### National Interagency Coordination Center Incident Management Situation Report Friday, August 8, 2008 – 0530 MDT National Preparedness Level 4

### **National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Heavy (422 new fires)

New large fires: 3 (\*) 2 Large fires contained: Uncontained large fires: 34 Area Command Teams committed: 2 NIMOs committed: 3 6 Type 1 IMTs committed: 14 Type 2 IMTs committed: Fire Use Teams committed: 0

Link to Geographic Area daily reports.

A NIMO Team (Gage) is assigned as a planning and operational group in support of the National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group at Boise, ID. NIMO Team (Whitney) ordered.

Australia and New Zealand are providing 44 fire specialists and managers to assist with fire suppression operations in California.

#### Northern California Area (PL 5)

New fires:	33
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	15
Area Command Teams committed:	2
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	6
Type 2 IMTs committed:	6

Area Command Team (Lohrey) is managing fire complexes on the Shasta-Trinity and Mendocino National Forests. Area Command Team (Zimmerman) is managing fire complexes on the Six Rivers and Klamath National Forests. NIMO Team (Custer) assigned to the Shasta-Trinity National Forest.

**Craig**, Butte Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Streblow). Twelve miles east of Oroville, CA. Brush. Short runs with torching. Residences and cultural resources threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

**Iron and Alps Complexes** (3 fires), Shasta-Trinity NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Kaage) to IMT 1 (Molumby) today. One mile north of Junction City, CA. Heavy timber, brush and grass. Flanking and backing fire with group torching and short-range spotting. Numerous residences and structures threatened.

**Siskiyou Complex**, Klamath NF. IMT 1 (Wilcock). IMT is also managing the Blue 2 fire and Ukonom Complex. Eighteen miles southwest of Happy Camp, CA. Conifer and hardwood overstory with heavy timber litter. Backing and flanking fire with short upslope runs and torching. Cultural sites threatened.

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

**Blue 2**, Six Rivers NF. Twelve miles east of Klamath, CA. Timber. Backing fire with isolated group tree torching. Cultural and communications sites threatened.

**Panther**, Klamath NF. IMT 1 (McGowan). Fourteen miles southwest of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Moderate fire behavior.

**Ukonom Complex,** Six Rivers NF. Ten miles east of Orleans, CA. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs, torching and spotting. Structures, cultural sites and telecommunication facility threatened.

**Rich,** Plumas NF. IMT 1 (Hoff) and IMT 2 (Mannelin). Twenty miles west of Quincy, CA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Residences threatened. Bucks Lake Wilderness and the middle fork of the Feather River Canyon closed.

**Bear Wallow Complex** (2 fires), Klamath NF. IMT 2 (Swartzlander). Confine/contain management strategy. Thirteen miles southeast of Happy Camp, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with isolated single tree torching.

**Yolla Bolly Complex** (3 fires), Mendocino NF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Larsen) to IMT 2 (Blume) tomorrow. Forty-seven miles southwest of Redding, CA. Timber. Active fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

**Lime Complex** (2 fires), Shasta-Trinity NF. IMT 2 (Woychak). Fourteen miles west of Hayfork, CA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior.

**Canyon Complex,** Plumas NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Sciacca) to IMT 1 (Hoff) today. Sixteen miles northeast of Paradise, CA. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing, smoldering and creeping.

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
Craig	CA	BTU	2,500	0	50	8/10	1,435	210	42	120	12	2	4.1M	ST
Iron and Alps Complexes	CA	SHF	89,397	3,091	73	9/1	1,164	-179	33	40	8	1	52.4M	FS
Siskiyou Complex	CA	KNF	59,820	1,054	64	8/30	1,380	-112	34	54	9	0	34.2M	FS
Blue 2	CA	SRF	8,510	7,981	64	8/30	342	-1	9	9	7	0	8.5M	FS
Panther	CA	KNF	12,659	1,637	14	8/28	751	-11	20	23	0	0	6.8M	FS
Ukonom Complex	CA	SRF	48,012	284	80	9/15	308	-46	6	11	11	0	21M	FS
Rich	CA	PNF	6,586	0	90	8/10	912	-195	18	47	2	9	9.4M	FS
Bear Wallow Complex	CA	KNF	13,988	0	51	8/15	668	3	18	17	5	0	8.3M	FS
Yolla Bolly Complex	CA	MNF	82,259	1,165	75	8/15	553	8	13	19	6	0	10.9M	FS
Lime Complex	CA	SHF	63,263	0	95	8/15	525	-60	8	31	4	5	55.8M	FS
Canyon Complex	CA	PNF	37,357	0	97	8/14	31	-372	0	7	2	3	44.3M	FS

### Northern Rockies Area (PL 3)

New fires:	11
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

**Tumble Creek**, Custer NF. IMT 2 (Heintz). Eight miles west of Nye, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering. Structures and historic buildings threatened. Road and area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Russian Flats**, Lewis and Clark NF. IMT 2 (Secrest). Twenty-seven miles southwest of Stanford, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering with group tree torching.

