

**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2002 - 0530 MDT  
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2**

**CURRENT SITUATION:**

Initial attack activity was light across the nation. Nationally, 34 new fires were reported. No large fires were reported. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in California, Montana, Oregon, Colorado and Oklahoma.



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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					9		9
	ACRES					2		2
Northern California	FIRES	1		1		6	1	9
	ACRES	1		5		1	1	8
Southern California	FIRES					5	2	7
	ACRES					0	0	0
Northern Rockies	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES					1	1	2
	ACRES					0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES					3		3
	ACRES					3		3
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	1	0	24	8	34
	ACRES	1	0	5	0	6	2	14

**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	267	339	36	56	1,632	1,316	3,646
	ACRES	18,364	174,027	2,789	83	102,868	806,553	1,104,684
Northern California	FIRES	225	23	8	17	2,448	687	3,408
	ACRES	740	6,884	825	3,666	17,749	38,561	68,425
Southern California	FIRES	76	95	18	37	2,848	731	3,805
	ACRES	10,257	25,883	86	768	70,732	318,010	425,736
Northern Rockies	FIRES	948	51	32	56	575	927	2,589
	ACRES	13,909	10,537	2,178	9,016	31,302	84,041	150,983
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	69	593	8	44	540	983	2,237
	ACRES	5,326	121,184	408	34	70,636	148,126	345,714
Western Great Basin	FIRES	10	454	2	12	91	150	719
	ACRES	316	41,283	80	6	884	42,298	84,867
Southwest	FIRES	1,227	288	31	70	1,253	1,755	4,624
	ACRES	263,712	20,622	6,870	17,865	215,565	449,477	974,111
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	512	594	51	66	1,177	760	3,160
	ACRES	54,812	68,651	685	9,115	216,381	318,419	668,063
Eastern Area	FIRES	762		49	38	11,572	413	12,834
	ACRES	31,956		1,875	609	65,940	3,357	103,737
Southern Area	FIRES	107		190	45	29,938	830	31,110
	ACRES	17,425		147,132	6,665	314,992	26,033	512,247
TOTAL	FIRES	4,204	2,469	456	451	52,530	8,569	68,679
	ACRES	416,821	1,048,412	521,189	181,825	2,302,809	2,234,891	6,705,947

Eight Year Average Fires	73,678
Eight Year Average Acres	4,001,344

\*\*\*Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments\*\*\*

and

\*\*\*Data may fluctuate for those units on weekly or other off-season reporting schedules\*\*\*

**PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						7	7
	ACRES						1,042	1,042
Northern California	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				5			5
Southern California	FIRES				0		0	0
	ACRES				411		30	441
Northern Rockies	FIRES			1			1	2
	ACRES			5			300	305
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	4			1		1	6
	ACRES	600			100		136	836
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	4	0	1	2	0	9	16
	ACRES	600	0	5	516	0	1,508	2,629

**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	106	38	10	6	320	502
	ACRES	6,145	29,805	7,583	254	292	35,098	79,177
Northern California	FIRES	7	14	14	17		94	146
	ACRES	163	1,269	22,774	288		14,839	39,333
Southern California	FIRES	1	2	6	16		98	123
	ACRES	70	24	286	4,052		17,326	21,758
Northern Rockies	FIRES	9	12	130	5	54	460	670
	ACRES	725	1,800	19,105	1,057	5,435	27,379	55,501
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	32	2	14	13	57	119
	ACRES	7	12,787	445	4,242	611	33,778	51,870
Western Great Basin	FIRES				4		5	9
	ACRES				105		172	277
Southwest	FIRES	70	14	10	1		210	305
	ACRES	11,127	17,260	4,722	600		22,569	56,278
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	8	20	123	8	22	38	219
	ACRES	516	3,952	17,736	2,290	2,180	12,379	39,053
Eastern Area	FIRES	21		336	8	497	185	1,047
	ACRES	8,709		56,620	437	62,150	22,655	150,571
Southern Area	FIRES	60		245	90	19,837	906	21,138
	ACRES	11,061		112,381	100,004	886,898	726,740	1,837,084
TOTAL	FIRES	199	200	905	173	20,429	2,373	24,279
	ACRES	38,523	66,897	242,737	113,329	957,566	912,935	2,331,987

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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				21		6	27
	ACRES				3,254		1	3,255
Northern Rockies	FIRES				14		42	56
	ACRES				3,196		4,669	7,865
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	45	1	80	147
	ACRES	0	1,587	0	7,236	0	36,726	45,549

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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	2	9	11	19	1	10			177	183
Northern California	1		5							
Southern California	2		4		2					
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin										
Southwest										
Rocky Mountain										
Eastern Area									3	
Southern Area										
Total	5	9	20	19	3	10	0	0	180	183

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