

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Friday, July 8, 2016 – 0530 MT
National Preparedness Level 2**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (103) new fires
 New large incidents: 5
 Large fires contained: 1
 Uncontained large fires:** 12
 Area Command Teams Committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 4

**Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Southern California Area (PL 3)

New fires: 17
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 4
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Pine, Los Padres NF. IMT 2 (Mills). Thirty miles northeast of Santa Barbara, CA. Timber, chaparral, and brush. Moderate fire behavior with isolated torching, flanking, and backing. Structures threatened. Road, area, and trail closures in effect.

Appaloosa, Tuolumne-Calaveras Unit, Cal Fire. Nine miles southwest of Angels Camp, CA. Timber, chaparral, and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior.

Erskine, Central California District, BLM. One mile southeast of Lake Isabella, CA. Timber, brush, and short grass. Minimal fire behavior. Area and trail closures in effect. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Deer, Kern County Fire Department. Seven miles west of Ricardo, CA. Timber, brush, and tall grass. Minimal fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Pine	CA-LPF	2,248	190	40	Ctn	7/15	693	0	20	5	11	0	9.7M	FS
Appaloosa	CA-TCU	310	0	90	Ctn	7/8	27	-73	0	3	0	0	1.1M	ST
Erskine	CA-CND	48,019	0	98	Ctn	7/9	52	-21	1	4	1	286	23M	BLM
Deer	CA-KRN	1,785	0	99	Ctn	7/10	95	-1,023	2	5	1	0	5M	CNTY

Great Basin Area (PL 3)

New fires: 12
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 2
 Type 2 IMTs Committed: 2

Buck, Boise NF. IMT 2 (Chadwick). Twenty-seven miles southeast of Cascade, ID. Timber. Moderate fire behavior with group torching, spotting, and flanking. Road, area, and trail closures in effect.

Hot Pot, Nevada DOF. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Bird) back to the local unit will occur tomorrow. Thirty-five miles north of Battle Mountain, NV. Brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior. Sage-grouse habitat threatened. Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Buck	ID-BOF	1,235	0	30	Ctn	7/16	403	76	11	7	4	0	1.5M	FS
Hot Pot	NV-NNS	122,292	-98	90	Ctn	7/9	216	-252	1	21	1	9	2.8M	ST
S	NV-SPKX	2,554	---	100	Ctn	---	8	-129	0	2	0	0	169K	PRI

SPKX – Sparks Fire Department

Northern California Area (PL 2)

New fires: 23
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 2 IMTs Committed: 1

Trailhead, Nevada-Yuba-Placer Unit. Transfer of command from Cal Fire IMT 2 (Young) back to the local unit will occur today. Four miles north of Georgetown, CA. Timber, hardwood slash, and hardwood litter. Minimal fire behavior. Numerous residences threatened. Trail closures in effect.

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Trailhead	CA-NEU	5,646	27	85	Ctn	7/9	975	-394	20	36	10	0	24.3M	ST

Northern Rockies (PL 2)

New fires: 10
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 1 IMTs Committed: 1

Observation, Bitterroot NF. IMT 1 (Turman). Ten miles southwest of Hamilton, MT. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, area, and trail closures in effect.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Observation	MT-BRF	1,429	0	35	Ctn	10/1	612	-38	18	10	7	0	5.9M	FS

Rocky Mountain (PL 2)

New fires: 1
 New large incidents: 3
 Uncontained large fires: 3

* **Browning**, Crook County. Fifteen miles southwest of Sundance, WY. Timber and brush. Extreme fire behavior with crowning and long-range spotting. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

* **LFE 4 Mile**, White River Field Office, BLM. Ten miles south of Rangely, CO. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with torching and creeping.

* **Buck Draw**, Weston County. Thirty miles southeast of Gillette, WY. Brush and short grass. Active fire behavior with running. Structures and sage-grouse habitat threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Kelso, Grand Mesa/Uncompahgre/Gunnison NF. Previously reported incident. Thirty-five miles south of Grand Junction, CO. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
* Browning	WY-CRX	875	---	5	Ctn	7/10	74	---	1	10	1	0	150K	CNTY
* LFE 4 Mile	CO-WRD	415	---	0	Ctn	7/11	110	---	3	1	3	0	250K	BLM
* Buck Draw	WY-WEX	1,349	---	98	Ctn	UNK	77	---	0	29	0	0	NR	CNTY
Kelso	CO-GMF	1,486	986	0	Comp	9/1	2	-10	0	0	0	0	15K	FS

Southwest Area (PL 3)

New fires: 7
 New large incidents: 2
 Uncontained large fires: 1

San Pasqual, Bosque del Apache National Wildlife Refuge, FWS. Eleven miles south of San Antonio, NM. Chaparral and brush. Minimal fire behavior.

