

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Sunday, September 9, 2007 – 0800 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 3**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity:	Light (140 new fires)
New large fires:	2 (*)
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires:	27
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	10
Fire Use Teams committed:	1

\*\* Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. \*\*

**Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 5)**

New fires:	8
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	6
Area Command Teams committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	3
Fire Use Teams committed:	1

Area Command Team (Ribar) is assigned to manage large fires for the Boise and Payette National Forests.

**Chief Parrish**, Southwest Area Office, Idaho Department of Lands. IMT 2 (Saleen). One mile south of Banks, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Highway 55 traffic restrictions in effect.

**Grays Creek**, Payette NF. IMT 2 (Harvey). Thirteen miles south of Council, ID. Timber and grass. Minimal ground fire with isolated torching. Area closures in effect.

**East Zone Complex** (3 fires), Payette NF. IMT 1 (Broyles). IMT also managing Donnelly zone of the Grays Creek fire. Twenty-five miles northeast of McCall, ID. Timber. Active fire behavior with isolated torching and short uphill runs. Structures threatened. Road closures and evacuations in effect.

**Cascade Complex**, Boise NF. IMT 2 (Whalen). Twenty-seven miles east of Cascade, ID. Timber. Creeping and smoldering with isolated torching. Structures, power lines, cultural sites and historical cabins threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

**Krassel Complex** (4 fires), Payette NF. FUMT (Hahnenberg). Forty-four miles northeast of Yellow Pine, ID. Timber, grass and heavy dead and down fuels. Active fire behavior with isolated torching and spotting. Structures threatened.

**German**, Twin Falls District, BLM. Six miles north of Minidoka, ID. Brush. Wind-driven fire behavior.

**Shower Bath Complex** (2 fires), Salmon-Challis NF. Eighteen miles northwest of Challis, ID. Timber with heavy dead and down fuels. Creeping, smoldering and isolated torching. Area closures in effect.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Chief Parrish	ID	SWS	3,690	420	75	9/9	425	- 40	12	18	4	0	1.3M	ST
Grays Creek	ID	PAF	24,900	487	90	9/9	786	- 39	25	19	7	2	7.1M	FS
East Zone Complex	ID	PAF	257,319	6,119	NR	9/30	506	13	8	23	4	13	27.8M	FS
Cascade Complex	ID	BOF	281,692	2,240	30	UNK	562	10	12	30	8	4	45.0M	FS
Krassel Complex – WFU	ID	PAF	66,209	1,440	N/A	N/A	64	- 1	3	0	1	0	2.5M	FS
* German	ID	TFD	1,000	---	60	UNK	5	---	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
Shower Bath Complex	ID	SCF	121,152	50	NR	9/30	37	- 20	1	0	1	4	5.1M	FS

#### **Northern Rockies Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 8  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 11  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 4

**Sawmill Complex** (4 fires), Lolo NF. IMT 2 (Heintz). Twenty-two miles southeast of Missoula, MT. Timber and grass. Creeping with isolated tree torching. Structures threatened.

**Rattlesnake**, Nez Perce NF. IMT 2 (Grant). Twenty-five miles south of Elk City, ID. Timber and grass. Minimal fire activity.

**Ahorn**, Lewis and Clark NF. IMT 2 (Kusicko). IMT also managing the Fool Creek fire. Thirty miles west of Augusta, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened.

**Fool Creek**, Lewis and Clark NF. Thirty miles northwest of Choteau, MT. Timber and snags. Creeping and smoldering with isolated torching.

**Rombo Mountain**, Bitterroot NF. IMT 2 (McNitt). Eighteen miles south of Darby, MT. Bug-killed timber. Creeping and smoldering.

**Rat Creek**, Beaverhead/Deerlodge NF. Twenty-five miles west of Wisdom, MT. Timber. Creeping ground fire.

**Pattengail Creek**, Beaverhead/Deerlodge NF. Ten miles northeast of Wisdom, MT. Timber with dead and down fuels. Creeping and smoldering.

**Jocko Lakes**, Flathead Agency, BIA. Twenty-six miles northeast of Missoula, MT. Timber with dead and down lodgepole pine. Moderate fire behavior.

**Bridge** (2 fires), Clearwater NF. Forty-five miles southwest of Missoula, MT. Timber and brush. Creeping and smoldering.

**Conger Creek**, Lolo NF. Twenty miles north of Ovando, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering with short runs.

