# National Interagency Coordination Center Incident Management Situation Report <br> Saturday, July 7, 2012 - 0530 MT <br> National Preparedness Level 4 

## National Fire Activity

| Initial attack activity: | Moderate (279 new fires) |
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| New large fires: | $9\left(^{*}\right)$ |
| Large fires contained: | 13 |
| Uncontained large fires: ** | 38 |
| Area Command Teams committed: | 0 |
| NIMOs committed: | 2 |
| Type 1 IMTs committed: | 4 |
| Type 2 IMTs committed: | 12 |
| ** Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression |  |
| strategy. |  |
| Link to Geographic Area daily reports. |  |

Six MAFFS C-130 aircraft and support personnel have been activated to support wildland fire suppression operations. The MAFFS are from the $302^{\text {nd }}$ Airlift Wing, Colorado Springs (US Air Force Reserve), the $146^{\text {th }}$ Airlift Wing, Channel Islands (California Air National Guard), and the $153^{\text {rd }}$ Airlift Wing, Cheyenne (Wyoming Air National Guard). The aircraft are operating out of Colorado Springs, CO, and Cheyenne, WY.

## Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 4)

New fires: 10
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 9
NIMOs committed: 1
Type 2 IMTs committed: 6

* Ditto, Boise District, BLM. Twelve miles northwest of Mountain Home, ID. Grass. Active fire behavior. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

Fontenelle, Bridger-Teton NF. NIMO (Houseman) and IMT 2 (Ourada). Eighteen miles west of Big Piney, WY. Timber. Moderate fire activity with torching. Structures, power lines, gas and oil wells threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

Seeley, Manti-Lasal NF. IMT 2 (Philbin). Fifteen miles northwest of Huntington, UT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Shingle, Dixie NF. IMT 2 (Rapp). Six miles south of Duck Creek Village, UT. Timber. Backing fire with isolated torching. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Clay Springs, Central Area, Utah DOF. IMT 2 (Walker). Four miles south of Oak City, UT. Timber, brush and grass. Minimal fire activity. Structures, major power lines and gas pipelines threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Quail, Northwest Area, Utah DOF. IMT 2 (Sommer). One mile east of Alpine, UT. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened.

Wolf Den, Vernal District, BLM. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Fillis) back to the local unit will occur today. Forty miles south of Vernal, UT. Pinyon pine, juniper and brush. Creeping and smoldering.

Bear Cub, Bridger-Teton NF. Twenty-two miles east of Moran, WY. Timber. Creeping and smoldering.
Lone Pine, Payette NF. Thirty miles west of Council, ID. Grass. Smoldering.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s}$ | $\%$ <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
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| * Ditto | ID | BOD | 3,500 | --- | 25 | $7 / 7$ | 99 | --- | 0 | 13 | 2 | 8 | 20 K | BLM |
| Fontenelle | WY | BTF | 59,346 | 2,200 | 45 | $7 / 22$ | 886 | 30 | 22 | 32 | 9 | 0 | $6.6 M$ | FS |
| Seeley | UT | MLF | 47,930 | 5,804 | 38 | $7 / 15$ | 647 | -9 | 14 | 20 | 8 | 0 | $5.2 M$ | FS |
| Shingle | UT | DIF | 8,200 | 0 | 40 | $7 / 10$ | 824 | 66 | 24 | 34 | 5 | 2 | $4.2 M$ | FS |
| Clay Springs | UT | SCS | 108,132 | -59 | 81 | $7 / 10$ | 533 | -147 | 12 | 29 | 3 | 1 | $5.3 M$ | ST |
| Quail | UT | NWS | 2,220 | 227 | 65 | UNK | 373 | -11 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1.1 M | ST |
| Wolf Den | UT | VLD | 19,865 | 0 | 85 | $8 / 1$ | 247 | -69 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1.9 M | BLM |
| Bear Cub | WY | BTF | 6,141 | 0 | 3 | UNK | 57 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 110 K | FS |
| Lone Pine | ID | PAF | 2,800 | 1 | 95 | $7 / 7$ | 24 | -8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 275 K | FS |
| Church Camp | UT | NES | 7,211 | 111 | 100 | --- | 290 | -39 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 93 | $5.1 M$ | ST |

NES - Northern Area, Utah DOF

## Rocky Mountain Area (PL 5)

New fires:

