

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2001- 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light nationwide. Two new large fires were reported, one each in the Northern Rockies and Eastern Great Basin Areas. Two large fires reached containment, one each in the Northern Rockies and Eastern Great Basin Areas. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Utah, Oregon, Texas, Washington and Wyoming.

EASTERN AREA SUPPORT:

NEW YORK CITY CACHE SUPPORT, Federal Emergency Management Agency. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Lohrey) is assigned. The team is assigned to manage warehouse operations at Pier 36 and three distribution centers in New York City, NY. A fourth distribution center is being completed and will be stocked in the near future.

NEW YORK CITY SUPPORT, Federal Emergency Management Agency. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned. The team is deployed at both the Duane Street Fire Station and Jacob Javitz Convention Center in New York City, NY. The team continues to provide planning, documentation and mapping support to the Fire Department of New York City and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

NORTHERN ROCKIES AREA LARGE FIRES:

PURDY CREEK, Gallatin National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Frye) is assigned. This fire is 12 miles southwest of Bozeman, MT. Significant progress has been made toward securing uncontained portions of the fire perimeter.

MOOSE, Flathead National Forest. A Type 2 Incident Management Team (Stanich) is assigned. This fire is 13 miles north of Whitefish, MT. Several divisions are being monitored by aerial resources. Significant progress has been made towards rehabilitation of fireline in the Camas Creek area.

BIRK, Flathead National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Bennett) has been ordered. This lightning caused Wildland Fire Use fire, which began on 9/13, is 10 miles east of Seeley Lake, MT. Helicopters have been able to slow the spread of the fire on the southern portions of the fire.

BIGGS FLAT, Lewis and Clark National Forest. A Fire Use Management Team (Zimmerman) is assigned. This lightning caused Wildland Fire Use fire is 35 miles west of Choteau, MT. Numerous trails within the fire area have been closed.

SULPHUR, Yellowstone National Park. A Fire Use Management Team (Adams) is assigned. This lightning caused Wildland Fire Use fire, which began on 8/15, is ten miles southeast of Canyon Village in Yellowstone National Park. No new information was received.

CABIN CREEK, Lolo National Forest. A Wildland Fire Use Team (Cones) is assigned. This fire is 27 miles east of Seeley Lake, MT. Dry Fork, Cabin Creek and Canyon Creek Trails will remain closed. No new information was received.

MAPLE RIDGE, Clearwater National Forest. This lightning caused Wildland Fire Use fire, which began on 9/13 is 10 miles south of Powell Ranger Station, ID. This will be the last report unless significant activity occurs.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
PURDY CREEK	MT	GNF	5000	75	10/4	1145	34	50	11	1		3.4M
MOOSE	MT	FNF	71000	88	UNK	280	5	6	3	3		19.2M
BIRK	MT	FNF	8900	0	UNK	45	1	0	2	0		142K
BIGGS FLAT	MT	LCF	3000	0	UNK	45	1	0	3	0		70K
CABIN CREEK	MT	LNF	2180	0	UNK	4	0	0	0	0		190K
SULPHUR	WY	YNP	4220	0	11/15	17	1	0	1	0		80K
MAPLE RIDGE	ID	CWF	207	0	UNK	2	0	0	0	0		2K
CORRAL CREEK	ID	CWS	1300	100	---	79	3	2	3	0		100K

CWS = Clearwater Supervisory Area, Idaho Department of Lands

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

HAPPY CAMP COMPLEX, Klamath National Forest. This complex, comprised of the Swillup, Crawford, Red Hill and Bear Mountain fires, is located on the Happy Camp Ranger District. Rehabilitation of fireline and burned areas is progressing.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
HAPPY CAMP COMP	CA	KNF	5800	90	10/7	132	4	4	2	0		7.4M

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BIRCH, Utah State. This fire is three miles northeast of Nephi, UT. The fire has transitioned to a Type 3 Incident Management Team.

