

Alaska Interagency Coordination
Center Situation Report
Friday - 06/27/2003

Wildland Fires	New	Out	Active	Npr	YTD Fires	YTD Acres
Alaska Fire Service (AFS)	3	1	26	0	60	137,455.2
GAD (Galena Zone)	1	1	11	0	32	42,834.8
MIL (Military)	0	0	2	0	7	685.0
TAD (Tanana Zone)	2	0	7	0	9	137.8
UYD (Upper Yukon Zone)	0	0	6	0	12	93,797.6
State of Alaska (DOF)	3	5	12	0	278	59,581.2
CRS (Copper River)	0	0	0	0	3	0.3
DAS (Delta)	1	1	2	0	27	44,224.5
FAS (Fairbanks)	2	1	6	0	72	2,611.9
HNS (Haines)	0	0	0	0	3	0.5
KKS (Kenai)	0	0	1	0	26	402.6
MSS (AnchorageMatSu Area)	0	0	0	0	119	137.1
SWS (Southwest)	0	3	1	0	18	6,587.9
TAS (Tok)	0	0	2	0	10	5,616.4
Forest Service (USFS)	0	0	0	0	8	1.7
CGF (Chugach)	0	0	0	0	7	0.7
TNF (Tongass)	0	0	0	0	1	1.0
Statewide Totals	6	6	38	0	346	197,038.1

Active Wildfires:

Protection Summary:	CRI	FUL	MOD	LIM	UNPL	TOTAL
AFS Protection:	1	4	5	16	0	26
DOF Protection:	2	6	1	3	0	12
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0	0	0
Protection Totals:	3	10	6	19	0	38

Status Summary:

	Staffed		Unstaffed	
	Contained (S/C)	Uncontained (S/U)	Contained (U/C)	Uncontained (U/U)
AFS Protection:	2	3	4	17
DOF Protection:	1	2	5	4
USFS Protection:	0	0	0	0
Status Totals:	3	5	9	21

Fuels Management Fires

	Ytd Fires	Ytd Acres	New	Active	Acres on6/26
Military	7	1,733.7	0	1	15.0
	1	140.0			

New - AFS

B363 Lat: **64:45** Status: **S/U** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **156:45** Date Started: 6/26/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 008.0S 010.00E 36 K Date Out: Owner: **NCA**
Name: **Beaver Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin:
Narrative: The fire was reported by helicopter N133AL while engaged in a different fire mission. A jump ship was dispatched, which dropped two smoke jumpers. They quickly knocked it down. Plan to demob 6/27.

B360 Lat: **65:32** Status: **U/U** Acres: **15.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **151:30** Date Started: 6/26/03 Area: **TAD**
Legal: 008.0N 019.00W 08 F Date Out: Owner: **BLM**
Name: **FLESHLANANA** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **NOD**
Narrative: Detection Aircraft 9VS reported no smokes in this 15 acre lightning caused burn.

B359 Lat: **65:35** Status: **U/U** Acres: **50.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **151:20** Date Started: 6/26/03 Area: **TAD**
Legal: 009.0N 018.00W 28 F Date Out: Owner: **BLM**
Name: **Gishna** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **NOD**
Narrative: The burn reported to be in the general area of the Tozitna River drainage was confirmed by detection 9VS. The fire was smoldering in tundra and grass, and only one smoke was reported.

New - DOF

312362 Lat: **64:04** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **145:30** Date Started: 6/26/03 Area: **DAS**
Legal: 010S 011E 12 F Date Out: 6/26/03 Owner: **PRI**
Name: **Powerline** Cause: **Human** Admin:
Narrative: 1400---One engine responded to monitor a small fire, stomped out by the landowner, started by sparks from a downed powerline. Upon the arrival of GVEA, the engine departed.

311361 Lat: **63:53** Status: **S/U** Acres: **5.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **143:43** Date Started: 6/26/03 Area: **FAS**
Legal: 012S 005W 03 F Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **Lignite Creek** Cause: **Human** Admin: **L&W**
Narrative: The fire was reported, by a miner, as a brush fire 1 mile beyond the road at the Healy Mine. B212 16973 with helitack reponded and was assisted by FAF Engine F67. ASM B3 responded and reported the fire to be 5 acres burning in brush and sparce spruce. T 46 dropped one load of retardant, and the Salcha Crew was transported to the fire.