**Le Hardy**, Yellowstone NP. Sixty-five miles west of Cody, WY. Timber. Light fire behavior with single tree torching and short uphill runs. Structures threatened.

**Rattlesnake**, Nez Perce NF. Thirty miles west of Darby, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with backing downhill. Structures threatened. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

Cascade, Custer NF. Six miles west of Red Lodge, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering.

**Wood Hump – WFU**, Bitterroot NF. Previously reported WFU incident. Thirty miles southwest of Darby, MT. Heavy logging slash. Active surface fire with crown 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
Tumble Creek	MT	CNF	380	-240	80	8/8	139	-6	3	1	3	0	1M	FS
Russian Flats	MT	LCF	743	104	72	8/10	239	-16	6	6	2	0	1M	FS
Le Hardy	WY	YNP	8,950	0	5	UNK	94	-10	3	2	4	0	NR	NPS
Rattlesnake	ID	NPF	1,000	0	0	10/15	15	14	0	0	0	0	30K	FS
Cascade	MT	CNF	10,173	0	85	UNK	228	-65	3	2	5	5	7.8M	FS
Wood Hump - WFU	МТ	BRF	1,000		N/A	N/A	1		0	0	0	0	2.5K	FS

#### **Northwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires:198New large fires:1Uncontained large fires:1Type 2 IMTs committed:1

**Columbia River Road,** Colville Agency, BIA. Washington IMT 2 (Barnett). Nine miles west of Nespelem, WA. Timber and grass. Running fire with torching and isolated crowning. Structures and cultural sites 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
* Columbia River Road	WA	COA	5,000		0	UNK	95		1	15	4	0	NR	BIA
730	WA	MCR	500		100		129		2	27	0	0	200K	FWS

MCR - Mid-Columbia NWR

#### Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 4)

New fires:	34
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2

**New Fork**, Bridger-Teton NF. IMT 2 (Whalen). Fifteen miles north of Pinedale, WY. Timber. Surface fire with single tree torching. Structures threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Little Bald Mountain**, Wasatch-Cache NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Wilde) back to the local unit today. Eleven miles southwest of Grantsville, UT. Timber and grass. Smoldering. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Cabin Creek, Payette NF. Sixty miles east of McCall, ID. Grass and timber understory. No new information.

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
New Fork	WY	BTF	11,960	-1,249	90	8/10	422	21	10	7	3	0	2M	FS
Little Bald Mountain	UT	WCF	502	-56	90	8/30	211	13	5	5	3	0	1.8M	FS
Cabin Creek	ID	PAF	5,494		0	9/30	12		0	0	0	1	NR	FS

### Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	99
New large fires:	2
Uncontained large fires:	6
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

**Evans Road,** North Carolina Division of Forest Resources. Transfer of command from North Carolina IMT 2 (Hendricks) back to local unit tomorrow. Seven miles south of Creswell, NC. Pocosin, chaparral and southern rough. Ground fire in deep organic soils. Structures threatened.

**Black**, Texas Forest Service. Eight miles northeast of Albany, TX. Brush and juniper. No further information received.

**Sharpeye**, Texas Forest Service. Sixteen miles west of Palo Pinto, TX. Brush and Juniper. No further information received.

**Double H**, North Carolina Division of Forest Resources. Twenty miles southeast of Asheville, NC. Hardwood litter. Active fire behavior with running and backing. Residences threatened.

**Florence**, Texas Forest Service. Thirty-five miles north of Austin, TX. Brush and Juniper. Running, torching and spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

**Knob Hill**, Texas Forest Service. Fifty-three miles northeast of Austin, TX. Mesquite and brush. Running, torching and spotting. Residences 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
Evans Road	NC	NCS	40,704	0	NR	UNK	84	-9	0	3	0	4	18.5M	ST
Black	TX	TXS	3,560	0	80	UNK	2	-19	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Sharpeye	TX	TXS	617	-383	40	UNK	49	-5	2	6	1	0	NR	ST
Double H	NC	NCS	262	0	85	8/15	70	-32	4	3	1	0	133K	ST
Hawk's Overlook - WFU	AR	OUF	105	0	2	NR	16	4	0	1	0	NR	5K	FS
* Florence	TX	TXS	1,250		35	8/8	21		0	4	4	1	NR	ST
* Knob Hill	TX	TXS	400		95	UNK	48		0	11	0	1	NR	ST

OUF - Ouachita NF

### Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

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

**Gunbarrel - WFU**, Shoshone NF. Transfer of command from FUMT (Hahnenberg) to IMT 2 (Angell) occurred on 8/6. Forty miles west of Cody, WY. Timber. Extreme fire behavior on interior islands, and torching and spotting. Structures and campgrounds threatened.