* **Airstrip**, Kaibab NF. One mile southeast of Tusayan, Arizona. Timber. Moderate fire behavior. Structures threatened. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

* **Scott**, Kaibab NF. Eleven miles east of Tusayan, Arizona. Timber. Active fire behavior. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
San Pasqual	NM-BDR	720	0	75	Ctn	7/12	24	-51	0	5	0	0	45K	FWS
* Airstrip	AZ-KNF	437	---	20	Comp	7/12	30	---	0	5	0	0	25K	FS
* Scott	AZ-KNF	949	---	2	Comp	10/1	23	---	1	2	0	0	25K	FS

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	3	34,658	1	0	1	43
NWCC	3	4,270	0	10	2	57
ONCC	4	13,668	27	54	12	1,183
OSCC	6	63,434	26	20	13	979
NRCC	4	2,018	19	12	8	653
GBCC	12	139,258	31	50	12	1,267
SWCC	9	67,079	2	11	0	96
RMCC	8	21,129	11	56	6	588
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	8	8,752	0	7	1	30
Total	57	354,266	117	220	55	4,896

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	1	0	0	1	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	3	2	5
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Northern California Area	FIRES	1	1	0	0	21	0	23
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	32	15	47
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	13	4	17
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	1,083	180	1,263
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	7	2	10
	ACRES	89	0	0	0	141	0	230
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	5	0	0	4	3	12
	ACRES	0	3	0	0	1,767	5	1,775
Southwest Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	2	4	7
	ACRES	6	0	0	0	100	58	164
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	36	0	0	0	0	36
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	25	0	25
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	183	0	183
TOTAL FIRES:		3	7	0	0	78	15	103
TOTAL ACRES:		95	39	0	0	3,309	259	3,702

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	121	0	0	240	5	366
	ACRES	0	116,641	0	0	16,183	3	132,827
Northwest Area	FIRES	90	52	18	6	446	192	804
	ACRES	2,445	32,798	147	0	3,899	878	40,167
Northern California Area	FIRES	57	5	0	19	1,079	154	1,314
	ACRES	115	11	0	1	18,570	8,589	27,286
Southern California Area	FIRES	9	283	5	18	249	137	701
	ACRES	13	22,408	3	23	130,498	4,428	157,373
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	488	146	5	37	631	544	1,851
	ACRES	13,654	65,261	5,238	17,592	72,115	201,535	375,395
Great Basin Area	FIRES	391	152	6	7	521	146	1,223
	ACRES	1,228	7,549	398	1,349	395,821	15,823	422,168
Southwest Area	FIRES	489	0	25	19	4,887	335	5,755
	ACRES	1,880	0	1,087	910	29,824	7,064	40,765
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	325	0	16	54	11,847	362	12,604
	ACRES	132,673	0	28	27,567	825,226	34,876	1,020,370
Eastern Area	FIRES	9	283	5	18	249	137	701
	ACRES	13	22,408	3	23	130,498	4,428	157,373
Southern Area	FIRES	488	146	5	37	631	544	1,851
	ACRES	13,654	65,261	5,238	17,592	72,115	201,535	375,395
TOTAL FIRES:		2,328	837	86	182	22,032	2,164	27,629
TOTAL ACRES:		156,309	270,080	8,494	47,464	1,519,487	319,704	2,321,538

Ten Year Average Fires (2006 – 2015 as of today)	38,765
Ten Year Average Acres (2006 – 2015 as of today)	2,616,931

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
	ACRES	20	0	0	0	0	0	20
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	1	0	2	1	4
	ACRES	0	0	93	0	230	1,018	1,341
TOTAL FIRES:		1	0	1	0	2	3	7
TOTAL ACRES:		20	0	93	0	230	1,024	1,367

