

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, March 14, 2014 – 0800 MT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity (Weekly Total)

Initial attack activity: Light (884 new fires)
 New large fires: 10 (*)
 Large fires contained: 5
 Uncontained large fires: ** 6
 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: 747
 New large fires: 10
 Uncontained large fires: 6

* **Goose**, Lacassine NWR. Seven miles southeast of Hayes, LA. Grass. Active fire behavior.

* **Long Creek**, Oklahoma DOF. Six miles northeast of Hugo, OK. Timber. Creeping.

* **Waldo**, Okmulgee Agency, BIA. Four miles northeast of Weleetky, OK. Hardwood litter. Creeping and torching.

* **McDowell**, Okmulgee Agency, BIA. Seven miles east of Wetumka, OK. Hardwood litter. Active fire behavior. Residences threatened.

Rocks Mtn., Shenandoah NP. Nine miles north of Waynesboro, VA. Timber litter. Minimal fire activity. Commercial and residential structures threatened.

* **Bird Creek**, Okmulgee Agency, BIA. Five miles east of Weleetky, OK. Hardwood litter. Creeping and smoldering. Residences threatened.

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
* Goose	LA	LCR	1,500	---	0	UNK	8	---	0	3	1	0	5K	FWS
* Long Creek	OK	OKS	640	---	65	3/15	13	---	0	5	0	0	4K	ST
* Waldo	OK	OMA	621	---	85	3/21	16	---	0	3	0	0	9K	BIA

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* McDowell	OK	OMA	600	---	70	3/15	15	---	1	1	0	0	16K	BIA
Rocks Mtn.	VA	SHP	450	0	25	UNK	6	-6	0	0	0	0	60K	NPS
* Bird Creek	OK	OMA	180	---	90	3/20	16	---	1	2	0	0	5K	BIA
* Toms Camp Branch	MS	MNF	2,857	---	100	---	1	---	0	0	0	0	25K	DOD
* Quay	OK	OKS	1,580	---	100	---	73	---	0	22	0	0	6K	ST
* Miami Canal	FL	FLS	350	---	100	---	2	---	0	1	0	0	NR	ST
* Over Yonder	VA	VAS	210	---	100	---	12	---	0	2	0	0	7K	PRI
* Dry Creek	OK	OKS	165	---	100	---	8	---	0	3	0	0	6K	ST

MNF – National Forests in Mississippi

FLS – Florida DOF

VAS – Virginia DOF

Other Fires

(As of March 14)

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	0	0	0	0	0	0
EA	0	0	0	0	0	0
SA	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0

Predictive Services Discussion: For the latest daily weather forecast, please consult the National Weather Service graphical forecasts for the U.S. at: <http://graphical.weather.gov/sectors/conusWeek.php#tabs>

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



NFDRS PocketCards

Weather/Fire Behavior Category

The NFDRS PocketCard is a tool for field personnel to locally track outputs of the National Fire Danger Rating System (NFDRS) throughout the fire season. It is based on current and historical weather for a localized area and the area's historic fire occurrence. The PocketCard displays a general assessment of the fire potential and identifies combinations of local weather and fuel conditions that might contribute to severe fire behavior.

The PocketCard provides:

- A general indicator of the potential fire danger for a given rating or protection area.
- A graph showing the trend and status of the current year's fire season.
- A comparison of current year conditions to historical worst and average conditions.
- Fire danger values related to past large or problem fires.
- Critical local thresholds for temperature, humidity, wind speed, and fuel moistures associated with large or problem fires.

Discuss the following ways to use the PocketCard:

- Use it primarily before fires occur, before arriving to a fire. It is also useful during initial fire size-up, initial attack, and extended attack.
- Use it to learn of critical thresholds that predict the potential for extreme fire behavior for the local area. Be aware that local critical thresholds may be occurring earlier in the season.
- Use it to compare current and predicted local fire danger to historical local fire danger to enhance situational awareness.
- Use it to track daily fire danger indices that gauge the potential for weather and fuels to support extreme fire behavior and of the difficulty of control.
- Use it to supplement local experience.
- Use it as a point of reference for firefighters not familiar with the area represented by the card.
- When you receive a fire assignment outside your local area, visit the National PocketCard website at <http://fam.nwcg.gov/fam-web/pocketcards/default.htm> where PocketCards are filed by Geographic Area.
- Put it in the pocket of all your firefighters and keep one in your fire vehicle.
- Post it in dispatch. Use them in briefings. Provide them to incoming crews.
- **Do not use the PocketCard for site specific fire behavior predictions and fireline actions or without an interpretive briefing.**
- Review definitions and implications of ERC and BI values.

