

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Wednesday, July 27, 2011 – 0530 MT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Moderate (204 new fires)  
 New large fires: 1 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 3  
 Uncontained large fires: \*\* 13  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 5

Nationally, there are 23 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: 55  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 6  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 3

Texas IMT 2 (Hannemann) is managing existing and new fires located in Texas state initial attack zones.

**Honey Prairie**, Okefenokee NWR. Georgia IMT 2 (Floyd). Five miles northeast of Fargo, GA. Southern rough. Smoldering. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Simmons Road**, North Carolina DFR. North Carolina IMT 2 (Brandon). IMT is also managing the Juniper Road fire. Nine miles northeast of Tar Heel, NC. Brush. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Smoldering.

**Juniper Road**, North Carolina DFR. Thirteen miles northeast of Rocky Point, NC. Brush. Creeping and smoldering.

**Stegall**, Texas Forest Service. Twelve miles north of Sanderson, TX. Brush. Active fire behavior.

**Bogalie**, Oklahoma DOF. Six miles southeast of Broken Bow, OK. Timber. Decrease in acreage due to more accurate mapping. No further information received.

**Diamond Ridge**, Oklahoma DOF. Four miles southeast of Cookson, OK. Hardwood 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
Honey Prairie	GA	OKR	302,127	-553	70	UNK	245	-23	1	19	4	1	45.1M	FWS

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
Simmons Road	NC	NCS	5,438	0	91	UNK	92	-17	0	8	3	19	3.9M	ST
Juniper Road	NC	NCS	31,140	0	85	UNK	75	2	0	21	0	0	3.4M	ST
Stegall	TX	TXS	2,600	2,100	10	UNK	125	79	2	13	1	0	NR	ST
Bogalie	OK	OKS	425	-175	65	UNK	19	-10	0	6	0	0	17K	ST
Diamond Ridge	OK	OKS	240	0	80	UNK	2	-16	0	1	0	0	7K	ST
Grasshopper	OK	WEA	169	0	100	---	0	-3	0	0	0	0	10K	BIA

WEA – Wewoka Agency, BIA

### **Southwest (PL 3)**

New fires: 21  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 4  
 NIMOs committed: 1

**Lookout Complex**, Lincoln NF. Eight miles southwest of Queen, NM. Brush. Smoldering.

**Las Conchas**, Bernalillo District, New Mexico State Forestry. NIMO (Kleinman). Thirteen miles southwest of Los Alamos, NM. Timber and grass. Minimal fire activity.

**Pacheco**, Santa Fe NF. Nine miles north of Santa Fe, NM. Timber and slash. No new information. Last Report unless new information received.

**Eagle**, Gila NF. Ten miles east of Reserve, NM. Timber. No new information. Last Report unless new 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
Lookout Complex	NM	LNF	22,661	725	83	UNK	255	-60	8	17	1	0	2.1M	FS
Las Conchas	NM	N6S	156,953	360	95	UNK	196	66	0	10	4	112	47.2M	ST
Pacheco	NM	SNF	10,250	---	90	UNK	13	---	0	2	0	0	9.1M	FS
Eagle	NM	GNF	140	---	0	UNK	2	---	0	0	0	0	61K	FS

### **Southern California Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 30  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

**Eagle**, Monte Vista Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT1 (Lewin). Six miles east of Warner Springs, CA. Brush. Moderate fire activity.

**Lion**, Sequoia NF. Twenty miles northeast of Springville, CA. Timber and Brush. 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
Eagle	CA	MVU	13,700	1,000	45	UNK	2,138	5	83	76	20	1	8.9M	ST
Lion	CA	SQF	11,411	1,911	N/A	N/A	159	-1	7	2	2	0	580K	FS

### **Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)**

New fires:	22
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

**Norton Point**, Shoshone NF. IMT2 (Richardson). Twenty-four miles north of Dubois, WY. Timber. Active fire behavior with long-range spotting.

**Withers Canyon**, Pike and San Isabel NF. Twenty-five miles south of La Junta, CO. Brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering.

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
Norton Point	WY	SHF	4,000	1,800	N/A	N/A	84	79	3	0	1	0	80K	FS
Withers Canyon	CO	PSF	1,044	74	90	UNK	46	-9	2	1	0	0	250K	FS

### **Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 3)**

New fires:	10
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

**Indian**, Salmon-Challis NF. IMT 2 (Whalen). Ten miles west of North Fork, ID. Timber. Moderate fire activity with short runs and torching. 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
Indian	ID	SCF	1,441	155	50	UNK	532	-11	12	13	7	0	3.4M	FS

### **Northwest Area (PL 1)**

New fires:	13
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
Road 29	WA	WFS	3,000	0	100	---	133	133	2	25	0	1	125K	ST
* High Bridge	WA	YAA	460	---	100	---	28	---	1	2	0	0	30K	BIA

WFS – Washington DNR    YAA – Yakama Agency, BIA

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Scattered afternoon thunderstorms will develop over the southern and central Rockies. A cold front moving through the Plains will produce showers and thunderstorms from Colorado to the Great Lakes. Scattered showers and thunderstorms will form along Gulf and lower Atlantic coasts. Hot weather will continue over the central Plains and the mid-Mississippi valley.