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	7	0	0	2	1	10
	ACRES	0	31,664	0	0	1,566	38	33,268
Northwest Area	FIRES	7	21	6	0	0	148	182
	ACRES	752	1,990	356	0	0	23,904	27,002
Northern California Area	FIRES	4	1	9	8	0	125	147
	ACRES	41	90	3,356	328	0	8,244	12,059
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	5	3	1	0	136	145
	ACRES	0	71	288	760	0	3,586	4,705
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	12	12	53	11	41	148	277
	ACRES	5,316	4,358	12,318	651	3,556	14,894	41,093
Great Basin Area	FIRES	4	23	6	5	36	74	148
	ACRES	110	2,296	3,584	128	915	25,780	32,813
Southwest Area	FIRES	8	30	3	8	1	103	153
	ACRES	894	22,071	92	2,331	2	62,524	87,914
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	19	29	50	16	73	69	256
	ACRES	1,322	2,738	21,080	5,719	4,484	27,771	63,114
Eastern Area	FIRES	46	0	347	23	880	180	1,476
	ACRES	45,655	0	50,823	5,774	59,736	56,090	218,078
Southern Area	FIRES	16	0	170	64	9,661	897	10,808
	ACRES	1,615	0	124,480	51,196	655,774	826,601	1,659,666
TOTAL FIRES:		116	128	647	136	10,694	1,881	13,602
TOTAL ACRES:		55,705	65,278	216,377	66,887	726,033	1,049,432	2,179,712

*** 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/>

Canada Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	3	0	492	92,722
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	29	15,301
ALBERTA	12	0	971	608,387
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	5	1,566	90	29,394
SASKATCHEWAN	601	6,723	910	154,395
MANITOBA	5	122	165	23,958
ONTARIO	0	0	373	85,409
QUEBEC	0	0	330	4,124
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	53	347
NEW BRUNSWICK	2	0	233	264
NOVA SCOTIA	0	0	203	362
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	6	19
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	36	5,293
TOTALS	628	8,411	3,891	1,019,975

* 1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: A cold front will move into the Pacific Northwest, bringing scattered showers and thunderstorms and cooler weather from the Northwest Coast to the northern Rockies. Warm and dry conditions will continue over the remainder of the West. In the East, scattered showers and thunderstorms will move through the Upper and Mid-Mississippi Valley to the Northeast. A few thunderstorms will form over the Southeast. Temperatures will turn cooler across the Northwest and the Great Lakes region. The southern half of the country will continue to be hot.

In Alaska, scattered shower and thunderstorms will be on the decrease. Temperatures will warm quickly across the state.

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



AIRCRAFT AND PILOT CARDING

Aviation Category

Every aircraft and pilot used in support of a Federal wildland fire mission must have a current Aircraft and pilot Card or letter of authorization. The card must be held in the aircraft or with the pilot, and give specific authorization to do the mission being requested.

These missions could be all, one, or any number of, missions as follows:

- Air attack (Level I, Level II, Level III)
- Reconnaissance
- Fire surveillance
- Water bucket
- Helitorch
- Cargo
- Longline

Every pilot who flies a properly carded aircraft must possess a current Interagency Airplane or Helicopter Pilot Qualification Card that gives specific authorization to fly the type of mission being requested and for the specific type of aircraft being used for the mission.

These missions could be all, or any number of, missions as follows:

- Air attack
- Reconnaissance
- Fire surveillance
- Low-level
- Paracargo
- Mountain/Remote airstrips
- Smokejumper
- Longline

Before the aircraft and pilot can be used for a specific mission, the aircraft must be specifically listed on a valid and current contract for the type of work being performed and a copy of the contract must be onboard the aircraft.

Each user of the aircraft and pilot has the authorization to physically inspect the Aircraft Data Card, the Interagency Airplane or Helicopter Pilot Qualification Card, and the contract. If any one of these three are not available for inspection, the mission must be cancelled or at least postponed until the authorizations of the aircraft, pilot, or contract can be determined.

Pilots have very specific and closely monitored duty time and flight time limitations that users must understand and adhere to:

- 14-hour duty day
- 8 hours flight time per day
- 2 days off in 14 calendar days
- 36 hours cumulative flight hours in any 6 consecutive days

References:
Interagency Helicopter Operations Guide(IHOG)

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