

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday, April 3, 2011 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (43 new fires)
 New large fires: 4 (*)
 Large fires contained: 1
 Uncontained large fires: ** 11
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Nationally, there are 2 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: 38
 New large fires: 4
 Uncontained large fires: 10
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Southeast GA Complex (4 fires), Georgia Forestry Commission. Georgia IMT 2 (Floyd). Eight miles south of Waycross, GA. Southern rough and cypress swamp. Smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Elim Church Rd., Georgia Forestry Commission. One mile northeast of Ludiwici, GA. Southern rough. Minimal fire activity.

Harkey Road, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land nineteen miles northeast of Eldorado, TX. Juniper and grass. Running and spotting. Structures threatened.

* **South Owens**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land 10 miles northeast of Denver City, TX. Grass. Running fire. Structures threatened.

* **Wrong Way**, Oklahoma DOF. Nine miles west of Yanush, OK. Timber litter. No further information received.

* **Frink Road**, Oklahoma DOF. One mile west of McAlester, OK. Grass and timber understory. No further information received.

* **Wasp Sting**, Oklahoma DOF. Four miles north of Kinta, OK. Timber litter. No further information 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
Southeast GA Complex	GA	GAS	39,211	-2,639	90	4/6	97	-6	0	7	1	15	1.8M	ST

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Elim Church Rd.	GA	GAS	4,035	0	95	4/5	4	0	0	1	0	15	975K	ST
Harkey Road	TX	TXS	2,400	1,800	90	UNK	21	8	0	2	0	0	NR	PRI
* South Owens	TX	TXS	500	---	90	UNK	7	---	0	1	0	0	NR	PRI
* Wrong Way	OK	OXS	600	---	80	4/3	5	---	0	15	0	0	0.8K	ST
* Frink Road	OK	OXS	400	---	80	4/3	22	---	0	20	0	0	1K	ST
* Wasp Sting	OK	OXS	160	---	80	4/3	9	---	0	7	0	0	0.8K	ST
Bole	OK	OMA	162	2	100	---	22	0	0	8	0	0	1K	BIA

OMA - Okmulgee Field Office, BIA

Southwest Area (PL 2)

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

Truck Stop, Socorro District, New Mexico State Forestry. Thirty-eight miles south of Animas, NM. Brush and grass. Moderate fire activity.

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Truck Stop	NM	N3S	4,836	3,391	80	UNK	37	-1	0	6	0	0	114K	ST

Predictive Services Discussion: Strong, gusty southwest to west winds and low relative humidity can be expected over southeast Colorado and eastern New Mexico, moving eastward into the western Great Plains. It will be warm and dry across portions of the southeastern U.S., including Florida, Georgia and eastern Tennessee. Cool and wet weather is expected across portions of the northern Rockies eastward into the Great Lakes region.

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



Today's discussion is from the
Miscellaneous Category.

CHAINSAW SAFETY

Chainsaw safety is every saw operator's job.

- Always wear proper P.P.E. when handling or working around chainsaws.
 - Eye protection- approved goggles or safety glasses (no sunglasses)
 - Chainsaw Chaps- proper size and length
 - Gloves-proper size
 - Long sleeve shirt-no loose sleeves
 - Leather boots-no loose boot laces

- Take the time to inspect the chainsaw before operating the saw.
 - Check the chain and bar- Sharpness of chain, Bar seated correctly
 - Check the bolts and screws all around the saw- no missing screws or bolts
 - Check the casing of the saw- no cracked or missing plastic

- Make sure you're aware of your surroundings while operating the chainsaw.
 - Look for people working in your area- advise all personnel you're operating the saw.
 - Look for any snags or hazards in your area- look up for power lines, widow makers, etc.
 - Make sure you always have a spotter or swamper to use for communications.
 - Always watch your footing while operating the saw- loose, rocky, steep terrain can cause you to slip while the chainsaw is running.

- Always make sure you are comfortable doing the task at hand.
 - Proper training for personnel running saws.
 - While falling trees know your escape route.
 - If you are not comfortable falling the tree walk away. Notify your supervisor and mitigate the safety issues or turn down the assignment.

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.

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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					1	2	3
	ACRES					0	5	5
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						200	200
Eastern Area	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			0				0
Southern Area	FIRES			1		35	2	38
	ACRES			2		968	16	986
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	2	0	36	5	43
	ACRES	0	0	2	0	968	221	1,191

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					1		1
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES				3		7	10
	ACRES				2,076		2	2,078
Southern California	FIRES		5			138	22	165
	ACRES		22			914	2	938
Northern Rockies	FIRES					3		3
	ACRES					0		0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		7			5		12
	ACRES		4			2		6
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2					2
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES	143	44	5	7	132	64	395
	ACRES	833	6,839	12	111	94,825	16,981	119,601
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	24	4	10		73	23	134
	ACRES	170	9	1,208		69,658	2,194	73,239
Eastern Area	FIRES	4		5	6	481	84	580
	ACRES	2		77	15	14,126	6,095	20,315
Southern Area	FIRES	146		114	17	15,550	252	16,079
	ACRES	5,987		8,068	2,050	384,753	15,004	415,862
TOTAL	FIRES	317	62	134	33	16,386	452	17,384
	ACRES	6,992	6,874	9,365	4,252	564,279	40,278	632,040

Ten Year Average Fires	14,961
Ten Year Average Acres	480,742

*** 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
	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							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES					1	2	3
	ACRES					126	186	312
Southern Area	FIRES					1	7	8
	ACRES					1,600	7,930	9,530
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	9	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,726	8,116	9,842

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			20				20
Northwest	FIRES		22	1			44	67
	ACRES		1,554	45			842	2,441
Northern California	FIRES	1	15	4	14		69	103
	ACRES	12	306	701	54		1,446	2,519
Southern California	FIRES		4	7			54	65
	ACRES		550	551			856	1,957
Northern Rockies	FIRES	32	1			1	5	39
	ACRES	1,242	26			20	91	1,379
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		7	2	1	18	6	34
	ACRES		868	805	13	308	459	2,453
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	1		2	4	10
	ACRES		105	550		64	182	901
Southwest	FIRES	1	19	3	1		57	81
	ACRES	1,500	13,129	1,428	15		22,313	38,385
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	3	21	12	11	40	104	191
	ACRES	94	696	1,460	251	7,186	20,215	29,902
Eastern Area	FIRES	1		13	7	227	43	291
	ACRES	753		631	3,079	20,682	18,260	43,405
Southern Area	FIRES	33		111	10	818	513	1,485
	ACRES	7,216		59,372	7,824	161,155	495,080	730,647
TOTAL	FIRES	71	92	155	44	1,106	899	2,367
	ACRES	10,817	17,234	65,563	11,236	189,415	559,744	854,009

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

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