

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Sunday, June 22, 2008 – 0800 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 3**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Heavy (776 new fires)  
 New large fires: 5 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 18  
 Area Command Teams committed: 1  
 NIMOs committed: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 9  
 Fire Use Teams committed: 1

\*\* Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. \*\*

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

**Northern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 602  
 New large fires: 4  
 Uncontained large fires: 5  
 Area Command Teams committed: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 3

Area Command Team (Zimmerman) has been ordered.

**Lime Complex**, Shasta-Trinity NF. IMT 2 (Kaage). IMT 1 (Opliger) ordered. Fourteen miles west of Hayfork, CA. Timber. Fuel-driven fire activity. Residences and a lookout tower threatened.

**Iron Complex**, Shasta-Trinity NF. IMT 2 (Swartzlander). Six miles west of Weaverville, CA. Timber. Moderate to extreme fire behavior. Residences threatened.

**Siskiyou Complex**, Klamath NF. IMT 2 (Paul). Eighteen miles southwest of Happy Camp, CA. Conifer and hardwood overstory with heavy timber litter. Active backing fire with rapid uphill runs. Historical and cultural resources threatened.

**Wild**, Sonoma-Lake Napa Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Morris). Five miles east of Napa, CA. Brush. Rapid rates of spread with spotting. Evacuations in effect.

**Trabing**, San Mateo-Santa Cruz Unit, Cal Fire. Previously reported contained fire. Four miles northwest of Watsonville, CA. Eucalyptus, chaparral and grass. Minimal fire activity.

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
* Lime Complex	CA	SHF	1,000	---	0	UNK	466	---	11	9	2	0	50K	FS

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
* Iron complex	CA	SHF	150	---	5	9/1	175	---	5	0	0	0	NR	FS
* Siskiyou Complex	CA	KNF	90	---	0	6/30	68	---	1	2	1	0	22K	FS
* Wild	CA	LNU	3,000	---	10	UNK	82	---	3	43	0	2	NR	ST
Trabing	CA	CZU	630	130	90	6/22	645	0	12	90	1	10	NR	ST

### **Southern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 66  
New large fires: 1  
Uncontained large fires: 2  
Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1  
Fire Use Teams committed: 1

**Indians**, Los Padres NF. IMT 1 (Molumby). Eighteen miles west of King City, CA. Timber, chaparral and grass. Moderate fire behavior with backing, torching and slope-driven runs. Residences and cultural resources threatened.

**Clover - WFU**, Sequoia NF. Transfer of command from FUMT (Beckman) to IMT 2 (Johnson) today. Thirty-two miles north of Weldon, CA. Timber and brush. Low intensity fire behavior with single tree torching and short-range spotting.

**Brown**, San Benito-Monterey Unit, Cal Fire. Fourteen miles southeast of Hollister, CA. Short grass. High rates of spread.

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
Indians	CA	LPF	52,200	1,880	55	UNK	2,583	70	72	118	14	15	27.6M	FS
Clover – WFU	CA	SQF	3,898	548	N/A	N/A	289	124	8	0	3	0	1.5M	FS
* Brown	CA	BEU	3,000	---	0	UNK	70	---	1	10	0	0	2.5K	ST

### **Southwest Area (PL 4)**

New fires: 29  
New large fires: 0  
Uncontained large fires: 3  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

**Rocky**, Lincoln NF. IMT 2 (Cowie). Thirty-five miles west of Carlsbad, NM. Pinyon pine, juniper and grass. Low to moderate fire behavior. Structures and gas wells threatened.

**West Fork**, Cimarron District, New Mexico State Forestry. IMT 2 (Reinarz). Twenty-eight miles west of Raton, NM. Mixed conifer and juniper with oak understory. Minimal fire activity. Structures and natural gas pipeline threatened.

**Bonney**, Capitan District, New Mexico State Forestry. Thirty-one miles west of Roswell, NM. Pinyon pine, juniper and grass. Creeping, smoldering with occasional torching. Residence threatened.

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
Rocky	NM	LNF	43,047	2,114	35	6/25	233	3	6	8	3	0	968K	FS
West Fork	NM	N2S	4,280	480	20	UNK	242	-14	6	23	3	0	1.15M	ST
Bonney	NM	N5S	25,329	11,014	40	UNK	305	84	11	21	0	0	NR	BLM

**Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 39  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 7  
 NIMOs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 3

**Evans Road**, North Carolina Division of Forest Resources. IMT 2 (Hendricks) and NIMO (Whitney). Seven miles south of Creswell, NC. Pocosin, chaparral, and southern rough. Single tree torching, creeping, spotting and smoldering in deep organic soils. Residences threatened. Light precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

**South 1**, Great Dismal Swamp NWR. IMT 2 (Wilder). Twelve miles southeast of Suffolk, VA. Logging slash and blow down. Creeping with isolated torching.

