### National Interagency Coordination Center Incident Management Situation Report Sunday, September 16, 2007 – 0800 MDT National Preparedness Level 3

### National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (97 new fires)
New large fires:	4 (*)
Large fires contained:	3
Uncontained large fires:	18
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	9
Fire Use Teams committed:	0
** Uncontained large fires do not include WFL	J or confine/contain incidents. **

Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 4)

New fires:	11
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	1

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

**East Zone Complex** (4 fires), Payette NF. IMT 1 (Broyles) and NIMO (Gelobter). IMT also managing Donnelly zone of the Grays Creek fire and the Big Creek portion of the Krassel Complex WFU. Twenty-five miles northeast of McCall, ID. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Numerous structures threatened. Road closures and evacuations in effect.

**French Creek,** Manti-Lasal NF. Thirty-one miles southwest of Spanish Fork, UT. Timber, sage and grass. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**Big Creek**, Wasatch-Cache NF. Eighteen miles southwest of Tooele, UT. Grass. Intermittent torching and short runs. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

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
Cascade Complex	ID	BOF	299,708	2,408	30	NR	924	0	22	34	9	5	49.7M	FS
East Zone Complex	ID	PAF	293,713	4,481	NR	9/30	572	- 45	12	16	7	13	31.6M	FS

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
Krassel Complex – WFU	ID	PAF	81,781	527	N/A	N/A	27	- 1	1	0	1	0	2.7M	FS
French Creek – WFU	UT	MLF	200		N/A	N/A	10		0	1	0	0	NR	FS
* Big Creek – WFU	UT	WCF	350		N/A	N/A	11		1	0	0	0	20K	FS
Brookside	UT	CCD	580	0	100		68	- 18	2	7	1	0	185K	BLM

CCD – Cedar City Field Office, BLM

#### Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires:	17
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

**Butler 2**, San Bernardino NF. Unified command between IMT 2 (Fiorella), CAL FIRE and San Bernardino County. IMT 1 (Opliger) ordered. Eight miles northeast of Running Springs, CA. Timber and brush. Running crown fire and spotting. Evacuations in effect.

**Angel**, Monte Vista Unit, CAL FIRE. CAL FIRE IMT 1 (Windsor). Twelve miles east of Julian, CA. Timber and brush. Wind-driven fire with spotting. Community of Julian threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

Pine, Cleveland NF. IMT 2 (Woychak). Eight miles east of Pine Valley, CA. Chaparral. 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
Butler 2	СА	BDF	13,829	13,429	5	UNK	1,085	- 88	17	41	7	0	1.5M	FS
* Angel	CA	MVU	600		10	9/18	717		25	85	5	1	200K	ST
Pine	CA	CNF	2,170	0	95	UNK	704	320	19	65	5	0	1.6M	FS

#### Northern Rockies Area (PL 4)

New fires:	9
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	8
Type 2 IMTs committed:	4

**Sawmill Complex** (4 fires), Lolo NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Heintz) back to local unit tomorrow. Twenty-two miles southeast of Missoula, MT. Timber and grass. Minimal fire activity with isolated torching. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

**Rattlesnake**, Nez Perce NF. IMT 2 (Grant). Twenty-five miles south of Elk City, ID. Timber and grass. Creeping and smoldering with isolated torching.

**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 with isolated torching.

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

**Conger Creek**, Lolo NF. Twenty miles north of Ovando, MT. Timber. Minimal fire activity with isolated torching. Closures in effect.

**Jocko Lakes**, Flathead Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (McNitt). Previously reported fire. Twenty-six miles northeast of Missoula, MT. Timber with dead and down lodgepole pine. Smoldering with isolated tree torching.

**Elkhorn Substation,** Dakota Prairie National Grasslands. Twelve miles west of Fairfield, ND. Timber and grass. No new information.

**Corporal**, Flathead NF. Forty-seven miles southeast of Kalispell, MT. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

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	МТ	LNF	67,490	0	35	UNK	142	- 47	3	3	1	0	20.3M	FS
Rattlesnake	ID	NPF	101,200	0	25	10/1	132	17	1	5	0	8	17.2M	FS
Ahorn	МТ	LCF	52,109	0	20	9/20	102	- 2	0	0	2	0	17.0M	FS
Fool Creek	МТ	LCF	58,448	0	40	9/20	89	5	1	9	2	7	5.9M	FS
Conger Creek	МТ	LNF	24,390	690	0	UNK	35	0	2	0	0	0	782K	FS
Jocko Lakes	МТ	FHA	36,310		95	10/1	157		1	11	3	8	28.6M	BIA
Elkhorn Substation	ND	DPF	255		70	UNK	52		2	6	0	0	66K	FS
Corporal	МТ	FNF	13,258		0	10/15	15		0	0	0	0	143K	FS

#### Northwest Area (PL 3)

New fires:	13
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

**Manilla Creek**, Colville Agency, BIA. IMT 2 (Reed). Seven miles southwest of Keller, WA. Timber. Active fire behavior with spotting and torching. Structures threatened and evacuations in effect.