## 63

New large fires:
Uncontained large fires:0

NIMOs committed:
1
Type 1 IMTs committed: 3
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Arapaho, Albany County. IMT 1 (Morcom). Twenty-eight miles northeast of Wheatland, WY. Timber. Smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Squirrel Creek, Medicine Bow NF. IMT 1 (Opliger). Three miles west of Woods Landing, WY. Timber. Moderate fire activity. Several communities threatened. Road closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Oil Creek, Wyoming State Forestry. Washington IMT 2 (Thibo). One mile west of Newcastle, WY. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Little Sand, San Juan NF. NIMO (Heaton). Thirteen miles northwest of Pagosa Springs, CO. Timber. Smoldering. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Waldo Canyon, Pike and San Isabel NF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Harvey) back to local unit will occur today. Three miles west of Colorado Springs, CO. Timber, hardwood slash and brush. Creeping and smoldering.

Index Creek, Shoshone NF. Four miles southeast of Cooke City, MT. Timber. Single tree torching, creeping and smoldering. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | \% <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
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| Arapaho | WY | ALX | 97,443 | 2,292 | 65 | UNK | 879 | -172 | 19 | 67 | 3 | 40 | 6.9 M | CNTY |
| Squirrel Creek | WY | MBF | 10,921 | 102 | 75 | $7 / 8$ | 751 | 35 | 21 | 42 | 5 | 5 | $3.3 M$ | FS |
| Oil Creek | WY | CPS | 62,017 | 1,293 | 60 | $7 / 10$ | 789 | 70 | 14 | 83 | 8 | 1 | $3.8 M$ | ST |
| Little Sand | CO | SJF | 24,900 | 0 | N/A | N/A | 103 | -16 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | $7.3 M$ | FS |
| Waldo Canyon | CO | PSF | 18,247 | 0 | 98 | UNK | 335 | -77 | 1 | 14 | 3 | 347 | $15.7 M$ | FS |
| Index Creek | WY | SHF | 220 | 0 | N/A | N/A | 35 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 708 K | FS |
| Weber | CO | SJD | 10,133 | 0 | 100 | --- | 17 | -57 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | $5.8 M$ | BLM |
| White Draw | SD | BKF | 9,000 | 100 | 100 | --- | 260 | -144 | 3 | 26 | 2 | 0 | $2.6 M$ | FS |

SJD - San Juan Field Office, BLM

## Northern Rockies Area (PL 3)

## New fires: <br> 22

New large fires: ..... 0
Uncontained large fires: ..... 7
Type 1 IMTs committed: ..... 1
Type 2 IMTs committed: ..... 2

Southeast Montana Complex (3 fires), Miles City Field Office, BLM. IMT 1 (Poncin) and IMT 2 (Heintz). IMT 2 also managing the Ash Creek fire. Fifty miles southeast of Colstrip, MT. Timber. Moderate fire activity. Numerous structures threatened.

Ash Creek, Northern Cheyenne Agency, BIA. Ten miles east of Lame Deer, MT. Timber, brush and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Pony, Beaverhead/Deerlodge NF. IMT 2 (Kusicko). Ten miles west of Pony, MT. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Residences threatened.

Tidwell, Miles City Field Office, BLM. Started on private land twenty-seven miles east of Decker, MT. Timber, brush and grass. No further information received.

Bad Horse, Crow Agency, BIA. Eight miles east of Crow Agency, MT. Timber. No further information received.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | \% <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
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| Southeast <br> Montana Complex | MT | MCD | 72,680 | 13,626 | 60 | UNK | 477 | 14 | 12 | 27 | 5 | 0 | 1.8 M | BLM |
| Ash Creek | MT | NCA | 248,600 | 0 | 75 | $7 / 9$ | 799 | -12 | 19 | 64 | 4 | 39 | 6.1 M | BIA |


| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | \% <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
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| Pony | MT | BDF | 5,157 | 357 | 75 | $7 / 8$ | 297 | -28 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 7 | 4 M | FS |
| Tidwell | MT | MCD | 6,004 | 0 | 85 | UNK | 24 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 8 K | BLM |
| Bad Horse | MT | CRA | 3,143 | 0 | 90 | $7 / 8$ | 61 | -3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 200 K | BIA |
| Dahl | MT | SOS | 22,045 | 0 | 100 | --- | 62 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 223 | $2.7 M$ | ST |
| Dry Creek | MT | SOS | 1,158 | 0 | 100 | --- | 57 | 31 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 350 K | ST |

