

**Incident Management Situation Report**  
**Friday, December 27, 2024 – 0730 MDT**  
**National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity (December 20, 2024 – December 26, 2024):**

| <b>Fire Activity and Teams Assigned</b> | <b>Totals</b>     |
|-----------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Initial attack activity:                | Light (189 fires) |
| New large incidents:                    | 2                 |
| Large fires contained:                  | 2                 |
| Uncontained large fires:                | 1                 |
| CIMTs committed:                        | 0                 |
| NIMOs committed:                        | 0                 |

Nationally, there are zero fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.  
Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

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This report will be posted every Friday at 0730 Mountain Time unless significant activity occurs.

**Active Incident Resource Summary**

| <b>GACC</b>  | <b>Incidents</b> | <b>Cumulative Acres</b> | <b>Crews</b> | <b>Engines</b> | <b>Helicopters</b> | <b>Total Personnel</b> | <b>Change in Personnel</b> |
|--------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>AICC</b>  | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      | <b>0</b>                   |
| <b>NWCC</b>  | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      | <b>0</b>                   |
| <b>ONCC</b>  | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      | <b>0</b>                   |
| <b>OSCC</b>  | 3                | 100,427                 | 2            | 0              | 0                  | 42                     | <b>-629</b>                |
| <b>NRCC</b>  | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      | <b>0</b>                   |
| <b>GBCC</b>  | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      | <b>0</b>                   |
| <b>SWCC</b>  | 1                | 928                     | 2            | 8              | 1                  | 150                    | <b>-28</b>                 |
| <b>RMCC</b>  | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      | <b>0</b>                   |
| <b>EACC</b>  | 0                | 0                       | 0            | 0              | 0                  | 0                      | <b>0</b>                   |
| <b>SACC</b>  | 4                | 752                     | 0            | 2              | 0                  | 20                     | <b>-40</b>                 |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>8</b>         | <b>102,107</b>          | <b>4</b>     | <b>10</b>      | <b>1</b>           | <b>212</b>             | <b>-698</b>                |

**Southwest Area (PL 2)****Fire Activity and Teams Assigned****Totals**

New fires: 17  
 New large incidents: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Horton**, Tonto NF, USFS. Seventeen miles northeast of Payson, AZ. Timber and chaparral. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Structures and energy infrastructure threatened. Area and trail closures in effect.

| Incident Name | Unit   | Total Acres | Chge in Acres | %  | Ctn/Comp | Est  | Total PPL | Chge in PPL | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|--------|-------------|---------------|----|----------|------|-----------|-------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Horton        | AZ-TNF | 928         | 408           | 17 | Ctn      | 2/28 | 150       | 10          | 2   | 8   | 1    | 0         | 1.6M     | FS         |

**Southern California Area (PL 2)****Fire Activity and Teams Assigned****Totals**

New fires: 48  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 0

| Incident Name | Unit   | Total Acres | Chge in Acres | %   | Ctn/Comp | Est | Total PPL | Chge in PPL | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|---------------|--------|-------------|---------------|-----|----------|-----|-----------|-------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Soda        | CA-CND | 419         | 0             | 100 | Ctn      | --- | 41        | ---         | 2   | 0   | 0    | 0         | 100K     | BLM        |

**Southern Area (PL 1)****Fire Activity and Teams Assigned****Totals**

New fires: 114  
 New large incidents: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 0

| Incident Name  | Unit   | Total Acres | Chge in Acres | %   | Ctn/Comp | Est | Total PPL | Chge in PPL | Crw | Eng | Heli | Strc Lost | \$\$ CTD | Origin Own |
|----------------|--------|-------------|---------------|-----|----------|-----|-----------|-------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|------------|
| * Field Branch | FL-FNF | 470         | ---           | 100 | Ctn      | --- | 6         | ---         | 0   | 1   | 0    | 0         | 40K      | USFS       |

**Fires and Acres from December 20, 2024 to December 26, 2024 (by Protection):**

| <b>Geographic Area</b> | <b>Fires/<br/>Acres</b> | <b>BIA</b> | <b>BLM</b> | <b>FWS</b> | <b>NPS</b> | <b>ST/OT</b> | <b>USFS</b> | <b>TOTAL</b> |
|------------------------|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Alaska                 | FIRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Alaska                 | ACRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Northwest              | FIRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Northwest              | ACRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Northern California    | FIRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Northern California    | ACRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Southern California    | FIRES                   | 0          | 1          | 0          | 0          | 40           | 7           | 48           |
| Southern California    | ACRES                   | 0          | 210        | 0          | 0          | 221          | 2           | 433          |
| Northern Rockies       | FIRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 2            | 0           | 2            |
| Northern Rockies       | ACRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Great Basin            | FIRES                   | 0          | 1          | 0          | 1          | 1            | 0           | 3            |
| Great Basin            | ACRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 1          | 0            | 0           | 1            |
| Southwest              | FIRES                   | 10         | 1          | 0          | 0          | 4            | 2           | 17           |
| Southwest              | ACRES                   | 53         | 3          | 0          | 0          | 17           | 8           | 82           |
| Rocky Mountain         | FIRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 1            | 0           | 1            |
| Rocky Mountain         | ACRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0            | 0           | 0            |
| Eastern Area           | FIRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 4            | 0           | 4            |
| Eastern Area           | ACRES                   | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 2            | 0           | 2            |
| Southern Area          | FIRES                   | 10         | 0          | 0          | 0          | 100          | 4           | 114          |
| Southern Area          | ACRES                   | 6          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 768          | 696         | 1,470        |
| <b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>    |                         | <b>20</b>  | <b>3</b>   | <b>0</b>   | <b>1</b>   | <b>152</b>   | <b>13</b>   | <b>189</b>   |
| <b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>    |                         | <b>60</b>  | <b>213</b> | <b>0</b>   | <b>1</b>   | <b>1,008</b> | <b>707</b>  | <b>1,988</b> |