**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. Structures threatened and 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
Manilla Creek	WA	COA	26,213	7,624	50	9/17	833	424	22	37	6	0	2.6M	BIA
Domke Lake Complex	WA	OWF	11,900	50	35	UNK	83	0	2	2	2	1	11.3M	FS

### Western Great Basin Area (PL 2)

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

Martin Creek, Winnemucca Field Office, BLM. Eight miles northeast of Paradise Valley, NV. Brush. Creeping and smoldering.

**Sheep Creek,** Ely Field Office, BLM. Nineteen miles southwest of Lund, NV. Timber. Running, crowning, torching and spotting. Power line threatened. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

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
Martin Creek	NV	WID	7,758	6,158	60	9/17	239	54	6	7	5	0	NR	BLM
* Sheep Creek – WFU	NV	ELD	1,000		N/A	N/A	8		0	1	0	0	NR	BLM
Closet	NV	EKD	962	662	100		25	0	0	1	0	1	NR	BLM

EKD – Elko Field Office, BLM

#### Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires:	21
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

**Bone Creek**, Bighorn NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Blume) back to local unit today. Thirty-three miles northeast of Greybull, WY. Timber. Smoldering. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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	13,450	0	95	UNK	200	- 4	5	2	3	0	2.8M	FS

## Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires:	14
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0

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	64,997	0	100		1,942	- 1,422	49	99	12	7	24.3M	FS

PNF – Plumas NF

### Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	6
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	1

Echo, Florida DOF. Fourteen miles northwest of Pembroke Pines, FL. Grass. 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
* Echo	FL	FLS	700		0	UNK	4		0	1	0	0	NR	ST

Predictive Services Discussion: Thunderstorms, some with limited moisture, are expected over portions of Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Wyoming today. Gusty winds are on tap over the southern California mountains and deserts, southern Great Basin and over portions of Montana and Wyoming. Windy conditions are expected east of the Cascades.



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#### **Spot Weather Forecast**

Spot weather forecasts should be requested for those fires that have potential for extreme fire behavior, exceed initial attack, or are located in areas where Red Flag Warnings have been issued.

Basic elements needed for a spot weather forecast include:

- Name of fire and management agency
- Request time and date
- Location by 1/4 section
- Drainage name
- Exposure
- Size
- Elevation (top and bottom)
- Fuel type
- Fire character (ground, crown, etc.)
- Weather conditions (place, elevation, observation time, wind direction, wind velocity, dry bulb, wet bulb, remarks)

## Fires And Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
Λιαδιά	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	0	3			3	7	13
	ACRES	6,141	14			5	6	6,166
Northern California	FIRES	1	1			10	2	14
	ACRES	0	0			77	0	77
Southern California	FIRES	_			1	12	4	17
	ACRES				1			18,070
Northern Rockies	FIRES					3	6	9
	ACRES					2	6	8
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	_	5			3	3	11
	ACRES		130			76	5,544	5,750
Western Great Basin	FIRES		0					0
	ACRES		6,820					6,820
Southwest	FIRES	_			1	1	1	3
	ACRES				0	1	0	
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	_	11		1	4	5	21
	ACRES		87		0	236	191	514
Eastern Area	FIRES	_				3		3
	ACRES					0		0
Southern Area	FIRES					6		6
	ACRES					628		628
TOTAL	FIRES	1	20	0	3	45	28	97
	ACRES	6,141	7,051	0	1	1,094	23,747	38,034

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	3	30	38	18	349	7	445
ΠΙαδκά	ACRES	3	2,447	61,359	696	359,458	2	423,965
Northwest	FIRES	294	269	46	38	1,803	990	3,440
Northwest	ACRES	58,947	212,892	82,508	327	153,507	223,940	732,121
Northern California	FIRES	189	44	5	30	2,046	633	2,947
	ACRES	209	532	105	33	80,196	123,889	204,964
Southern California	FIRES	60	130	15	32	3,369	618	4,224
	ACRES	2,476	9,770	36	2,443	22,023	308,434	345,182
Northern Rockies	FIRES	957	82	17	14	1,017	944	3,031
	ACRES	60,135	61,207	945	2,536	324,444	552,696	1,001,963
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	49	643	4	48	814	681	2,239
	ACRES	24,751	1,109,368	9	7,192	317,919	926,116	2,385,355
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	436	7	25	196	90	757
	ACRES	60	564,785	38	349	224,160	105,403	894,795
Southwest	FIRES	672	149	9	77	711	1,447	3,065
	ACRES	13,253	1,807	1,540	669	198,596	46,022	261,887
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	907	555	15	34	581	465	2,557
	ACRES	3,320	9,088	569	315	48,580	13,544	75,416
Eastern Area	FIRES	484		66	30	10,146	545	11,271
	ACRES	8,461		1,374	527	141,037	46,107	197,506
Southern Area	FIRES	282		103	76	34,745	895	36,101
	ACRES	14,199		344,324	67,525	831,790	162,058	1,419,896
TOTAL	FIRES	3,900	2,338	325	422	55,777	7,315	70,077
	ACRES	185,814	1,971,896	492,807	82,612	2,701,710	2,508,211	7,943,050