SOS - Southern Land Office, Montana DNR

## Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires:
New large fires:
0
Uncontained large fires: 4

Horse Canyon, Lincoln NF. Three miles southeast of Queen, NM. Pinyon pine, juniper and grass. Smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Canyon, Coconino NF. Thirty-five miles south of Winslow, AZ. Hardwood litter. No new information.
Trap Peak, Coronado NF. Five miles southeast of Safford, AZ. Timber. Minimal fire activity.
Pinnacle, Coronado NF. Five miles southeast of Safford, AZ. Timber. Minimal fire activity.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | $\%$ <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Horse Canyon | NM | LNF | 7,287 | 0 | 95 | UNK | 55 | -37 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1.3 M | FS |
| Canyon | AZ | COF | 7,620 | --- | 75 | UNK | 10 | --- | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 575 K | FS |
| Trap Peak | AZ | CNF | 280 | 0 | 25 | $7 / 7$ | 5 | -20 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 85 K | FS |
| Pinnacle | AZ | CNF | 149 | 0 | 40 | $7 / 7$ | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 215 K | FS |
| Black Canyon | AZ | TCA | 18,300 | 0 | 100 | -- | 2 | -65 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 560 K | BIA |
| Mesa Draw | AZ | A3S | 911 | 0 | 100 | --- | 9 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 24 K | ST |

TCA - Truxton Canyon Agency, BIA
A3S - Tucson District, Arizona DOF

## Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:
78
New large fires:
6
Uncontained large fires: 8
Type 2 IMTs committed:
Neighbor Mtn, Shenandoah NP. IMT 2 (Wilder). Three miles northeast of Luray, VA. Hardwood litter. No new information.

Point 2, George Washington and Jefferson NF. Three miles northeast of Seneca Rocks, VA. Hardwood litter and brush. Creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened.

Deer Hammock, Everglades NP. Twenty miles west of Homestead, FL. Southern rough. Minimal fire activity.
Old Jackson Chapel, Georgia Forestry Commission. Four miles south of Cave Springs, GA. Hardwood litter. No new information.

* Dillard, Texas Forest Service, Seven miles east of Wichita Falls, TX. Grass. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened.
* Bee Ridge, Ozark \& St. Francis NF. Five miles northeast of Ozone, AR. Timber. No further information received. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.
* Alligator II, Mississippi Forestry Commission. Five miles east of Poplarville, MS. Timber. No further information received.
* Fall City, Allegheny NF. Six miles southeast of Double Springs, AL. Timber. Moderate fire activity.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | \% <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Neighbor Mtn | VA | SHP | 2,138 | --- | 67 | $7 / 15$ | 234 | --- | 7 | 2 | 2 | 0 | $1.3 M$ | NPS |
| Point 2 | VA | VAF | 1,194 | 0 | 90 | $7 / 14$ | 190 | -6 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1.1 M | FS |
| Deer Hammock | FL | EVP | 1,550 | 50 | 50 | $7 / 9$ | 47 | 20 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 60 K | NPS |
| Old Jackson <br> Chapel | GA | GAS | 125 | --- | 40 | UNK | 11 | --- | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | $15 K$ | ST |
| * Dillard | TX | TXS | 350 | --- | 90 | UNK | 11 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | NR | ST |
| * Bee Ridge | AR | OZF | 200 | --- | 90 | $7 / 7$ | 94 | --- | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 100 K | FS |
| *Alligator II | MS | MSS | 150 | --- | 95 | $7 / 9$ | 7 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 K | ST |
| * Fall City | AL | ALF | 100 | --- | 40 | $7 / 9$ | 6 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $5 K$ | FS |
| Dad | NC | NCF | 21,331 | 0 | 100 | --- | 47 | -35 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | $1.9 M$ | FS |
| Yellowjacket | OK | OKS | 470 | 0 | 100 | --- | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | $4 K$ | ST |
| * Solo Cup | MS | MNF | 237 | --- | 100 | --- | 14 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | $8 K$ | FS |
| * Militia | MS | MNF | 140 | --- | 100 | --- | 6 | --- | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | $5 K$ | FS |
| East 4 Star 2 | OK | TLA | 123 | 0 | 100 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | NR | BIA |

NCF - National Forests in North Carolina OKS - Oklahoma DOF MNF - National Forests in Mississippi TLA - Talihina Agency, BIA

## Western Great Basin Area (PL 2)

New fires: 5
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 2
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Egan, Ely District, BLM. Transition from IMT 2 (Whitcome) back to the local unit will occur today. Thirty-five miles southwest of Ely, NV. Pinyon pine and juniper. Isolated torching and short-range spotting. Structures threatened.