**Holmes**, Texas Forest Service. IMT 2 (Hannemann). IMT is also managing the Sutton Ranch, Huldale, Juniper Peak, and Agua Si fires. Started on private land seventeen miles north of Bracketteville, TX. Juniper, brush, slash and grass. Minimal fire activity. Monitor status.

**Sutton Ranch**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land twenty-three miles southwest of Ozona, TX. Brush, pinyon pine, juniper, slash and grass. Isolated smoldering. Monitor status.

**Huldale**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land thirty-two miles south of San Angelo, TX. Brush, pinyon pine, juniper, slash and grass. Minimal fire activity with isolated smoldering. Monitor status.

**Juniper Peak**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land twenty-one miles north of San Angelo, TX. Brush, pinyon pine, juniper, slash and grass. Minimal fire activity. Monitor status.

**Agua Si**, Texas Forest Service. Started on private land twenty-nine miles west of Ozona, TX. Brush, pinyon pine, juniper, slash and grass. Minimal fire activity. Monitor status.

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Evans Road	NC	NCS	41,060	0	75	UNK	345	-4	0	38	1	4	5.6M	ST
South 1	VA	GDR	3,096	234	50	7/01	385	-11	10	9	4	0	3.5M	FWS
Holmes	TX	TXS	2,438	0	80	UNK	0	-23	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

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Sutton Ranch	TX	TXS	2,190	525	85	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Hulldale	TX	TXS	1,200	0	75	UNK	0	-16	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Juniper Peak	TX	TXS	800	0	75	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Agua Si	TX	TXS	343	0	85	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Stone Coal - WFU	VA	VAF	750	100	N/A	N/A	54	9	1	2	1	0	58K	FS
Windmill Road	TX	TXS	2,195	0	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	PRI

VAF – George Washington and Jefferson NF

**Predictive Services Discussion:** California will see drier and more stable weather today along with slightly cooler temperatures for the coastal sections. Hot weather will continue in the Southwest with scattered dry thunderstorms over eastern Arizona and western New Mexico, while storms east of the Divide will be mostly wet. Thunderstorms are also expected from eastern Nevada to Colorado. The Southeast should see showers and thunderstorms from Florida northward to Virginia.

[Link](#) to Predictive Services Outlook products.



[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)

### EXTREME FIRE BEHAVIOR (continued)

Extreme fire behavior has always been present in cases of shelter deployment. It is critical for firefighters to maintain situational awareness of live and dead fuel moisture conditions as well as predicted and current weather conditions. As fire behavior changes, it is critical to act decisively to the changing situation.

- Discuss how the following factors can contribute or lead to extreme fire behavior:
  - Frost Kill: Has there been a late or unusually extensive freeze? Is the loading of frost-killed fuels high?
  - Drought Conditions: Live Fuel Moistures Index, KBDI, Soil Moisture Index, low humidity, high temperatures
  - Slope: Increases fire spread uphill, preheats fuels by convection, may channel winds
  - Sea Breeze/Foehn: Wind direction may vary throughout the day, humidity changes may occur, strong wind velocities may drive fire behavior to extremes.
- To aid situational awareness, track NFDRS live and dead fuel moisture outputs.
- Take hourly weather observations and track the hourly changes. By tracking fuel moisture and weather observations and using “Table 74: Fire Severity Related to Fuel Moisture Chart,” firefighters can be alerted to those conditions that can lead to situations where there is a high potential for extreme fire behavior.

### Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1	1		4		6
	ACRES		0	0		0		0
Northwest	FIRES		6			1	3	10
	ACRES		5			2	1	8
Northern California	FIRES	8	7		1	346	240	602
	ACRES	18	14		0	1,546	1,340	2,918
Southern California	FIRES	4				50	12	66
	ACRES	0				99	1,026	1,125
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1			4		5
	ACRES		9			15		24
Western Great Basin	FIRES	1	4				1	6
	ACRES	0	170				300	470
Southwest	FIRES	15	1			2	11	29
	ACRES	8	80			63	223	374
Rocky Mountain	FIRES					2	3	5
	ACRES					20	0	20
Eastern Area	FIRES					8		8
	ACRES					2		2
Southern Area	FIRES					35	4	39
	ACRES					247	249	496
TOTAL	FIRES	28	20	1	1	452	274	776
	ACRES	26	278	0	0	1,994	3,139	5,437

