

**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
THURSDAY, MAY 09, 2002- 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2**

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light across the nation. No new large fires were reported. Two large fires were contained, one each in Southwest and Rocky Mountain Areas. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, Colorado, Massachusetts, Nevada, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas and Utah.

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

TOADLENA 1, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Navajo Area Office. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Humphrey) will assume command of the fire at 0800 MDT today. This fire is three miles west of Toadlena, NM. No further information was received.

DALTON, Santa Fe National Forest. A Type 1 Incident Management Team (Gelobter) is assigned. This fire is ten miles north of Pecos, NM. Favorable overnight weather and the resultant fire behavior assisted with significant progress of fireline construction. Evacuation orders have been lifted.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
TOADLENA	AZ	NAO	400	NR	UNK	UNK	2	3	1	0	33K
DALTON	NM	SNF	804	70	5/11	995	33	31	3	0	1.5M
PENASCO	NM	LNF	15,400	100	---	412	11	25	3	46	6.1M

LNF = Lincoln National Forest

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BLACKJACK BAY COMPLEX, Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge. A Unified Command has been established between an interagency Fire Use Management Team (Zimmerman), the Georgia Forestry Commission and the Florida Division of Forestry. This lightning caused complex, consisting of the Blackjack 02, Bay Creek, and Number One Island fires, is approximately 10 miles northeast of Fargo, GA. A confinement strategy is in place and long term risk assessments are underway. The Greater Okefenokee Association of Land Owners is assisting with pre-suppression efforts. Steven C. Foster State Park is closed to the public.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
BLACKJACK BAY COMPLEX	GA	OKR	44,000	0	UNK	168	0	8	4	0	\$270K

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
BLACK MOUNTAIN	CO	PSF	200	100	---	254	6	1	3	0	1.1M

PSF = Pike-San Isabel National Forest

OUTLOOK:

*****A RED FLAG WARNING HAS BEEN ISSUED IN NORTHERN ARIZONA FOR LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITY, GUSTY SOUTHWEST WINDS AND EXTREME FIRE DANGER*****

A cold front moving east over New Mexico and into Texas will bring partly cloudy skies and a chance of showers. The remainder of Southwest Area can expect mostly sunny skies. High temperatures will be in the 60's and 70's at higher elevations and in the 80's and 90's at lower elevations. Minimum relative humidity range from 5 to 15 percent in Arizona and western New Mexico, and winds will be southwest at 10 to 25 mph. Eastern New Mexico and the Texas panhandle can expect minimum relative humidity to range from 15 to 30 percent; winds will be northeast at 10 to 20 mph.

High pressure building over the western portion, and a stationary cold front over the eastern portion of Rocky Mountain Area will bring partly to mostly sunny skies. High temperatures will be in the 60's to low 70's in western Colorado and 45 to 55 degrees elsewhere. Minimum relative humidity will be 10 to 20 percent in western Colorado, in the 20 percent range in the mountains and 25 to 35 percent in eastern Colorado and Wyoming. East of the Continental Divide, winds will be southeasterly at 10 to 20 mph; to the west, winds will be westerly, gusting from 20 to 30 mph.

A cold front moving southeast across Southern Area will bring partly to mostly cloudy skies and a chance of precipitation. High temperatures will be in the 90's in Texas, Georgia and Florida, and in the 70's and 80's over the remainder of the area. Minimum relative humidity will be in the 30 percent range in Oklahoma, Texas and central South Carolina, and above 40 percent elsewhere. Ahead of the cold front, winds will be southerly at 10 to 15 mph, switching to northwesterly after its passage.



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AVIATION MISHAP RESPONSE ACTIONS

Having a written mishap response action posted and accessible to all employees is an important first step. Having a list of actions to follow will ensure that nothing is missed in a stressful, time-critical period.

Immediate, positive action is necessary. Any delay may affect someone's chances of survival.

Conduct rescue operations keeping the following priorities in mind:

- Preserve life.
- Do whatever is necessary to extricate injured occupants and to extinguish fires, keeping in mind the necessity of protecting and preserving evidence.
- Document and/or photograph the location of any debris that must be disturbed in order to carry out rescues and/or fire suppression activities.
- Secure the area. Treat the crash site as a crime scene. Arrange for security at the accident scene if necessary. Determine if hazardous materials were on the aircraft. Deny access except to credentialed officials and escorted media.

Be aware that crash sites can be dangerous due to hazardous cargo, flammable and toxic fluids, sharp objects, disease, adverse terrain, hot/cold weather conditions, and fire.

Exercise good judgment, utilize available protective devices and clothing, and use extreme caution when working near the wreckage site.

