

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday, October 1, 2017 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 3**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (36) new fires
 New large incidents: 1
 Large fires contained: 1
 Uncontained large fires:** 10
 Area Command teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 3
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 9

**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	17	672,001	32	86	10	2,077
ONCC	9	224,103	46	94	10	1,733
OSCC	5	10,095	32	47	8	1,218
NRCC	8	327,874	4	21	2	446
GBCC	1	348	1	2	0	32
SWCC	4	5,562	1	1	0	40
RMCC	3	10,725	0	0	0	6
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	2	310	0	2	0	10
Total	49	1,251,020	116	253	30	5,562

Northwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 3
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 7
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Eagle Creek, Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area. IMT 2 (Harrod). One mile south of Cascade Locks, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Chetco Bar, Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 1 (Schulte). Sixteen miles west of Selma, OR. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

High Cascades Complex, (2 fires), Rogue River - Siskiyou NF. IMT 2 (Johnson). Nine miles northeast of Prospect, OR. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Jones, Willamette NF. Ten miles northeast of Lowell, OR. Timber and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Area closures in effect.

Desolation, Ochoco NF. Twenty miles northeast of Prineville, OR. Timber and brush. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

* **Whitehall**, Washington State Fire Marshall's Office. Fifteen miles southwest of Coulee, WA. Brush and tall grass. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs. Residences threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Eagle Creek	OR-CGF	48,831	0	46	Ctn	11/30	229	0	4	4	1	4	16.7M	FS
Chetco Bar	OR-RSF	191,090	0	97	Ctn	10/15	359	-43	5	9	3	30	66.8M	FS
High Cascades Complex	OR-RSF	27,460	-52,737	34	Comp	10/15	290	-172	5	5	1	1	29.2M	FS
Jones	OR-WIF	10,114	0	91	Ctn	10/14	204	22	4	5	1	1	20.8M	FS
Desolation	OR-OCF	4,512	---	30	Ctn	10/14	14	---	0	0	0	0	1.3M	FS
* Whitehall	WA-WFS	2,500	---	0	Ctn	10/02	119	---	1	27	0	0	100K	ST

Southern Area (PL 5)

New fires: 1
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0
 Type 1 IMTs Committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs Committed: 6

Hurricane Maria Puerto Rico, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). IMT 1 (McGowan) has been tasked with establishment of an incident support base for the receipt and distribution of commodities, supplies and resources. IMT 2 (Zombro) is coordinating with other agencies to plan and prioritize emergency road clearing. FDNY IMT 2 (Kane) has been tasked with assessment of damage to critical infrastructure including roads, water systems and communications.

Hurricane Maria U.S Virgin Islands, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). IMT 2 (Bird) has mobilized to St. Croix and is managing a logistical staging area for incoming responders while preparing for FEMA operations. IMT 2 (Parrish) has mobilized to St. Thomas and is supporting the receiving and distribution of emergency commodities to aid in the relief efforts.

Hurricane Harvey, Texas A&M Forest Service. Texas IMT 2 (Hanneman) has mobilized to College Station, TX to support recovery and mitigation efforts, surveying impacts on local fire departments and distributing donated fire equipment.

Hurricane Irma Recovery – South Florida Parks, National Park Service. IMT 2 (Foust) is overseeing site assessment, debris cleanup and emergency stabilization within national parks in Florida, Georgia and South Carolina.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Hurricane Maria Puerto Rico	PR-FEM	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	206	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FEM

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Hurricane Maria U.S. Virgin Islands	PR-FEM	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	46	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FEM
Hurricane Harvey	TX-TXS	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	74	0	11	0	0	0	NR	ST
Hurricane Irma Recovery South Florida Parks	FL-EVP	N/A	---	N/A	N/A	---	270	---	9	0	1	0	2.3M	NPS

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 19
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 2
Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

Canyon, Orange County Fire Department. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Estes). Five miles southwest of Corona, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened.

Rucker, Santa Barbara County. Two miles northeast of Lompoc, CA. Brush and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened. Road, trail and area closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Canyon	CA-ORC	2,662	0	90	Ctn	10/01	553	-372	10	29	0	0	10.5M	C&L
Rucker	CA-SBC	441	-44	80	Ctn	10/01	511	-21	16	15	5	0	686K	CNTY

Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 9
New large incidents: 0
Uncontained large fires: 1

Soda, Butte Unit, Cal Fire. Fourteen miles northeast of Forest Ranch, CA. Timber litter and understory. Minimal fire behavior.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Soda	CA-BTU	143	0	60	Ctn	10/02	533	77	22	39	0	0	650K	ST

Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)

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

Rice Ridge, Lolo NF. IMT 2 (Hutton). Six miles north of Seeley Lake, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures in effect. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Rice Ridge	MT-LNF	160,187	0	89	Comp	10/15	144	-49	1	3	0	1	48.8M	FS

Great Basin Area (PL 1)

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

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Advent Gulch	ID-PAF	348	0	100	Ctn	---	32	-48	1	2	0	0	300K	FS

PAF – Payette NF

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

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	3	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	8	1	9
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	45	1,983	2,028
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	18	1	19
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	27	50	77
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	17	0	17
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	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	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	16	16
TOTAL FIRES:		1	0	0	0	31	4	36
TOTAL ACRES:		0	0	0	0	89	2,055	2,144

