

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Tuesday, September 25, 2007 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (119 new fires)
 New large fires: 0 (*)
 Large fires contained: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 4
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1
 Fire Use Teams committed: 0

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

Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires: 5
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 NIMOs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Cascade Complex, Boise NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Suwyn) back to local unit today. Twenty-seven miles east of Cascade, ID. Timber. Isolated smoldering. Road closure in effect.

East Zone Complex (4 fires), Payette NF. Transfer of command from NIMO (Gelobter) back to local unit occurred yesterday. Twenty-five miles northeast of McCall, ID. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. 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
Cascade Complex	ID	BOF	302,385	0	28	UNK	235	-44	4	6	2	5	53.1M	FS
East Zone Complex	ID	PAF	300,022	0	NR	9/30	39	-54	1	0	1	13	32.6M	FS

Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)

New fires: 3
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Conger Creek, Lolo NF. Twenty miles north of Ovando, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Area closures in effect. 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
Conger Creek	MT	LNF	25,150	10	0	12/25	3	0	0	0	0	0	935K	FS

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 3
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Copper Mtn., CDC Area, Wyoming State Forestry. Ten miles southeast of Thermopolis, WY. Pinyon pine, juniper and brush. Creeping and smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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Copper Mtn.	WY	CDS	3,985	1,485	90	9/28	12	-6	0	3	0	0	NR	ST

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 70
 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
Whippoorwill	KY	KYS	125	0	100	---	5	0	0	1	0	0	NR	ST

KYS – Kentucky DOF

Predictive Services Discussion: Dry and warmer weather will prevail today across most of the West except for showers over portions of Montana. Rain will stretch from Texas to the Great Lakes with dry weather over the East. Southern Florida will see scattered showers.



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Initial Attack Fire Sizeup/Safety

Having a good sizeup is important in order to give both the Incident Commander (IC) and fire management a good idea of what problems exist and what resources may be needed for effective firefighting.

- Use the following reporting factors for sizeup. Discuss others that may be used.
 - Fire name and location
 - Terrain (slope, aspect, elevation) and position of fire on the slope
 - Size of fire
 - Fuel type, anticipated control problems, and spread potential
 - Values threatened
 - Weather conditions (wind speed and direction)
 - Fire behavior
 - Resources on the fire and those needed
 - Estimated containment and control times
 - Cause (known, suspected, under investigation)

- After your initial sizeup of the fire and/or transition from an initial attack IC, answer the following questions. Repeat this analysis whenever there is a change, or predicted change, in conditions on the fire.
 - Have you sized up the fire and relayed the information to dispatch?
 - Is the observed fire weather consistent with the forecast?
 - Can you control the fire with the resources available (on the incident or soon to be on the incident) and under the expected conditions?
 - Have you developed a plan to attack the fire (direct or indirect, anchor points, escape routes, head or flank attack, priority areas); and have you communicated this information to all personnel assigned to the incident, including new arrivals?
 - Are lookouts in place or can you see all of the fire area?
 - Can you communicate with everyone on the fire and with dispatch?
 - Are escape routes and safety zones established? If you are using the black, is it completely burned and without a reburn potential?
 - Are safety and the standard fire orders being followed?
 - Do you have a complete list of what resources have been ordered for the fire?
 - Will you control the fire before the next operational period; and if you won't, or the size of the organization exceeds the IC's capability to manage, have you informed the agency Fire Management Officer?

Fires And Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	1					5	6
	ACRES	1					0	1
Northern California	FIRES					15	1	16
	ACRES					34	0	34
Southern California	FIRES					10	1	11
	ACRES					0	0	0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1				2		3
	ACRES	0				1		1
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES					3	2	5
	ACRES					11	1	12
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						2	2
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	2	1			0		3
	ACRES	54	3			1,485		1,542
Eastern Area	FIRES					2	2	4
	ACRES					1	2	3
Southern Area	FIRES					69	1	70
	ACRES					576	17	593
TOTAL	FIRES	4	1	0	0	101	13	119
	ACRES	55	3	0	0	2,108	22	2,188