POTTER VINE, Salmon Challis National Forest. This lightning caused Wildland Fire Use fire, which began on 9/15 is 35 miles northwest of Stanley, ID. This will be the last report unless significant activity

occurs.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
BIRCH	UT	SCS	2681	75	UNK	85	2	1	2	2	850K
POTTER VINE	ID	SCF	100	0	UNK	2	0	0	1	0	13K
BLOOMINGTON	ID	CTF	160	100	---	116	4	0	3	0	300K

CTF = Caribou-Targhee National Forest

OUTLOOK:

An upper level high pressure system along the Pacific Coast will result in a dry northwest flow over the Eastern Great Basin Area, bringing sunny conditions to the region. Temperatures in Idaho will be in the upper 60s to 70s in the valleys with 50s to mid 60s in the mountains. In Utah, temperatures will be in the 70s to lower 80s in the valleys and lower 90s in the southwest portions of the state. Minimum relative humidity will be 10 to 23 percent with northerly winds at 10 to 25 mph.

High pressure will weaken over the Northern California Area, allowing some weather disturbances to move over the region. Temperatures will be in the 80s to mid 90s with minimum relative humidity at 15 to 25 percent. Winds will be southwest to northwest at 5 to 15 mph.

A Canadian cold front will move across the Rocky Mountain Area, bringing mostly cloudy skies and areas of light rain and snow to eastern Wyoming and South Dakota. Temperatures in Wyoming and western South Dakota will be in the 40s and 50s in the valleys and mid 30s and 40s in the mountains, with minimum relative humidity at 40 to 50 percent. Colorado will have temperatures in the 60s and 70s in the valleys and 50s in the mountains, with minimum relative humidity at 10 to 30 percent. Winds will be northerly at 10 to 20 mph.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES						0
ALASKA	ACRES						0
NORTHWEST	FIRES				10	3	13
NORTHWEST	ACRES				2	1	3
CA-NORTH	FIRES				14	3	17
CA-NORTH	ACRES				1	0	1
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	1			9	2	12
CA-SOUTH	ACRES	0			0	0	0
NORTHERN	FIRES				2	1	3
NORTHERN	ACRES				0	3090	3090
GB-EAST	FIRES	6			2	1	9
GB-EAST	ACRES	10			2	1	13

GB-WEST	FIRES							0
GB-WEST	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES					3		3
SOUTHWEST	ACRES					0		0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES				2			2
ROCKY MTN	ACRES				14			14
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES			2		21	1	24
SOUTHERN	ACRES			1750		65	10	1825
TOTAL	FIRES	0	7	2	0	60	14	83
TOTAL	ACRES	0	10	1750	0	84	3102	4946

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	2	2	16	2	324	3	349
ALASKA	ACRES	0	1085	1613	5842	205080	3263	216883
NORTHWEST	FIRES	263	424	28	47	1863	1672	4297
NORTHWEST	ACRES	98137	296963	6489	972	99591	107156	609308
CA-NORTH	FIRES	155	80	7	26	2968	1235	4471
CA-NORTH	ACRES	258	75032	4370	5	48460	103934	232059
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	117	314	18	87	2224	840	3600
CA-SOUTH	ACRES	438	9165	1368	19	34727	31574	77291
NORTHERN	FIRES	807	52	21	38	837	863	2618
NORTHERN	ACRES	10575	4919	453	2858	16559	127596	162960
GB-EAST	FIRES	75	1078	2	64	732	1084	3035
GB-EAST	ACRES	697	319618	300	918	131163	55832	508528
GB-WEST	FIRES	19	672	4	16	163	238	1112
GB-WEST	ACRES	8982	461442	1	812	21057	61786	554080
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1211	210	16	44	698	1710	3889
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	7050	5495	4568	1083	19181	22088	59465
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	343	705	25	66	512	630	2281
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	2170	13067	300	181	49796	14691	80205
EASTERN	FIRES	332		10	53	11379	476	12250
EASTERN	ACRES	14894		18	499	40647	5560	61618
SOUTHERN	FIRES	36		80	1083	23790	716	25705
SOUTHERN	ACRES	4764		21472	37506	615067	19403	698212
TOTALS	FIRES	3360	3537	227	1526	45490	9467	63607
TOTALS	ACRES	147965	1186786	40952	50695	1281328	552883	3260609

Reduction in some agency YTD acres reflects better mapping.