311358 Lat: **64:52** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.1** Option: **CRITICAL**
Lon: **147:57** Date Started: 6/26/03 Area: **FAS**
Legal: 001.0S 002.00W 04 F Date Out: 6/26/03 Owner: **PRI**
Name: Cause: **Human** Admin:
Narrative: No information received for this incident.

Active - AFS

AA38 Lat: **64:45** Status: **RX** Acres: **140.0** Option: **FULL**
Lon: **147:12** Date Started: 6/24/03 Area: **FCC**
Legal: 002.0S 003.00E 20 F Date Out: Owner:
Name: **Chena Lakes Unit** Cause: **Prescribed** Admin:

Narrative: Mopped up the east side 6/26. Mopping the southern perimeter. Fire was torching in the interior, 80% of the units burned. Forecasted rain did not materialize. Fire was burning active with good duff consumption with 50% humidity and overcast skies. Anticipate holding resources through the weekend with the expectation of clear skies.

Assigned Crews: Chena Type 1 Assigned: 6/26
Fairbanks #2 Type 2 6/24
Nenana Type 2 6/25

B356 Lat: **65:50** Status: **U/U** Acres: **80.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **147:31** Date Started: 6/25/03 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 012.0N 001.00E 27 F Date Out: Owner: **BLM**
Name: **Bull Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **NOD**

Narrative: Zone Detection reported that the fire was mostly smoldering with the majority of the activity on the southern and eastern perimeters. +20 acre gain.

B355 Lat: **68:58** Status: **U/U** Acres: Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **162:52** Date Started: 6/25/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 006.0S 046.00W 09 U Date Out: Owner: **NCA**
Name: **Surprise Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin:

Narrative: Fire not flown because aviation resources were assigned to higher priority fires. No new activity was reported from outside sources. Fire is in monitor status.

B354 Lat: **66:37** Status: **U/U** Acres: **5.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **157:08** Date Started: 6/25/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 014.0N 008.00E 15 K Date Out: Owner: **BLM**
Name: **Kilioviluk Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **NOD**

Narrative: Detection aircraft N114MN flew the fire at 1315. There was light smoke visible on the west flank. It was raining near the fire. No increase in size was noted. Fire is in monitor status.

B350 Lat: **65:20** Status: **U/U** Acres: **450.0** Option: **MODIFIED**
Lon: **165:23** Date Started: 6/25/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 002.0S 033.00W 14 K Date Out: Owner: **BLM**
Name: **Hunter Creek** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **NOD**

Narrative: The fire was not flown because aviation resources were assigned to higher priority fires. No new activity was reported from outside sources. Fire is in monitor status.

B348 Lat: **66:43** Status: **S/U** Acres: **3.0** Option: **FULL**
Lon: **145:26** Date Started: 6/25/03 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 022.0N 011.00E 30 F Date Out: Owner: **NCA**
Name: **Nuntragut Slough** Cause: **Lightning** Admin:

Narrative: Ten smokejumpers and 11 members of the Ft. Yukon crew contained the fire and began mop up. By 1800 hrs. the fire was looking good enough to release 9 of the jumpers back to Ft. Yukon. The remaining fire fighters will mop up and grid through the evening. On 6/27 the the crew will continue to mop up and grid with an anticipated demob at 1800 hrs.

Assigned Crews: Ft Yukon #2 Type 2 Assigned: 6/25

B346 Lat: **66:52** Status: **U/U** Acres: **1,000.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **147:16** Date Started: 6/24/03 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 023.0N 002.00E 02 F Date Out: Owner: **FWS**
Name: **Hadweenzic** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **YKF**

Narrative: Zone Detection reported that the fire had grown significantly. The southwest to west perimeter was very active with 50` flame lengths and a dominant column. +950 acre growth.

B344 Lat: **65:50** Status: **S/C** Acres: **20.0** Option: **MODIFIED**
Lon: **154:56** Date Started: 6/24/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 005.0N 019.00E 19 K Date Out: Owner: **FWS**
Name: **40 Mile Slough** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **KUK**

Narrative: Fire was contained at 2300 on 6/25. Firefighters moped-up throughout the day 6/26. A Type 2 crew (Huslia #1) was re-assigned from fire B328 to assist. Fire called controlled at 2100 on 6/26. Demob is planned for 6/27.

