

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday, June 27, 2010 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (116 new fires)
New large fires:	3 (*)
Large fires contained:	0
Uncontained large fires: **	13
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	5

Nationally, there are 41 large fires being managed to achieve multiple objectives.

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

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

Department of Interior personnel are assigned to several locations in the Gulf of Mexico to assess and mitigate impacts resulting from the Deepwater Horizon oil spill.

- A total of 499 personnel are assigned to the Fish and Wildlife Service at Delta, Breton and Bon Secour National Wildlife Refuges, as well as Houma, LA and Mobile, AL.

- A total of 88 National Park Service personnel are assigned to Gulf Islands National Seashore, Jean Lafitte Park and Preserve, Everglades National Park, Dry Tortugas, Biscayne National Park, De Soto National Memorial and Big Cypress National Preserve.

Southwest Area (PL 4)

New fires:	23
New large fires:	0
Uncontained large fires:	5
Type 1 IMTs committed:	1
Type 2 IMTs committed:	3

Schultz, Coconino NF. IMT1 (Hughes). Four miles north of Flagstaff, AZ. Timber. Creeping and smoldering.

South Fork, Santa Fe NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Templin) back to local unit will occur on 6/30. Twenty miles west of Espanola, NM. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Municipal watershed threatened.

Paradise, Apache-Sitgreaves NF. IMT 2 (Small). Limited perimeter control incident. Sixteen miles southeast of Alpine, AZ. Timber. Smoldering. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

Horseshoe, Coronado NF. IMT 2 (Cook). Five miles south of Portal, AZ. Timber. Minimal fire activity.

Aspen, Gila NF. Twenty-six miles northwest of San Lorenzo, NM. Timber. Backing fire.

Tecolote, Santa Fe NF. Fifteen miles northwest of Las Vegas, NM. Timber. 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
Schultz	AZ	COF	15,075	75	55	7/2	748	-153	16	40	7	0	6.7M	FS
South Fork	NM	SNF	16,945	538	50	7/7	374	-64	5	16	2	0	7.1M	FS
Paradise	AZ	ASF	6,355	95	N/A	N/A	345	-40	6	7	2	0	2.4M	FS
Horseshoe	AZ	CNF	3,386	0	85	7/10	131	-17	2	2	2	0	9.6M	FS
Aspen	NM	GNF	3,200	0	98	UNK	23	12	1	0	0	0	NR	FS
Tecolote	NM	SNF	812	0	90	UNK	30	-29	1	0	0	0	5.5M	FS

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 2)

New fires: 19
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 2
Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Cow Creek, Rocky Mountain NP. IMT2 (Pechota). Four miles west of Glen Haven, CO. Timber. Active fire behavior. Numerous structures threatened.

Medano, Great Sand Dunes Monument, NPS. IMT 2 (Hahnenberg). Confine/contain incident. Nineteen miles southeast of Crestone, CO. Timber and brush. Backing fire.

* **Round Mountain**, Arapaho and Roosevelt, NF. Three miles east of Drake, CO. Timber, brush and grass. Moderate fire activity. Precipitation occurred over the fire area yesterday.

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
Cow Creek	CO	RMP	1,500	1,250	5	UNK	95	0	3	0	2	0	150K	NPS
Medano	CO	GSP	5,417	0	N/A	N/A	344	-17	11	8	3	0	2M	NPS
* Round Mountain	CO	ARF	150	---	75	6/27	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	FS

Alaska Area (PL 2)

New fires: 10
New large fires: 0
Uncontained large fires: 4

Pat Creek, Upper Yukon Zone, BLM. Fifteen miles north of Stevens Village, AK. Black spruce, hardwood slash and tundra. Active fire behavior with crowning and running. Residences threatened.

Goldbug Creek, Galena Zone, BLM. Fifteen miles south of Deering, AK. Grass. Active fire behavior.

Louie Creek, Galena Zone, BLM. Ten miles southwest of Huslia, AK. Black spruce and tundra. No further information received.

Montana Creek, Galena Zone, BLM. Ten miles southeast of Deering, AK. Brush and tundra. No new information.

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Pat Creek	AK	UYD	6,300	5,975	5	UNK	165	133	6	0	4	0	285K	BLM
Goldbug Creek	AK	GAD	3,777	1,000	95	6/27	30	0	1	0	1	0	290K	BLM
Louie Creek	AK	GAD	2,400	1,200	5	UNK	122	72	5	0	1	0	750K	BLM
Montana Creek	AK	GAD	1,100	---	50	6/27	3	---	0	0	1	0	20K	BLM

Southern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 14
New large fires: 1
Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Allison Ranch**, Texas Forest Service. Twenty-three miles southwest of Marfa, TX. 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
* Allison Ranch	TX	TXS	665	---	80	6/28	30	---	1	3	0	0	NR	ST

Eastern Area (PL 1)

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

* **Cedar Bridge Materials**, New Jersey Forest Fire Service. Started on private land one mile north of Warren Grove, NJ. Closed timber litter. No further information received.

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* Cedar Bridge Materials	NJ	NJS	100	---	90	UNK	120	---	0	38	2	0	20K	PRI

Predictive Services Discussion: Hot temperatures will develop today across California and the Great Basin. Thunderstorms are possible across the eastern Four-Corner states with driest storms in western Colorado and western New Mexico. Northerly winds will develop across northern California, increasing fire potential across the Sacramento Valley.

