

**Alaska Interagency Coordination Center**  
**Situation Report**  
**Saturday - 08/03/2002**

Fire Danger is Very High  
 161 Lightning Caused Fires  
 354 Human Caused Fires

Wildland Fires	New	Out	Active	YTD Fires	YTD Acres
<b>Alaska Fire Service (AFS)</b>	2	3	35	100	664,614.2
GAD (Galena Zone)	1	0	10	37	129,292.6
MIL (Military)	0	0	1	11	65,276.5
TAD (Tanana Zone)	1	1	16	30	453,151.8
UYD(Upper Yukon Zone)	0	2	8	22	16,893.3
<b>State of Alaska (DOF)</b>	6	4	15	387	550,050.7
CRS (Copper River)	1	1	0	22	7.0
DAS (Delta)	1	0	1	25	19.3
FAS (Fairbanks)	0	0	0	74	23,614.1
HNS (Haines)	0	0	0	5	0.7
KKS (Kenai)	0	0	1	47	1,545.3
MSS(AnchorageMatSu Area)	4	3	3	152	1,547.4
SWS (Southwest)	0	0	10	58	523,314.6
TAS (Tok)	0	0	0	4	2.3
<b>Forest Service (USFS)</b>	0	0	0	28	27.0
CGF (Chugach)	0	0	0	4	0.8
TNF (Tongass)	0	0	0	24	26.2
<b>Statewide Totals</b>	8	7	50	515	1,214,691.9

**Active Wildfires:**

Protection Summary:	CRI	FUL	MOD	LIM	UNPL	TOTAL
AFS Protection:	0	6	5	23	1	35
DOF Protection:	1	6	1	7	0	15
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protection Totals:	1	12	6	30	1	50

Status Summary:	Staffed		Unstaffed	
	Contained (S/C)	Uncontained (S/U)	Contained (U/C)	Uncontained (U/U)
AFS Protection:	1	1	1	32
DOF Protection:	0	1	3	11
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0
Status Totals:	1	2	4	43

Fuels Management Fires	Ytd Fires	Ytd Acres	New	Active	Acres	8/2
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FWS (US Fish & Wildlife)	1	1,085.0
Military	1	1.0

## New - AES

**A520** Lat: **68:07** Status: **U/U** Acres: **100.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **159:37** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **GAD**  
Legal: 031.0N 004.00W 05 K Date Out: Owner: **NPS**  
Name: **Cottonwood Bar** Cause: **Human** Admin: **NOP**

Narrative: Fire is burning in a long stringer on the Noatak National Preserve in open tundra and hardwood stands. The fire burned around 2 cabins, but they have been reported as intact.

**A516** Lat: **63:54** Status: **U/U** Acres: **180.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **152:52** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **TAD**  
Legal: 012.0S 027.00W 04 F Date Out: Owner: **BLM**  
Name: **Lynx Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **AND**

Narrative: 1215 hrs: A new fire is reported as 20-30 acres in black spruce and hardwoods mix and 100% active.  
1749 hrs: The fire has increased to 180 acres and is 100% active, crowning and spotting ahead up to 1/2 mile. The fire is burning to the south pushed by north winds 5-10 mph.

## New - DOF

**201522** Lat: **61:32** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **149:33** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **MSS**  
Legal: 017N 002W 24 S Date Out: 8/02 Owner: **PRI**  
Name: **Partch** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Forestry and VFD responded to reported field on fire. Responders located a small grass fire that appeared to have been intentionally set. Forestry firefighters hiked in to fire and extinguished with fedco's.

**201521** Lat: **61:57** Status: **U/U** Acres: **0.1** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **151:24** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **MSS**  
Legal: 022N 012W 36 S Date Out: Owner: **STA**  
Name: **Shell Hills** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: Air Attack found this fire on return from fire 518. Fire was burning on ridge south of Whiskey Lake. Will send squad from MatSu crew in AM to extinguish.

**212519** Lat: **64:08** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.2** Option: **CRITICAL**  
Lon: **145:44** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **DAS**  
Legal: 009S 010E 11 F Date Out: Owner: **PRI**  
Name: **USA** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Holdover in berm pile re-surfaced as a result of high indices. Fire placed in monitor status

**201518** Lat: **62:04** Status: **U/C** Acres: **0.1** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **151:32** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **MSS**  
Legal: 022N 012W 20 S Date Out: Owner: **STA**  
Name: **Johnson Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: Private aircraft reported small smoke column near Whiskey Lake. Helitack responded and found small fire burning in hardwoods & spruce. Fire appeared to be lightning caused. Helitack secured perimeter and squad from MatSu crew will be shuttled in AM to mop up.