* Boyd, Ely District, BLM. Twenty miles south of Caliente, NV. Brush and grass. Active fire behavior.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | \% <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Egan | NV | ELD | 7,238 | 0 | 80 | $7 / 8$ | 233 | -24 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 0 | $2 M$ | BLM |
| *Boyd | NV | ELD | 1,200 | --- | 20 | $7 / 9$ | 135 | --- | 7 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 100 K | BLM |
| Range | NV | ELD | 4,600 | 0 | 100 | --- | 0 | -215 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | $425 K$ | BLM |

## Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires:
New large fires:
0
Uncontained large fires:
1
Dale, Shasta-Trinity Unit, Cal Fire. Eight miles southwest of Redding, CA. Timber, grass and brush. Torching and smoldering. Numerous structures and threatened.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | \% <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dale | CA | SHU | 1,200 | 200 | 60 | $7 / 7$ | 1,165 | 771 | 35 | 113 | 6 | 2 | 721 K | ST |

## Eastern Area (PL 3)

New fires: 5
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires:
Type 2 IMTs committed:

Low Gap, Mark Twain NF. IMT 2 (Kollmeyer). Four miles east of Sutton Bluff, MO. Hardwood litter. Backing fire with smoldering. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Liberty, Mark Twain NF. Fifteen miles southwest of Taneyville, MO. Hardwood litter. No further information received.

* Martin, Mark Twain NF. Seven miles south of Elkhead, MO. Hardwood slash and brush. Active fire behavior with torching and spotting. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | \% <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Low Gap | MO | MTF | 94 | -6 | 90 | UNK | 103 | 47 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 110 K | FS |
| Liberty | MO | MTF | 1,200 | 0 | 80 | UNK | 55 | 50 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | $5 K$ | FS |
| * Martin | MO | MTF | 1,000 | --- | 50 | UNK | 62 | --- | 1 | 6 | 1 | 0 | $8 K$ | FS |

## Alaska Area (PL 2)

New fires: 2
New large fires: 0
Uncontained large fires: 0

Kungiakrok Creek, Galena Zone, BLM. Started on NPS land thirty miles northeast of Noatak, AK. Tundra and brush. Moderate fire activity. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

| Incident Name | St | Unit | Size | Size <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | $\%$ <br> Ctn | Est <br> Ctn | Totl <br> Pers | Pers <br> Chge <br> $\mathbf{2 4 ~ H r s ~}$ | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc <br> Lost | \$\$ <br> CTD | Origin <br> Own |
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| Kungiakrok Creek | AK | GAD | 5,700 | 200 | N/A | N/A | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | NR | NPS |

## Other Fires

(As of July 6)

| GACC | Fires | Cumulative <br> Acres | Crews | Engines | Helicopters | Total <br> Personnel |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AK | 14 | 88,248 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 208 |
| NW | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NO | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SO | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NR | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EB | 2 | 49,557 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| WB | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SW | 2 | 12,050 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 51 |
| RM | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EA | 5 | 1,040 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 65 |
| SA | 10 | 2,373 | 4 | 13 | 1 | 272 |
| Total | 33 | 178,268 | 12 | 31 | 5 | 690 |

This table does not include fires reported in the large fire section of this report. Updated weekly.

Predictive Services Discussion: A stalled front will sit across the northern Great Basin and central Rockies, then extend to the Ohio Valley and New England. Scattered showers and thunderstorms will develop across the southern and central Rockies and along the front to the East coast. Widely scattered thunderstorms will also form over the high terrain of Idaho and western Montana. Temperatures will soar from the 90s to 110 degrees across the much of the interior West under building high pressure. Hot and humid conditions will continue in the Southeast where scattered thunderstorms will also form in the afternoon. In Alaska, areas of rain will continue over the South while scattered thunderstorms develop in the Interior. The Northwest will remain generally dry.

