

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Sunday, June 10, 2012 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity:	Light (79 new fires)
New large fires:	6 (*)
Large fires contained:	2
Uncontained large fires: **	16
Area Command Teams committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	3
Type 2 IMTs committed:	4

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

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

On June 8, a Bureau of Indian Affairs firefighter was fatally injured in an engine rollover while en route to the Montezuma fire near Sells, AZ. The firefighting community extends its condolences to the family and friends of the deceased.

Southwest Area (PL 3)

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

* **Little Bear**, Lincoln NF. IMT 1 (Reinarz). Five miles northwest of Ruidoso, NM. Timber and grass. Extreme fire behavior with running and spotting. Community of Ruidoso and ski resort threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Whitewater-Baldy, Gila NF. IMT 1 (Sciacca) and NIMO (Houseman). Fifteen miles east of Glenwood, NM. Timber. Active fire behavior with long-range spotting. Structures threatened.

Gladiator, Prescott NF. Started on state land one mile east of Crown King, AZ. Timber. Smoldering. Road closures in effect.

Montezuma, Papago Agency, BIA. Twenty miles southeast of Sells, AZ. Timber and grass. Smoldering.

Bear Springs, Santa Fe NF. Five miles east of Ponderosa, NM. Brush and hardwood slash. Minimal fire activity.

Colorado Peak, Santa Fe NF. Ten miles northwest of Santa Fe, NM. Brush and hardwood slash. No new information received.

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
* Little Bear	NM	LNF	15,000	7,000	0	UNK	144	0	5	20	0	36	1.2M	FS
Whitewater-Baldy	NM	GNF	274,838	4,116	32	UNK	738	-88	13	24	9	20	20.9M	FS
Gladiator	AZ	PNF	16,240	0	90	UNK	17	-4	0	3	0	6	14.8M	ST
Montezuma	AZ	PPA	1,700	0	95	6/12	109	0	1	6	4	0	2.6M	BIA
Bear Springs	NM	SNF	622	0	95	UNK	53	-102	2	2	0	0	708K	FS
Colorado Peak	NM	SNF	246	---	95	UNK	44	---	2	0	0	0	350K	FS

Rocky Mountain Area (PL 3)

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

* **High Park**, Larimer County. IMT 1 (Hahnenberg). Fifteen miles west of Fort Collins, CO. Timber, brush and grass. Active fire behavior with crowning and spotting. Numerous structures threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

* **Guernsey State Park**, High Plains District BLM. Three miles northwest of Guernsey, WY. Brush. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

Cow Camp, Medicine Bow NF. South Dakota IMT 2 (Lowe). Twenty miles northeast of Wheatland, WY. Timber and logging slash. Active fire behavior. Structures threatened.

Little Sand, San Juan NF. Thirteen miles northwest of Pagosa Springs, CO. Timber. Active fire behavior with torching and spotting.

Skull Creek Complex, Wyoming State Forestry. Sixteen miles northwest of Newcastle, WY. Timber 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
* High Park	CO	LRX	3,000	---	0	UNK	NR	---	0	0	0	10	1K	CNTY
* Guernsey State Park	WY	HPD	480	---	0	UNK	47	---	0	14	0	0	NR	BLM
Cow Camp	WY	MBF	8,473	1,986	70	6/11	405	42	12	25	3	19	1.8M	FS
Little Sand	CO	SJF	7,833	1,105	N/A	N/A	122	14	3	4	2	0	2.7M	FS
Skull Creek Complex	WY	CPS	1,730	9	95	6/10	99	-103	3	13	1	0	461K	ST

Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires: 13
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 3
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

Lost Lake, Fishlake NF. IMT 2 (Wilde). Two miles west of Teasdale, UT. Timber. Group tree torching and short-range spotting. Residences threatened. Voluntary evacuations and road closures in effect.

Box Creek, Fishlake NF. IMT 2 (Adell). Ten miles east of Marysvale, UT. Timber and grass. Isolated torching and short-range spotting. Structures threatened.

Lake Creek, Dixie NF. Eight miles northwest of Boulder, UT. Timber. Creeping and 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
Lost Lake	UT	FIF	2,076	20	50	UNK	566	5	16	16	7	0	1.7M	FS
Box Creek	UT	FIF	2,018	0	40	6/14	407	55	12	16	5	0	1.4M	FS
Lake Creek	UT	DIF	1,200	0	90	UNK	67	-68	2	3	0	0	235K	FS

Southern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 17
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

George, Sequoia NF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Cooper) back to the local unit will occur today. Twenty-eight miles east of Porterville, CA. Timber and brush. Minimal fire activity. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

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
George	CA	SQF	1,707	-93	85	6/12	488	-98	18	6	5	0	5.5M	FS
* 5 Mile	CA	LAC	525	---	100	---	94	---	2	5	0	0	2M	CNTY

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Alaska Area (PL 2)

New fires: 4
 New large fires: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 1

* **Kogoluktuk River**, Galena Zone, BLM. Twenty miles northwest of Ambler, AK. Tundra and spruce. Creeping with occasional 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
* Kogoluktuk River	AK	GAD	1,200	---	92	6/10	8	---	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM
* Woodchopper	AK	GAD	320	---	100	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	NR	BLM

Eastern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 3
 New large fires: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Duck Lake, Michigan DNR. Fifteen miles northeast of Newberry, MI. Timber. 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
Duck Lake	MI	MIS	21,112	---	91	6/11	135	---	4	16	0	112	3.4M	ST

Predictive Services Discussion: An upper trough will move through the northern Plains, pushing a cold front across the Rockies and into the Mississippi Valley. Gusty winds and dry air will continue across the Southwest and southern Rockies. Scattered showers will develop over the northern Rockies and northern Plains. Warm, humid air will continue over the eastern U.S., bringing showers and thunderstorms to the Gulf Coast states and the Tennessee Valley. Windy conditions will continue over the northern Plains and upper Midwest. In Alaska, scattered showers and thunderstorms will develop across the South coast and over the Interior.

