



Morning Brief

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Preparedness Levels

Northwest PL

Current	3-Day	10-Day
1 (10/13)	1 (10/10)	1 (10/10)

National PL
1 (10/12)

Northwest Historic PL

See [Preparedness Level](#) Product

Northwest IMT Rotation (4/9 – 4/23)

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)

NW Team 2 – (Loomis)

Northwest Incident Activity

30 fires for 45 acres (4/11 – 4/18)

OR: 4 fires for 1 acre

WA: 26 fires for 44 acres

Large Fire Summary

New large incidents: 0

Reported incidents: 0 (OR: 0, WA: 0)

0 acres growth on existing incidents

Northwest IMT Activity

NIMOs committed: 0

Type 1 IMTs committed: 0

Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Complex IMTs committed: 0

National Fire Activity (IMSR 4/12 – 4/18)

Initial attack activity: Light (461 fires)

New large incidents: 18

Large fires contained: 22

Uncontained large fires: 3

National IMT Activity

Area Commands committed: 0

NIMOs committed: 0

Type 1 IMTs committed: 0

Type 2 IMTs committed: 0

Complex IMTs committed: 0

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

Northwest Activity Summary

Warmer and drier weather has allowed for prescribed fire implementation to continue across the Northwest. Snowpack has started to erode at higher elevations while green up is occurring across lower elevations. Initial attack activity remained minimal.

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

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Northwest Fire Weather Summary

Dry today with rain returning to the west side Saturday afternoon and a bit over northeastern Oregon and Washington Saturday night and early Sunday. Drying begins on later Sunday and Monday. Occasional showers and wet thundershowers Tuesday and Wednesday with more widespread rain likely later in the week mainly for Oregon and western Washington. Temperature above normal on the west side today and on the east side on Saturday falling below normal on Sunday. Temperature rising back above normal on Monday and Tuesday. General winds increasing from the southwest on Saturday, mainly central Oregon and the Columbia River Gorge.

Refer to local NWS forecasts for details in your area, particularly regarding thunderstorms.

See your local NWS forecasts for details.

Northwest Fire Potential Summary

Warmer temperatures today and Saturday will continue to decrease dead fuel moistures. Increasing general winds on Saturday east of the Cascades will pose a potential threat of fires in fine dead fuels or possible risk of burn escapes. Drying of dead fuels will continue next week most areas east of the Cascades.

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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