

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, March 18, 2009 – 0800 MDT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (73 new fires)
New large fires:	7 (*)
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires:	8
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1
Fire Use Teams committed:	0

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

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

The U.S. has mobilized one Burned Area Emergency Response team and one fire manager to Australia.

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires:	49
New large fires:	6
Uncontained large fires:	7
Type 2 IMTs committed:	1

2009 Winter Initial Attack, Texas Forest Service. Texas IMT 2 (Bennett). IMT is supporting multiple fires in west Texas. Acres reported are a cumulative total.

Juniper Springs, National Forests in Florida. Nine miles east of Silver Springs, FL. Southern rough and downed heavy fuels. Active fire behavior with spotting.

Two Hogs, Osage Agency, BIA. Two miles southeast of Barnsdall, OK. Hardwood litter and grass. Moderate fire activity with torching.

Crispy Chip, Osage Agency. BIA. Four miles northeast of Sand Springs, OK. Hardwood litter and grass. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Hailey, Texas Forest Service. Eleven miles northeast of Abilene, TX. Brush and Grass. No further information received.

Squires Mountain, Oklahoma DOF. Two miles south of Hulbert, OK. Hardwood litter. No further information received.

Hardridge, Okmulgee Field Office, BIA. Five miles west of Okmulgee, OK. Hardwood litter and grass. 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
2009 Winter Initial Attack	TX	TXS	8,670	704	NR	UNK	417	-10	0	15	3	0	12.4M	PRI
Juniper Springs	FL	FNF	10,022	0	85	3/18	132	0	2	5	4	0	790K	FS
* Two Hogs	OK	OSA	832	---	90	UNK	26	---	0	8	0	0	NR	BIA
* Crispy Chip	OK	OSA	528	---	80	UNK	12	---	0	6	0	0	NR	BIA
* Hailey	TX	TXS	400	---	35	3/19	51	---	0	9	1	0	NR	ST
* Squires Mountain	OK	OXS	160	---	80	3/18	4	---	0	2	0	0	NR	ST
* Hardridge	OK	OMA	160	---	90	UNK	16	---	0	7	0	0	NR	BIA
Big Elk 2	OK	OSA	1,600	350	100	---	25	0	0	9	0	0	NR	BIA
* Ona	FL	FLS	600	---	100	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	ST

FLS – Florida DOF

Southwest Area (PL 2)

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

Gleeson, Tuscon District, Arizona State Forestry. Two miles west of Gleeson, AZ. Grass. 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
* Gleeson	AZ	A3S	300	---	0	3/20	70	---	3	5	0	0	NR	ST

Predictive Services Discussion: Low relative humidity and light winds will develop today south of a cold front across the Southwest and west Texas. Dry high pressure behind a cold front will lower relative humidity across the northern Great Lakes.

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



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							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					1		1
	ACRES					2		2
Rocky Mountain	FIRES					3		3
	ACRES					20		20
Eastern Area	FIRES					13	7	20
	ACRES					10	17	27
Southern Area	FIRES	6		2		41		49
	ACRES	1,599		26		963		2,588
TOTAL	FIRES	6	0	2	0	58	7	73
	ACRES	1,599	0	26	0	995	17	2,637

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	1					4	5
	ACRES	0					1	1
Northern California	FIRES					69	3	72
	ACRES					247	1	248
Southern California	FIRES					144	8	152
	ACRES					1,069	0	1,069
Northern Rockies	FIRES	3				2		5
	ACRES	0				14,490		14,490
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		2			3	1	6
	ACRES		13			42	0	55
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3			3		6
	ACRES		0			9		9
Southwest	FIRES	46	8	1	2	108	30	195
	ACRES	429	569	0	23	32,343	17,380	50,744
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	31		0	1	82	5	119
	ACRES	545		27	0	36,922	159	37,653
Eastern Area	FIRES			3		1,758	113	1,874
	ACRES			3		17,883	2,798	20,684
Southern Area	FIRES	212		82	18	11,023	207	11,542
	ACRES	12,270		5,787	2,326	213,774	11,857	246,014
TOTAL	FIRES	293	13	86	21	13,192	371	13,976
	ACRES	13,244	582	5,817	2,349	316,779	32,196	370,967

Seven Year Average Fires	10,756
Seven Year Average Acres	470,721

*** 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	0
	ACRES						2	2
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						88	88
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		1	1			0	2
	ACRES		200	750			100	1,050
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						150	150
Eastern Area	FIRES					8	7	15
	ACRES					817	2,458	3,275
Southern Area	FIRES	1		1	2	2	1	7
	ACRES	20		262	3,017	340	400	4,039
TOTAL	FIRES	1	1	2	2	10	10	26
	ACRES	20	200	1,012	3,017	1,157	3,198	8,604

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES		71	3			9	83
	ACRES		2,661	170			309	3,140
Northern California	FIRES	22	22	3	17	4	100	168
	ACRES	193	150	852	87	1,155	3,183	5,620
Southern California	FIRES		7	5			108	120
	ACRES		166	96			7,514	7,776
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2	1				2	5
	ACRES	86	10				104	200
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		22	1	3	13	11	50
	ACRES		953	750	85	69	663	2,520
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	1			5	9
	ACRES		72	0			219	291
Southwest	FIRES	2	5	2	2		102	113
	ACRES	40	8,840	251	229		9,702	19,062
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	22	7	29	3	10	60	131
	ACRES	1,759	54	3,417	41	222	7,809	13,302
Eastern Area	FIRES			6	6	198	28	238
	ACRES			113	1,314	23,472	8,291	33,190
Southern Area	FIRES	5		128	47	479	504	1,163
	ACRES	495		53,939	47,299	126,937	427,415	656,085
TOTAL	FIRES	53	138	178	78	704	929	2,080
	ACRES	2,573	12,906	59,588	49,055	151,855	465,209	741,186

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WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

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

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