INFRARED INTERPRETER'S DAILY LOG

Incident Name:	IR Interpreter(s):	Local Dispatch Phone:	Interpreted Size:
Happy Camp Complex	Max Wahlberg	CA YCC (530-842-3380)	See comments section
CA-KNF-007022			below.
			Growth last period:
			NA
Flight Time:	Interpreter(s) location:	GACC IR Liaison:	National Coordinator:
2327 PDT	Bend, OR	Kyle Felker	Jan Johnson
Flight Date:	Interpreter(s) Phone:	GACC IR Liaison Phone:	National Coord. Phone:
09/03/2023	503-319-9582	530-251-6112	
Ordered By:	A Number:	Aircraft/Scanner System:	Pilots/Techs:
KLAMATH NATIONAL	A-109	N350SM / Tk9	Tech: W. Scott
FOREST			
IRIN Comments on imagery:		Weather at time of flight:	Flight Objective:
Clouds obscured portions of tonight's imagery. Some		Partly Cloudy	Map Heat
alignment issues			
Date and Time Imagery Received by Interpreter:		Type of media for final product:	
09/04/23 @ 0145 PDT		PDF Map, gdb, kmz.	
Date and Time Products Delivered to Incident:		Digital files sent to:	
09/04/2023 @ 0500 PDT		NIFS, email. (FTP not functional)	

Comments / notes on tonight's mission and this interpretation:

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Tonight's Scan included all scanboxes with the exception of the Hancock fire. No data is available for the Hancock Fire. Cloud cover obscured imagery on the Burney fire (Titus scan box). However, the nearby Kings fire was visible and is mapped.

Elliot: 12,104 acres. Pockets of scattered heat were mapped in the Elliot Fire along with many isolated heat sources. No intense heat was observed. The previously separate Donkey fire has now merged with Elliot and is mapped as one heat perimeter in tonight's mapping.

Ufish: 5,036 acres. Perimeter growth to the south has reached the Titus Creek drainage bottom. Perimeter growth was also mapped in the Wilson Creek Drainage and on the ridgeline between Wilson Creek and Buzzard Creek. Some growth along was observed in the area of fire connecting the UFISH and MALLONE fires, though this are remains somewhat thin in places. Very little perimeter growth was mapped east of Titus Ridge in the MALONE fire's footprint.

Burney: Cloud cover obscured the Burney fire, so it could not be mapped properly. However, mappable heat and perimeter growth was noted on the nearby Kings fire (7 acres).

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Lake: 206 acres. The lake fire's event polygon continues to lag behind heat perimeter mapping. Mapping for this fire once again used the previous IR heat perimeter for this reason. Numerous isolated heat sources were mapped including a handful west of Red Rock Creek.

Scott: 1,886 acres (no growth). Only isolated heat sources were mapped in the Scott fire footprint tonight and no perimeter change was detected. Note: an isolated heat signature was located southeast of the Scott fire at the Indian Scotty Campground. This likely campfire was mapped as a "possible heat source" and is located at 41° 38.015' N 123° 04.823' W.

Townsend continues to have no heat showing.

Head: 6,941 acres. No perimeter growth was detected on the Head fire tonight. One pocket of scattered heat was located in the unnamed drainage north and across the fiver from the Sarah Totten Campground. Scattered heat was also mapped in an unnamed tributary to Martin Creek in section 12. All other heat sources identified were isolated heat sources.

Den: no movement and no heat showing once again.

Given no heat on the Den fire, it may be beneficial to shrink the Head, Block, Scott, & Townsend scan box. Three smaller scanboxes would suffice in this area, one each covering the Lake, Stott, and Head fires.