Assigned Crews: Galena Type 2 Assigned: 6/25
Huslia #1 Type 2 6/26

B343 Lat: **64:24** Status: **S/C** Acres: **4.3** Option: **FULL**
331343 Lon: **150:30** Date Started: 6/24/03 Area: **TAD**
P00343 Legal: 006.0S 015.00W 15 F Date Out: Owner: STA
Name: **East Twin** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: Water is now on 100% of fire. Extensive Doghair spruce and downfall are making gridding operations difficult. Possible demob on Saturday or Sunday.

B342 Lat: **68:00** Status: **U/U** Acres: Area: **LIMITED**
Lon: **159:18** Date Started: 6/24/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 030.0N 003.00W 15 K Date Out: Owner: NPS
Name: **Okoklik Lake** Cause: Lightning Admin: NOP

Narrative: Fire not flown because aviation resources were assigned to higher priority fires. No new activity was reported from outside sources.

B341 Lat: **66:43** Status: **U/U** Acres: **50.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **150:31** Date Started: 6/24/03 Area: **TAD**
Legal: 022.0N 014.00W 26 F Date Out: Owner: BLM
Name: **Bonanza Creek** Cause: Lightning Admin: NOD

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

B337 Lat: **64:32** Status: **U/U** Acres: **5.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **155:23** Date Started: 6/23/03 Area: **TAD**
Legal: 011.0S 017.00E 24 K Date Out: Owner: NCA
Name: **Scow Mountain** Cause: Lightning Admin: Doyon

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

B336 Lat: **67:13** Status: **U/C** Acres: **67.3** Option: **MODIFIED**
331336 Lon: **157:00** Date Started: 6/23/03 Area: **GAD**
P00336 Legal: 021.0N 008.00E 13 K Date Out: Owner: STA
Name: **Naniratkohrt Creek** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: The fire received additional rain during the night. Mop-up has been completed. The eight smoke jumpers and all equipment were demobilized to Fairbanks. It is yet unknown if the fire was declared out.

B334 Lat: **66:36** Status: **U/U** Acres: **123.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **148:09** Date Started: 6/23/03 Area: **UYD**
Legal: 020.0N 003.00W 03 F Date Out: Owner: FWS
Name: **Hodzana** Cause: Lightning Admin: YKF

Narrative: Zone Detection reported seeing little activity with smoldering and creeping to the northeast with minimal flames. The Hodzana River is holding the fire on the west. +20 acre gain.

B332 Lat: **67:18** Status: **S/U** Acres: **1,303.0** Option: **MODIFIED**
Lon: **159:38** Date Started: 6/23/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 022.0N 004.00W 30 K Date Out: Owner: NPS
Name: **Salmon River** Cause: Lightning Admin: KOP

Narrative: The eight smoke jumpers staffing this fire concentrated their efforts on mopping up the southern perimeter. Their objective to keep the fire from running south has been successful. No suppression has occurred on the northern portion where it is creeping toward a Limited protection area. The fire received substantial rain during the day. Demob of the smoke jumpers and the light helicopter assigned to the fire is scheduled for 6/27.

B331	Lat: 64:50	Status: U/U	Acres: 0.5	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 152:41		Date Started: 6/22/03	Area: TAD
	Legal: 001.0S 026.00W	36 F	Date Out:	Owner: BLM
	Name: Big Mud		Cause: Lightning	Admin: NOD

Narrative: Fire was not monitored.

B328	Lat: 65:58	Status: U/C	Acres: 463.0	Option: MODIFIED
332328	Lon: 156:28		Date Started: 6/22/03	Area: GAD
	Legal: 007.0N 011.00E	36 K	Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: Octopus Lake		Cause: Lightning	Admin: KUK

Narrative: All smoke jumpers, crews, and equipment were demobilized off the fire by 2000. The fire has been placed in monitor status. The Huslia #1 EFF crew was re-assigned to fire B344.

B327	Lat: 64:43	Status: U/U	Acres: 10.0	Option: LIMITED
331327	Lon: 151:29		Date Started: 6/22/03	Area: TAD
	Legal: 002.0S 019.00W	21 F	Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: Cosna River		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: The fire was not monitored.