References: NFDRS Pocket Cards, NWCG, <http://fam.nwcg.gov/fam-web/pocketcards/default.htm>

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Fires and Acres Last Week

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	0	0	12	0	12
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	14	0	14
Southern California	FIRES	1	0	0	0	7	4	12
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Western Great Basin	FIRES	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest	FIRES	7	0	0	0	0	3	10
	ACRES	31	0	0	0	0	71	102
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	1	0	1	0	1	0	3
	ACRES	13	0	0	0	2	0	15
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	86	10	96
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	725	86	811
Southern Area	FIRES	8	0	1	0	725	13	747
	ACRES	1,916	0	1,500	0	4,570	530	8,516
TOTAL	FIRES	17	3	2	0	832	30	884
	ACRES	1,960	0	1,500	0	5,311	687	9,458

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIRES	0	1	1	0	3	1	6
	ACRES	0	0	9	0	11	0	20
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	1	0	381	22	404
	ACRES	0	0	17	0	869	884	1,770
Southern California	FIRES	5	11	4	3	343	52	418
	ACRES	0	29	52	3	519	1,639	2,242
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1	0	0	0	2	3	6
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	2	4	0	0	5	0	11
	ACRES	10	2	0	0	0	0	12
Western Great Basin	FIRES	0	10	0	2	2	0	14
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Southwest	FIRES	76	19	0	5	100	25	225
	ACRES	692	3	0	13	409	93	1,210
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	24	1	10	0	32	7	74
	ACRES	205	0	274	0	3,358	3	3,840
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	3	3	186	42	234
	ACRES	0	0	2	4	3,362	670	4,038
Southern Area	FIRES	231	0	12	22	6,271	151	6,687
	ACRES	17,912	0	1,594	257	56,448	6,608	82,819
TOTAL	FIRES	339	46	31	35	7,325	303	8,079
	ACRES	18,819	34	1,948	277	64,979	9,897	95,954

Ten Year Average Fires	9,244
Ten Year Average Acres	262,703

*** 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	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	198	198
Northern California	FIRES	0	0	0	2	0	1	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	3	0	107	110
Southern California	FIRES	0	2	0	0	0	1	3
	ACRES	0	10	0	0	0	86	96
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	0	0	0	3	1	5
	ACRES	55	527	0	0	4	55	641
Western Great Basin	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	11	11
Southwest	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	5,000	0	0	0	122	5,122
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	1	0	0	3	0	4
	ACRES	0	45	0	0	60	336	441
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	13	3	16
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	527	961	1,488
Southern Area	FIRES	6	0	19	0	654	46	725
	ACRES	850	0	7,160	0	48,440	38,021	94,471
TOTAL	FIRES	7	4	19	2	673	54	759
	ACRES	905	5,582	7,160	3	49,031	39,907	102,588

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AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest	FIRES	0	25	4	0	0	9	38
	ACRES	0	2,789	2,780	0	0	1,775	7,344
Northern California	FIRES	0	2	6	7	0	98	113
	ACRES	0	115	2,340	28	0	4,656	7,139
Southern California	FIRES	0	4	3	0	0	41	48
	ACRES	0	230	191	3	0	1,823	2,247
Northern Rockies	FIRES	0	5	0	0	3	6	14
	ACRES	0	506	0	0	20	29	555
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	3	7	2	4	16	14	46
	ACRES	70	1,202	16	43	191	2,106	3,628
Western Great Basin	FIRES	0	1	0	0	3	1	5
	ACRES	0	451	0	0	33	180	664
Southwest	FIRES	0	7	4	0	0	30	41
	ACRES	0	5,974	96	0	0	6,236	12,306
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	10	18	7	9	21	51	116
	ACRES	399	901	224	179	701	4,950	7,354
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	13	2	63	18	96
	ACRES	0	0	3,151	1,912	2,314	11,033	18,410
Southern Area	FIRES	54	0	62	12	3,138	371	3,637
	ACRES	9,416	0	22,694	9,208	154,940	330,060	526,318
TOTAL	FIRES	67	69	101	34	3,244	639	4,154
	ACRES	9,885	12,168	31,492	11,373	158,199	362,848	585,965

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

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