

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, March 2, 2011 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (111 new fires)
New large fires:	3 (*)
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires: **	14
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

Nationally, there are 0 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives.

** Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires:	107
New large fires:	2
Uncontained large fires:	14

Iron Horse, Florida DOF. Thirteen miles northwest of Titusville, FL. Southern rough. Moderate fire activity. Communities threatened.

Willow Creek South, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land 16 miles northeast of Amarillo, TX. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity with intermittent torching.

Mitchell County Complex (2 fires), Texas Forest Service. Started on private land 21 miles southeast of Big Spring, TX. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity with intermittent torching.

Shepard's Complex, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land six miles southwest of Scurry, TX. Timber. Moderate fire activity.

Coffman/Chestnut Ridge (2 fires), George Washington and Jefferson NF. Previously reported fires. Eight miles northwest of Harrisonburg, VA. Hardwood litter. Smoldering.

* **Crews Road**, Georgia Forestry Commission. Five miles southeast of Hoboken, GA. Southern rough. Interior burning. Structures threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Keller, Florida DOF. Fifteen miles southeast of Jacksonville, FL. Southern rough. Minimal fire activity. Precipitation occurred over the fire area. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Tanglewood Complex, Texas Forest Service. Six miles south of Amarillo, TX. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity.

Jesse Birthday, Lacassine NWR. Twenty-five miles southeast of Lake Charles, LA. Tall grass. Smoldering.

Ferry 7, National Forests in Florida. Five miles northeast of Salt Springs, FL. Southern rough. Smoldering with single tree torching.

Gregory Mill, National Forests in Florida. Fifteen miles south of Bristol, FL. Southern rough. Creeping and smoldering.

* **Mind**, Texas Forest Service. Ten miles southwest of Alpine, TX. Juniper, brush in grass. Active fire behavior. Structures 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
Iron Horse	FL	FLS	16,144	13,344	25	UNK	79	51	0	64	2	1	30K	ST
Willow Creek South	TX	TXS	24,310	0	90	3/2	0	-8	0	0	0	29	NR	PRI
Mitchell County Complex	TX	TXS	13,740	-1	90	3/2	NR	0	0	0	0	16	NR	PRI
Shepard's Complex	TX	TXS	7,500	0	90	3/2	0	-7	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Coffman/Chestnut Ridge	VA	VAF	3,479	0	90	3/15	23	0	1	1	0	1	1.2M	FS
* Crews Road	GA	GAS	2,250	---	70	3/4	15	---	0	0	1	0	5K	ST
Tanglewood Complex	TX	TXS	1,659	0	90	3/2	15	-1	0	5	0	27	NR	ST
Keller	FL	FLS	1,450	-550	80	UNK	37	-80	0	3	1	0	1K	ST
Jesse Birthday	LA	LCR	835	0	85	3/2	6	0	0	1	1	0	7K	FWS
Ferry 7	FL	FNF	682	0	75	3/5	20	-2	0	2	1	0	90K	FS
Gregory Mill	FL	FNF	589	0	90	3/5	11	-10	0	2	1	1	68K	FS
* Mind	TX	TXS	400	---	0	UNK	NR	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST
Briscoe	TX	TXS	1,000	0	100	---	0	-1	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 1)

New fires: 3
 New large fires: 1
 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
* Heinson Farm	KS	KSX	1,280	---	100	---	74	---	0	17	0	0	9K	CNTY

KSX – Kansas Counties

Predictive Services Discussion: Critical fire weather conditions are expected over the eastern and southern portions of New Mexico with west winds gusting to over 30 mph combined with low humidity. Higher humidity and breezy conditions expected across much of Texas and Oklahoma.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook products.



**Today's discussion is from the
First Aid / Health Category.**

Burn Protocols

Burn injuries are often difficult to diagnose and may continue to worsen if they do not receive immediate, specialized treatment. The initial evaluation and treatment of these burns often happens in rural medical facilities with limited experience in burn injury care. In the past, this has resulted in evaluation and treatment that did not provide the best care to injured firefighters. Therefore, victims with either severe burns or burns that meet any of the below criteria should be immediately referred and transported to a regional burn center.