**Green Mountain**, Jefferson County FD. Five miles north of Evergreen, CO. Brush and grass. 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
Gunbarrel – WFU	WY	SHF	35,500	730	N/A	N/A	361	18	7	16	5	7	2.9M	FS
Green Mountain	со	JEX	400		50	UNK	116		1	12	1	0	NR	CNTY
Barber County	KS	KSX	38,400	13,400	100		8	2	0	3	0	162K	NR	CNTY

KSX - Kansas Counties

### Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires:35New large fires:0Uncontained large fires:1Type 2 IMTs committed:1

**Sherwin**, Inyo NF. IMT 2 (Joseph). Three miles southeast of Mammoth Lakes, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. City of Mammoth Lake, summer camps and cultural sites threatened. Campground evacuations and road 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
Sherwin	CA	INF	347	0	88	8/8	472	-129	16	8	5	0	1.9M	FS

### Western Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires:8New large fires:0Uncontained large fires:1

**Jacob**, Ely Field Office, BLM. Ninety-five miles south of Ely, NV. No new information.

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
Jacob	NV	ELD	300		0	UNK	27		1	2	0	0	NR	BLM

#### Southwest Area (PL 1)

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

**Peak**, Santa Fe NF. Ten miles west of San Juan Pueblo, NM. Timber and grass. No new information.

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
Peak	NM	SNF	376		75	UNK	4		0	0	0	0	15K	FS

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Thunderstorms are on tap for much of interior west east of the Cascades and Sierras. Gusty winds are expected over the northern Sierra and western Nevada. Scattered thundershowers are forecast for Oklahoma, Arkansas and north Texas.

Link to Predictive Services Outlook product



http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\_sixminutes.php

**Topic of Choice** 

# **Fires and Acres Yesterday**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
	FIRES							0
Alaska	ACRES							0
	FIRES	13	65			1	119	198
Northwest	ACRES	5,058	857				156	6,072
North and Oallife and a	FIRES		2			18	13	33
Northern California	ACRES	-	12			6	2,831	2,849
Southern California	FIRES		1		0	23	11	35
Southern Calliornia	ACRES		0		1	46	122	169
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1				5	5	11
Northern Rockies	ACRES	0				0	10	10
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		9			6	19	34
	ACRES		6			40	12	58
Martine Orași Basis	FIRES	Ì	5	2			1	8
Western Great Basin	ACRES		12	50			0	62
Southwest	FIRES						3	3
Southwest	ACRES						1	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
Nocky Wouldain	ACRES						0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	Ì						0
Eastern Area	ACRES							0
<b>0</b> 41 <b>1</b>	FIRES	9				88	2	99
Southern Area	ACRES	1,015				2,208	2	3,225
TOTAL	FIRES	23	82	2	0	141	174	422
TOTAL	ACRES	6,073	887	50	1	2,301	3,134	12,446

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		14	17	1	276	3	311
Alaska	ACRES		700	1,243	0	54,539	0	56,482
Northwest	FIRES	212	170	7	20	472	686	1,567
T TOTAL TOTAL	ACRES	16,574	55,693	8,148	408	6,714	5,911	93,448
Northern California	FIRES	149	23	5	22	2,312	750	3,261
	ACRES	307	50	161	6,426	281,154	525,735	813,833
Southern California	FIRES	46	81	11	19	2,760	351	3,268
	ACRES	321	23,818	863	14	15,216	284,427	324,659
Northern Rockies	FIRES	872	59	14	6	571	322	1,844
	ACRES	12,396	6,772	6,531	8,954	44,920	6,836	86,409
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	34	314	5	13 	323	246	935
	ACRES	8,408	9,834	513	134	10,092	25,858	54,839
Western Great Basin	FIRES	8	210	5	10	57	47	337
	ACRES	10	16,072	51	4	3,169	53	19,359
Southwest	FIRES	621	214	6	46	678	763	2,328
	ACRES	19,385	80,997	347	976	263,258	92,379	457,342
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	481	239	25 	23 	448	255	1,471
	ACRES	1,895	3,028	2,014	312	162,026	37,310	206,585
Eastern Area	FIRES	316		14	18	7,741	286	8,375
	ACRES	1,935		252	264	45,172	1,704	49,327
Southern Area	FIRES	910		28	56 	31,161	572	32,727
	ACRES	58,977		29,755	54,146	1,628,283	37,632	1,808,793
TOTAL	FIRES	3,649	1,324	137	234	46,799	4,281	56,424
	ACRES	120,208	196,964	49,878	71,638	2,514,543	1,017,845	3,971,076