**214517** Lat: **61:39** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **144:46** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **CRS**  
Legal: 002S 004E 23 C Date Out: 8/02 Owner: **PRI**  
Name: **Cemetery** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Kenny Lake VFD's reported a .1 acre fire of unknown cause on private land. Fire was burning in a single spruce snag on .1 acres. Fire was extinguished by VFD's and checked by State DOF, and declared out.

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**201515** Lat: **62:10** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **150:06** Date Started: 8/02 Area: **MSS**  
Legal: 024N 005W 13 S Date Out: 8/02 Owner: BOR  
Name: **Sunshine Fire** Cause: Human Admin:

Narrative: Forestry responded to report of tree on fire. Found a smoldering birch surrounded by 4-wheeler trails. Felled tree and extinguished fire.

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**Active - AFS**

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**A513** Lat: **62:44** Status: **S/C** Acres: **10.0** Option: **FULL**  
Lon: **163:55** Date Started: 8/01 Area: **GAD**  
Legal: 031.0N 078.00W 33 S Date Out: Owner: BIA  
Name: **New Hamilton** Cause: Human Admin:

Narrative: Containment efforts effective with smoke jumper initial attack. Stubborn hot spots in peat have slowed mop-up. Jumpers were de-mobed during the afternoon, and replaced with Franke + 6 EFF. One medium-helicopter is assigned to the fire to aid suppression activity.

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**A511** Lat: **67:46** Status: **U/U** Acres: **270.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **147:43** Date Started: 7/31 Area: **UYD**  
Legal: 034.0N 001.00W 14 F Date Out: Owner: STA  
Name: **Stringo Lakes** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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**A504** Lat: **67:42** Status: **U/U** Acres: **2,000.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **146:09** Date Started: 7/23 Area: **UYD**  
Legal: 033.0N 007.00E 11 F Date Out: Owner: FWS  
Name: **BIG ROCK MOUNTAIN** Cause: Lightning Admin: ARC

Narrative: 1845 hrs: The fire was observed to be highly active. Currently backing down slopes while slowing down in the white spruce. A 630-acre increase is noted.

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**A503** Lat: **67:22** Status: **U/U** Acres: **1,700.0** Option: **UNPLANN**  
Lon: **146:10** Date Started: 7/23 Area: **UYD**  
Legal: 029.0N 007.00E 03 F Date Out: Owner: NCA  
Name: **KOCACHO #2** Cause: Lightning Admin:

Narrative: 1825 hrs: The fire displayed a white and black column visible from a distance of 22 miles out. Fire behavior was highly active with torching in the southwest corner on the flats above the creek, and on the northeast corner in black spruce. The fire perimeter was 70% active. An increase of 400 acres was noted.

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**A497** Lat: **67:11** Status: **U/U** Acres: **30.0** Option: **MODIFIED**  
**231497** Lon: **151:40** Date Started: 7/22 Area: **TAD**  
Legal: 027.0N 019.00W 12 F Date Out: Owner: STA  
Name: **Death Valley** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: Fire was not monitored.

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**A490** Lat: **64:16** Status: **U/U** Acres: **4,310.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **155:34** Date Started: 7/21 Area: **GAD**  
Legal: 014.0S 017.00E 19 K Date Out: Owner: STA  
Name: **Long Creek** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: Crowning and running on the west flank which is 100% active. Also similar behavior on the south flank which is 100% active. Fire is backing to the north. Interior smokes on east flank. Fire is 1&1/2 miles from Sulatna Crossing.

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**A487** Lat: **67:22** Status: **U/U** Acres: **180.0** Option: **LIMITED**  
Lon: **148:38** Date Started: 7/21 Area: **UYD**  
Legal: 029.0N 005.00W 03 F Date Out: Owner: STA  
Name: **Goldbug** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: This fire was not monitored today.

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<b>A486</b>	Lat: <b>63:13</b> Lon: <b>160:04</b> Legal: 026.0S 007.00W 19 K Name: <b>Thompson Creek</b>	Status: U/U	Acres: <b>110.0</b> Date Started: 7/20 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>GAD</b> Owner: BLM Admin: NOD
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Narrative: Fire not flown due to higher priority fires and limited aviation resources.