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		4	3		197		204
	ACRES		413	232		2,630		3,275
Northwest	FIRES	52	20	4	1	100	72	249
	ACRES	698	11	1,398	0	3,511	519	6,137
Northern California	FIRES	75	4	5	8	878	373	1,343
	ACRES	72	1	161	5	39,904	9,267	49,410
Southern California	FIRES	31	35	8	4	1,641	155	1,874
	ACRES	201	387	99	2	8,693	35,788	45,170
Northern Rockies	FIRES	475	11	10		320	69	885
	ACRES	7,624	732	4,519		35,005	367	48,247
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	8	47	1	6	63	21	146
	ACRES	266	375	492	130	4,302	2,279	7,844
Western Great Basin	FIRES	6	49	1	8	26	14	104
	ACRES	10	2,850	0	4	2,342	5,017	10,223
Southwest	FIRES	381	120	5	31	521	296	1,354
	ACRES	9,028	21,410	280	601	233,617	39,864	304,800
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	148	22	21	2	208	65	466
	ACRES	928	430	2,002	0	104,421	1,337	109,118
Eastern Area	FIRES	309		10	18	7,067	253	7,657
	ACRES	1,897		247	264	48,403	1,671	52,482
Southern Area	FIRES	821		170	38	16,865	388	18,282
	ACRES	54,294		11,725	47,580	999,027	33,950	1,146,576
TOTAL	FIRES	2,306	312	238	116	27,886	1,706	32,564
	ACRES	75,018	26,609	21,155	48,586	1,481,855	130,059	1,783,282

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>39,378</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>1,424,757</b>

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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		2					2
	ACRES		0					0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES				0			0
	ACRES				85			85
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
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					1		1
	ACRES					390		390
TOTAL	FIRES	0	2	0	0	1	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	85	390	0	475

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					10		10
	ACRES					3,990		3,990
Northwest	FIRES	9	32	3	1		119	164
	ACRES	2,615	3,235	1,810	0		27,547	35,207
Northern California	FIRES	25	14	10	12	4	127	192
	ACRES	415	113	17,687	78	1,159	6,603	26,055
Southern California	FIRES		3	4	7	5	127	146
	ACRES		118	822	1,298	50	4,781	7,069
Northern Rockies	FIRES	5	21	54	5	23	139	247
	ACRES	208	2,613	14,969	309	1,104	17,263	36,466
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	19	5	6	13	47	93
	ACRES	200	2,983	346	639	2,289	11,271	17,728
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1	2	20		4	27
	ACRES		30	12	0		4,436	4,478
Southwest	FIRES	19	54	9	11		121	214
	ACRES	2,838	20,484	12,031	1,312		52,775	89,440
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	22	28	95	17	25	110	297
	ACRES	2,479	2,627	16,726	4,438	4,712	34,370	65,352
Eastern Area	FIRES	45		415	16	1,237	106	1,819
	ACRES	30,265		56,660	1,006	89,617	33,588	211,136
Southern Area	FIRES	26		102	74	377	791	1,370
	ACRES	15,153		56,575	58,468	228,355	777,302	1,135,853
TOTAL	FIRES	154	172	699	169	1,694	1,691	4,579
	ACRES	54,173	32,203	177,638	67,548	331,276	969,936	1,632,774

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### WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1	4	3			8
	ACRES		10	383	728			1,121
Northwest	FIRES				1		1	2
	ACRES				0		0	0
Northern California	FIRES					10	3	13
	ACRES					20	25	45
Southern California	FIRES						195	195
	ACRES						4,181	4,181
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1,455	1,455
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
Eastern Area	FIRES			2				2
	ACRES			1				1
Southern Area	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						922	922
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	6	4	10	205	226
	ACRES	0	10	384	728	20	6,584	7,726

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### Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	4	0	353	6,272
Yukon Territory	0	0	25	17
Alberta	6	11	824	6,190
Northwest Territory	1	303	37	5,480
Saskatchewan	9	17,678	357	267,697
Manitoba	7	25	246	76,558
Ontario	2	3	121	105
Quebec	1	0	128	128
Newfoundland	1	0	45	93
New Brunswick	0	0	106	89
Nova Scotia	0	0	200	2,385
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	1	0	25	69
Total	32	18,021	2,467	365,083

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