



Morning Brief

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**** Report will only be published on Fridays unless activity increases ****

Preparedness Levels Northwest PL

Current	3-Day	10-Day
1 (11/1)	1 (10/30)	1 (10/25)

National PL
1 (11/13)

Northwest Historic PL
See Preparedness Level Product

Northwest IMT Rotation (11/13 – 11/20)

For additional IMT information refer to the [IMT Status/Rotation](#) page
<https://gacc.nifc.gov/nwcc/content/products/intelligence/teams.pdf>

NW Area Complex Incident Management Teams (CIMT)

NW Team 3 (Click)

Northwest Incident Activity (11/13 to 11/14)

3 fires for 0 acres
OR: 3 fires for 0 acres
WA: 0 fires for 0 acres

Large Fire Summary

New large incidents: 0
Reported incidents: 3 (OR: 3, WA: 0)
0 acres growth on existing incidents

Northwest IMT Activity

Complex IMTs committed: 0
Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
NIMOs committed: 0

National Fire Activity (11/13 to 11/14)

Initial attack activity: Light (118 fires)
New large incidents: 2
Large fires contained: 5
Uncontained large fires: 5

National IMT Activity

Complex IMTs committed: 1
Type 1 IMTs committed: 1
NIMOs committed: 1

*Nationally, there are 0 fires being managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

Northwest Activity Summary:

Current and expected weather is expected to minimize the risk of new significant fires. Prescribed fire projects continue in the region. Initial attack activity has remained minimal.

Northwest Current Incident Details

Incidents listed below meet large fire criteria and/or incidents with a Complex or Type 1 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: 3

Rail Ridge. OR-PRD-000761. ICT5. 14 miles S of Dayville, OR. Start 9/2. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Lightning. 176,661 acres (+0). 100% containment. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Road, trail and area closures.

Last report unless significant activity occurs.

Bachelor Complex. OR-DEF-000910. ICT4. 20 miles SW of Bend, OR. Start 9/8. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Lightning. 16,426 acres (+0). 63% containment. Timber. Minimal fire behavior with smoldering. Road, trail and area closures. This complex consists of 32 fires. No new information received.

Homestead Complex. OR-UPF-240311. ICT4. 30 miles NE of Glide, OR. Start 7/19. **Full Suppression.** Cause: Undetermined. 12,917 acres (+0). 65% containment. Timber and brush. Minimal fire behavior with backing, creeping and smoldering. Evacuation notices. Structures threatened. Road, trail and area closures. This complex consists of 7 fires. No new information received. No new information received.

Northwest Fire Weather Summary:

Showers taper off today but leave gusty north winds across southeast Oregon. Short-lived dry weather will occur this afternoon and most of Saturday. Rain starts spreading onshore Saturday afternoon as a colder frontal system arrives. The cold front crosses Sunday afternoon with moderately strong winds east of the Cascades. High pressure builds over the west coast for several days beginning Tuesday. Expect a few days of moderate to strong east winds later next week, particularly through and downwind of the Gorge. Dry weather may continue across many areas for at least a week.

Northwest Fire Potential Summary:

Current and expected weather is expected to minimize the risk of new significant fires through the weekend. Increasing east winds next week will enhance light fuel drying for western PSAs bringing additional risk factors to prescribed burns. Fuels are expected to dry through at least this time next week. While Significant fires remain very unlikely, prescribed fires may show higher activity than would be expected for this time of year.

More info: [NWCC 7-Day Significant Fire Potential Forecast](#), and [National 7-Day Significant Fire Potential](#)

National Incident Management Situation Report (IMSR): <https://www.nifc.gov/nicc/sitreprt.pdf>

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