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<b>A485</b> <b>231485</b>	Lat: <b>66:51</b> Lon: <b>153:57</b> Legal: 017.0N 022.00E 25 K Name: <b>Hogatza River</b>	Status: U/U	Acres: <b>50.0</b> Date Started: 7/20 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: STA Admin: L&W
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Narrative: Fire was not monitored today.

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<b>A483</b>	Lat: <b>66:53</b> Lon: <b>153:20</b> Legal: 017.0N 025.00E 11 K Name: <b>Alatna Hills</b>	Status: U/U	Acres: <b>110.0</b> Date Started: 7/20 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: BLM Admin: NOD
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Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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<b>A480</b>	Lat: <b>67:42</b> Lon: <b>152:45</b> Legal: 033.0N 023.00W 10 F Name: <b>Dawn Creek</b>	Status: U/U	Acres: <b>900.0</b> Date Started: 7/20 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: NPS Admin: GAP
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Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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<b>A478</b>	Lat: <b>62:54</b> Lon: <b>160:26</b> Legal: 033.0N 059.00W 35 S Name: <b>Goblet Creek</b>	Status: S/U	Acres: <b>3,300.0</b> Date Started: 7/20 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>FULL</b> Area: <b>GAD</b> Owner: NCA Admin: Doyon
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Narrative: Zone aircraft called in fire activity on this fire at 17:10 hours. Three smokes on the western perimeter, with one very active at three acres burning in thick black spruce. Eight smokejumpers were deployed on the fire at 20:12 hours. They reported two very active spots: a three and ten acre area on the western perimeter. A load of retardant was dropped on the fire. Hose lay was constructed to attack these spots. Firefighters worked late into the night which seemed successful. Additional forces are scheduled to join in the efforts by mid-day on 8/3.

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<b>A477</b>	Lat: <b>64:03</b> Lon: <b>151:23</b> Legal: 010.0S 020.00W 13 F Name: <b>John Hansen Lake</b>	Status: U/U	Acres: <b>5,200.0</b> Date Started: 7/20 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: BLM Admin: NOD
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Narrative: 1127 hrs: Winds were out of the north 2-5mph and mapping was difficult due to a smoke inversion.

1730 hrs: Still too smoky to assess accurately, but it was determined that the fire did not have significant gains since the last size estimation.

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<b>A473</b> <b>232473</b>	Lat: <b>66:45</b> Lon: <b>151:15</b> Legal: 022.0N 017.00W 09 F Name: <b>Jim River</b>	Status: U/U	Acres: <b>5,535.4</b> Date Started: 7/19 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: FWS Admin: KAN
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Narrative: Fire was not monitored today.

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<b>A463</b>	Lat: <b>65:39</b> Lon: <b>159:09</b> Legal: 003.0N 002.00W 19 K Name: <b>Tag River #1</b>	Status: U/U	Acres: <b>5,440.0</b> Date Started: 7/19 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>GAD</b> Owner: BLM Admin: NOD
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Narrative: Fire not flown due to higher priority fires and limited aviation resources.

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<b>A461</b>	Lat: <b>66:28</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>280.0</b>	Option: <b>MODIFIED</b>
	Lon: <b>143:17</b>		Date Started: 7/19	Area: <b>UYD</b>
	Legal: 019.0N 021.00E 17 F		Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: <b>Bear Nose #1</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: YKF

Narrative: 2000 hrs: 3 smokes were observed on the fire along the west and north edges respectively. Please note an acreage gain of 140 acres.

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<b>A459</b>	Lat: <b>66:53</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>1,610.0</b>	Option: <b>MODIFIED</b>
	Lon: <b>158:20</b>		Date Started: 7/19	Area: <b>GAD</b>
	Legal: 017.0N 002.00E 12 K		Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: <b>Sand</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: SWK

Narrative: Fire not flown due to higher priority fires and limited aviation resources.

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<b>A458</b> <b>231458</b>	Lat: <b>66:54</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>80.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>153:58</b>		Date Started: 7/19	Area: <b>TAD</b>
	Legal: 018.0N 023.00E 31 K		Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: <b>Helpmejack</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: Fire was not monitored today.

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<b>A443</b> <b>231443</b>	Lat: <b>65:40</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>1,597.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
	Lon: <b>144:51</b>		Date Started: 7/18	Area: <b>UYD</b>
	Legal: 010.0N 014.00E 28 F		Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: <b>Crazy</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: Fire was not monitored today.