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



Today's discussion is from the
**LCES (Lookouts, Communication, Escape
Routes, and Safety Zones) Category.**

Safety Zones (part 2)

Safety Zone(s) are locations where the threatened firefighter may find refuge from the danger. Unfortunately shelter deployment sites have been incorrectly called safety zones. Safety zones should be conceptualized and planned as a location where no shelter is needed. This does not intend for the firefighter to hesitate to deploy their shelter if needed, just if a shelter is deployed the location is not a tree safety zone. Fireline intensity and safety zone topographic location determine safety zone effectiveness.

- How have you determined the distinction between a safety zone and a deployment zone?

- Is refuge in a vehicle, house an acceptable tactic?

- Consider access to the incident. You are often confronted with considerable distances of unburned fuel to cross. How do you manage LCES?

References:

["LCES and Other Thoughts" by Paul Gleason](#)

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Fires and Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		1	1		7	1	10
	ACRES		8,616	211		6,898	0	15,725
Northwest	FIRES	1					8	9
	ACRES	1					0	1
Northern California	FIRES					12	1	13
	ACRES					15	0	15
Southern California	FIRES		3			14	1	18
	ACRES		0			7	0	7
Northern Rockies	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		2					2
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		2			2		4
	ACRES		1			2		3
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3			1		4
	ACRES		0			0		0
Southwest	FIRES	4	2			2	15	23
	ACRES	7	63			17	563	650
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1	16			2		19
	ACRES	0	25			3		28
Eastern Area	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Southern Area	FIRES	4				10		14
	ACRES	16				30		46
TOTAL	FIRES	10	28	1	0	51	26	116
	ACRES	24	8,707	211	0	6,972	563	16,477

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		55	53	7	331	11	457
	ACRES		251,254	26,830	22,392	577,852	8	878,336
Northwest	FIRES	19	20			70	70	179
	ACRES	205	74			122	53	454
Northern California	FIRES	3	6			683	61	753
	ACRES	1	4			9,684	13	9,702
Southern California	FIRES	9	62	3	2	922	143	1,141
	ACRES	32	5,063	14	2	10,331	289	15,731
Northern Rockies	FIRES	303	5	0	1	89	69	467
	ACRES	2,480	19	760	0	707	149	4,115
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	9	54	2	2	129	25	221
	ACRES	15	3,375	1	0	617	24	4,032
Western Great Basin	FIRES		37	1	4	17	4	63
	ACRES		21	15	0	47	1	84
Southwest	FIRES	315	129	4	44	297	424	1,213
	ACRES	2,757	14,533	33	29,178	36,638	58,981	142,120
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	168	95	3	10	128	92	496
	ACRES	2,313	791	3,051	5,120	11,436	2,266	24,977
Eastern Area	FIRES	614		38	19	7,415	448	8,534
	ACRES	2,707		4,883	26	73,049	4,285	84,950
Southern Area	FIRES	513		44	21	14,521	416	15,515
	ACRES	32,278		1,578	137	201,321	17,413	252,727
TOTAL	FIRES	1,953	463	148	110	24,602	1,763	29,039
	ACRES	42,788	275,134	37,165	56,855	921,804	83,482	1,417,228

Ten Year Average Fires	39,017
Ten Year Average Acres	1,764,990

*** 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						1	1
	ACRES						400	400
Southwest	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				111			111
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	111	0	400	511

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					11		11
	ACRES					21,497		21,497
Northwest	FIRES	6	54	6	1		110	177
	ACRES	2,582	8,532	1,867	11		17,321	30,313
Northern California	FIRES	1	20	19	19	15	230	304
	ACRES	10	347	22,092	34	2,380	9,396	34,259
Southern California	FIRES		9	10	2	15	218	254
	ACRES		1,612	1,493	94	1,434	2,343	6,976
Northern Rockies	FIRES	72	23	99	8	25	158	385
	ACRES	2,325	3,873	25,262	1,240	920	17,246	50,866
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		17	6	4	28	44	99
	ACRES		1,709	2,745	505	1,524	10,250	16,733
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	2	2		7	14
	ACRES		68	1,395	546		638	2,647
Southwest	FIRES	27	16	10	3		88	144
	ACRES	1,575	16,094	8,870	161		41,732	68,432
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	38	56	113	18	49	135	409
	ACRES	5,749	8,215	25,028	2,484	6,300	19,528	67,304
Eastern Area	FIRES	47		365	24	1,348	159	1,943
	ACRES	62,783		55,268	5,511	83,158	57,783	264,503
Southern Area	FIRES	15		179	68	8,782	1,123	10,167
	ACRES	2,705		73,108	69,648	258,751	1,112,791	1,517,003
TOTAL	FIRES	206	198	809	149	10,273	2,272	13,907
	ACRES	77,729	40,450	217,128	80,234	375,964	1,289,028	2,080,533

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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	162	1,089	324	12,148
Yukon Territory	0	0	56	150,996
Alberta	368	687	1,017	37,709
Northwest Territory	0	0	83	93,784
Saskatchewan	65	1,808	274	331,178
Manitoba	106	3,993	244	81,716
Ontario	248	903	629	12,461
Quebec	130	84	504	344,273
Newfoundland	8	23	27	791
New Brunswick	63	84	109	109
Nova Scotia	171	415	256	472
Prince Edward Island	0	0	2	5
National Parks	12	11	47	736
Total	1,333	9,098	3,572	1,066,376

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