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	3	30	38	18	351	7	447
	ACRES	3	2,447	61,359	696	404,672	2	469,179
Northwest	FIRES	301	272	47	39	1,864	1,021	3,544
	ACRES	60,112	261,548	82,508	327	155,231	224,830	784,556
Northern California	FIRES	192	44	5	33	2,332	657	3,263
	ACRES	215	532	105	33	81,104	123,997	205,986
Southern California	FIRES	61	142	15	33	3,465	634	4,350
	ACRES	2,476	10,007	36	2,443	23,090	308,437	346,489
Northern Rockies	FIRES	999	79	19	14	1,037	1,012	3,160
	ACRES	61,869	62,781	810	2,536	317,113	623,134	1,068,243
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	50	659	4	48	850	709	2,320
	ACRES	24,752	1,109,242	9	7,192	322,731	926,167	2,390,093
Western Great Basin	FIRES	4	440	7	25	208	90	774
	ACRES	60	563,992	38	379	225,115	105,421	895,005
Southwest	FIRES	671	150	9	77	712	1,463	3,082
	ACRES	13,253	1,808	1,540	674	198,597	46,043	261,915
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	925	575	15	36	592	478	2,621
	ACRES	3,387	9,099	569	315	54,757	13,940	82,067
Eastern Area	FIRES	486		66	30	10,441	553	11,576
	ACRES	8,461		1,374	527	142,125	46,120	198,607
Southern Area	FIRES	413		103	76	35,104	897	36,593
	ACRES	20,884		344,324	67,525	836,881	162,150	1,431,764
TOTAL	FIRES	4,105	2,391	328	429	56,956	7,521	71,730
	ACRES	195,472	2,021,456	492,672	82,647	2,761,416	2,580,241	8,133,904

Ten Year Average Fires	67,098
Ten Year Average Acres	5,953,419

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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		1	3	1			5
	ACRES		236	52	2			290
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						50	50
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		800					800
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						20	20
Rocky Mountain	FIRES				1		1	2
	ACRES				42		77	119
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						6	6
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	3	2	0	4	11
	ACRES	0	1,036	52	44	0	153	1,285

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	65	38	5		371	504
	ACRES	9,765	19,386	6,147	1,100		32,713	69,111
Northern California	FIRES		3	8	9	41	197	258
	ACRES		175	19,979	14	4,664	11,445	36,277
Southern California	FIRES		4	10	11	6	90	121
	ACRES		180	3,011	514	77	9,512	13,294
Northern Rockies	FIRES	3	21	84	9	55	232	404
	ACRES	440	3,834	19,892	476	1,885	24,997	51,524
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	5	24	7	5	14	63	118
	ACRES	2,164	9,751	2,302	448	9,249	18,530	42,444
Western Great Basin	FIRES		9	5	5		1	20
	ACRES		4,069	1,415	3,507		1,391	10,382
Southwest	FIRES	55	68	11	21		204	359
	ACRES	9,565	17,758	2,876	4,630		56,739	91,568
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	40	40	99	13	32	113	337
	ACRES	4,556	17,824	23,874	3,801	3,807	35,375	89,237
Eastern Area	FIRES	45		327	36	1,510	142	2,060
	ACRES	15,836		48,510	4,241	94,805	35,570	198,962
Southern Area	FIRES	29		310	72	14,926	906	16,243
	ACRES	20,321		125,793	63,069	949,627	884,546	2,043,356
TOTAL	FIRES	202	234	899	186	16,588	2,319	20,428
	ACRES	62,647	72,977	253,799	81,800	1,084,764	1,110,818	2,666,805

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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	57,943	29,188	542		126,718
Northwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						802	802
Northern California	FIRES				3	1	5	9
	ACRES				1	1	12	14
Southern California	FIRES				20		6	26
	ACRES				454		92	546
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1		74	75
	ACRES				1		86,341	86,342
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				5	0	47	52
	ACRES				29	75	147,598	147,702
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6					6
	ACRES		3,631					3,631
Southwest	FIRES		1	5	1	37		44
	ACRES		10	5,672	149	29,997		35,828
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		11	2		8		21
	ACRES		387	0		69		456
Eastern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1	1
Southern Area	FIRES				16		3	19
	ACRES				2,228		3,888	6,116
TOTAL	FIRES	0	40	18	67	5	185	315
	ACRES	0	43,073	57,943	37,573	767	268,800	408,156

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