

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, April 19, 2013 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity (Weekly Total)

Initial attack activity: Light (944 new fires)
 New large fires: 2 (*)
 Large fires contained: 3
 Uncontained large fires: ** 0
 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: 337
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 0

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
* Gatliff Mountain	KY	KYS	136	---	100	---	10	---	0	1	0	0	2K	PRI
South Road	FL	FLS	777	0	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST

KYS – Kentucky DOF

FLS – Florida Forest Service

Eastern Area (PL 1)

New fires: 485
 New large fires: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 0

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
* Coal Car	IN	INS	716	---	100	---	50	---	1	18	0	0	3K	ST

INS – Indiana DOF

Other Fires

(As of April 19)

GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
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	0	0	0	0	0	0
WB	0	0	0	0	0	0
SW	0	0	0	0	0	0
RM	1	3,498	0	0	0	2
EA	0	0	0	0	0	0
SA	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	3,498	0	0	0	2

Predictive Services Discussion: A broad trough will remain in place over North America, keeping the storm track across the central and eastern United States through the week. A frontal system will produce snow over the Great Lakes region and rain and thunderstorms south to the Gulf of Mexico before exiting the East Coast by Sunday. Meanwhile, another weak snow storm system will slide through the northern Rockies and into the Plains by midweek. It will strengthen over the Mississippi Valley and produce snow across the Great Lakes and rain and thunderstorms across the eastern states by the end of the week. Temperatures will warm across the South and along the West Coast while the north remains cooler than normal.

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



ATV - How to Properly Ride and Operate

Motorized Operations Category

Riding an ATV correctly allows the operator to operate and control the machine more easily, and react more quickly to changes in terrain and environment. Proper riding posture includes:

- ✓ head and eyes up, looking forward;
 - ✓ shoulders relaxed, with elbows bent slightly;
 - ✓ hands on the handlebars; knees in toward the gas tank;
 - ✓ feet on the footrests, toes pointing straight ahead;
 - ✓ back should be straight but not tense
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- To turn an ATV, keep most of your body weight on the outside foot peg and lean your upper body into the turn. Never lower your foot to the ground for stability—could cause ejection if foot is caught by tire.
 - When climbing hills, shift your body weight forward to keep the front wheel(s) on the ground.
 - If stopped while going uphill, do not apply the rear brake only. Apply equal pressure to both front and rear brakes, but never only to the rear brake. Get off the machine and turn it around to proceed down the hill.
 - When going down hill, keep the engine running and in low gear, apply both front and rear brakes with even pressure and avoid sharp turns. Slide body forward on seat towards gas tank, keeping body weight back by leaning backwards. This will help keep weight on back wheels and lessen potential to flip ATV over forward. Avoid "side hill" situations. When they are unavoidable, lean into the hill.
 - When carrying a load up hill, if possible, place load on the front of the ATV to help keep the front end of the ATV from flipping over. If going down hill, place load on back of ATV to help keep the ATV from flipping over forward. If loads cannot be adjusted, (drip torch mounted on back), try to equalize the load on front and back if possible.
 - Only operate an ATV under the conditions for which you have been trained, qualified for and are experienced in riding.
 - As a last resort to avoid an impending collision, roll off the vehicle and kick yourself free of it.

References:

[Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations](#)

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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	1						1
	ACRES	1						1
Northern California	FIRES					37		37
	ACRES					26		26
Southern California	FIRES		4				5	9
	ACRES		0				7	7
Northern Rockies	FIRES					11	6	17
	ACRES					138	22	160
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	9		1	1		13
	ACRES	26	1		0	6		33
Western Great Basin	FIRES				1	1		2
	ACRES				0	0		0
Southwest	FIRES	10	1			11	13	35
	ACRES	179	10			129	183	501
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1				7		8
	ACRES	0				8		8
Eastern Area	FIRES				1	477	7	485
	ACRES				0	2,127	85	2,212
Southern Area	FIRES			4	1	320	12	337
	ACRES			104	1	3,714	113	3,932
TOTAL	FIRES	14	14	4	4	865	43	944
	ACRES	206	11	104	1	6,148	410	6,880

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					110		110
Northwest	FIRES	8				1	3	12
	ACRES	103				40	29	172
Northern California	FIRES	1				242	13	256
	ACRES	1				412	4	417
Southern California	FIRES	1	25	5	0	302	76	409
	ACRES	1	68	4	1	1,230	83	1,387
Northern Rockies	FIRES	28	1			21	28	78
	ACRES	2,810	3			322	10,872	14,007
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	10	29		3	24	3	69
	ACRES	119	1,060		0	460	49	1,688
Western Great Basin	FIRES	1	12		1	3	1	18
	ACRES	1	42		0	0	0	43
Southwest	FIRES	126	26	5	7	76	52	292
	ACRES	947	612	38	43	914	382	2,936
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	57	9	3	2	99	15	185
	ACRES	344	42	66	2	2,329	93	2,876
Eastern Area	FIRES	1		1	15	1,251	70	1,338
	ACRES	1		22	69	6,710	890	7,692
Southern Area	FIRES	100		32	9	6,914	820	7,875
	ACRES	10,672		3,591	1,245	74,384	10,632	100,524
TOTAL	FIRES	333	102	46	37	8,937	1,081	10,536
	ACRES	14,999	1,827	3,721	1,360	86,911	23,034	131,852

Ten Year Average Fires	19,623
Ten Year Average Acres	691,774

*** 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	0					1	1
	ACRES	79					50	129
Northern California	FIRES				1		2	3
	ACRES				1		48	49
Southern California	FIRES			1			3	4
	ACRES			2			212	214
Northern Rockies	FIRES						5	5
	ACRES						448	448
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0					2	2
	ACRES	6					336	342
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES		2				1	3
	ACRES		2,300				1,547	3,847
Rocky Mountain	FIRES			1	0	6	2	9
	ACRES			233	70	95	110	508
Eastern Area	FIRES			1	4	184		189
	ACRES			2	1,312	14,531		15,845
Southern Area	FIRES	1		3		144	42	190
	ACRES	500		660		4,932	47,079	53,171
TOTAL	FIRES	1	2	6	5	334	58	406
	ACRES	585	2,300	897	1,383	19,558	49,830	74,553

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1				1
	ACRES			5				5
Northwest	FIRES	1	19	5	1		28	54
	ACRES	379	4,142	289	7		3,672	8,489
Northern California	FIRES		12	9	19		103	143
	ACRES		736	9,887	341		3,536	14,500
Southern California	FIRES		2	4	2		125	133
	ACRES		129	53	100		4,165	4,447
Northern Rockies	FIRES	8	7			3	32	50
	ACRES	2,362	607			96	1,506	4,571
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	15	2	2	14	29	64
	ACRES	28	1,148	2	33	518	7,975	9,704
Western Great Basin	FIRES		3	1		6	4	14
	ACRES		227	35		59	168	489
Southwest	FIRES	10	18	4	1		45	78
	ACRES	1,464	10,608	171	10		11,067	23,320
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	5	33	14	7	29	83	171
	ACRES	224	1,619	1,477	262	5,456	23,822	32,860
Eastern Area	FIRES	1		30	11	316	66	424
	ACRES	210		2,414	3,940	23,719	24,633	54,916
Southern Area	FIRES	40		63	15	8,316	534	8,968
	ACRES	12,371		39,012	17,033	465,093	578,061	1,111,570
TOTAL	FIRES	67	109	133	58	8,684	1,049	10,100
	ACRES	17,038	19,216	53,345	21,726	494,941	658,605	1,264,871

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

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