

**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2002 0530 MDT  
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2**

**CURRENT SITUATION:**

Initial attack activity was light across the nation. Nationally, 31 new fires were reported. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, California, Nevada, Montana and Oklahoma.

**SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:**

TOWERS, Tonto National Forest. This fire is seven miles south-southwest of Globe, AZ, and is burning in pine, oak brush and chaparral. The fire is exhibiting occasional torching with short and long range spotting. Crews are continuing to burnout and construct fireline.

<b>INCIDENT NAME</b>	<b>ST</b>	<b>UNIT</b>	<b>SIZE</b>	<b>% CTN</b>	<b>EST CTN</b>	<b>TOTL PERS</b>	<b>CRW</b>	<b>ENG</b>	<b>HELI</b>	<b>STRC LOST</b>	<b>\$\$\$ CTD</b>
TOWERS	AZ	TNF	300	10	10/12	202	8	5	3	0	140K

**OUTLOOK:**

The Southwest Area will have mostly sunny skies. Temperatures will be in the upper 50's to the 70's in the mountains and upper 70's to 90's at lower elevations. Minimum relative humidity will range from 10 to 20 percent in Arizona and western New Mexico, and 20 to 40 percent in eastern New Mexico and west Texas. Winds will be south to southwest at 5 to 15 mph.



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**Topic of your choice:**

**FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						0	0
Northern California	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						3	3
Southern California	FIRES				1	4	1	6
	ACRES				20	1	0	21
Northern Rockies	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						10	10
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		4					4
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES					19		19
	ACRES					29		29
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	1	23	6	31
	ACRES	0	4	0	20	30	13	67

**FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	32	31	10	456	17	547
	ACRES	4	579,341	358,261	133,998	1,195,760	16	2,267,380
Northwest	FIRES	264	330	36	49	1,580	1,299	3,558
	ACRES	18,364	172,060	2,790	39	112,710	806,381	1,112,344
Northern California	FIRES	222	23	7	17	2,383	666	3,318
	ACRES	683	6,884	820	3,666	17,555	38,507	68,115
Southern California	FIRES	76	94	18	36	2,800	718	3,742
	ACRES	10,257	25,853	86	767	70,532	317,818	425,313
Northern Rockies	FIRES	947	51	32	46	574	920	2,570
	ACRES	13,908	10,537	2,178	9,153	31,302	84,008	151,086
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	69	593	8	44	540	982	2,236
	ACRES	5,326	121,184	408	34	70,636	148,110	345,698
Western Great Basin	FIRES	10	451	2	12	91	149	715
	ACRES	316	41,283	80	6	884	42,297	84,866
Southwest	FIRES	1,175	288	31	70	1,249	1,746	4,559
	ACRES	263,691	20,622	6,870	17,865	215,564	449,274	973,886
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	512	593	51	66	1,177	759	3,158
	ACRES	54,812	68,347	685	9,115	196,594	317,478	647,031
Eastern Area	FIRES	762		49	38	11,532	413	12,794
	ACRES	31,956		1,875	609	65,926	3,357	103,723
Southern Area	FIRES	107		190	45	29,858	833	31,033
	ACRES	17,425		147,132	6,665	292,641	26,190	490,053
TOTAL	FIRES	4,145	2,455	455	433	52,240	8,502	68,230
	ACRES	416,742	1,046,111	521,185	181,917	2,270,104	2,233,436	6,669,495

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Due to the decrease in fire occurrence after September 30, daily ten-year average fire data will be discontinued until June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2003.

**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES		2				5	7
	ACRES		275				382	657
Northern California	FIRES			1	1			2
	ACRES			93	12			105
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						65	65
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						650	650
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						25	25
Eastern Area	FIRES						6	6
	ACRES						119	119
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						674	674
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	1	1	0	16	20
	ACRES	0	275	93	12	0	1,915	2,295

**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			1,085				1,085
Northwest	FIRES	22	105	35	10	6	284	462
	ACRES	6,145	24,011	4,433	254	292	28,360	63,495
Northern California	FIRES	7	14	14	15		94	144
	ACRES	163	1,269	22,774	258		14,839	39,303
Southern California	FIRES	1	2	6	12		98	119
	ACRES	70	24	286	965		17,296	18,641
Northern Rockies	FIRES	9	12	123	3	54	455	656
	ACRES	725	1,800	18,437	173	4,777	25,990	51,902
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	30	2	14	10	51	108
	ACRES	7	11,437	445	4,242	429	32,927	49,487
Western Great Basin	FIRES				1		5	6
	ACRES				2		172	174
Southwest	FIRES	44	14	10			191	259
	ACRES	7,595	17,260	4,722			19,762	49,339
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	8	18	123	8	22	35	214
	ACRES	516	3,714	17,736	2,290	2,180	11,399	37,835
Eastern Area	FIRES	21		336	8	496	160	1,021
	ACRES	8,709		56,620	437	62,120	21,289	149,175
Southern Area	FIRES	60		241	90	19,837	906	21,134
	ACRES	11,061		112,357	100,004	886,898	726,740	1,837,060
TOTAL	FIRES	173	195	891	161	20,425	2,279	24,124
	ACRES	34,991	59,515	238,895	108,625	956,696	898,774	2,297,496

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**WFU FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						6	6
	ACRES						12	12
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES				17		6	23
	ACRES				1,580		1	1,581
Northern Rockies	FIRES				14		42	56
	ACRES				3,634		4,669	8,303
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				1		14	15
	ACRES				0		4,964	4,964
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8				1	9
	ACRES		851				1	852
Southwest	FIRES				1		8	9
	ACRES				380		4,485	4,865
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		13			1	3	17
	ACRES		736			0	22,594	23,330
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES				8			8
	ACRES				406			406
TOTAL	FIRES	0	21	0	41	1	80	143
	ACRES	0	1,587	0	6,000	0	36,726	44,313

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**RESOURCES STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES**

AREA	CREWS FED	CREWS ST/OT	ENGS FED	ENGS ST/OT	HELI FED	HELI ST/OT	AIRT FED	AIRT ST/OT	OVRHD FED	OVRHD ST/OT
Alaska										
Northwest	1		33	18	2	13			118	174
Northern California	2		7							
Southern California	10		11		1				7	1
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest	8		1	4		3			23	7
Rocky Mountain										
Eastern Area									163	2
Southern Area										
Total	21	0	52	22	3	16	0	0	311	184

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