

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, September 24, 2008 – 0530 MDT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (67 new fires)
New large fires:	0 (*)
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:	4
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2
Fire Use Teams committed:	0

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

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

Emergency Support Function 4 (ESF4) at the National Response Coordination Center in Washington, D.C., the Regional Response Coordination Center in Denton, TX, and the Joint Field Office in Austin, TX are staffed to support hurricane activity.

Southern Area (PL 3)

New fires:	20
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

Hurricane Ike Support, Federal Emergency Management Agency. NIMO (Custer) is relocating to Houston, TX. IMT 1 (Quesinberry) is supporting Texas Forest Service at Beaumont, TX. IMT 2 (Wilder) assigned at Galveston Island, TX.

Northwest Area (PL 3)

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

Rattle, Umpqua NF. IMT 1 (Hoff). Confine/contain management strategy. Six miles northwest of Tokete Falls, OR. Timber and brush. Creeping. Structures threatened. Area closures in effect.

Lonesome Complex, Rogue River NF. IMT 1 (Pendleton). Twelve miles east of Prospect, OR. Timber. Surface fire activity with single tree torching and short-range spotting. Historical structures threatened.

Gnarl Ridge, Mt Hood NF. IMT 2 (West). Ten miles south of Parkdale, OR. Timber. Surface fire. Structures 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
Rattle	OR	UPF	17,151	6	55	10/15	920	-155	19	41	5	0	16.4M	FS
Lonesome Complex	OR	RRF	18,970	732	35	10/15	1,117	-132	32	19	10	0	12.3M	FS
Gnarl Ridge	OR	MHF	3,280	64	25	10/15	860	-9	21	34	9	0	9.6M	FS

Northern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 14
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 0
 NIMOs committed: 1

Klamath Complex, Klamath NF. NIMO (Gage). Confine/contain management strategy. Fourteen miles west of Etna, CA. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior.

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Klamath Complex	CA	KNF	190,964	319	90	9/30	345	-78	5	2	7	0	126.2M	FS

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 20
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Hidden, Sequoia & Kings Canyon NP. Mixed conifer and timber litter. Moderate 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
Hidden	CA	KNP	3,693	1,842	85	9/30	538	-38	14	12	7	0	7.1M	NPS

Western Great Basin Area (PL 2)

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

Vinegar, Carson City Field Office, BLM. Thirty-five miles north of Reno, NV. Grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

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
Vinegar	NV	CCD	382	---	85	UNK	78	---	2	8	1	0	NR	BLM

Predictive Services Discussion: A cold front will move onshore across the Pacific Northwest, bringing cloudy and cooler conditions, along with showers along the coast. However, further south across northeast California and Nevada, this system will bring gusty southwest winds of 20-35 mph with low humidity. Gradual warming and drying across the Southwest and into the Central Rockies as high pressure strengthens across the Four Corners region. Some of this warm, dry air will also spread further east, across the Ohio Valley and into much of the Southeast, except for coastal areas where heavy rain is expected. Elsewhere mainly seasonable early fall conditions.

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



http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						0	0
Northern California	FIRES					10	4	14
	ACRES					2	1	3
Southern California	FIRES				1	17	2	20
	ACRES				351	2	233	586
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1		1	2
	ACRES				0		0	0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						0	0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	1				1	3	5
	ACRES	1				1	2	4
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES					2		2
	ACRES					6		6
Southern Area	FIRES	1				18	1	20
	ACRES	2				373	12	387
TOTAL	FIRES	2	0	0	2	48	15	67
	ACRES	3	0	0	351	384	248	986

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		14	19	1	300	3	337
	ACRES		644	1,352	0	60,651	0	62,647
Northwest	FIRES	293	254	25	76	764	1,395	2,807
	ACRES	36,334	95,997	8,227	667	33,844	36,231	211,300
Northern California	FIRES	170	2	8	32	3,039	941	4,192
	ACRES	692	1	175	12,928	284,623	582,499	880,918
Southern California	FIRES	75	129	14	48	3,482	513	4,261
	ACRES	385	26,883	871	2,070	52,725	290,493	373,427
Northern Rockies	FIRES	997	80	18	11	770	619	2,495
	ACRES	20,525	4,743	7,882	9,331	152,825	21,025	216,331
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	49	407	5	29	416	426	1,332
	ACRES	9,300	10,203	513	926	22,175	34,920	78,037
Western Great Basin	FIRES	8	258	6	16	77	68	433
	ACRES	10	21,891	51	6	3,375	45,425	70,758
Southwest	FIRES	641	227	8	49	702	939	2,566
	ACRES	19,425	81,218	351	982	263,266	95,930	461,172
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	605	358	24	26	538	345	1,896
	ACRES	2,114	16,440	2,008	318	184,008	9,376	214,264
Eastern Area	FIRES	342		17	18	9,119	302	9,798
	ACRES	1,961		157	65	53,215	725	56,123
Southern Area	FIRES	956		84	64	35,623	555	37,282
	ACRES	59,259		48,375	54,917	1,843,375	37,172	2,043,098
TOTAL	FIRES	4,136	1,729	228	370	54,830	6,106	67,399
	ACRES	150,005	258,020	69,962	82,210	2,954,082	1,153,796	4,668,075

