

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Friday, November 23, 2012 – 0800 MT  
National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity (Weekly Total)**

Initial attack activity: Light (342 new fires)  
 New large fires: 6 (\*)  
 Large fires contained: 5  
 Uncontained large fires: \*\* 1  
 Area Command Teams committed: 0  
 NIMOs committed: 0  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

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

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

**Southern Area (PL 1)**

New fires: 246  
 New large fires: 6  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

\* **Turkey**, Daniel Boone NF. Four miles northeast of Whitley City, KY. Hardwood litter. Backing fire.

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
* Turkey	KY	DBF	580	---	40	11/23	28	---	1	1	0	0	10K	FS
* Stone Mt./Price Rd.	TN	TNS	2,200	---	100	---	10	---	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
* Snowball	AR	ARS	308	---	100	---	6	---	0	0	0	0	1K	ST
* Belles Fork	KY	KYS	250	---	100	---	37	---	1	4	0	0	6K	ST
* Lime Kiln	KY	DBF	169	---	100	---	15	---	1	1	0	0	22K	FS
* Meathouse	KY	KYS	150	---	100	---	10	---	0	1	0	0	1K	ST

TNS – Tennessee DOF

ARS – Arkansas Forestry Commission

KYS – Kentucky DOF

**Other Fires**

(As of November 23)

<b>GACC</b>	<b>Fires</b>	<b>Cumulative Acres</b>	<b>Crews</b>	<b>Engines</b>	<b>Helicopters</b>	<b>Total Personnel</b>
AK	0	0	0	0	0	0
NW	0	0	0	0	0	0
NO	0	0	0	0	0	0
SO	0	0	0	0	0	0
NR	0	0	0	0	0	0
EB	1	1,601	0	0	0	0
WB	0	0	0	0	0	0
SW	0	0	0	0	0	0
RM	4	3,607	0	0	0	1
EA	0	0	0	0	0	0
SA	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	5	5,208	0	0	0	1

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



## Today's discussion is from the Aviation Category.

### SAFECOMS

#### Attention! To All Involved in Aviation Operations!

- Ever feel like you don't make a difference?
- Want to really have an effect on aviation safety?
- Well, here's your chance!!!!

The Interagency SAFECOM Working Group has developed a quick survey to get feedback from you- the user. In an effort to reach as many folks as possible we have put it on the internet linked from the SAFECOM Homepage and from the icon and link below. Please take 5-10 minutes to complete the survey and provide us with your thoughts. The survey will be open from October 1, 2009 to July 31, 2010 to get the widest possible respondent pool. A running total of responses will be posted on the SAFECOM website monthly, and survey results will be distributed shortly after it closes.



If the above icon does not work, please click on the following link or copy and paste into your web browser:

<http://www.zoomerang.com/Survey/?p=WEB229PT2DSXYX>



#### What the SAFECOM system IS

The Aviation Safety Communiqué (SAFECOM) [AMD-34/FS-5700-14](#) should be used to report any condition, observation, act, maintenance problem, or circumstance with personnel or the aircraft that has the potential to cause an aviation-related mishap. SAFECOMS are a tool used to identify, document, track, and correct safety related issues.

#### What the SAFECOM system IS NOT

- NOT intended for initiating punitive actions,
- NOT to be used as a complaint system or for personal attacks,
- NOT used by contracting officers for contract evaluations/award purposes,
- NOT a substitute for "on-the-spot" corrections to a safety concern,
- Does NOT replace the requirement for initiating an accident or incident report.

#### SAFECOMS provide the necessary feedback for development of the following communication tools:

- [Accident Prevention Bulletins](#)
- [Lessons Learned](#)
- [Safety Alerts](#)
- [Technical Bulletins](#)
- [Airwards](#)
- Information sharing Memos
- Maintenance deficiencies (ADs, SBs, etc)
- Safety trends
- Training needs

Please contact AMD at (208)433-5070 or USFS at (208)387-5285 to report problems with the SAFECOM system.

#### References:

[Safecom website www.safecom.gov](#)

[Safety Alert 08-07](#)

[Safety Alert 06-01](#)

[See a short slide show on the Effective Use of the SAFECOM system](#)

**NEW FEATURE!!** Image files (jpg and gif) and PDF files can now be added to your SAFECOM to help clarify and enhance the narrative.

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.

