### Northwest Incident Activity

**New Fires and Acres**
- Initial attack activity: Light
- 8 fires for 88 acres
- OR: 2 fires for 1 acre
- WA: 6 fires for 87 acres

**Large Fire Summary**
- New large incidents: 0
- Reported incidents: 14 (OR:8, WA:6)
- 17,067 acres growth on existing incidents

**Northwest IMT Activity**
- NIMOs committed: 1
- Type 1 IMTs committed: 2
- Type 2 IMTs committed: 5

### Northwest Activity Summary

Light scattered showers were observed in Western Washington and Northwestern Oregon while the remainder of the geographic area was dry. A warming and drying trend combined with increasing instability moved into the geographic region ahead of a trough. These warmer and drier conditions allowed for increased activity and moderate growth on existing large fires while initial attack activity was light. There were 18 lightning strikes observed in the past 24 hours in Northeast Oregon and Southwest Oregon.

NIMO Team 2 is managing the Chilliwack Complex and the NW Pasayten.

### Northwest Current Incident Details

Incidents listed below meet large fire criteria and/or incidents with a Type 1 or 2 IMT assigned. Large incidents are defined as fires which are 100+ acres in timber or 300+ acres in grass/brush. For additional information on incidents no longer listed below please refer to the [Northwest Large Incident Summary](#) or [Northwest Fires Utilizing Other than Full Suppression Strategies](#)

**Incidents not Previously Reported: 0**

**Incidents Previously Reported: 14**

- **Double Creek.** OR-WWF-000400. Unified Command, IMT1, PNW Team 2 and OSFM Green Team. 10 miles SE of Imnaha, OR. Start 8/30. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Lightning. 59,510 acres (+15,842). 0% containment. Timber. Extreme fire behavior. Evacuations in effect. Road, trail and area closures. These teams are also managing Nebo, Sturgill, Goat Mountain One and Goat Mountain Two incidents. Information for these incidents can be found at [Northwest Fires Utilizing Other than Full Suppression Strategies](#).


- **Rum Creek.** OR-MED-000243. Unified Command, IMT2, NR Team 6; IMT1, ODF Team 1; OSFM Blue Team. Rand, OR. Start 8/17. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Lightning. 20,029 acres (+534). 42% containment. Timber. Active fire behavior. Evacuations in effect. Road, trail and area closures. Transfer of command to NR Team 6 occurred yesterday at 1800.

- **Cedar Creek.** OR-WIF-220180. IMT2, NW Team 6. 15 Miles E of Oakridge, OR. Start 8/1. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Lightning. 18,143 acres (+518). 12% containment. Timber. Active fire behavior. Evacuations in effect. Road, trail and area closures. IMT1, AK Team 1 planned to inbrief at 0900 this morning.


Big Swamp. OR-WIF-220189. IMT2, NW Team 9. 20 miles SW La Pine, OR. Start 8/01. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Lightning. 110 acres (+0). 100% containment. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Road, trail and area closures.

Chilliwack Complex. WA-NCP-000339. NIMO Team 2. 33 mi NW of Concrete, WA. Start 8/25. **Other than Full Suppression.** Cause: Unknown. 3,694 acres. 0% containment. Minimal fire behavior. Timber. The complex includes 11 fires in the North Cascades National Park. Limited information available.

NW Pasayten Complex. WA-OWF-000469. NIMO Team 2. 56 mi NE of Concrete, WA. Start 9/6. **Other than Full Suppression.** Cause: Unknown. 8,877 acres. 0% containment. Minimal fire behavior. Timber. The complex includes 5 fires on the Mt Baker Snoqualmie NF managed by the Okanogan NF. Limited information available.


Jones Creek. OR-WWF-000413. IMT3. 50 miles NW of Lewiston, ID. Start 9/4. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Unknown. 2,000 acres (+0). 0% containment. Grass. Moderate fire behavior. Fire is burning on Idaho Department of Lands. This incident is being managed by Northern Rockies. IMT2, NW Team 7 has been ordered for this fire. Inbrief planned for tomorrow at 1800.

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**Northwest Fire Weather Summary**

An upper-level trough will cross the region today, cooling temperatures in western Washington, while the rest of the region remains hot. The system will boost general winds, particularly through Cascade gaps and across the east side. Mid-level moisture and instability will support some potential for thunderstorms, mainly east of the Oregon Cascades. Some of the storms over northeastern Oregon could get strong with gusty, erratic outflow winds. Little, if any, precipitation is expected to reach the ground. Temperatures will be cooler Thursday behind the system before rebounding Friday into the weekend. A backdoor front will move down from British Columbia Friday, generating brisk northerly winds through the Okanogan Valley and other N-S oriented valleys and easterly winds across the Cascades to the coast. Models lack consistency at this point, but another trough possibly moves in from the Pacific late in the weekend or early next week pushing temperatures down closer to average and possibly bringing some chances for measurable precipitation and thunderstorms.

See your NWS forecasts for the latest details and any fire weather advisories in your area.

**Northwest Fire Potential Summary**

Significant fire potential remains elevated to high today due to the combination of high fire danger and hot, dry and unstable weather. Increased winds and thunderstorm potential will lead to high risk for new significant fires for southern and eastern Oregon. Concerns then turn to the west side Friday into Saturday with easterly winds boosting spread potential for new and existing fires.

More info: [NWCC 7-Day Significant Fire Potential Forecast](https://www.nifc.gov/nicc/sitreppt.pdf), and [National 7-Day Significant Fire Potential](https://www.nifc.gov/nicc/sitreppt.pdf)

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