B306	Lat: 66:00	Status: U/U	Acres: 2,930.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 158:55		Date Started: 6/18/03	Area: GAD
	Legal: 007.0N 001.00W	29 K	Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: Tag River		Cause: Lightning	Admin: SWK

Narrative: Detection aircraft N114MN flew the fire at 1505. The fire was not active and no increase in size was noted.

B305	Lat: 66:24	Status: U/U	Acres: 37,000.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 158:22		Date Started: 6/18/03	Area: GAD
	Legal: 011.0N 002.00E	01 K	Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: Kerulu Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: SWK

Narrative: Detection aircraft N114MN flew the fire at 1630. The fire was not active. No increase in size was noted.

B299	Lat: 65:48	Status: U/U	Acres: 91,083.0	Option: LIMITED
331299	Lon: 148:59		Date Started: 6/17/03	Area: UYD
	Legal: 010.0N 007.00W	27 F	Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: Erickson Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: A research team accompanied by an AFS Fire Specialist collected data along the pipe line near Hess Creek. Zone Detection did not map the fire.

B296	Lat: 65:35	Status: U/C	Acres: 1,473.0	Option: FULL
332296	Lon: 144:46		Date Started: 6/17/03	Area: UYD
P00296	Legal: 009.0N 014.00E	25 F	Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: Albert Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: Some rehab work took place in the morning and in the early afternoon the remaining overhead personnel were demobed to Fairbanks. The fire was placed in Monitor status.

B264	Lat: 64:48	Status: U/U	Acres: 500.0	Option: LIMITED
332264	Lon: 147:36		Date Started: 6/11/03	Area: MIL
P00264	Legal: 001.0S 001.00E	29 F	Date Out:	Owner: MIL
	Name: Mk 19 Range		Cause: Human	Admin: ARMY

Narrative: Monitor status.

B199	Lat: 66:00	Status: U/C	Acres: 2.0	Option: FULL
322199	Lon: 147:05		Date Started: 5/26/03	Area: MIL
	Legal: 002.0S 003.00E	11 F	Date Out:	Owner: MIL
	Name: Husky		Cause: Human	Admin: ARMY

Narrative: No updates provided.

Active - DOF

311357	Lat: 65:01	Status: U/C	Acres: 0.1	Option: FULL
	Lon: 146:13		Date Started: 6/25/03	Area: FAS
	Legal: 001N 008E	06 F	Date Out:	Owner: PRI
	Name: 51 Mile CHSR		Cause: Lightning	Admin:

Narrative: The fire remains in monitor status.

311349	Lat: 64:52	Status: U/U	Acres: 10.0	Option: LIMITED
	Lon: 145:26		Date Started: 6/25/03	Area: FAS
	Legal: 001N 011E	26 F	Date Out:	Owner: STA
	Name: Teuchet		Cause: Lightning	Admin: L&W

Narrative: The fire was not monitored, and remains in monitor status.

B338	Lat: 63:15	Status: U/C	Acres: 5.0	Option: FULL
313338	Lon: 142:58		Date Started: 6/23/03	Area: TAS
	Legal: 017N 013E	13 C	Date Out:	Owner: NCA
	Name: Tetlin Run		Cause: Lightning	Admin:

Narrative: Still in monitor status.

312330	Lat: 64:04	Status: U/C	Acres: 0.1	Option: CRITICAL
	Lon: 145:34		Date Started: 6/22/03	Area: DAS
	Legal: 010S 011E	03 F	Date Out:	Owner: PRI
	Name: Bison Road		Cause: Human	Admin:

Narrative: The fire is in monitor status.

B286	Lat: 60:23	Status: U/U	Acres: 0.1	Option: MODIFIED
303286	Lon: 150:14		Date Started: 6/14/03	Area: KKS
	Legal: 003N 006W	01 S	Date Out:	Owner: FWS
	Name: Pipe Creek		Cause: Lightning	Admin: KNA

Narrative: Fire not checked today, still on monitor status.

B285	Lat: 65:15	Status: U/C	Acres: 400.0	Option: FULL
311285	Lon: 146:48		Date Started: 6/14/03	Area: FAS
P00285	Legal: 005N 004E	24 F	Date Out:	Owner: PRI
	Name: Ptarmigan		Cause: Human	Admin:

Narrative: The fire was monitored, and the perimeter was walked with no smokes or hot spots found. The fire remains in monitor status.