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<b>A438</b>	Lat: <b>64:34</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>344.8</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>153:31</b>		Date Started: 7/18	Area: <b>TAD</b>
	Legal: 011.0S 027.00E 05 K		Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: <b>Grand Creek</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOW

Narrative: This fire was not monitored.

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<b>A433</b>	Lat: <b>62:50</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>6,050.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>158:22</b>		Date Started: 7/18	Area: <b>GAD</b>
	Legal: 032.0N 049.00W 25 S		Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: <b>Yetna River</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: INR

Narrative: East perimeter running. 100% active on east, west, and south perimeters. Too smoky to map. Fire has burned approximately 4 miles south.

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<b>A423</b>	Lat: <b>63:55</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>6,320.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
	Lon: <b>158:40</b>		Date Started: 7/17	Area: <b>GAD</b>
	Legal: 018.0S 001.00E 21 K		Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: <b>Khotol River</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: INR

Narrative: Running and crowning to the southwest. Fire is backing into an east wind on the north and northwest perimeters.

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<b>A417</b>	Lat: <b>63:36</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>65,236.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>152:41</b>		Date Started: 7/17	Area: <b>TAD</b>
	Legal: 015.0S 026.00W 30 F		Date Out:	Owner: NPS
	Name: <b>Moose Lake</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: DEP

Narrative: 1900 hrs: Fire continues to spread in all directions. The head has slowed due to a fuel change in mixed hardwoods. One allotment has been burned along Highpower Creek. Presently, there is no threat to the village of Telida. Several allotments remain threatened. Please note there has been a 6,500-acre increase.

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<b>A411</b>	Lat: <b>65:07</b> Lon: <b>156:08</b> Legal: 004.0S 013.00E 26 K Name: <b>Holtnakatna #1</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>20,950.0</b> Date Started: 7/17 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>MODIFIED</b> Area: <b>GAD</b> Owner: FWS Admin: KUK
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Narrative: No activity and no acreage increase.

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<b>A409</b>	Lat: <b>66:38</b> Lon: <b>145:35</b> Legal: 020.0N 009.00E 09 F Name: <b>Nuntragut</b>	Status: <b>U/C</b>	Acres: <b>205.0</b> Date Started: 7/17 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>FULL</b> Area: <b>UYD</b> Owner: NCA Admin: Doyon
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Narrative: No smokes observed. Please note that the 55-acre increase is the result of a digitized perimeter update.

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<b>A284</b> <b>P00284</b>	Lat: <b>64:29</b> Lon: <b>153:02</b> Legal: 012.0S 029.00E 03 K Name: <b>Big Mud</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>39,861.0</b> Date Started: 6/08 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: FWS Admin: NOW
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Narrative: This fire was not monitored.

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<b>A283</b> <b>231283</b> <b>P00283</b>	Lat: <b>64:38</b> Lon: <b>150:26</b> Legal: 003.0S 014.00W 19 F Name: <b>Geskakmina Lake</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>118,480.0</b> Date Started: 6/08 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>MODIFIED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: STA Admin: L&W
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Narrative: 1835 hrs: Fire making a run to the south pushed by north winds 5-10 mph. The western flank of the fire from West Twin Lake to the south is 100% active. There has been a 6,000-acre gain on the fire.

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<b>A275</b> <b>232275</b>	Lat: <b>64:14</b> Lon: <b>151:29</b> Legal: 008.0S 020.00W 10 F Name: <b>John Hansen Creek</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>25,733.8</b> Date Started: 6/06 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: BLM Admin: NOD
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Narrative: 1830 hrs: 2 smokes were observed; the first is one mile north of a private cabin, while the second is a new smoke one mile south of the same cabin.

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<b>A272</b>	Lat: <b>67:21</b> Lon: <b>144:21</b> Legal: 029.0N 015.00E 14 F Name: <b>Sheenjok</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>10,215.0</b> Date Started: 6/06 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>UYD</b> Owner: FWS Admin: YKF
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Narrative: 1935 hrs: Spot over the river at 67 26 19 x 144 12 11 is 15 acres. The second fire east of the main fire has not joined up with the main fire. The fire is creeping slowly downhill with some active fingers on the southeast flank. The fire's northeast corner is highly active. The cabin on the river is not immediately threatened. Fire is about .25 mile west of the cabin at this time. The main fire is estimated at 8,300 acres; the east fire is estimated at 1,900 acres; and the spot across the river is estimated at 15 acres. Total acreage gain is 4,515 acres.