## http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm



## Today's discussion is from the Fireline Safety Category.

## UNBURNED FUEL BETWEEN YOU AND THE FIRE

It is important for firefighters to recognize unburned fuel between themselves and the fire as Watchout Situation \#11. Often it is not possible or practical for direct attack on a fire. Before attempting indirect attack and any time the firefighter is in a position where there is unburned fuel between them and the fire, the following questions must be addressed immediately:

- Can you see the fire or are you in contact with someone who can? Discuss situations you might find yourself in where you are out in the green and cannot see the fire. What can you do?
- Is fire spread in a direction away from you? Do you consider the potential for fire spread? Are you safe if the wind switches?
- Will your position be defensible when the fire reaches you? Talk about what must be taken into account when building indirect line or approaching a fire through the green.
- Is your line anchored? Discuss how you anchor indirect line.
- Are your escape routes and safety zones adequate? What is adequate?
- Are weather indicators constantly changing?
- To reduce the risks:
- Post lookouts
- Consider a different location. Review situations where you constructed indirect line or approached a fire through the green and how you provided for your safety.


## References:

Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations
Incident Response Pocket Guide

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

| AREA |  | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alaska | FIRES |  |  |  |  | 2 |  | 2 |
|  | ACRES |  |  |  |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 1 | 1 |  |  | 12 |  | 14 |
|  | ACRES | 3 | 1 |  |  | 76 |  | 80 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 2 |  |  |  | 32 | 1 | 35 |
|  | ACRES | 2 |  |  |  | 164 | 0 | 166 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 1 |  |  |  | 16 | 1 | 18 |
|  | ACRES | 4 |  |  |  | 16 | 0 | 20 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 15 |  |  |  | 3 | 4 | 22 |
|  | ACRES | 31 |  |  |  | 4 | 90 | 125 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 1 | 6 |  |  | 3 | 0 | 10 |
|  | ACRES | 0 | 554 |  |  | 1,093 | 5,677 | 7,324 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |  | 3 |  |  | 2 |  | 5 |
|  | ACRES |  | 1,032 |  |  | 0 |  | 1,032 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 4 | 3 |  |  | 5 | 15 | 27 |
|  | ACRES | 10 | 1 |  |  | 40 | 4 | 55 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 13 | 28 |  |  | 12 | 10 | 63 |
|  | ACRES | 3 | 10 |  |  | 14 | 5 | 32 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES |  |  |  |  | 5 |  | 5 |
|  | ACRES |  |  |  |  | 33 |  | 33 |
| Southern Area | FIRES |  |  | 1 |  | 66 | 11 | 78 |
|  | ACRES |  |  | 800 |  | 562 | 470 | 1,832 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 37 | 41 | 1 | 0 | 158 | 42 | 279 |
|  | ACRES | 53 | 1,598 | 800 | 0 | 2,002 | 6,246 | 10,699 |

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA |  | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alaska | FIRES | 1 | 33 | 22 | 18 | 208 | 3 | 285 |
|  | ACRES | 43 | 40,982 | 37,808 | 31,128 | 44,635 | 0 | 154,596 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 64 | 49 | 7 | 7 | 187 | 85 | 399 |
|  | ACRES | 1,596 | 11,401 | 1,033 | 7 | 1,108 | 76 | 15,221 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 50 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 1,337 | 158 | 1,559 |
|  | ACRES | 19 | 41 | 0 | 1 | 4,283 | 104 | 4,448 |
| Southern California | FIRES | 15 | 87 | 4 | 11 | 1,633 | 222 | 1,972 |
|  | ACRES | 16 | 746 | 0 | 15 | 18,048 | 2,572 | 21,397 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 587 | 44 | 12 | 5 | 165 | 109 | 922 |
|  | ACRES | 391,027 | 53,656 | 813 | 620 | 46,874 | 2,129 | 495,119 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES | 25 | 189 |  | 5 | 371 | 102 | 692 |
|  | ACRES | 2,110 | 84,646 |  | 0 | 111,056 | 269,512 | 467,324 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES | 1 | 156 |  | 11 | 85 | 25 | 278 |
|  | ACRES | 0 | 71,666 |  | 1 | 4,363 | 12,049 | 88,079 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 534 | 131 | 11 | 14 | 374 | 468 | 1,532 |
|  | ACRES | 30,007 | 3,472 | 181 | 2,407 | 30,664 | 448,209 | 514,940 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 672 | 196 | 20 | 10 | 713 | 314 | 1,925 |
|  | ACRES | 19,106 | 26,429 | 1,243 | 820 | 145,444 | 121,734 | 314,776 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 668 |  | 41 | 14 | 6,336 | 411 | 7,470 |
|  | ACRES | 1,628 |  | 4,754 | 399 | 67,269 | 8,211 | 82,261 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 262 |  | 30 | 32 | 12,331 | 443 | 13,098 |
|  | ACRES | 32,253 |  | 16,557 | 3,936 | 154,088 | 75,111 | 281,945 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 2,879 | 895 | 149 | 129 | 23,740 | 2,340 | 30,132 |
|  | ACRES | 477,805 | 293,039 | 62,389 | 39,334 | 627,832 | 939,707 | 2,440,106 |


| Ten Year Average Fires | 41,043 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Ten Year Average Acres | $\mathbf{2 , 6 8 1 , 1 6 8}$ |