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

| <b>Geographic Area</b> | <b>Fires/<br/>Acres</b> | <b>BIA</b>     | <b>BLM</b>       | <b>FWS</b>    | <b>NPS</b>    | <b>ST/OT</b>     | <b>USFS</b>      | <b>TOTAL</b>     |
|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Alaska                 | FIRES                   | 0              | 140              | 0             | 0             | 225              | 12               | <b>377</b>       |
| Alaska                 | ACRES                   | 0              | 553,766          | 0             | 0             | 113,309          | 1                | <b>667,076</b>   |
| Northwest              | FIRES                   | 289            | 338              | 33            | 52            | 2,101            | 1,038            | <b>3,851</b>     |
| Northwest              | ACRES                   | 62,365         | 1,103,274        | 68,131        | 6,854         | 222,483          | 519,326          | <b>1,982,434</b> |
| Northern California    | FIRES                   | 27             | 33               | 2             | 21            | 2,676            | 379              | <b>3,138</b>     |
| Northern California    | ACRES                   | 91             | 4,995            | 8             | 80            | 383,547          | 161,369          | <b>550,089</b>   |
| Southern California    | FIRES                   | 21             | 89               | 1             | 61            | 4,541            | 528              | <b>5,241</b>     |
| Southern California    | ACRES                   | 807            | 9,215            | 0             | 14,912        | 211,340          | 293,917          | <b>530,191</b>   |
| Northern Rockies       | FIRES                   | 729            | 96               | 23            | 11            | 2,085            | 725              | <b>3,669</b>     |
| Northern Rockies       | ACRES                   | 57,476         | 176,697          | 3,020         | 49            | 267,540          | 91,613           | <b>596,395</b>   |
| Great Basin            | FIRES                   | 57             | 1,204            | 8             | 70            | 1,317            | 623              | <b>3,279</b>     |
| Great Basin            | ACRES                   | 1,885          | 379,050          | 349           | 533           | 103,728          | 812,508          | <b>1,298,054</b> |
| Southwest              | FIRES                   | 867            | 223              | 10            | 33            | 643              | 1,113            | <b>2,889</b>     |
| Southwest              | ACRES                   | 60,897         | 38,761           | 2,861         | 1,927         | 84,888           | 172,221          | <b>361,555</b>   |
| Rocky Mountain         | FIRES                   | 657            | 421              | 13            | 26            | 1,786            | 393              | <b>3,296</b>     |
| Rocky Mountain         | ACRES                   | 60,947         | 58,671           | 273           | 1,455         | 532,783          | 88,279           | <b>742,408</b>   |
| Eastern Area           | FIRES                   | 207            | 0                | 33            | 64            | 12,171           | 475              | <b>12,950</b>    |
| Eastern Area           | ACRES                   | 896            | 0                | 1,197         | 333           | 139,125          | 12,762           | <b>154,314</b>   |
| Southern Area          | FIRES                   | 966            | 0                | 35            | 114           | 21,177           | 703              | <b>22,995</b>    |
| Southern Area          | ACRES                   | 70,789         | 0                | 21,541        | 16,665        | 1,804,230        | 55,401           | <b>1,968,627</b> |
| <b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>    |                         | <b>3,820</b>   | <b>2,544</b>     | <b>158</b>    | <b>452</b>    | <b>48,722</b>    | <b>5,989</b>     | <b>61,685</b>    |
| <b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>    |                         | <b>316,154</b> | <b>2,324,429</b> | <b>97,380</b> | <b>42,808</b> | <b>3,862,974</b> | <b>2,207,397</b> | <b>8,851,142</b> |

| <b>Ten Year Average</b>                | <b>Quantity</b>  |
|----------------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Fires (2014 – 2023 as of today)</b> | <b>59,513</b>    |
| <b>Acres (2014 – 2023 as of today)</b> | <b>6,950,386</b> |

**Disclaimer: Changes in agency YTD fires and acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments.**

## **Predictive Services Discussion:**

Atmospheric rivers will continue to affect the northern half of the West through the weekend, with heavy rain west of the Cascades and have snow in the mountains. The southern half of the West will remain dry, with breezy westerly winds at times, strongest on Monday when they will also spread onto the adjacent central and southern High Plains. Drier weather is expected across much of the West next week, with a period of offshore winds possible in southern California late next week. A slow eastward moving storm will bring widespread rain east of the Mississippi River into today into early next week. Another storm will bring a period of rain to the Great Lakes, Northeast, and Mid-Atlantic next week.

## [National Predictive Services Outlook](#)

## **6 Minutes for Safety:**

The 6 Minutes for Safety topic of the day is [Wildland Urban Interface - Structure Protection](#).