

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Monday, May 28, 2012 – 0530 MT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity: Light (65 new fires)  
 New large fires: 1 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 2  
 Uncontained large fires: \*\* 8  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 3  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

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

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

**Southwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 10  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 3  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

**Whitewater-Baldy**, Gila NF. IMT 1 (Sciacca). Fifteen miles east of Glenwood, NM. Timber. Active fire behavior with spotting. Residences threatened. Evacuations in effect.

**Gladiator**, Prescott NF. Transfer of command from IMT 1 (Reinarz) back to the local unit occurred yesterday. Started on state land one mile east of Crown King, AZ. Timber. Smoldering.

\* **Toadlena**, Navajo Regional Office, BIA. Five miles northwest of Toadlena, AZ. Timber. Moderate fire activity. Evacuations in effect.

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
Whitewater-Baldy	NM	GNF	122,368	22,368	0	UNK	907	303	21	39	5	20	4.9M	FS
Gladiator	AZ	PNF	16,240	0	50	UNK	205	-266	3	9	2	6	14.1M	ST
* Toadlena	AZ	NAA	800	---	25	UNK	115	---	5	5	2	0	450K	BIA

**Rocky Mountain (PL 3)**

New fires: 5  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Sunrise Mine**, Uncompahgre Field Office, BLM. IMT 1 (Harvey). Four miles north of Paradox, CO. Logging slash and brush. Active fire behavior. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

**Little Sand**, San Juan NF. Previously reported incident. IMT 2 (Pechota). Thirteen miles northwest of Pagosa Springs, CO. Timber. Active fire behavior.

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
Sunrise Mine	CO	UPD	5,000	-4,800	5	UNK	113	49	4	9	0	0	1M	BLM
Little Sand	CO	SJF	2,325	---	N/A	N/A	74	---	2	0	2	0	259K	FS

**Southern California (PL 2)**

New fires: 13  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1

**Banner**, Monte-Vista Unit, Cal Fire. Cal Fire IMT 1 (Zombro). Eighteen miles east of Julian, CA. Brush and grass. Smoldering.

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
Banner	CA	MVU	5,321	1,221	90	5/28	938	-27	50	51	7	0	3.0M	ST

**Eastern Area (PL 2)**

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

**Duck Lake**, Michigan DNR. Fifteen miles northeast of Newberry, MI. Timber. No new information.

**Pine Creek**, Seney NWR. Nine miles northeast of Pine Stump Junction, MI. Brush. Smoldering.

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
Duck Lake	MI	MIS	21,114	---	27	UNK	229	---	0	26	5	72	210K	ST
Pine Creek	MI	SNR	3,400	0	90	UNK	32	-16	0	7	0	0	500K	FWS

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
North Prong	MO	MTF	122	0	100	---	5	0	0	1	0	0	3.5K	PRI

MTF – Mark Twain NF

**Southern Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 18  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Junction**, Merritt Island, NWR. Six miles east of Titusville, FL. Brush. 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
Junction	FL	MIR	600	0	75	UNK	23	0	0	5	0	0	40K	FWS
The 1475	FL	FLS	2,088	0	100	UNK	65	0	0	6	0	0	NR	ST

FLS – Florida Forest Service

**Predictive Services Discussion:** An upper low will move across the northern Plains into Canada. Scattered showers and thunderstorms associated with a cold front will develop over much of the eastern half of the U.S. Scattered showers will develop over the Northwest and northern Rockies but warming conditions will spread across the western states. In Alaska, scattered showers will develop along the gulf coast and the eastern Interior.

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



**Today's discussion is from the Hazardous Materials Category.**

## **HAZARDOUS MATERIALS ENCOUNTERS**

Employees who may encounter hazardous materials in the field should be trained as mandated by OSHA 1910.120 (q), First Responder Awareness Level. However, employees should always recognize that hazmat encounters require special precautions.

- Hazardous materials in the field include, but are not limited to:
  - Clandestine drug waste – waste as a result of “meth” labs, etc., which may look like common household trash at first glance. Drug lab waste can be identified by the presence of gallon plastic jugs, large plastic bags, 5-gallon buckets, and laboratory equipment (tubes and beakers).
  - Midnight dumping – may be recognized by the presence of barrels or other containers, discoloration of land, plants, or water, and/or dead vegetation and animals.
  - Transportation accidents – truck, rail, or pipeline accidents may result in the spillage or release of hazardous materials that may result in danger to life, property, or resources.
  
- In all instances, self-protection is your primary responsibility.
  
- Respond to all encounters by implementing the Three Rs:
  - Recognize: Attempt to identify the substance using the North American Emergency Response Guide, occupancy/location, placards/labels, container shapes/colors, and/or MSDS shipping papers.
  - Retreat: Move upwind, up grade, or upstream; isolate the material; and deny entry to the site. Guidelines for isolation distances include: 150 feet for a minor incident (1 drum, 1 bag, etc.); 500 feet for a major incident (more than 1 drum, etc.); 300 feet for a residential and light commercial incident; 1,000 feet for an open area; 2,500 feet for an incident with BLEVE potential; 2,500 feet for the staging area (must be upwind with vehicles in a headed-out position)
  - Report: Notify your supervisor and agency dispatcher. Request hazmat assistance via a safe route.