Ten Year Average Fires	65,492
Ten Year Average Acres	5,864,292

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## Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
	FIRES							0
Alaska	ACRES			к ————————————————————————————————————	-		к ————	0
	FIRES		0	)				0
Northwest	ACRES		3,700		-	·		3,700
	FIRES		0,700					0,100
Northern California	ACRES			×	-		×	
	FIRES				1		<u> </u>	0
Southern California								
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
Northern Nockies	ACRES							0
Eastarn Croat Pasin	FIRES	0	1					1
astern Great Basin	ACRES	600	1,500		×			2,100
Western Great Basin	FIRES				1			1
Western Great Basin	ACRES				2		×	2
Southwest	FIRES						0	0
Southwest	ACRES			×			200	200
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		2					2
	ACRES		100					100
<b>F</b> / A	FIRES							0
Eastern Area	ACRES				-			0
Courth and Anala	FIRES							0
Southern Area	ACRES			×			x	0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	3	0	) 1	C	0	
IUIAL	ACRES	600	5,300	0	2	C	200	6,102

# Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
	FIRES					4		4
Alaska	ACRES	_				20,650		20,650
	FIRES	25	62	28	3		371	489
Northwest	ACRES	9,765	19,168	5,740	98		32,668	67,439
Northern California	FIRES		3	7	9	41	194	254
Northern California	ACRES		175	19,974	14	4,664	11,412	36,239
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	227	394
Northern Nockies	ACRES	438	2,834	19,882	459	1,825	24,926	50,364
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	5	22	7	3	14	59	110
	ACRES	1,364	5,851	2,302	427	9,249	16,928	36,121
Western Great Basin	FIRES		9	5	5		1	20
Western Great Dasin	ACRES		4,069	1,415	3,507		16	9,007
Southwest	FIRES	55	68	11	20		1,070	1,224
Courimost	ACRES	9,565	17,518	2,876	4,530		53,466	87,955
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	40	37	99	12	32	105	325
Rooky Mountain	ACRES	4,556	16,165	23,874	3,759	3,807	34,975	87,136
Eastern Area	FIRES	45		327	36	1,509	141	2,058
Lasteni Alea	ACRES	15,836		48,510	4,241	94,745	35,567	198,899
Southern Area	FIRES	21		310	71	14,925	896	16,223
	ACRES	18,148		125,793	62,769	949,600	882,927	2,039,237
TOTAL	FIRES	193	225	887	177	16,585	3,154	21,221
	ACRES	59,672	65,960	253,377	80,254	1,084,617	1,102,397	2,646,277

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# WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
A1 1	FIRES		22	18	15	3		58
Alaska	ACRES		39,045	57,943	29,188	542		126,718
	FIRES						3	3
Northwest	ACRES	_					452	452
North and Oalifansia	FIRES				3	1	3	7
Northern California	ACRES	_			1	1	11	13
Southern California	FIRES				20		5	25
Southern California	ACRES				454		92	546
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1		72	73
Northern Rockies	ACRES				1		88,140	88,141
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				4	0	46	50
	ACRES				21	75	137,925	138,021
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6					6
	ACRES		2,531					2,531
Southwest	FIRES		1		5	1	36	43
Souriwest	ACRES		10		4,772	149	29,272	34,203
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		11		1		8	20
	ACRES		387		0		69	456
Eastern Area	FIRES						2	2
Eastern Area	ACRES						1	1
Southern Area	FIRES				16		3	19
	ACRES				2,228		3,888	6,116
TOTAL	FIRES	0	40	18	65	5	178	306
	ACRES	0	41,973	57,943	36,665	767	259,850	397,198

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### **Canada Fires and Hectares**

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-to-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-to-DATE
British Columbia			1,550	28,771
Yukon Territory			101	45,460
Alberta			1,210	103,166
Northwest Territory			184	455,693
Saskatchewan			366	212,865
Manitoba			372	206,928
Ontario			1,082	40,606
Quebec			886	343,370
Newfoundland			82	11,267
New Brunswick			286	446
Nova Scotia			395	692
Prince Edward Island			6	18
National Parks			76	222,138
Total			6,596	1,671,420

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

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