Do not exceed your physical limitations.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

<u>AREA</u>		<u>BIA</u>	<u>BLM</u>	<u>FWS</u>	<u>NPS</u>	<u>ST/OT</u>	<u>USFS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>1</u>		<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>1</u>		<u>1</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>1</u>					<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>0</u>					<u>0</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>9</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>34</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>37</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>7</u>				<u>74</u>		<u>81</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>4</u>				<u>118</u>		<u>122</u>

	<u>FIRES</u>			<u>0</u>		<u>16</u>		<u>16</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>ACRES</u>			<u>6,300</u>		<u>197</u>		<u>6,497</u>
	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>110</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6,657</u>

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

<u>AREA</u>		<u>BIA</u>	<u>BLM</u>	<u>FWS</u>	<u>NPS</u>	<u>ST/OT</u>	<u>USFS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>			<u>1</u>		<u>33</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>40</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>			<u>1,000</u>		<u>721</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1,732</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>9</u>			<u>33</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>72</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>5</u>			<u>43</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>191</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>					<u>284</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>307</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>					<u>447</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>459</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>599</u>	<u>119</u>	<u>756</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>367</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,919</u>	<u>597</u>	<u>8,899</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>FIRE</u>	<u>294</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>		<u>25</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>346</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>2,656</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>818</u>		<u>7,431</u>	<u>704</u>	<u>11,666</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>41</u>		<u>6</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>115</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>218</u>		<u>61</u>	<u>311</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>686</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>		<u>5</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>42</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>312</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>275</u>	<u>600</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>473</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>374</u>	<u>327</u>	<u>1,266</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>11,773</u>	<u>6,246</u>	<u>1,145</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>39,981</u>	<u>100,594</u>	<u>159,859</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>390</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>499</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>121</u>	<u>132</u>	<u>509</u>	<u>511</u>	<u>17,844</u>	<u>5,892</u>	<u>25,009</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>457</u>		<u>11</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>4,680</u>	<u>204</u>	<u>5,368</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>19,756</u>		<u>1,139</u>	<u>465</u>	<u>34,602</u>	<u>2,398</u>	<u>58,360</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>84</u>		<u>34</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>16,418</u>	<u>577</u>	<u>17,142</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>15,529</u>		<u>47,999</u>	<u>4,714</u>	<u>190,326</u>	<u>17,531</u>	<u>276,099</u>
<u>TOTALS</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>1,367</u>	<u>152</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>86</u>	<u>22,896</u>	<u>1,375</u>	<u>25,953</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>50,235</u>	<u>7,027</u>	<u>52,621</u>	<u>5,875</u>	<u>299,632</u>	<u>128,170</u>	<u>543,560</u>

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PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

<u>AREA</u>		<u>BIA</u>	<u>BLM</u>	<u>FWS</u>	<u>NPS</u>	<u>ST/OT</u>	<u>USFS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>62</u>	<u>62</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>425</u>	<u>425</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>24</u>	<u>24</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>320</u>	<u>320</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>65</u>

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

<u>AREA</u>		<u>BIA</u>	<u>BLM</u>	<u>FWS</u>	<u>NPS</u>	<u>ST/OT</u>	<u>USFS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>3</u>		<u>185</u>	<u>298</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>3,469</u>	<u>7,354</u>	<u>1,925</u>	<u>192</u>		<u>15,304</u>	<u>28,244</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>11</u>		<u>84</u>	<u>117</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>487</u>	<u>15,999</u>	<u>231</u>		<u>7,948</u>	<u>24,737</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>			<u>91</u>	<u>99</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>271</u>			<u>16,684</u>	<u>17,049</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>		<u>7</u>	<u>16</u>		<u>3</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>76</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>		<u>482</u>	<u>1,554</u>		<u>84</u>	<u>11,384</u>	<u>13,504</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>52</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>879</u>	<u>425</u>	<u>1,102</u>	<u>199</u>	<u>7,536</u>	<u>10,148</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>						<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>						<u>85</u>	<u>85</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>			<u>118</u>	<u>145</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>12,910</u>	<u>4,722</u>			<u>12,565</u>	<u>30,287</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>128</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>516</u>	<u>2,197</u>	<u>10,935</u>	<u>501</u>	<u>2,169</u>	<u>9,697</u>	<u>26,015</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>15</u>		<u>140</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>323</u>	<u>122</u>	<u>604</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>8,674</u>		<u>35,200</u>	<u>296</u>	<u>21,520</u>	<u>18,624</u>	<u>84,314</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>59</u>		<u>214</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>840</u>	<u>1,227</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>10,951</u>		<u>106,255</u>	<u>55,667</u>	<u>27,529</u>	<u>683,640</u>	<u>884,042</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>101</u>	<u>137</u>	<u>482</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>426</u>	<u>1,533</u>	<u>2,749</u>

	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>23,849</u>	<u>24,333</u>	<u>177,286</u>	<u>57,989</u>	<u>51,501</u>	<u>783,467</u>	<u>1,118,425</u>
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WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

<u>AREA</u>		<u>BIA</u>	<u>BLM</u>	<u>FWS</u>	<u>NPS</u>	<u>ST/OT</u>	<u>USFS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ALASKA</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>CA-NORTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>GB-EAST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>GB-WEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>							<u>0</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>							<u>0</u>
<u>SOUTHERN</u>	<u>FIRES</u>				<u>1</u>			<u>1</u>
	<u>ACRES</u>				<u>1</u>			<u>1</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>FIRES</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>

<u>NORTHWEST</u>		<u>4</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>		<u>1</u>			<u>15</u>	
<u>CA-NORTH</u>										
<u>CA-SOUTH</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>8</u>					<u>2</u>	<u>36</u>
<u>NORTHERN</u>										
<u>GB-EAST</u>									<u>2</u>	
<u>GB-WEST</u>										
<u>SOUTHWEST</u>	<u>67</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>11</u>				<u>300</u>	<u>110</u>
<u>ROCKY MTN</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>				<u>50</u>	<u>26</u>
<u>EASTERN</u>			<u>2</u>						<u>6</u>	
<u>SOUTHERN</u>			<u>8</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>			<u>46</u>	<u>134</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>421</u>	<u>306</u>

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