

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, May 19, 2021– 0730 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity:

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| Initial attack activity: | Light (136 fires) |
| New large incidents: | 7 |
| Large fires contained: | 1 |
| Uncontained large fires: *** | 11 |
| Area Command teams committed: | 0 |
| NIMOs committed: | 0 |
| Type 1 IMTs committed: | 0 |
| Type 2 IMTs committed: | 0 |

Nationally, there are 4 fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

***Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

[Link](#) to Understanding the IMSR.

This report will be posted Monday – Friday at 0730 Mountain time unless significant activity occurs.

| Active Incident Resource Summary | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| GACC | Incidents | Cumulative Acres | Crews | Engines | Helicopters | Total Personnel | Change in Personnel |
| AICC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NWCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ONCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| OSCC | 2 | 1,600 | 17 | 59 | 0 | 624 | 142 |
| NRCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GBCC | 3 | 2,529 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 118 | 52 |
| SWCC | 7 | 16,356 | 13 | 21 | 7 | 482 | -244 |
| RMCC | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EACC | 5 | 1,702 | 0 | 14 | 2 | 209 | 74 |
| SACC | 7 | 3,147 | 0 | 31 | 1 | 199 | -7 |
| Total | 24 | 25,334 | 33 | 135 | 10 | 1,632 | 17 |

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 4
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 4

Tussock, Phoenix District Office, BLM. Eight miles southwest of Crown King, AZ. Brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering and creeping. Communication infrastructure threatened. Area, road and trail closures in effect.

Three Rivers, Lincoln NF, USFS. Twelve miles northwest of Ruidoso, NM. Short grass and timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Numerous structures threatened. Area and trail closures in effect. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Warsaw, Coronado NF, USFS. Twenty miles northwest of Nogales, AZ. Short grass and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

* **Cuervito**, Santa Fe NF, USFS. Ten miles east of Pecos, NM. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

| Incident Name | Unit | Size | | % | Ctn/Comp | Est | Personnel | | Resources | | | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|--|--------|-------|------|----|----------|------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| | | Acres | Chge | | | | Total | Chge | Crw | Eng | Heli | | | |
| Tussock | AZ-PHD | 5,546 | 0 | 94 | Ctn | 5/20 | 62 | -168 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 6.5M | BLM |
| Three Rivers | NM-LNF | 5,973 | -298 | 92 | Ctn | 7/4 | 25 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4.2M | FS |
| Warsaw | AZ-CNF | 950 | -260 | 60 | Ctn | 5/21 | 129 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 150K | FS |
| * Cuervito | NM-SNF | 1,300 | --- | 68 | Ctn | 5/25 | 99 | --- | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 700K | FS |
| Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Doagy | NM-GNF | 2,300 | 300 | 10 | Comp | 5/29 | 116 | 48 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 193K | FS |

GNF – Gila NF, USFS

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 24
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2

Palisades, Los Angeles Fire Department. Six miles northwest of Santa Monica, CA. Brush and chaparral. Moderate fire behavior with spotting, creeping and backing. Numerous structures threatened. Trail closures in effect. Evacuations have been lifted. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Pine, Los Angeles County Fire Department. Thirty miles southeast of Palmdale, CA. Brush and grass. 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 | | | |
| Palisades | CA-LFD | 1,158 | -167 | 47 | Ctn | 5/26 | 596 | 142 | 15 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 4.8M | CNTY |
| Pine | CA-LAC | 442 | --- | 95 | Ctn | UNK | 28 | --- | 0 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 2.2M | CNTY |

Eastern Area (PL 3)

New fires: 22
 New large incidents: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 3

* **Ballanger**, New Jersey Forest Fire Service. One mile southwest of Little Egg Harbor, NJ. Timber. Active fire behavior. Numerous residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

East Mountain, Massachusetts Bureau of Forest Fire Control. Two miles northeast of Williamstown, MA. Hardwood litter. Active fire behavior with backing and creeping.