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<b>A265</b> <b>232265</b>	Lat: <b>64:08</b> Lon: <b>152:33</b> Legal: 009.0S 026.00W 13 F Name: <b>Sischu</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>51,690.0</b> Date Started: 6/05 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: BLM Admin: NOD
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Narrative: 1145 hrs: The protrusion escaped pushed by west winds 5-8mph.

1745 hrs: During a second detection flight, the fire's protrusion continued to be pushed by northeast winds, 3-6mph, with a total estimated acreage gain of 650 acres. The fire is burning in black spruce in the hills north of Williams Lake.

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<b>A261</b>	Lat: <b>63:48</b> Lon: <b>154:15</b> Legal: 019.0S 024.00E 04 K Name: <b>Sulukna</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>28,500.0</b> Date Started: 6/04 Date Out: Cause: Lightning	Option: <b>LIMITED</b> Area: <b>TAD</b> Owner: BLM Admin: NOD
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Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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<b>A175</b>	Lat: <b>65:26</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>110,800.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>231175</b>	Lon: <b>148:49</b>		Date Started: <b>5/23</b>	Area: <b>TAD</b>
<b>P00175</b>	Legal: <b>007.0N 004.0W</b>	<b>17 F</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Milepost 78</b>		Cause: <b>Human</b>	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: 1332 hrs: Egg-shaped slopover on the west flank is creeping with only occasional torching. The winds were light and variable. Fuels are primarily black spruce. The rest of the fire is quiet. The estimated 1,000-acre gain is based on updated perimeter mapping.

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<b>A069</b>	Lat: <b>63:57</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>64,900.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>232069</b>	Lon: <b>146:23</b>		Date Started: <b>5/15</b>	Area: <b>MIL</b>
<b>P00069</b>	Legal: <b>011.0S 007.00E</b>	<b>21 F</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>MIL</b>
	Name: <b>Spurs</b>		Cause: <b>Human</b>	Admin: <b>ARMY</b>

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

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### **Active - DOF**

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<b>204510</b>	Lat: <b>62:34</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>2.5</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>155:14</b>		Date Started: <b>7/31</b>	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: <b>029N 032W</b>	<b>35 S</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Katlitna</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: Unable to conduct aerial surveillance due to heavy, low smoke from other fires.

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<b>A509</b>	Lat: <b>59:47</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>18.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>203509</b>	Lon: <b>151:12</b>		Date Started: <b>7/31</b>	Area: <b>KKS</b>
	Legal: <b>004S 011W</b>	<b>32 S</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Circle Lake Fire</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>FOR</b>

Narrative: Fire checked today by detection flight and no smokes visible. Will remain in monitor status for another day.

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<b>A446</b>	Lat: <b>62:00</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>1,500.0</b>	Option: <b>MODIFIED</b>
<b>204446</b>	Lon: <b>157:33</b>		Date Started: <b>7/18</b>	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: <b>022N 045W</b>	<b>17 S</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>NCA</b>
	Name: <b>Crooked #3</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin:

Narrative: Fire is estimated as 90% active. Western perimeter showed numerous smokes. Smoke obscured much of the fire. Helitack completed the cabin protection project. The head of the fire moved past the cabin. The burnout area was mopped up and the structure was wet down. The helitack crew was demobed at 1752.

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<b>A428</b>	Lat: <b>62:40</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>46,000.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>204428</b>	Lon: <b>154:16</b>		Date Started: <b>7/17</b>	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: <b>030N 027W</b>	<b>35 S</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>BLM</b>
	Name: <b>Windy</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>AND</b>

Narrative: Heavy smoke limited update surveillance.

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<b>204427</b>	Lat: <b>63:16</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>1,200.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>156:06</b>		Date Started: <b>7/17</b>	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: <b>026S 014E</b>	<b>01 K</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>South Fork</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: Acreage was decreased due to more accurate mapping. Fire was estimated as 25% active. It was creeping and smoldering on the perimeter and running along the SW portion with flame lengths of 2-4 ft.

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<b>204424</b>	Lat: <b>62:24</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>35,240.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>158:53</b>		Date Started: <b>7/17</b>	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: <b>027N 052W</b>	<b>27 S</b>	Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Reindeer</b>		Cause: <b>Lightning</b>	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: Heavy smoke made it impossible to update fire size. The western edge was torching with flames of 5-10'. Along the NW and NE margins, the fire was backing into the wind, creeping with flames of 1-3'. Fire was estimated as 90% active.