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



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		1	0	0	3		4
	ACRES		790	4,651	2,149	1,283		8,873
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES					20	1	21
	ACRES					5	0	5
Southern California	FIRES					17		17
	ACRES					84		84
Northern Rockies	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		3		1	7	2	13
	ACRES		20		115	27	3	165
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1		1			2
	ACRES		153		0			153
Southwest	FIRES	1					6	7
	ACRES	0					14,331	14,331
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1	1			2	6	10
	ACRES	0	480			3	3,000	3,483
Eastern Area	FIRES					2	1	3
	ACRES					17	5	22
Southern Area	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
TOTAL	FIRES	2	6	0	2	52	17	79
	ACRES	0	1,443	4,651	2,264	1,419	17,340	27,117

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		20	9	9	128	3	169
	ACRES		8,594	7,219	2,897	2,067	0	20,777
Northwest	FIRES	50	24	1	5	131	45	256
	ACRES	1,571	10,031	1	4	821	58	12,486
Northern California	FIRES	7	8	1	2	729	104	851
	ACRES	0	40	0	1	1,129	83	1,253
Southern California	FIRES	11	59	4	8	1,067	168	1,317
	ACRES	12	453	0	2	7,476	2,010	9,953
Northern Rockies	FIRES	501	19	12	4	103	63	702
	ACRES	23,809	1,774	813	620	3,424	982	31,422
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	18	111		6	223	45	403
	ACRES	474	23,179		115	8,949	11,133	43,850
Western Great Basin	FIRES	4	106		8	52	16	186
	ACRES	52	44,449		0	3,129	539	48,169
Southwest	FIRES	348	78	9	9	267	255	966
	ACRES	9,971	3,128	14	2,403	15,579	330,069	361,164
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	399	87	20	5	513	151	1,175
	ACRES	17,598	10,761	1,243	818	36,063	26,974	93,457
Eastern Area	FIRES	667		34	13	5,685	342	6,741
	ACRES	1,628		4,704	398	43,269	5,624	55,623
Southern Area	FIRES	227		22	24	10,204	333	10,810
	ACRES	30,866		15,176	3,473	134,013	49,392	232,920
TOTAL	FIRES	2,232	512	112	93	19,102	1,525	23,576
	ACRES	85,981	102,409	29,170	10,731	255,919	426,864	911,074

Ten Year Average Fires	32,495
Ten Year Average Acres	1,468,264

*** 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			0
	ACRES				25			25
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						5	5
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	25	0	5	30

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				2	9		11
	ACRES				18	5,314		5,332
Northwest	FIRES	8	57	5			152	222
	ACRES	3,151	6,941	995			31,935	43,022
Northern California	FIRES	2	13	18	21		152	206
	ACRES	107	203	22,419	151		13,072	35,952
Southern California	FIRES		6	5	1	1	156	169
	ACRES		1,521	381	50	550	3,948	6,450
Northern Rockies	FIRES	15	11	68	4	32	183	313
	ACRES	1,792	5,335	16,495	238	1,709	20,012	45,581
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		15	2	4	23	42	86
	ACRES		1,326	188	269	352	19,024	21,159
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8	4		13	4	29
	ACRES		2,261	419		279	221	3,180
Southwest	FIRES	29	12	7	15		129	192
	ACRES	1,201	8,014	2,592	109		38,468	50,384
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	23	24	91	21	18	61	238
	ACRES	2,025	2,987	19,979	2,492	8,377	10,819	46,679
Eastern Area	FIRES	36		463	40	905	148	1,592
	ACRES	22,098		76,836	9,054	57,719	57,134	222,841
Southern Area	FIRES	23		124	52	7,432	845	8,476
	ACRES	4,783		48,459	37,384	437,129	809,342	1,337,097
TOTAL	FIRES	136	146	787	160	8,433	1,872	11,534
	ACRES	35,157	28,588	188,763	49,765	511,429	1,003,975	1,817,677

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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	261	1,755
YUKON TERRITORY	1	0	8	104
ALBERTA	4	1	625	7,209
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	433	22	18,491
SASKATCHEWAN	2	3	136	3,760
MANITOBA	1	0	133	17,543
ONTARIO	9	111	458	49,141
QUEBEC	16	518	326	36,991
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	45	2,528
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	245	333
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	243	740
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	5	9
NATIONAL PARKS	0	22,500	14	68,484
TOTALS	33	23,567	2,521	207,087

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 change, and therefore may not match official year to date agency records.

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