

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Monday, November 9, 2009 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (35 new fires)
 New large fires: 4 (*)
 Large fires contained: 3
 Uncontained large fires : ** 3
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Nationally, there are 20 large fires being managed with minimal or no resource commitment that are not shown on today's report.

** Uncontained large fires do not include confine/contain and resource benefit incidents.

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

Southwest Area (PL 2)

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

Reno, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. IMT 1 (Hughes). Confine/contain management strategy. Twenty-three miles southwest of Alpine, AZ. Pine and mixed conifer. Backing fire.

Number 5, Mescalero Agency, BIA. Five miles southeast of Ruidoso, NM. Grass. No new information.

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
Reno	AZ	ASF	5,374	425	N/A	N/A	44	3	1	1	1	0	117K	FS
Number 5	NM	MEA	1,000	---	5	UNK	40	---	1	12	0	0	NR	BIA

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 24
 New large fires: 4
 Uncontained large fires: 2

* **Thatcher**, Florida DOF. Twenty miles southeast of Tampa, FL. Southern rough. No further information received.

* **Lost Polly**, Daniel Boone NF. Nine miles east of Manchester, KY. Hardwood litter. No further information received.

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* Thatcher	FS	FLS	300	---	50	UNK	14	---	0	3	0	0	NR	ST
* Lost Polly	KY	DBF	150	---	0	UNK	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FS
* Elk View Drive	KY	KYS	220	---	100	---	14	---	1	0	0	0	NR	PRI
* Spring Fork	KY	KYS	211	---	100	---	13	---	1	0	0	0	NR	PRI
Ditney	TN	CNF	172	0	100	---	12	-10	0	0	0	0	10K	FS

KYS – Kentucky DOF CNF – Cherokee NF

Predictive Services Discussion: Arizona, southern California and the Appalachians will have warm temperatures, low humidity and generally light winds today. High humidity is on tap for Florida with a chance of showers developing late in the day.

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



Today's discussion is from the
Weather / Fire Behavior Category.

BASE ALL ACTIONS ON CURRENT AND EXPECTED FIRE BEHAVIOR

- Can the resources you are replacing give you a thorough briefing? What information will you want to get from resources you are replacing?
- Can you observe the area or use scouts? What information are the scouts looking for?
- Have escape routes and safety zones been thoroughly scouted? List some ways your crew will scout out an area before you begin working
- Are escape routes and safety zones marked for night use? How do you adjust marking safety zones and escape routes for night use?
- Have potential dangers been located and can they be dealt with? List some dangerous fire behavior you may encounter and how you would deal with it.
- Do you have access to weather and fire behavior forecasts? What is your unit's procedure for obtaining forecasts?
- To reduce risk, initiate the following:
 - Post lookouts.
 - Check communications.
 - Retreat if you have doubts about your escape routes or safety zones or if the situation becomes too complex. Discuss fires where you have adjusted your actions based on current and expected fire behavior.

How would you judge the fire season? (Above normal, below, or average.)

References:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

[Fireline Handbook](#)

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES					6	1	7
	ACRES					5	0	5
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					1	0	1
	ACRES					100	373	473
Eastern Area	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						20	20
Southern Area	FIRES	2				15	7	24
	ACRES	9				331	266	606
TOTAL	FIRES	2	0	0	0	22	11	35
	ACRES	9	0	0	0	436	659	1,104

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	1	49	42	21	376	27	516
	ACRES	1	764,818	754,710	101,190	1,321,312	10	2,942,041
Northwest	FIRES	390	322	26	80	1,085	1,468	3,371
	ACRES	9,573	30,770	2,353	2,221	56,170	73,016	174,103
Northern California	FIRES	157	64	4	39	2,870	852	3,986
	ACRES	1,465	1,535	5	1,759	63,608	35,039	103,411
Southern California	FIRES	43	186	16	33	3,506	591	4,375
	ACRES	1,589	4,209	45	6,021	23,826	268,941	304,631
Northern Rockies	FIRES	825	121	18	33	649	852	2,498
	ACRES	6,161	1,015	398	10,878	24,728	24,266	67,446
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	49	548	5	29	627	495	1,753
	ACRES	106	69,365	226	7,282	18,443	38,634	134,056
Western Great Basin	FIRES	10	403	9	12	102	143	679
	ACRES	2,440	29,479	150	22	956	318	33,365
Southwest	FIRES	870	284	10	64	907	1,393	3,528
	ACRES	81,680	89,862	3,843	8,011	288,005	147,671	619,072
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	623	474	19	29	751	408	2,304
	ACRES	3,178	10,818	535	67	74,199	8,836	97,633
Eastern Area	FIRES	438		42	29	14,365	578	15,452
	ACRES	1,241		889	110	114,892	6,917	124,049
Southern Area	FIRES	627		239	55	35,232	612	36,765
	ACRES	85,013		48,408	44,166	972,594	31,676	1,181,857
TOTAL	FIRES	4,033	2,451	430	424	60,470	7,419	75,227
	ACRES	192,447	1,001,871	811,562	181,727	2,958,733	635,324	5,781,664

Ten Year Average Fires	74,779
Ten Year Average Acres	6,598,039

*** 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							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						281	281
Southern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						1	1
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						200	200
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						43	43
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	525	525

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					9	1	10
	ACRES					3,438	95	3,533
Northwest	FIRES	36	219	29	4	1	271	560
	ACRES	13,267	37,993	4,018	47	1	42,184	97,510
Northern California	FIRES	26	17	27	78	23	275	446
	ACRES	224	2,515	28,246	5,369	2,540	16,531	55,425
Southern California	FIRES	1	11	15	11	1	165	204
	ACRES	1	736	2,162	1,465	195	13,108	17,667
Northern Rockies	FIRES	36	29	92	5	67	340	569
	ACRES	9,939	4,466	21,824	355	6,684	28,886	72,154
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	32	7	13	58	152	263
	ACRES	8	13,883	1,635	344	4,181	26,189	46,240
Western Great Basin	FIRES		5	2			6	13
	ACRES		1,657	62			859	2,578
Southwest	FIRES	35	27	3	6		656	727
	ACRES	15,715	49,887	501	922		148,936	215,961
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	77	54	135	19	68	185	538
	ACRES	9,660	6,085	21,459	7,746	2,669	36,701	84,320
Eastern Area	FIRES	72		554	52	2,681	225	3,584
	ACRES	72,442		78,658	9,288	156,698	55,047	372,133
Southern Area	FIRES	10		300	589	824	1,143	2,866
	ACRES	3,180		163,480	94,241	299,702	1,020,680	1,581,283
TOTAL	FIRES	294	394	1,164	777	3,732	3,419	9,780
	ACRES	124,436	117,222	322,045	119,777	476,108	1,389,216	2,548,804

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

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