Godfrey, Minnesota DNR. Sixteen miles southeast of Crookston, MN. Tall grass, brush and timber. No new information.

| Incident Name | Unit | Size | | % | Ctn/Comp | Est | Personnel | | Resources | | | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|--------|-------|------|-----|----------|------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| | | Acres | Chge | | | | Total | Chge | Crw | Eng | Heli | | | |
| * Ballanger | NJ-NJS | 617 | --- | 0 | Ctn | UNK | 0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 76K | ST |
| East Mountain | MA-MAS | 947 | 157 | 75 | Ctn | 5/21 | 153 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 50K | ST |
| Godfrey | MN-MNS | 800 | --- | 50 | Ctn | 5/21 | 40 | --- | 0 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 50K | ST |
| * Turkey Hill | NJ-NJS | 407 | --- | 100 | Ctn | --- | 6 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 29K | ST |

Great Basin Area (PL 1)

New fires: 7
 New large incidents: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 2

* **Cherrywood**, Nevada National Security Site, DOE. Twenty miles northeast of Beatty, NV. Grass, brush and timber. Active fire behavior with wind-driven runs, backing and isolated torching. Structures and communication infrastructure threatened.

* **Four Mile**, Payette NF, USFS. Ten miles southwest of Yellow Pine, ID. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with creeping and smoldering.

| Incident Name | Unit | Size | | % | Ctn/Comp | Est | Personnel | | Resources | | | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|--------|-------|------|----|----------|------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| | | Acres | Chge | | | | Total | Chge | Crw | Eng | Heli | | | |
| * Cherrywood | NV-NTE | 1,700 | --- | 0 | Ctn | 5/23 | 47 | --- | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 30K | DOE |
| * Four Mile | ID-PAF | 803 | --- | 95 | Ctn | 6/6 | 5 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16K | FS |

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 40
 New large incidents: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 0

* **Agricola RD 2**, Florida Forest Service. Five miles southeast of Mulberry, FL. Tall Grass. Extreme fire behavior. Structures threatened. Last narrative report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Weeping Willow**, Florida Forest Service. Four miles south of Brewster, FL. Tall Grass. Active fire behavior. Last narrative 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 | | | |
| Large Fires Being Managed with a Strategy Other Than Full Suppression Without a Type 1 or 2 IMT Assigned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| * Agricola RD 2 | FL-FLS | 300 | --- | 60 | Comp | 5/19 | 8 | --- | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3K | ST |

| Incident Name | Unit | Size | | % | Ctn/ Comp | Est | Personnel | | Resources | | | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------------|--------|-------|------|----|--------------|------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| | | Acres | Chge | | | | Total | Chge | Crw | Eng | Heli | | | |
| * Weeping Willow | FL-FLS | 1,800 | --- | 60 | Comp | 5/19 | 7 | --- | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1K | ST |
| Oscar Ashton | FL-FLS | 693 | 143 | 90 | Comp | 5/21 | 26 | -8 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 46K | ST |

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

| Area | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|--------------------------|-------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Alaska Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northwest Area | FIRES | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 9 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 6 |
| Northern California Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 5 | 19 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Southern California Area | FIRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 24 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 30 |
| Northern Rockies Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 60 | 81 |
| Great Basin Area | FIRES | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 7 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1,703 | 803 | 2,510 |
| Southwest Area | FIRES | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 302 | 352 |
| Rocky Mountain Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 3 | 22 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 391 | 2 | 393 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 38 | 2 | 40 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2,278 | 3 | 2,281 |
| TOTAL FIRES: | | 3 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 108 | 18 | 136 |
| TOTAL ACRES: | | 0 | 32 | 0 | 50 | 4,403 | 1,172 | 5,658 |

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

| Area | | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|--------------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| Alaska Area | FIRES | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 70 | 6 | 83 |
| | ACRES | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 3 | 54 |
| Northwest Area | FIRES | 43 | 43 | 8 | 0 | 432 | 37 | 563 |
| | ACRES | 200 | 172 | 9 | 0 | 3,024 | 1,480 | 4,887 |
| Northern California Area | FIRES | 2 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 943 | 115 | 1,071 |
| | ACRES | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2,737 | 220 | 2,960 |
| Southern California Area | FIRES | 6 | 40 | 1 | 4 | 1,245 | 137 | 1,433 |
| | ACRES | 25 | 2,966 | 1 | 7 | 8,026 | 1,405 | 12,430 |
| Northern Rockies Area | FIRES | 582 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 387 | 100 | 1,080 |
| | ACRES | 31,700 | 79 | 35 | 20 | 16,970 | 19,434 | 68,238 |
| Great Basin Area | FIRES | 12 | 125 | 1 | 5 | 200 | 36 | 379 |
| | ACRES | 2,301 | 7,417 | 0 | 4 | 7,638 | 979 | 18,340 |
| Southwest Area | FIRES | 249 | 63 | 5 | 8 | 200 | 216 | 741 |
| | ACRES | 11,252 | 7,643 | 0 | 1,421 | 9,173 | 15,940 | 45,430 |
| Rocky Mountain Area | FIRES | 61 | 18 | 4 | 4 | 138 | 31 | 256 |
| | ACRES | 2,141 | 37 | 1,256 | 307 | 70,551 | 2,778 | 77,071 |
| Eastern Area | FIRES | 343 | 0 | 18 | 9 | 5,123 | 284 | 5,777 |
| | ACRES | 12,318 | 0 | 13,273 | 536 | 24,177 | 14,674 | 64,978 |
| Southern Area | FIRES | 369 | 0 | 46 | 26 | 9,836 | 332 | 10,609 |
| | ACRES | 28,682 | 0 | 10,338 | 6,298 | 205,053 | 25,486 | 275,859 |
| TOTAL FIRES: | | 1,667 | 311 | 85 | 61 | 18,574 | 1,294 | 21,992 |
| TOTAL ACRES: | | 88,622 | 18,315 | 24,913 | 8,593 | 347,400 | 82,403 | 570,249 |