### References:

[Incident Response Pocket Guide](#)

[Safety and Health for Field Operations Manual, BLM--1112-2](#)

Hazmat-First Responder Awareness Training Guide, Local Fire Department

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### Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES		1			9		10
	ACRES		0			3		3
Southern California	FIRES		1			12		13
	ACRES		93			80		173
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		2			2	1	5
	ACRES		0			21	0	21
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		6					6
Southwest	FIRES	4			0	1	5	10
	ACRES	807			60	40	22,380	23,287
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		0			2	3	5
	ACRES		2,400			152	1,735	4,287
Eastern Area	FIRES					0	2	2
	ACRES					1	0	1
Southern Area	FIRES					17	1	18
	ACRES					58	30	88
TOTAL	FIRES	4	5	0	0	44	12	65
	ACRES	807	2,499	0	60	355	24,145	27,866

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1		1	105	2	109
	ACRES		0		22	177	0	199
Northwest	FIRES	43	15		3	95	22	178
	ACRES	1,567	9,891		3	778	40	12,279
Northern California	FIRES	2	7	1	2	567	80	659
	ACRES	0	39	0	1	857	65	962
Southern California	FIRES	10	48	4	6	874	151	1,093
	ACRES	11	271	0	2	1,456	126	1,866
Northern Rockies	FIRES	482	10	11	4	84	52	643
	ACRES	23,672	2,617	773	620	2,185	860	30,727
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	13	75		5	159	22	274
	ACRES	154	4,534		0	6,304	168	11,160
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	84		6	50	10	153
	ACRES	12	40,251		0	2,833	538	43,634
Southwest	FIRES	292	63	9	5	225	200	794
	ACRES	7,781	3,029	14	2,288	10,319	182,831	206,262
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	374	58	20	4	473	119	1,048
	ACRES	17,639	8,330	1,243	818	35,165	21,208	84,403
Eastern Area	FIRES	667		33	12	5,529	328	6,569
	ACRES	1,628		4,703	398	43,235	5,603	55,567
Southern Area	FIRES	220		20	21	9,573	311	10,145
	ACRES	30,783		15,169	3,443	123,920	48,639	221,954
TOTAL	FIRES	2,106	361	98	69	17,734	1,297	21,665
	ACRES	83,247	68,962	21,902	7,595	227,229	260,078	669,013

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>29,523</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>1,162,575</b>

\*\*\* 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							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
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							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				2	8		10
	ACRES				18	5,270		5,288
Northwest	FIRES	3	49	5			114	171
	ACRES	851	5,454	995			18,996	26,296
Northern California	FIRES	2	13	14	21		143	193
	ACRES	107	203	22,389	151		12,555	35,405
Southern California	FIRES		6	5		1	155	167
	ACRES		1,521	381		550	4,260	6,712
Northern Rockies	FIRES	15	13	66	4	32	182	312
	ACRES	1,716	5,440	16,321	238	1,709	19,892	45,316
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		16	2	4	23	41	86
	ACRES		1,324	188	269	338	18,869	20,988
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8	4		13	4	29
	ACRES		2,261	419		279	221	3,180
Southwest	FIRES	18	11	6	15		128	178
	ACRES	639	7,706	2,591	109		38,368	49,413
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	22	24	98	21	18	60	243
	ACRES	2,022	2,987	18,416	2,492	8,377	10,814	45,108
Eastern Area	FIRES	36		463	40	904	147	1,590
	ACRES	22,098		76,836	9,054	57,691	57,079	222,758
Southern Area	FIRES	23		120	52	7,050	832	8,077
	ACRES	4,783		48,113	37,384	425,791	798,084	1,314,155
TOTAL	FIRES	119	140	783	159	8,049	1,806	11,056
	ACRES	32,216	26,896	186,649	49,715	500,005	979,138	1,774,619

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

### Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	0	0	204	1,415
Yukon Territory	0	0	2	1
Alberta	24	815	522	4,141
Northwest Territory	1	3	2	3
Saskatchewan	2	1	89	585
Manitoba	1	0	93	17,439
Ontario	19	19,008	370	49,577
Quebec	11	3,614	274	32,528
Newfoundland	6	701	37	2,316
New Brunswick	3	0	238	325
Nova Scotia	21	0	231	738
Prince Edward Island	0	0	5	9
National Parks	0	0	8	641
Total	88	24,142	2,075	109,719

This report contains information derived from the National Fire and Aviation Management Web Applications (FAMWEB) system and other sources to provide relative information about emerging and ongoing incident activity. This information is considered operational in nature, is subject to correction, and therefore may not match official year to date agency records.

**\*\* National Interagency Coordination Center \*\***