

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday, May 28th, 2017 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (53 new fires)
New large incidents:	1
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:**	3
Area Command Teams Committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

**Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	2	210	6	35	2	273
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	3	12,885	16	25	0	392
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	450	0	0	0	0
SWCC	5	34,102	20	42	8	931
RMCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
EACC	1	296	0	4	0	11
SACC	12	247,800	2	102	8	826
Total	23	295,743	44	208	18	2,433

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires:	3
New large incidents:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0
Type 1 IMTs Committed	1

Pinal, Tonto NF. IMT 1 (Day). Six miles south of Globe, AZ. Timber and chaparral. Active fire behavior with uphill runs, wind driven runs and short-range spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Road and area closures in effect.

Snake Ridge, Coconino NF. Previously reported incident. Thirty-four miles southeast of Flagstaff, AZ. Timber, brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Pinal	AZ-TNF	6,424	726	41	Comp	06/15	646	22	13	32	5	0	5.3M	FS
Snake Ridge	AZ-COF	6,026	1,176	0	Comp	06/30	111	28	3	4	1	0	300K	FS

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 11
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 NIMOs committed: 1

West Mims, Okefenokee National Wildlife Refuge. Unified command between Florida IMT 1 (Leneave) and NIMO (Quesinberry). Sixteen miles southeast of Fargo, GA. Timber and southern rough. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Road, area and trail closures in effect.

Little Creek, Florida Forest Service. Five miles east of Lake Hart, FL. Hardwood litter and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with flanking and backing.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
West Mims	GA-OKR	152,515	0	65	Comp	11/01	636	-141	1	61	5	4	41.6M	FWS
Little Creek	FL-FLS	175	16	95	Ctn	UNK	7	0	0	1	0	0	15K	FS

Northwest Area (PL 1)

New fires: 1
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Cougar Butte**, Deschutes NF, FS. Fourteen miles west Bend, OR. Brush and timber. Moderate fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened. Road, are and trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Cougar Butte	OR-DEF	170	---	40	Ctn	05/29	139	---	4	5	2	0	65K	FS

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 1
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Schaghticoke, Connecticut Division of Forestry. Two miles southwest of Kent, CT. Timber. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Schaghticoke	CT-CTS	147	---	0	Ctn	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	25K	ST

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	145	145
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	1	0	8	5	14
	ACRES	0	0	70	0	1	1	72
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	11	0	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	4	0	0	4	0	8
	ACRES	0	169	0	0	17	0	186
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	2	3
	ACRES	0	150	0	0	0	1,630	1,780
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	929	0	929
TOTAL FIRES:		0	5	1	0	38	9	53
TOTAL ACRES:		0	319	70	0	953	1,778	3,120

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	38	0	0	71	4	113
	ACRES	0	2,108	0	0	180	1	2,289
Northwest Area	FIRES	1	5	1	0	31	23	61
	ACRES	1	0	1	0	93	182	277
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	1	1	1	266	29	298
	ACRES	0	401	70	1	277	14	763
Southern California Area	FIRES	4	17	0	4	904	62	991
	ACRES	8	234	0	3	21,514	320	22,079
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	255	9	3	0	97	11	375
	ACRES	844	42	231	0	539	5	1,661
Great Basin Area	FIRES	6	63	0	6	97	8	180
	ACRES	3	702	0	4	686	3	1,398
Southwest Area	FIRES	295	99	5	12	317	188	916
	ACRES	7,882	13,566	53	1,176	67,580	51,281	141,538
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	117	33	6	2	221	47	426
	ACRES	2,002	190	199	58	467,694	1,992	472,135
Eastern Area	FIRES	338	0	10	14	2,114	235	2,711
	ACRES	695	0	19	129	8,480	3,062	12,385
Southern Area	FIRES	255	8	29	26	17,389	300	18,007
	ACRES	60,250	36	151,304	53,054	1,258,461	24,363	1,547,468
TOTAL FIRES:		1,271	273	55	65	21,507	907	24,078
TOTAL ACRES:		71,685	17,279	151,877	54,425	1,825,504	81,223	2,201,993

Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)	25,644
Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)	1,094,780

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	35	35
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	93	93
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	17	1	18
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	213	2,634	2,847
TOTAL FIRES:		0	0	0	0	17	3	20
TOTAL ACRES:		0	0	0	0	213	2,762	2,975

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	6	1	7
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	64,850	100	64,950
Northwest Area	FIRES	2	15	3	1	0	45	66
	ACRES	778	1,685	4,701	38	0	6,862	14,064
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	5	6	9	0	76	96
	ACRES	0	654	239	255	0	8,341	9,489
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	3	3	2	0	144	152
	ACRES	0	62	137	424	0	3,240	3,863
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	6	15	37	6	9	71	144
	ACRES	442	6,705	17,849	752	506	5,609	31,863
Great Basin Area	FIRES	3	18	5	6	25	55	112
	ACRES	24	1,628	933	43	781	8,844	12,253
Southwest Area	FIRES	20	32	2	4	4	76	138
	ACRES	2,851	46,871	4,894	844	244	46,689	102,393
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	11	28	27	10	66	70	212
	ACRES	498	2,803	11,717	2,370	2,661	37,935	57,984
Eastern Area	FIRES	51	0	164	22	1,108	171	1,516
	ACRES	26,679	0	25,739	6,148	87,040	64,565	210,171
Southern Area	FIRES	44	0	118	28	53,282	660	54,132
	ACRES	6,574	0	89,476	133,644	1,394,537	606,819	2,231,050
TOTAL FIRES:		137	116	365	88	54,500	1,369	56,575
TOTAL ACRES:		37,846	60,408	155,685	144,518	1,550,619	789,004	2,738,080

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. ***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	0	0	83	143
YUKON TERRITORY	1	0	8	4
ALBERTA	4	2	353	797
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	4	1
SASKATCHEWAN	3	0	80	385
MANITOBA	0	0	45	732
ONTARIO	0	0	71	53
QUEBEC	2	0	48	250
NEWFOUNDLAND	1	3	17	21
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	38	23
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	121	712
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	2	7
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	15	159
TOTALS	11	6	885	3,286

* 1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: Warm and dry conditions will continue over the West as a strong ridge of high pressure remains in place. Isolated storms will be possible along the mountain crests of the Pacific Northwest, Northern Rockies, and Great basin in the afternoon. The Sierras in northern California can also expect to see afternoon convection as well. While hot and dry conditions are expected across the desert southwest, the Great Plains will experience cool and breezy conditions in the wake of the previous day's front. Much of the East can expect to see shower and storm activity as a strong cold front begins to push east of the Mississippi River by afternoon. In Alaska, the same high pressure system located over the West will extend north through the state's interior producing warm and dry conditions. Coastal areas along the northern Gulf of Alaska coast will remain under a wet and cool pattern.

<https://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



UNFAMILIAR WITH WEATHER AND LOCAL FACTORS INFLUENCING FIRE BEHAVIOR

Weather / Fire Behavior Category

- Ask questions of local experts! What kinds of questions would you ask?
- Does the operational period plan give you adequate weather and information? What kinds of weather forecasts can you get? What other weather or local information do you look for in the shift plan?
- Can you get information from resources that have been on the fire? What questions will you ask of the crew that you are replacing?
- Is there any other way to obtain information? List common sources of information on weather and local factors (Examples: Web based weather Activity Planner, Point Forecast Matrix, NOAA Internet Briefing)
- To reduce risks:
 - Base all actions on current and expected fire behavior.
 - Post lookouts.
 - Establish escape routes and safety zones.
 - Take extra caution! Discuss a fire where you relied on information from the local unit (perhaps where your fire knowledge and experience was very different from how they did things—southeast or Alaska).
 - Recognize and report visual indicators (clouds, WX obs., cold front passage, inversion breaking)

References:

Incident Response Pocket Guide

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.

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