- Burn injury criteria identified by the American Burn Association as warranting immediate referral to an accredited burn center.
 - Partial thickness burns (second degree) involving greater than 5% Total Body Surface Area.
 - Burns involving the face, hands, feet, genitalia, perineum, or major joints.
 - Third-degree burns of any size are present.
 - Electrical burns, including lightning injury are present.
 - Inhalation injury is suspected.
 - Burns are accompanied by traumatic injury (such as fractures).
 - Individuals are unable to immediately return to full duty.

- It is imperative that action is expeditious, as burn injuries are often difficult to evaluate and may take 72 hours to manifest themselves. When there is any doubt as to the severity of the injury, the required action is to immediately refer and transport the employee to a regional burn center.

- To ensure that Workers Compensation assistance is provided an agency administrator, or designee, for the incident needs to coordinate with the firefighter's home unit.

- Do you know the location of the closest regional burn center?
 - <http://www.blm.gov/nifc/st/en/prog/fire/im.html>

References:

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)

Burn center location <http://www.blm.gov/nifc/st/en/prog/fire/im.html>

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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							0
	ACRES							0
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	1	3
	ACRES					1,280	0	1,280
Eastern Area	FIRES	1						1
	ACRES	1						1
Southern Area	FIRES					105	2	107
	ACRES					14,249	40	14,289
TOTAL	FIRES	1	0	0	0	107	3	111
	ACRES	1	0	0	0	15,529	40	15,570

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES				2		6	8
	ACRES				0		2	2
Southern California	FIRES		2			81	13	96
	ACRES		21			37	2	60
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		5			1		6
	ACRES		2			1		3
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES	43	16	2	7	65	19	152
	ACRES	78	738	0	111	79,104	2,250	82,281
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	6	1	3		15	15	40
	ACRES	26	0	208		3,548	1,325	5,107
Eastern Area	FIRES	1		2	1	259	28	291
	ACRES	1		9	2	8,739	2,923	11,674
Southern Area	FIRES	116		54	6	9,509	143	9,828
	ACRES	5,431		1,512	411	186,208	12,036	205,598
TOTAL	FIRES	166	25	61	16	9,930	224	10,422
	ACRES	5,536	761	1,729	524	277,637	18,538	304,725

Ten Year Average Fires	7,427
Ten Year Average Acres	192,984

*** 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
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						4	4
Northern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						8	8
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		80					80
Southwest	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						1	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		1		0	0	1	2
	ACRES		2		12	5	470	489
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES			1			7	8
	ACRES			225			5,471	5,696
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	1	0	0	8	11
	ACRES	0	82	225	12	5	5,954	6,278

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES		22	1			27	50
	ACRES		1,449	45			612	2,106
Northern California	FIRES	1	11	1	9		56	78
	ACRES	12	215	549	29		1,250	2,055
Southern California	FIRES		2	1			44	47
	ACRES		275	115			536	926
Northern Rockies	FIRES	27	1				1	29
	ACRES	645	26				1	672
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		5		1	11	2	19
	ACRES		554		13	248	35	850
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2	1		2	4	9
	ACRES		91	550		64	165	870
Southwest	FIRES		3				36	39
	ACRES		130				3,616	3,746
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1	17	2	9	33	98	160
	ACRES	10	186	7	212	738	16,077	17,230
Eastern Area	FIRES			4		61	8	73
	ACRES			88		2,172	754	3,014
Southern Area	FIRES	20		68	7	512	244	851
	ACRES	5,515		36,296	6,330	94,889	253,523	396,553
TOTAL	FIRES	49	63	78	26	619	520	1,355
	ACRES	6,182	2,926	37,650	6,584	98,111	276,569	428,022

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Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>.