**Corporal**, Flathead NF. Forty-seven miles southeast of Kalispell, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Sawmill Complex	MT	LNF	62,650	1	30	UNK	295	- 7	5	15	3	0	18.8M	FS
Rattlesnake	ID	NPF	99,800	300	25	10/1	214	7	3	8	2	8	16.0M	FS
Ahorn	MT	LCF	52,154	0	20	9/20	149	12	0	13	3	0	16.1M	FS
Fool Creek	MT	LCF	58,130	0	40	9/20	120	- 1	1	4	2	7	5.7M	FS
Rombo Mountain	MT	BRF	27,800	0	20	UNK	250	- 7	4	13	1	0	7.3M	FS
Rat Creek	MT	BDF	25,327	0	60	UNK	86	1	1	7	3	0	4.7M	FS
Pattengail Creek	MT	BDF	15,297	0	35	UNK	3	0	0	0	0	0	3.5M	FS
Jocko Lakes	MT	FHA	36,060	0	95	10/1	198	- 25	2	8	2	8	27.5M	BIA
Bridge	ID	CWF	42,250	0	0	11/1	2	0	0	0	0	0	386K	FS
Conger Creek	MT	LNF	22,660	160	0	UNK	18	0	9	0	5	0	613K	FS
Corporal	MT	FNF	12,013	0	14	10/15	11	- 6	0	0	2	0	1.0M	FS

**Northern California Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 16  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 3  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Moonlight**, Plumas NF. Unified Command between IMT 1 (Molumby) and CAL FIRE. Eight miles northeast of Greenville, CA. Timber and slash. Active fire behavior with torching, crowning and mid-range spotting. Structures and historical sites threatened. Evacuations in effect.

**Lick**, Santa Clara Unit, CAL FIRE IMT 1 (Wallen). Seventeen miles east of San Jose, CA. Chaparral, brush and hardwood timber. Active fire runs with short-range spotting. Residences and archaeological sites threatened.

**Lazy**, Shasta-Trinity NF. IMT 2 (Swartzlander). Twenty-four miles northeast of Covelo, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Moonlight	CA	PNF	50,582	19,288	16	UNK	2,476	0	86	137	10	2	7.7M	FS
Lick	CA	SCU	47,436	9,776	50	9/9	1,823	- 88	51	176	10	2	6.4M	ST

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Lazy	CA	SHF	599	0	90	9/9	221	-55	5	0	4	0	1.3M	FS

**Northwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 22  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**GW**, Deschutes NF. IMT 2 (Goheen). Fifteen miles west of Sisters, OR. Timber. Active fire. Structures threatened.

**Domke Lake Complex**, Okanogan/Wenatchee NF. Thirty-six miles northwest of Chelan, WA. Timber with dead and down fuels. Backing fire with isolated torching and short crown runs. Communities of Lucerne and Holden Village threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
GW	OR	DEF	7,500	0	75	9/11	757	- 28	24	27	5	0	5.5M	FS
Domke Lake Complex	WA	OWF	10,750	400	35	UNK	79	- 2	2	2	2	1	10.8M	FS

**Southern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 8  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 2

**Grouse**, Sequoia NF. Thirty-six miles northeast of Porterville, CA. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping.

**Bald**, Yosemite NP. Fourteen miles north of El Portal, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior with short range-spotting.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Grouse	CA	SQF	1,022	0	67	UNK	52	- 69	1	0	1	0	1.3M	FS
Bald	CA	YNP	425	32	80	9/10	68	16	4	1	2	0	50K	NPS
North	CA	ANF	2,200	0	100	---	313	- 154	6	4	1	0	4.3M	FS

ANF – Angles NF

**Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 6  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Bone Creek**, Bighorn NF. IMT 2 (Blume). Thirty-three miles northeast of Greybull, WY. Timber. Minimal fire activity.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Bone Creek	WY	BHF	13,670	0	30	UNK	183	45	5	4	4	0	1.5M	FS

**Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 44  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Northend Complex** (7 fires), Cherokee NF. Eight miles northeast of Elizabethton, TN. Timber. Active fire behavior.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Northend Complex	TN	CNF	371	0	70	9/9	158	0	3	2	2	0	657K	FS

**Southwest Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 0  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Wells**, Carlsbad Field Office, BLM. Twenty-one miles southeast of Loving, NM. Grass. Active fire behavior. Oil and gas infrastructure threatened.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* Wells	NM	CAD	600	---	70	UNK	19	---	0	8	0	0	NR	BLM

**Predictive Services Discussion: A warm, dry offshore flow is expected over northern California and western Oregon through Monday.** Winds will also increase over portions of the Great Basin and the Rocky Mountains with a weak low pressure system moving down from the north. Thunderstorms are possible along the Rockies and in the mountains of southern California. The Southeast will see a gradual increase in shower and thunderstorm activity.



[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)

### ESCAPE ROUTES

An escape route is a preplanned and understood route to reach a safety zone.

- What are the primary concerns in choosing an escape route?
  - Select the closest, least obstructed route.
  - Plan for more than one escape route.
  - Avoid an uphill escape.
  - Scout and clearly mark the route for visibility (aids during smoky situations or night operational periods).
  
- - Determine escape time--consider slowest person, fatigue, and temperature factors.
  - Continuously reassess the situation with regard to work progress and additional resource arrivals.
  - Assure all line personnel are familiar with escape routes.