Ten Year Average Fires	66,951
Ten Year Average Acres	6,202,685

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

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES			5				5
	ACRES			200				200
Northern California	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				258			258
Southern California	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			35				35
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1					1	2
	ACRES	200					0	200
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1		1		1	0	3
	ACRES	80		30		1	200	311
Western Great Basin	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			25				25
Southwest	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						555	555
Rocky Mountain	FIRES			1		1	0	2
	ACRES			10		0	100	110
Eastern Area	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			100				100
Southern Area	FIRES			1			1	2
	ACRES			399			50	449
TOTAL	FIRES	2	0	11	1	2	6	22
	ACRES	280	0	799	258	1	905	2,243

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	10	41	21	1		138	211
	ACRES	2,435	16,796	2,639	6		19,625	41,501
Northern California	FIRES	25	3	17	10	10	101	166
	ACRES	415	7	23,388	272	2,120	2,652	28,854
Southern California	FIRES		4	5	7	6	129	151
	ACRES		118	857	1,327	73	13,114	15,489
Northern Rockies	FIRES	21	19	59	5	31	185	320
	ACRES	1,888	3,678	16,550	309	2,108	22,353	46,886
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	4	24	6	8	9	54	105
	ACRES	280	7,387	376	3,421	1,300	16,089	28,853
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	3	2		4	12
	ACRES		2,655	37	27		2,437	5,156
Southwest	FIRES	29	64	11	13		158	275
	ACRES	3,214	39,533	20,031	2,307		58,226	123,311
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	27	29	107	19	47	123	352
	ACRES	2,971	4,557	18,611	4,695	5,631	34,994	71,459
Eastern Area	FIRES	46		336	17	1,591	97	2,087
	ACRES	30,380		53,558	860	108,125	11,447	204,370
Southern Area	FIRES	20		204	82	488	778	1,572
	ACRES	13,894		107,160	60,846	268,022	726,870	1,176,792
TOTAL	FIRES	182	187	769	164	2,192	1,767	5,261
	ACRES	55,477	74,731	243,207	74,070	391,369	907,807	1,746,661

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WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		7	15	5	1		28
	ACRES		7,397	31,830	1,420	3		40,650
Northwest	FIRES				15		24	39
	ACRES				87		2,938	3,025
Northern California	FIRES						8	8
	ACRES						9,301	9,301
Southern California	FIRES				11		6	17
	ACRES				3,786		14,933	18,719
Northern Rockies	FIRES				2		47	49
	ACRES				0		11,863	11,863
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				1		23	24
	ACRES				0		47,947	47,947
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2		1		9	12
	ACRES		81		0		10,145	10,226
Southwest	FIRES				2		19	21
	ACRES				112		17,689	17,801
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		5		2		4	11
	ACRES		25		0		54,645	54,670
Eastern Area	FIRES			3				3
	ACRES			3				3
Southern Area	FIRES						7	7
	ACRES						1,986	1,986
TOTAL	FIRES	0	14	18	39	1	147	219
	ACRES	0	7,503	31,833	5,405	3	171,447	216,191

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Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Last Week	Hectares Last Week	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	49	99	1,902	12,058
Yukon Territory	0	0	68	18,846
Alberta	17	54	1,558	18,530
Northwest Territory	0	0	240	308,789
Saskatchewan	0	0	582	1,127,811
Manitoba	0	0	0	0
Ontario	5	29	310	1,292
Quebec	4	1	207	1,478
Newfoundland	0	0	122	3,780
New Brunswick	0	0	160	131
Nova Scotia	0	0	242	2,717
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	0	0	0	0
Total	75	183	5,391	1,495,432

*** CIFFC table updated weekly. ***

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