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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 |  |  | 0 |
|  | ACRES |  |  |  | 21 |  |  | 21 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
|  | ACRES |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| 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 |  |  |  |  |  | 1,802 | 1,802 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
|  | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 1,803 | 1,824 |

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

| AREA |  | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alaska | FIRES |  |  |  | 2 | 10 |  | 12 |
|  | ACRES |  |  |  | 18 | 13,314 |  | 13,332 |
| Northwest | FIRES | 8 | 59 | 16 |  |  | 155 | 238 |
|  | ACRES | 3,502 | 7,000 | 1,370 |  |  | 31,953 | 43,825 |
| Northern California | FIRES | 2 | 13 | 22 | 21 |  | 153 | 211 |
|  | ACRES | 107 | 203 | 22,621 | 151 |  | 13,082 | 36,164 |
| Southern California | FIRES |  | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 159 | 180 |
|  | ACRES |  | 1,521 | 381 | 946 | 1,735 | 4,120 | 8,703 |
| Northern Rockies | FIRES | 16 | 10 | 68 | 4 | 32 | 187 | 317 |
|  | ACRES | 1,797 | 5,320 | 16,495 | 238 | 1,709 | 20,195 | 45,754 |
| Eastern Great Basin | FIRES |  | 15 | 2 | 4 | 21 | 42 | 84 |
|  | ACRES |  | 1,326 | 188 | 269 | 338 | 18,824 | 20,945 |
| Western Great Basin | FIRES |  | 8 | 4 |  | 13 | 4 | 29 |
|  | ACRES |  | 2,261 | 419 |  | 279 | 221 | 3,180 |
| Southwest | FIRES | 31 | 16 | 10 | 15 |  | 130 | 202 |
|  | ACRES | 1,214 | 8,319 | 5,377 | 109 |  | 38,924 | 53,943 |
| Rocky Mountain | FIRES | 23 | 24 | 91 | 21 | 18 | 61 | 238 |
|  | ACRES | 2,025 | 2,987 | 19,979 | 2,492 | 8,377 | 10,819 | 46,679 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 36 |  | 489 | 40 | 922 | 151 | 1,638 |
|  | ACRES | 22,098 |  | 78,506 | 9,054 | 58,352 | 57,523 | 225,533 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 23 |  | 134 | 53 | 8,001 | 891 | 9,102 |
|  | ACRES | 4,783 |  | 57,222 | 37,634 | 451,696 | 858,995 | 1,410,330 |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 139 | 151 | 841 | 165 | 9,022 | 1,933 | 12,251 |
|  | ACRES | 35,526 | 28,937 | 202,558 | 50,911 | 535,800 | 1,054,656 | 1,908,388 |

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## Canada Fires and Hectares

| Provinces | Fires <br> Yesterday | Hectares <br> Yesterday | Fires <br> Year-To-Date | Hectares <br> Year-To-Date |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| British Columbia | 6 | 0 | 317 | 1,792 |
| Yukon Territory | 0 | 0 | 79 | 61,789 |
| Alberta | 9 | 271 | 788 | 14,556 |
| Northwest Territories | 2 | 334 | 94 | 84,287 |
| Saskatchewan | 0 | 0 | 164 | 105,151 |
| Manitoba | 3 | 4,129 | 180 | 24,861 |
| Ontario | 15 | 21 | 578 | 51,145 |
| Quebec | 2 | 0 | 409 | 69,846 |
| Newfoundland | 2 | 0 | 139 | 137,077 |
| New Brunswick | 0 | 0 | 270 | 345 |
| Nova Scotia | 0 | 0 | 276 | 767 |
| Prince Edward Island | 0 | 0 | 5 | 9 |
| National Parks | 0 | 0 | 19 | 68,492 |
| Totals | 39 | 4,755 | 3,318 | 620,116 |

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