Predictive Services Outlook products: <http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



**Today's discussion is from the  
Wildland / Urban Interface Category.**

### **POWER LINE SAFETY**

Operating near or under power lines poses unique hazards, and the following precautions should be followed to reduce potential equipment damage or injury:

- If possible, the power company should deactivate lines in the fire area.
- Don't operate heavy equipment under power lines.
- Keep all aviation activity away from power lines. Inform air attack and/or other aviation resources of the location of the power lines.
- Don't drive with long antennas under power lines.
- Don't stand near power lines during retardant drops.
- Don't park under power lines. The magnetic field around energized power lines can induce an electrical charge in ungrounded vehicles or equipment. This charge can shock anyone who touches the vehicle.
- Don't apply straight stream to power lines.
- All personnel should be cautioned that smoke may become charged and conduct the electrical current. Deactivated transmission and distribution lines may continue to pose a hazard due to induction.
- If power lines fall on your vehicle, DON'T leave the vehicle until the power company arrives. If the vehicle is on fire or fire is near, jump clear, don't hang on, keep feet together, and bunny hop away.

**References:**

- [Fireline Handbook](#)
- [Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

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### Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				0	2		2
	ACRES				450	946		1,396
Northwest	FIRES					2	11	13
	ACRES					0	1	1
Northern California	FIRES	1				15		16
	ACRES	0				32		32
Southern California	FIRES		6		1	22	1	30
	ACRES		15		0	124	2,911	3,050
Northern Rockies	FIRES	3	2			5	4	14
	ACRES	5	50			7	15	77
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	4			2	3	10
	ACRES	0	11			0	0	11
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8			3		11
	ACRES		2			2		4
Southwest	FIRES	6				2	13	21
	ACRES	0				0	352	352
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	4	5	1	1	6	5	22
	ACRES	1	3	0	0	794	2,374	3,172
Eastern Area	FIRES				1	8	1	10
	ACRES				0	7	0	7
Southern Area	FIRES					53	2	55
	ACRES					394	1	395
TOTAL	FIRES	15	25	1	3	120	40	204
	ACRES	6	81	0	450	2,306	5,654	8,497

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	2	24	25	16	391	5	463
	ACRES	8	42,533	37,076	7,981	197,702	1	285,301
Northwest	FIRES	76	60	2	10	154	135	437
	ACRES	2,283	669	32	4	161	98	3,247
Northern California	FIRES	27	6	3	7	854	88	985
	ACRES	13	0	0	2,077	3,867	4,436	10,393
Southern California	FIRES	14	232	4	6	2,016	194	2,466
	ACRES	82	2,306	2	222	20,348	13,723	36,683
Northern Rockies	FIRES	185	14	5	4	117	122	447
	ACRES	338	131	69	7	473	229	1,247
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	15	234	1	6	243	83	582
	ACRES	1,793	36,710	26	6	10,142	1,436	50,113
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	141	3	10	67	3	227
	ACRES	10	9,297	62	0	14,246	0	23,615
Southwest	FIRES	728	242	10	25	804	818	2,627
	ACRES	26,410	105,710	181	9,996	563,171	1,240,529	1,945,997
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	322	213	25	26	427	261	1,274
	ACRES	3,080	560	3,502	2,278	233,013	34,750	277,183
Eastern Area	FIRES	336		24	16	3,397	200	3,973
	ACRES	353		2,611	71	25,256	14,070	42,361
Southern Area	FIRES	607		228	62	28,302	725	29,924
	ACRES	109,606		79,503	55,653	3,075,777	28,493	3,349,032
TOTAL	FIRES	2,315	1,166	330	188	36,772	2,634	43,405
	ACRES	143,976	197,916	123,064	78,295	4,144,156	1,337,765	6,025,172

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>48,342</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>3,957,955</b>

\*\*\* 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							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						568	568
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	568	568

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1		11		12
	ACRES			20		5,715		5,735
Northwest	FIRES	8	44	6	1		118	177
	ACRES	5,268	6,885	409	42		6,884	19,488
Northern California	FIRES	15	16	14	21		131	197
	ACRES	61	655	19,170	141		5,327	25,354
Southern California	FIRES		10	10	4	3	75	102
	ACRES		819	1,963	1,060	48	2,090	5,980
Northern Rockies	FIRES	40	13	41	1	13	93	201
	ACRES	1,477	853	7,849	141	211	4,247	14,778
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0	15	3	1	34	26	79
	ACRES	54	5,974	1,023	55	696	5,519	13,321
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	1		2	9	16
	ACRES		121	550		64	296	1,031
Southwest	FIRES	19	28	3	3		79	132
	ACRES	1,728	192,284	1,428	45		73,043	268,528
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	41	32	89	17	45	121	345
	ACRES	4,678	5,407	14,174	4,703	7,932	30,237	67,131
Eastern Area	FIRES	29		338	25	829	128	1,349
	ACRES	60,253		42,664	3,783	49,144	39,266	195,110
Southern Area	FIRES	42		136	17	1,401	617	2,213
	ACRES	7,835		65,785	10,168	292,229	539,486	915,503
TOTAL	FIRES	194	162	642	90	2,338	1,397	4,823
	ACRES	81,354	212,998	155,035	20,138	356,039	706,395	1,531,959

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



### Canada Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	1	3	272	11,555
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	52	39,743
ALBERTA	3	1	800	940,462
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	10	19,462	164	335,900
SASKATCHEWAN	0	0	242	339,162
MANITOBA	1	1	197	83,890
ONTARIO	4	0	607	541,079
QUEBEC	4	79	192	10,353
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	28	69
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	66	38
NOVA SCOTIA	1	0	105	104
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	1	1
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	31	61,705
TOTALS	24	19,546	2,757	2,364,060

This report contains information derived from the National Fire and Aviation Management Web Applications (FAMWEB) system and other sources to provide relative information about emerging and ongoing incident activity. This information is considered operational in nature, is subject to correction, and therefore may not match official year to date agency records.

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