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|---|------------------|
| Ten Year Average Fires (2011 – 2020 as of today) | 19,723 |
| Ten Year Average Acres (2011 – 2020 as of today) | 1,005,865 |

***Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.

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

Canadian Fires and Hectares

| PROVINCES | FIRES YESTERDAY | HECTARES YESTERDAY | FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE | HECTARES YEAR-TO- DATE |
|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| BRITISH COLUMBIA | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| YUKON TERRITORY | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| ALBERTA | 0 | 0 | 314 | 12,997 |
| NORTHWEST TERRITORY | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SASKATCHEWAN | 1 | 2 | 112 | 5,592 |
| MANITOBA | 0 | 4 | 63 | 27,570 |
| ONTARIO | 2 | 9 | 101 | 1,475 |
| QUEBEC | 0 | 3 | 190 | 137 |
| NEWFOUNDLAND | 0 | 0 | 13 | 3 |
| NEW BRUNSWICK | 0 | 0 | 87 | 172 |
| NOVA SCOTIA | 0 | 3 | 64 | 61 |
| PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| NATIONAL PARKS | 0 | 2 | 6 | 40 |
| TOTALS | 3 | 23 | 954 | 48,049 |

*1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: An upper low moves into the Pacific Northwest today with precipitation, including mountain snow in western Montana, expected across the northern Rockies. Light precipitation along and west of the Cascades and throughout much of the Rockies is likely with precipitation possibly developing in northwest portions of the Great Basin as well. Much of the central US has chances for precipitation with heavy rain likely again in south and east Texas. Elevated to critical fire weather conditions are expected across the southern Great Basin into northern Arizona ahead of a cold front. Gusty winds are likely along the Sierra Front and through the central Great Basin as well. Chances for showers and isolated wet thunderstorms continue for interior Alaska.

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



Extended Attack

Operational Engagement Category

After the initial size-up of the fire and/or transfer of command from an initial attack Incident Commander (IC), task yourself with answering the following questions. Repeat this analysis whenever there is a change, or predicted change, in fire conditions.

- Do you have a current fire weather forecast for the fire location?
- Is the observed fire weather consistent with the forecast?
- Have you established a new organizational structure and communicated it to the assigned resources and support functions associated with the fire?
- Can you control the fire with the resources available (either on the incident or en route) under expected conditions?
- Have you developed a plan to attack the fire?
 - Direct or indirect
 - Anchor points
 - Escape routes
 - Safety zones
 - Head or flank attack
 - Priority areas
- Have you communicated the plan to all personnel assigned to the incident, including new arrivals?
- Can you see the entire fire area? Do you have lookouts posted?
- Can you communicate with everyone on the fire and with dispatch?
- Are escape routes established?
 - If you are using the black, is it completely burned and without reburn potential?
- Are safety guidelines and the Standard Firefighting Orders being followed and/or mitigated?
- Will you contain the fire before the next operational period?
- Have you reported the status of the fire to dispatch?
- Do you have a complete list of resources that have been ordered?

Resources:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide \(IRPG\), PMS 461](#)
[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations \(Red Book\)](#)
[10 Standard Firefighting Orders, PMS 110](#)
[18 Watch Out Situations, PMS 118](#)
[10 and 18 Poster, PMS 110-18](#)

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