

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, November 9, 2011 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (57 new fires)
 New large fires: 0 (*)
 Large fires contained: 2
 Uncontained large fires: ** 0
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Nationally, there are 8 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.

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 32
 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
Minninghaw	MO	MTF	4,700	0	100	---	5	-2	0	1	0	0	60K	FS
West Fork	MO	MTF	290	0	100	---	3	-1	0	1	0	0	20K	FS

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Predictive Services Discussion: High pressure will dominate the western half of the US, keeping conditions generally fair and cool across the region. Gusty winds in passes and lowering relative humidity will occur in southern California. Scattered rain and snow showers will move into the far Northwest ahead of the next storm system. A storm system moving across the upper Mississippi valley will bring showers and thunderstorms to the Great Lakes region with scattered snow to the upper Midwest.

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
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					1		1
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	3						3
	ACRES	0						0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES					31	1	32
	ACRES					347	1	348
Southern Area	FIRES					16	2	18
	ACRES					58	2	60
TOTAL	FIRES	3	0	0	0	51	3	57
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	406	3	409

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	2	27	29	17	429	9	513
	ACRES	8	47,653	36,823	7,790	200,742	3	293,019
Northwest	FIRES	231	278	10	45	577	899	2,040
	ACRES	111,738	145,476	90	1,216	15,071	22,725	296,316
Northern California	FIRES	103	32	6	20	2,232	424	2,817
	ACRES	86	2,631	5	2,180	9,709	8,574	23,185
Southern California	FIRES	26	381	7	49	3,539	530	4,532
	ACRES	225	13,870	4	2,217	55,721	32,303	104,340
Northern Rockies	FIRES	625	77	7	27	546	723	2,005
	ACRES	30,499	56,868	174	1,131	15,843	89,881	194,396
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	33	596	2	24	598	501	1,754
	ACRES	2,269	214,564	26	566	105,844	77,178	400,447
Western Great Basin	FIRES	17	487	13	18	186	81	802
	ACRES	3,343	283,900	778	4	131,252	6,816	426,093
Southwest	FIRES	920	350	14	56	1,046	1,362	3,748
	ACRES	36,187	111,731	5,374	18,452	638,685	1,291,363	2,101,792
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	793	447	33	40	875	519	2,707
	ACRES	25,265	24,251	2,598	2,491	328,242	76,794	459,641
Eastern Area	FIRES	441		33	23	4,811	305	5,613
	ACRES	1,009		3,145	100	58,098	113,397	175,749
Southern Area	FIRES	925		265	87	35,852	1,025	38,154
	ACRES	138,557		121,834	57,165	3,374,084	35,950	3,727,590
TOTAL	FIRES	4,116	2,675	419	406	50,691	6,378	64,685
	ACRES	349,186	900,944	170,851	93,312	4,933,291	1,754,984	8,202,568

Ten Year Average Fires	69,493
Ten Year Average Acres	6,819,028

*** 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	1	6				2	9
	ACRES	45	233				52	330
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						20	20
Southern California	FIRES	0					1	1
	ACRES	10					108	118
Northern Rockies	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						5	5
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		155					155
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						303	303
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		0		0	1	3	4
	ACRES		20		25	0	58	103
Eastern Area	FIRES					1	1	2
	ACRES					5	538	543
Southern Area	FIRES				1	2	2	5
	ACRES				105	680	105	890
TOTAL	FIRES	1	7	0	1	4	11	24
	ACRES	55	408	0	130	685	1,189	2,467

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1	3	13	5	22
	ACRES			20	35	8,548	451	9,054
Northwest	FIRES	20	100	22	1		325	468
	ACRES	7,746	18,731	1,289	42		37,040	64,848
Northern California	FIRES	28	19	28	33		248	356
	ACRES	324	655	22,425	1,048		14,995	39,447
Southern California	FIRES	1	10	15	9	15	105	155
	ACRES	41	756	3,757	1,856	2,260	3,915	12,585
Northern Rockies	FIRES	39	24	68	11	116	327	585
	ACRES	1,321	3,663	11,308	4,777	5,190	36,963	63,222
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0	30	3	7	49	82	171
	ACRES	54	9,217	1,023	853	1,487	19,833	32,467
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6	1	8	2	12	29
	ACRES		569	550	2,574	64	1,821	5,578
Southwest	FIRES	20	30	4	15	2	119	190
	ACRES	4,919	21,511	1,553	4,596	55	90,318	122,952
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	57	43	109	23	62	137	431
	ACRES	7,243	7,575	16,470	7,623	14,710	35,890	89,511
Eastern Area	FIRES	30		368	38	897	155	1,488
	ACRES	60,283		50,400	4,067	53,601	44,409	212,760
Southern Area	FIRES	42		151	24	1,456	702	2,375
	ACRES	7,835		77,474	16,865	307,213	582,467	991,854
TOTAL	FIRES	237	262	770	172	2,612	2,217	6,270
	ACRES	89,766	62,677	186,269	44,336	393,128	868,102	1,644,278

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

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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