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
ALASKA	ACRES							0

NORTHWEST	FIRES		1			0	1
NORTHWEST	ACRES		216			500	716
CA-NORTH	FIRES						0
CA-NORTH	ACRES						0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						0
CA-SOUTH	ACRES						0
NORTHERN	FIRES			1			1
NORTHERN	ACRES			275			275
GB-EAST	FIRES						0
GB-EAST	ACRES						0
GB-WEST	FIRES						0
GB-WEST	ACRES						0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES		1			1	2
SOUTHWEST	ACRES		115			36	151
ROCKY MTN	FIRES						0
ROCKY MTN	ACRES						0
EASTERN	FIRES						0
EASTERN	ACRES						0
SOUTHERN	FIRES			8		3	11
SOUTHERN	ACRES			2564		87	2651
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	9	0	0	4
TOTAL	ACRES	0	331	2839	0	0	623

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES		1	1		3	1	6
ALASKA	ACRES		5	745		449	1081	2280
NORTHWEST	FIRES	17	83	10			314	424
NORTHWEST	ACRES	4356	36633	10510			50707	102206
CA-NORTH	FIRES	20	6	27	1		41	95
CA-NORTH	ACRES	262	100	13622	10		9512	23506
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		2	6	3		44	55
CA-SOUTH	ACRES		12	336	219		9305	9872
NORTHERN	FIRES	22	7	152		44	305	530
NORTHERN	ACRES	1771	5840	21917		4309	30009	63846
GB-EAST	FIRES		22	4	6	11	55	98
GB-EAST	ACRES		18236	1890	1445	1521	17501	40593
GB-WEST	FIRES		11		1		2	14
GB-WEST	ACRES		6030		0		182	6212
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	21	33	11	2	2	249	318
SOUTHWEST	ACRES	2841	22897	35634	995	500	65131	127998
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	2	30	117	3	4	58	214
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	2500	6537	14901	303	792	29338	54371
EASTERN	FIRES	10		70	10	322	139	551
EASTERN	ACRES	8641		18291	1355	43933	16102	88322
SOUTHERN	FIRES	7		202	15	142	893	1259
SOUTHERN	ACRES	718		64324	35093	87697	703401	891233
TOTAL	FIRES	99	195	600	41	528	2101	3564
TOTAL	ACRES	21089	96290	182170	39420	139201	932269	1410439

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				2		2	4
NORTHWEST	ACRES				1		1	2
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
CA-NORTH	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				38		12	50
CA-SOUTH	ACRES				10494		73	10567
NORTHERN	FIRES				16		49	65
NORTHERN	ACRES				3937		33036	36973
GB-EAST	FIRES				2		3	5
GB-EAST	ACRES				610		578	1188
GB-WEST	FIRES	2	31		1		1	35
GB-WEST	ACRES	0	7798		618		1	8417
SOUTHWEST	FIRES				5		23	28
SOUTHWEST	ACRES				2873		7842	10715
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	23	1	2		13	40
ROCKY MTN	ACRES	0	2788	48	934		604	4374
EASTERN	FIRES							0
EASTERN	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	3	54	1	66	0	103	227
TOTAL	ACRES	0	10586	48	19467	0	42135	72236

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

Provinces	Fires Last Week	Hectares Last Week	Fires Year-to-date	Hectares Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	7	59	1216	9602
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	68	17772
ALBERTA	19	2080	890	153907
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	2	0	126	105762
SASKATCHEWAN	19	327	821	182373
MANITOBA	0	0	501	77905
ONTARIO	0	0	1523	10706
QUEBEC	1	5	993	33092
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	194	1207
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	454	561
NOVA SCOTIA	5	3	449	425
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	32	27
NATIONAL PARKS	0	30	98	19825
TOTALS	53	2504	7365	613164

Canada is now reporting on a weekly basis.

The next update will be on 10/10/01.

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	4		10	9		1	2		21	1
CA-NORTH	2	2	4		3				20	1
CA-SOUTH	2				2				9	
NORTHERN	43	3	12	56	12	13			287	165
GB-EAST	6	1	14	4	11				49	4
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST	10		4		1				12	
ROCKY MTN	4		14		7	1			29	
EASTERN	3								134	24
SOUTHERN			2			1			7	
TOTAL	74	6	60	69	36	16	2	0	568	195

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