Ten Year Average Fires	55,391
Ten Year Average Acres	4,208,690

<sup>\*\*</sup>Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. \*\*\*

# Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
Alaska	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
Northwest	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
Northern Camornia	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
Countries Cumonna	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
TTOTATION TOOMISS	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
Lactorn Groat Baom	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
Troctom Groat Bacin	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	1					1	2
	ACRES	17					5	22
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES			1		3		4
	ACRES			50		290		340
Southern Area	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						2,520	2,520
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	1	0	3	5	10
	ACRES	17	0	50	0	290	2,525	2,882

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					10		10
Masika	ACRES					3,990		3,990
Northwest	FIRES	10	35	13	3		98	159
Northwest	ACRES	2,435	3,355	2,359	6		19,376	27,531
Northern California	FIRES	25	14	11	9	7	98	164
	ACRES	415	617	22,765	14	1,160	2,648	27,619
Southern California	FIRES		3	4	8	5	129	149
	ACRES		118	822	1,335	51	13,114	15,440
Northern Rockies	FIRES	16	16	50	5	24	147	258
Tronuncini recomos	ACRES	773	2,161	15,787	309	1,109	17,311	37,450
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	20	5	7	15	48	98
	ACRES	200	2,879	346	1,125	2,290	11,303	18,143
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2	2	2		4	10
	ACRES		2,030	12	27		2,437	4,506
Southwest	FIRES	26	60	9	12		131	238
	ACRES	3,084	39,090	12,031	1,462		53,502	109,169
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	26	19	105	18	44	111	323
	ACRES	2,932	2,021	18,415	4,445	5,330	33,263	66,406
Eastern Area	FIRES	45		416	21	1,576	117	2,175
	ACRES	30,375		56,962	1,096	106,523	33,843	228,799
Southern Area	FIRES	20		119	82	416	787	1,424
	ACRES	13,894		48,593	60,846	237,640	815,478	1,176,451
TOTAL	FIRES	171	169	734	167	2,097	1,670	5,008
	ACRES	54,108	52,271	178,092	70,665	358,093	1,002,275	1,715,504

<sup>\*\*</sup>Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. \*\*\*

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		6	15	5	1		27
Alaska	ACRES		6,217	27,367	1,299	3		34,886
Northwest	FIRES				1		2	3
Northwest	ACRES				0		1	1
North our Colifornia	FIRES		ĺ				8	8
Northern California	ACRES						9,330	9,330
Southarn California	FIRES				8		6	14
Southern California	ACRES				291		14,933	15,224
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1		14	15
NOTTHER ROCKIES	ACRES				0		1,640	1,640
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				1		9	10
Lasterii Great Dasiii	ACRES				0		2,255	2,255
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2		1		3	6
Western Great Dasin	ACRES		81		0		242	323
Southwest	FIRES				2		15	17
Southwest	ACRES				112		14,123	14,235
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		3		2		3	8
Nocky Modificant	ACRES		0		0		1,828	1,828
Eastern Area	FIRES			2				2
Lasiem Alea	ACRES			1				1
Southern Area	FIRES						5	5
Southern Alea	ACRES						1,646	1,646
TOTAL	FIRES	0	11	17	21	1	65	115
TOTAL	ACRES	0	6,298	27,368	1,702	3	45,998	81,369

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### **Canada Fires and Hectares**

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	47	54	1,105	10,643
Yukon Territory	1	0	57	18,690
Alberta	24	4,018	1,320	16,100
Northwest Territory	7	0	163	205,280
Saskatchewan	2	133,185	552	1,069,891
Manitoba	2	1	337	113,285
Ontario	11	4	181	410
Quebec	1	31	164	1,412
Newfoundland	0	0	113	3,754
New Brunswick	0	0	141	129
Nova Scotia	0	0	229	2,576
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	4	1,008	79	3,885
Total	99	138,301	4,441	1,446,054

<sup>\*\*</sup>National Interagency Coordination Center \*\*