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### Fires and Acres Last Week

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
Southern California	FIRES		1			13	3	17
	ACRES		2			4	0	6
Northern Rockies	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						3	3
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1				1	2
	ACRES		0				2	2
Southwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						48	48
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	7		1		2	2	12
	ACRES	45		78		6	0	129
Eastern Area	FIRES					59		59
	ACRES					2,085		2,085
Southern Area	FIRES					236	10	246
	ACRES					3,375	977	4,352
TOTAL	FIRES	7	2	1	0	310	22	342
	ACRES	45	2	78	0	5,470	1,031	6,626

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	4	39	30	22	300	5	400
	ACRES	164	51,616	39,629	76,752	107,600	0	275,761
Northwest	FIRES	129	228	27	29	880	984	2,277
	ACRES	44,235	1,138,445	1,902	20	46,410	268,088	1,499,100
Northern California	FIRES	123	24	1	13	2,825	606	3,592
	ACRES	275	423,780	1	28,526	34,356	284,598	771,536
Southern California	FIRES	35	245	12	65	3,274	696	4,327
	ACRES	47	40,760	8	2,197	42,146	12,628	97,786
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1,306	211	47	23	917	855	3,359
	ACRES	415,987	306,113	11,419	5,210	206,255	489,390	1,434,374
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	61	851	1	33	856	612	2,414
	ACRES	30,314	793,458	2	2,130	221,543	924,940	1,972,387
Western Great Basin	FIRES	5	635	4	16	205	142	1,007
	ACRES	1,200	503,356	61	28	66,740	42,739	614,124
Southwest	FIRES	756	202	13	42	549	1,092	2,654
	ACRES	39,783	5,326	187	4,334	33,945	461,699	545,274
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1,690	500	42	47	2,008	736	5,023
	ACRES	172,953	68,678	4,352	2,096	757,444	207,288	1,212,811
Eastern Area	FIRES	834		65	21	9,319	646	10,885
	ACRES	2,010		4,823	403	122,397	12,600	142,233
Southern Area	FIRES	636		85	43	17,024	679	18,467
	ACRES	122,869		36,332	16,716	280,016	83,542	539,475
TOTAL	FIRES	5,579	2,935	327	354	38,157	7,053	54,405
	ACRES	829,837	3,331,532	98,716	138,412	1,918,852	2,787,512	9,104,861

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>70,639</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>7,414,500</b>

\*\*\* Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. \*\*\*

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Last Week**

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES		10				7	17
	ACRES		701				483	1,184
Northern California	FIRES				1		4	5
	ACRES				6		1,051	1,057
Southern California	FIRES						5	5
	ACRES						375	375
Northern Rockies	FIRES						4	4
	ACRES						393	393
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES					1	0	1
	ACRES					27	1,125	1,152
Western Great Basin	FIRES					3		3
	ACRES					11		11
Southwest	FIRES			1			16	17
	ACRES			30			187	217
Rocky Mountain	FIRES			1			2	3
	ACRES			3,000			500	3,500
Eastern Area	FIRES			2				2
	ACRES			240				240
Southern Area	FIRES	1		2		98	3	104
	ACRES	55		100		1,826	456	2,437
TOTAL	FIRES	1	10	6	1	102	41	161
	ACRES	55	701	3,370	6	1,864	4,570	10,566

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

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				2	11	15	28
	ACRES				18	13,449	218	13,685
Northwest	FIRES	22	119	22	3		510	676
	ACRES	4,307	11,965	2,015	39		49,161	67,487
Northern California	FIRES	5	13	35	31	3	220	307
	ACRES	121	203	2,387	346	15	13,412	16,484
Southern California	FIRES		7	14	7	6	138	172
	ACRES		2,421	3,211	1,283	1,831	5,832	14,578
Northern Rockies	FIRES	26	21	75	5	170	341	638
	ACRES	3,060	4,770	18,436	240	8,015	24,028	58,549
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		19	3	5	37	78	142
	ACRES		1,572	245	250	1,930	29,782	33,779
Western Great Basin	FIRES		4	4	4	24	4	40
	ACRES		825	419	1,657	3,119	248	6,268
Southwest	FIRES	30	20	13	21		177	261
	ACRES	1,938	8,994	5,545	6,230		64,465	87,172
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	42	10	113	22	24	58	269
	ACRES	6,589	754	26,378	2,487	1,283	9,520	47,011
Eastern Area	FIRES	37		511	54	768	165	1,535
	ACRES	22,116		84,054	9,624	42,011	58,244	216,049
Southern Area	FIRES	23		156	59	9,968	912	11,118
	ACRES	4,600		61,823	40,819	503,631	843,619	1,454,492
TOTAL	FIRES	185	213	946	213	11,011	2,618	15,186
	ACRES	42,731	31,504	204,513	62,993	575,284	1,098,529	2,015,554

**\*\*\* Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. \*\*\***

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

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 \*\***