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<b>A422</b>	Lat: <b>62:28</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>6,640.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>204422</b>	Lon: <b>156:31</b>		Date Started: 7/17	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: 028N 039W 33 S		Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Waldren Fork</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: Observations were limited due to heavy smoke. Where the fire was visible; it was running and crowning with flames of 15-20'. Fire was estimated as 75% active.

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<b>204419</b>	Lat: <b>63:21</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>60.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>153:32</b>		Date Started: 7/17	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: 025S 028E 09 K		Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Tonclonukna</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: Fire not flown today.

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<b>A405</b>	Lat: <b>63:11</b>	Status: <b>S/U</b>	Acres: <b>21,680.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>204405</b>	Lon: <b>154:17</b>		Date Started: 7/17	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: 028S 024E 04 K		Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>North Fork</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: SMJs continued structure protection at Medfra and will demobe 8/3. Type II team with IC Tom Kurth will take over the fire at 12:00 on 8/3. Six crews have been hired for the fire. Heavy smoke severely limited the possibility of surveillance flight to update of fire behavior and size.

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<b>A402</b>	Lat: <b>61:46</b>	Status: <b>U/C</b>	Acres: <b>1,453.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>201402</b>	Lon: <b>150:36</b>		Date Started: 7/16	Area: <b>MSS</b>
	Legal: 019N 007W 08 S		Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Thursday Creek</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: Aerial detection flight reported 2 interior smokes, no threat to the perimeter. Fire will remain on monitor status.

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<b>A210</b>	Lat: <b>63:37</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>73,455.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
<b>204210</b>	Lon: <b>155:48</b>		Date Started: 5/26	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: 022S 016E 04 K		Date Out:	Owner: <b>STA</b>
	Name: <b>Colorado Creek</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: <b>L&amp;W</b>

Narrative: Colorado Mine operator reported increased fire activity. Surveillance will monitor fire on 8/3.

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<b>A167</b>	Lat: <b>62:42</b>	Status: <b>U/U</b>	Acres: <b>195,790.0</b>	Option: <b>FULL</b>
<b>204167</b>	Lon: <b>155:39</b>		Date Started: 5/22	Area: <b>SWS</b>
	Legal: 030N 034W 10 S		Date Out:	Owner: <b>NCA</b>
	Name: <b>Vinasale</b>		Cause: Human	Admin:

Narrative: Surveillance was limited due to low heavy smoke. Fire was smoldering and creeping in the NW portion.

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### **Out - AFS**

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<b>A488</b>	Lat: <b>66:56</b>	Status: <b>Out</b>	Acres: <b>15.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>146:30</b>		Date Started: 7/21	Area: <b>UYD</b>
	Legal: 024.0N 006.00E 05 F		Date Out: 8/02	Owner: <b>FWS</b>
	Name: <b>4 Mile</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: <b>YKF</b>

Narrative: Fire declared out.

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<b>A462</b>	Lat: <b>66:28</b>	Status: <b>Out</b>	Acres: <b>0.1</b>	Option: <b>MODIFIED</b>
	Lon: <b>143:23</b>		Date Started: 7/19	Area: <b>UYD</b>
	Legal: 019.0N 020.00E 14 F		Date Out: 8/02	Owner: <b>FWS</b>
	Name: <b>Bear Nose #2</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: <b>YKF</b>

Narrative: This fire has been called out.

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<b>A435</b>	Lat: <b>65:35</b>	Status: <b>Out</b>	Acres: <b>160.0</b>	Option: <b>LIMITED</b>
	Lon: <b>150:38</b>		Date Started: 7/18	Area: <b>TAD</b>
	Legal: 009.0N 015.00W 26 F		Date Out: 8/02	Owner: BLM
	Name: <b>Moose Creek</b>		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: The fire was declared out.

### **Out - DOF**

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<b>201514</b>	Lat: <b>61:42</b>	Status: <b>Out</b>	Acres: <b>0.2</b>	Option: <b>CRITICAL</b>
	Lon: <b>148:56</b>		Date Started: 8/01	Area: <b>MSS</b>
	Legal: 019N 003E 29 S		Date Out: 8/02	Owner: PRI
	Name: <b>Eska Creek</b>		Cause: Human	Admin:

Narrative: Fire gridded and cold trailed, no smokes or heat. Fire was turned over to landowner and is now considered administratively out.