B284 Lat: **64:16** Status: **S/U** Acres: **44,153.0** Option: **FULL**
312284 Lon: **145:11** Date Started: 6/14/03 Area: **DAS**
P00284 Legal: 007S 013E 33 F Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **SAND CREEK** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **FOR**

Narrative: Moderate rainfall has slowed fire behavior to creeping beneath mixed spruce and hardwoods. The ground fire in exposed areas has been reduced to smoldering in deep with no visible open flames. Completed move of the ICP to Sawmill Road site was successful. Fire growth was minimized by environmental conditions, and fire activity is limited to smoldering and occasional tree torching. Resources continue to improve defensible space. Fire cost today: \$173315.00 + \$57764.00 (cost adjustment) = \$231079.00

Assigned Crews:

Copper River #1	Type 2	Assigned: 6/24
Delta 1	Type 2	6/17
Denali	Type 1	6/14
Marshall	Type 2	6/15
Midnight Sun	Type 1	6/24
Northstars	Type 2	6/16
St. Michaels	Type 2	6/15
Tazlinas	Type 1	6/17

311283 Lat: **64:42** Status: **U/U** Acres: **640.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **144:42** Date Started: 6/14/03 Area: **FAS**
Legal: 015E 035S 04 F Date Out: Owner: **STA**
Name: **Porcupine** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **L&W**

Narrative: The fire was not flown today.

B277 Lat: **63:07** Status: **U/U** Acres: **500.0** Option: **FULL**
304277 Lon: **154:31** Date Started: 6/13/03 Area: **SWS**
P00277 Legal: 027S 023E 21 K Date Out: Owner: **NCA**
Name: **LEFT BANK** Cause: **Lightning** Admin:

Narrative: Fire still in monitor status.

B202 Lat: **63:13** Status: **S/C** Acres: **5,595.0** Option: **FULL**
313202 Lon: **142:57** Date Started: 5/27/03 Area: **TAS**
P00202 Legal: 017N 013E 29 C Date Out: Owner: **NCA**
Name: **Tok River** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: Mop up efforts, on the hot spot, were aided by the rain that started at midnight and continued into the morning. The plan is for the fire personnel to continue working the area through this evening and demob tomorrow morning.

B197 Lat: **64:11** Status: **U/C** Acres: **1,500.0** Option: **CRITICAL**
311197 Lon: **149:17** Date Started: 5/26/03 Area: **FAS**
P00197 Legal: 008S 009W 21 F Date Out: Owner: **PRI**
Name: **Rex Bridge** Cause: **Human** Admin:

Narrative: The fire remains in monitor status.

Out - AFS

B303 Lat: **66:43** Status: **Out** Acres: **10.0** Option: **LIMITED**
Lon: **155:37** Date Started: 6/17/03 Area: **GAD**
Legal: 015.0N 015.00E 04 K Date Out: 6/26/03 Owner: **NPS**
Name: **Kokumpat** Cause: **Lightning** Admin: **GAP**

Narrative: Fire was flown by detection aircraft N114MN. No activity was observed. Fire was declared out as of 1300.

Out - DOF

304352 Lat: **63:10** Status: **Out** Acres: **0.3** Option: **FULL**
 Lon: **154:35** Date Started: 6/25/03 Area: **SWS**
 Legal: 027N 022E 01 K Date Out: 6/26/03 Owner: STA
 Name: **Harry** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: Helitack crew gridded and cold-trailed the fire today, no heat or smoke was found. I.C. Andersen declared the fire out at 1210 and demobed the fire.

304333 Lat: **63:25** Status: **Out** Acres: **60.0** Option: **LIMITED**
 Lon: **156:03** Date Started: 6/23/03 Area: **SWS**
 Legal: 024S 014E 01 K Date Out: 6/26/03 Owner: STA
 Name: **Canyon Creek** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: Fire was reconned today and declared out at 1715.

B310
304310 Lat: **62:56** Status: **OUT** Acres: **430.0** Option: **LIMITED**
 Lon: **157:19** Date Started: 6/18/03 Area: **SWS**
 Legal: 033N 042W 18 S Date Out: 6/26/03 Owner: STA
 Name: **The Real Thing** Cause: Lightning Admin: L&W

Narrative: Fire was reconned today by N7UP and declared out at 1700.