

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Friday, September 19, 2008 – 0530 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 2**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity:	Light (60 new fires)
New large fires:	2 (*)
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires:	6
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	3
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	7
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 4)**

New fires:	10
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	0
NIMOs committed:	2
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

**Hurricane Ike Support**, Federal Emergency Management Agency. NIMO (Custer) is assigned at Jackson, MS. NIMO (Cable) and IMT 1 (Quesinberry) are supporting Texas Forest Service at Beaumont, TX. IMT 2 (Wilder) assigned at Galveston Island, TX. Florida IMT 2 (West) was released yesterday.

**Northwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires:	10
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	4
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	5

**Rattle**, Umpqua NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Paul) to IMT 1 (Hoff) tomorrow. Confine/contain management strategy. Thirty miles east of Glide, OR. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with torching and short-range spotting. Structures and power lines threatened. Highway 138 closed. Evacuations in effect.

**Lonesome Complex**, Rogue River NF. IMT 2 (Batten). Twenty-one miles east of Prospect, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with crowning and torching. Structures threatened.

**Gnarl Ridge**, Mt Hood NF. IMT 2 (West). Previously reported as Gnarl. Ten miles south of Parkdale, OR. Timber. Active fire with torching and long-range spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations and area closures in effect.

**Royce Butte**, Deschutes NF. IMT 2 (Rapp). Twelve miles west of Crescent, OR. Timber and logging slash. Minimal fire activity with creeping and smoldering. Structures threatened.

**Doubleday**, Medford Unit, Oregon DOF. Oregon IMT 2 (Hunt). Two miles south of Butte Falls, OR. Timber. Active fire behavior with torching. Community of Butte Falls 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	14,227	3,020	28	9/30	976	47	24	48	10	0	11.1M	FS
Lonesome Complex	OR	RRF	15,500	6,444	NR	10/1	678	-12	18	12	7	0	7.8M	FS
Gnarl Ridge	OR	MHF	2,300	300	5	UNK	229	124	5	10	6	0	NR	FS
Royce Butte	OR	DEF	381	0	60	9/21	336	98	9	13	1	0	700K	FS
Doubleday	OR	711S	750	0	5	UNK	441	272	14	9	6	0	865K	ST

**Northern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 21  
 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.

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
Klamath Complex	CA	KNF	187,271	1,346	NR	9/30	470	23	9	4	10	0	124.1M	FS

**Southern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 4  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Hidden**, Sequoia & Kings Canyon NP. IMT 2 (Joseph). Mixed conifer and timber litter. Backing fire with short runs and occasional single and group tree torching.

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	925	175	30	9/30	524	150	15	1	12	0	2.1M	NPS

**Northern Rockies Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 2  
 New large fires: 2  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Line Creek**, Miles City Field Office, BLM. Forty miles southwest of Broadus, MT. Grass, sage brush and dead and down timber. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened.

**Red Rocks**, Red Rock Lakes NWR. Confine/contain management strategy. Twenty-three miles northwest of Macks Inn, MT. Grass. Creeping and smoldering. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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
* Line Creek	MT	MCD	1,014	---	0	9/21	68	---	0	14	1	0	NR	BLM
* Red Rocks	MT	RLR	500	---	50	9/22	9	---	0	3	0	0	29.5K	FWS

**Predictive Services Discussion:** Thunderstorm activity today will be mainly across interior portions of the Pacific Northwest and Northeastern California. These storms will be a mix of wet and dry, but this entire area should see a wetter transition to showers late today. Otherwise seasonably warm and dry across the Great Basin and Rockies, on across much of the Northeast. Scattered showers and wet thunderstorms for large portions of the Southeast.

