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	1	0	29	34	65
TOTAL	ACRES	0	175	900	0	890	6748	8713

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1		4		5
ALASKA	ACRES			125		379		504
NORTHWEST	FIRES	44	39	27			507	617
NORTHWEST	ACRES	7101	7605	5669			36122	56497
CA-NORTH	FIRES		2	15	4		260	281
CA-NORTH	ACRES		370	4697	27		26782	31876
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		1	16	3		116	136
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		40	669	124		7603	8436
NORTHERN	FIRES	23	7	122	3	174	453	782
NORTHERN	ACRES	1790	2411	21689	395	8965	40305	75555
GB-EAST	FIRES	1	17	5	3	25	42	93
GB-EAST	ACRES	272	9374	1448	975	2618	12124	26811
GB-WEST	FIRES			3			2	5
GB-WEST	ACRES			1040			1526	2566
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	31	217	26	12	2	231	519
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	23385	14730	1888	4289	360	74045	118697
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	11	145	10	14	65	246
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	850	3593	17889	2937	2670	20633	48572
EASTERN	FIRES	15		89	11	169	191	475
EASTERN	ACRES	2935		20827	1290	86725	13672	125449
SOUTHERN	FIRES	9		138	71	103	715	1036
SOUTHERN	ACRES	902		61611	42222	61971	459753	626459
USA TOTALS	FIRES	124	294	587	117	491	2582	4195
USA TOTALS	ACRES	37235	38123	137552	52259	163688	692565	1121422

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
NORTHWEST	ACRES						1	1
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				6		7	13
CA-SOUTH	ACRES				3		780	783
NORTHERN	FIRES				2		13	15
NORTHERN	ACRES				388		3972	4360
GB-EAST	FIRES				1			1
GB-EAST	ACRES				10			10
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						23	23
SOUTHWEST	ACRES						32801	32801
ROCKY MTN	FIRES					1	1	2
ROCKY MTN	ACRES					550	335	885
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES				13	24		37
SOUTHERN	ACRES				1137	125		1262
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	22	25	45	92
USA TOTALS	ACRES	0	0	0	1538	675	37889	40102

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

Area	Crews		Engs		Heli		Airt		Ovrhd	
	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST										
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	1		1							
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN										
TOTAL	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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