### Fires And Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES					7	15	22
	ACRES					18	383	401
Northern California	FIRES				2	13	1	16
	ACRES				9	16	5,000	5,025
Southern California	FIRES				2	6		8
	ACRES				0	0		0
Northern Rockies	FIRES					4	4	8
	ACRES					7	312	319
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	3		0	3	1	8
	ACRES	1	1,007		75	47	330	1,460
Western Great Basin	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	3			1	2	6
	ACRES	1	4			0	1	6
Eastern Area	FIRES					25	2	27
	ACRES					20	1	21
Southern Area	FIRES					43	1	44
	ACRES					208	1	209
TOTAL	FIRES	1	6	0	4	103	26	140
	ACRES	2	1,011	0	84	316	6,028	7,441

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	3	30	38	18	344	7	440
	ACRES	3	2,447	61,359	696	223,520	2	288,027
Northwest	FIRES	290	261	50	38	1,711	933	3,283
	ACRES	32,534	212,702	82,511	327	153,535	222,630	704,239
Northern California	FIRES	184	43	4	28	1,955	622	2,836
	ACRES	191	532	105	31	68,473	93,868	163,200
Southern California	FIRES	60	119	13	30	3,306	594	4,122
	ACRES	2,476	9,770	34	2,367	21,545	289,425	325,617
Northern Rockies	FIRES	953	82	17	14	1,141	930	3,137
	ACRES	60,110	61,207	945	2,536	322,990	545,649	993,437
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	49	626	4	47	760	656	2,142
	ACRES	24,753	1,004,960	9	6,217	291,121	823,227	2,150,287
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	430	7	25	192	89	746
	ACRES	60	555,808	38	408	223,967	105,393	885,674
Southwest	FIRES	671	148	9	75	691	1,423	3,017
	ACRES	13,247	1,795	1,540	669	56,900	46,007	120,158
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	907	543	15	33	566	450	2,514
	ACRES	3,320	8,976	569	315	48,345	13,153	74,678
Eastern Area	FIRES	484		66	29	9,857	542	10,978
	ACRES	8,461		1,374	529	140,506	46,107	196,977
Southern Area	FIRES	281		103	76	34,239	891	35,590
	ACRES	14,198		344,324	67,525	828,553	162,035	1,416,635
TOTAL	FIRES	3,885	2,282	326	413	54,762	7,137	68,805
	ACRES	159,353	1,858,197	492,808	81,620	2,379,455	2,347,496	7,318,929

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>64,396</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>5,725,521</b>

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### Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					20		20
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		2					2
	ACRES		752					752
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				400			400
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	0	1	1	0	4
	ACRES	0	752	0	400	20	0	1,172

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					20,650		20,650
Northwest	FIRES	25	60	30	3		370	488
	ACRES	9,765	8,468	5,989	98		32,664	56,984
Northern California	FIRES		3	7	9	39	194	252
	ACRES		175	19,974	14	4,635	11,412	36,210
Southern California	FIRES		4	10	10	6	90	120
	ACRES		180	3,011	450	77	9,512	13,230
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2	20	83	8	54	223	390
	ACRES	438	2,834	19,882	459	1,825	22,131	47,569
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	4	19	6	3	13	58	103
	ACRES	164	3,241	802	427	3,249	16,528	24,411
Western Great Basin	FIRES		9	5	3		1	18
	ACRES		3,589	1,415	5		16	5,025
Southwest	FIRES	53	68	11	19		192	343
	ACRES	9,383	17,378	2,876	4,230		50,499	84,366
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	40	32	99	12	32	103	318
	ACRES	4,556	8,665	23,874	3,759	3,807	33,255	77,916
Eastern Area	FIRES	45		325	36	1,503	141	2,050
	ACRES	15,836		48,465	4,241	94,423	35,567	198,532
Southern Area	FIRES	20		310	70	14,925	896	16,221
	ACRES	18,108		125,793	62,112	949,600	882,927	2,038,540
TOTAL	FIRES	189	215	886	173	16,576	2,268	20,307
	ACRES	58,250	44,530	252,081	75,795	1,078,266	1,094,511	2,603,433

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### WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		22	18	15	3		58
	ACRES		39,045	57,805	29,188	542		126,580
Northwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						452	452
Northern California	FIRES				3		3	6
	ACRES				1		1	2
Southern California	FIRES				20		4	24
	ACRES				454		87	541
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1		70	71
	ACRES				1		82,473	82,474
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				4		43	47
	ACRES				21		118,529	118,550
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6					6
	ACRES		1,641					1,641
Southwest	FIRES		1		5	1	34	41
	ACRES		10		2,424	149	28,552	31,135
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		8		1		8	17
	ACRES		386		0		69	455
Eastern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1	1
Southern Area	FIRES				16		3	19
	ACRES				2,228		3,888	6,116
TOTAL	FIRES	0	37	18	65	4	170	294
	ACRES	0	41,082	57,805	34,317	691	234,052	367,947

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### Canada Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-to-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-to-DATE
British Columbia			1,513	28,750
Yukon Territory			101	45,461
Alberta			1,192	103,170
Northwest Territory			184	440,714
Saskatchewan			364	212,875
Manitoba			372	206,928
Ontario			1,069	40,599
Quebec			884	348,384
Newfoundland			81	11,267
New Brunswick			283	445
Nova Scotia			394	694
Prince Edward Island			6	18
National Parks			75	222,124
Total			6,518	1,661,430

\*\*\* Table updated weekly (Thursday). \*\*\*

\*\*\* National Interagency Coordination Center \*\*\*