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



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

**Topic of Choice**

### Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES					4	6	10
	ACRES					0	0	0
Northern California	FIRES					16	5	21
	ACRES					24	16	40
Southern California	FIRES				0	4	0	4
	ACRES				202	0	224	426
Northern Rockies	FIRES		1	0		1		2
	ACRES		1,026	224		20		1,270
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1			6	1	8
	ACRES		0			5	42	47
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		0					0
Southwest	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						1	1
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		2			1	1	4
	ACRES		89			0	1	90
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES					10		10
	ACRES					24		24
TOTAL	FIRES	0	5	0	0	42	13	60
	ACRES	0	1,115	224	202	73	284	1,898

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		14	19	1	298	3	335
	ACRES		644	1,347	0	60,424	0	62,415
Northwest	FIRES	293	279	25	76	752	1,370	2,795
	ACRES	36,334	96,021	8,227	557	33,833	34,028	209,000
Northern California	FIRES	170	39	8	32	2,970	907	4,126
	ACRES	692	70	175	12,928	284,548	566,157	864,570
Southern California	FIRES	74	129	14	47	3,418	500	4,182
	ACRES	384	26,883	871	837	52,722	290,685	372,382
Northern Rockies	FIRES	993	80	18	10	757	616	2,474
	ACRES	20,445	4,978	7,622	9,331	149,257	21,033	212,666
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	48	439	4	27	391	409	1,318
	ACRES	9,300	64,134	494	559	16,670	36,686	127,843
Western Great Basin	FIRES	8	254	6	16	71	66	421
	ACRES	10	21,448	51	6	3,374	45,425	70,314
Southwest	FIRES	640	227	8	49	699	932	2,555
	ACRES	19,424	81,218	351	982	263,262	95,943	461,180
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	605	273	24	26	553	341	1,822
	ACRES	2,114	17,157	2,008	318	184,624	9,371	215,592
Eastern Area	FIRES	342		17	18	9,048	302	9,727
	ACRES	1,961		157	65	53,173	725	56,081
Southern Area	FIRES	955		81	64	36,371	554	38,025
	ACRES	59,257		47,364	54,917	1,863,455	37,103	2,062,096
TOTAL	FIRES	4,128	1,734	224	366	55,328	6,000	67,780
	ACRES	149,921	312,553	68,667	80,500	2,965,342	1,137,156	4,714,139

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>66,104</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>6,162,380</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				1			1
	ACRES				3			3
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1		1				2
	ACRES	600		100				700
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						650	650
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						910	910
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		3	1			4	8
	ACRES		352	88			409	849
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						10	10
TOTAL	FIRES	1	3	2	1	0	9	16
	ACRES	600	352	188	3	0	1,980	3,123

### 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	13	4		137	205
	ACRES	2,435	16,786	2,359	9		19,603	41,192
Northern California	FIRES	25	14	17	9	10	101	176
	ACRES	415	653	23,388	14	2,120	2,652	29,242
Southern California	FIRES		4	4	7	6	129	150
	ACRES		118	822	1,327	73	13,114	15,454
Northern Rockies	FIRES	17	19	56	5	30	179	306
	ACRES	850	3,678	16,259	309	1,810	22,126	45,032
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	22	5	8	8	51	97
	ACRES	200	6,605	346	2,437	1,299	14,220	25,107
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	2	2		4	11
	ACRES		2,655	12	27		2,437	5,131
Southwest	FIRES	29	64	11	13		152	269
	ACRES	3,214	39,533	20,031	2,307		55,921	121,006
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	27	29	106	19	46	121	348
	ACRES	2,971	4,292	18,601	4,695	5,381	34,762	70,702
Eastern Area	FIRES	46		335	17	1,569	97	2,064
	ACRES	30,380		53,458	860	106,605	11,447	202,750
Southern Area	FIRES	20		177	82	476	774	1,529
	ACRES	13,894		94,763	60,846	261,585	726,042	1,157,130
TOTAL	FIRES	177	196	726	166	2,155	1,745	5,165
	ACRES	54,359	74,320	230,039	72,831	382,863	902,324	1,716,736

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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	31,765	1,420	3		40,585
Northwest	FIRES				14		24	38
	ACRES				10		2,938	2,948
Northern California	FIRES						8	8
	ACRES						9,286	9,286
Southern California	FIRES				11		6	17
	ACRES				3,591		14,933	18,524
Northern Rockies	FIRES				2		46	48
	ACRES				0		11,852	11,852
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				1		22	23
	ACRES				0		44,472	44,472
Western Great Basin	FIRES		2		1		9	12
	ACRES		81		0		10,145	10,226
Southwest	FIRES				2		18	20
	ACRES				112		17,672	17,784
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	38	1	144	215
	ACRES	0	7,503	31,768	5,133	3	167,929	212,336

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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
<b>Total</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>5,391</b>	<b>1,495,432</b>

\*\*\* CIFFC table updated weekly. \*\*\*

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