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

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	171	0	0	176	13	360
	ACRES	0	571,516	0	0	81,348	1	652,865
Northwest Area	FIRES	185	229	37	28	1,455	1,280	3,214
	ACRES	11,915	213,073	20,980	5,358	38,680	511,519	801,525
Northern California Area	FIRES	80	74	5	16	2,605	896	3,676
	ACRES	118	39,891	70	38	36,597	334,667	411,381
Southern California Area	FIRES	162	69	2	44	3,352	464	4,093
	ACRES	641	36,532	0	10,992	215,774	95,774	359,713
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	648	97	19	29	1,560	685	3,038
	ACRES	57,339	377,312	1,223	21,568	237,873	724,109	1,419,424
Great Basin Area	FIRES	36	1,016	4	37	899	448	2,440
	ACRES	56,329	1,257,474	2	38	448,622	216,639	1,979,104
Southwest Area	FIRES	716	232	19	42	715	990	2,714
	ACRES	46,667	23,398	1,027	1,389	114,114	359,678	546,273
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	718	348	8	24	1,002	391	2,491
	ACRES	9,867	54,095	354	259	563,115	13,513	641,203
Eastern Area	FIRES	344	0	13	14	3,368	302	4,041
	ACRES	696	0	19	129	17,014	3,100	20,958
Southern Area	FIRES	303	472	47	27	22,226	384	23,459
	ACRES	43,463	6,546	154,024	54,654	1,347,535	26,216	1,632,438
TOTAL FIRES:		3,192	2,708	154	261	37,358	5,853	49,526
TOTAL ACRES:		227,035	2,579,837	177,699	94,425	3,100,672	2,285,216	8,464,884

Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)	55,144
Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)	5,921,880

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	1	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	60	0	0	0	60
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	30	30
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	2,200	0	0	0	1	2,201
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	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL FIRES:		0	0	1	0	0	0	1
TOTAL ACRES:		0	2,200	60	0	0	31	2,291

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	2	8
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	64,850	100	64,950
Northwest Area	FIRES	7	11	9	2	2	81	112
	ACRES	1,799	1,336	5,207	39	10	12,800	21,191
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	5	6	13	0	91	116
	ACRES	20	654	239	396	0	9,940	11,249
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	3	5	5	0	153	166
	ACRES	0	62	464	768	0	4,321	5,615
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	6	13	42	6	11	97	175
	ACRES	462	3,820	18,690	752	514	6,503	30,741
Great Basin Area	FIRES	3	18	5	8	30	72	136
	ACRES	27	7,828	933	3,113	799	13,243	25,943
Southwest Area	FIRES	23	33	4	5	5	135	205
	ACRES	3,796	46,871	4,952	1,639	6,105	71,650	135,013
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	25	34	37	10	80	94	280
	ACRES	1,116	2,963	18,305	2,370	3,269	38,389	66,412
Eastern Area	FIRES	51	0	170	22	1,264	186	1,693
	ACRES	26,679	0	26,117	6,148	96,872	65,231	221,047
Southern Area	FIRES	48	0	123	28	66,387	684	67,270
	ACRES	6,894	0	94,960	133,644	1,532,560	643,430	2,411,488
TOTAL FIRES:		164	117	401	99	67,785	1,595	70,161
TOTAL ACRES:		40,793	63,534	169,867	148,869	1,704,979	865,607	2,993,649

*** 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/>

Predictive Services Discussion: Cool and wet conditions will continue across the northwestern states as the low pressure area continues to slowly move east along the Canadian border. Periods of valley rain and mountain snow are expected, especially across Montana. The dry, breezy westerly flow will continue across California and the Southwest. Pockets of critical fire weather conditions are expected near the Four Corners. Scattered showers and strong storms will be possible across the Great Plains. The East Coast will remain mostly warm and dry as high pressure lingers over the Tennessee River Valley. Areas of rain and storms will be possible across central and southern Florida as a low pressure area moves toward the west in to the Gulf of Mexico north of Cuba.

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



NFDRS PocketCards

Weather/Fire Behavior Category

The NFDRS PocketCard is a tool for field personnel to locally track outputs of the National Fire Danger Rating System (NFDRS) throughout the fire season. It is based on current and historical weather for a localized area and the area's historic fire occurrence. The PocketCard displays a general assessment of the fire potential and identifies combinations of local weather and fuel conditions that might contribute to severe fire behavior.

The PocketCard provides:

- A general indicator of the potential fire danger for a given rating or protection area.
- A graph showing the trend and status of the current year's fire season.
- A comparison of current year conditions to historical worst and average conditions.
- Fire danger values related to past large or problem fires.
- Critical local thresholds for temperature, humidity, wind speed, and fuel moistures associated with large or problem fires.

Discuss the following ways to use the PocketCard:

- Use it primarily before fires occur, before arriving to a fire. It is also useful during initial fire size-up, initial attack, and extended attack.
- Use it to learn of critical thresholds that predict the potential for extreme fire behavior for the local area. Be aware that local critical thresholds may be occurring earlier in the season.
- Use it to compare current and predicted local fire danger to historical local fire danger to enhance situational awareness.
- Use it to track daily fire danger indices that gauge the potential for weather and fuels to support extreme fire behavior and of the difficulty of control.
- Use it to supplement local experience.
- Use it as a point of reference for firefighters not familiar with the area represented by the card.
- When you receive a fire assignment outside your local area, visit the National PocketCard website at <http://fam.nwcg.gov/fam-web/pocketcards/default.htm> where PocketCards are filed by Geographic Area.
- Put it in the pocket of all your firefighters and keep one in your fire vehicle.
- Post it in dispatch. Use them in briefings. Provide them to incoming crews.
- **Do not use the PocketCard for site specific fire behavior predictions and fireline actions or without an interpretive briefing.**
- Review definitions and implications of ERC and BI values.

References: NFDRS Pocket Cards, NWCG, <http://fam.nwcg.gov/fam-web/pocketcards/default.htm>

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