INFRARED INTERPRETER'S DAILY LOG

Incident Name:	IR Interpreter(s):	Local Dispatch Phone:	Interpreted Size (Acres):
Boundary	Elise Bowne	Central Idaho Dispatch	14,386 acres (low est. due to clouds)
ID-SCF-021230	elise.bowne@usda.gov	208-756-5157	Growth last period
			2,510 acres
Flight Time:	Interpreter(s)	GACC IR Liaison:	National Coordinator:
2157 MDT	location:	Nate Yorgason	Tom Mellin
Flight Date:	Lakewood, CO	GACC IR Liaison Phone:	National Coord. Phone:
09/02/2021	Interpreter(s) Phone:	435-590-1107	505-301-8167
	303-517-7510		
Ordered By:	A Number:	Aircraft/Scanner System:	Pilots/Techs:
Salmon Challis NF	A-84	N350SM/Tenax TK-9	Unknown/John
208-756-5157			
IRIN Comments on imagery:		Weather at time of flight	Flight Objective:
Orthorectification is off a bit on two strips, one		Partly cloudy	Map heat perimeter, intense, scattered,
was very well-aligned.			and isolated heat
Date and Time Imagery Received by		Type of media for final product:	
Interpreter:		Shapefiles, one geodatabase, two pdf maps, one kmz file, and the IR	
9/03/21 @ 0130 MDT		Log. IR output will also be posted to NIFS.	
Date and Time Products Delivered to		Digital files sent to:	
Incident:		https://ftp.wildfire.gov/public/incident_specific_data/great_basin/2021_Incidents/2021_	
9/03/21 @ 0530 MDT		Boundary/IR/	

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

Started with the event polygon in NIFS. Tonight there was fairly heavy cloud cover on the NE part of the incident. The water vapor in the clouds absorbed most of the infrared. In that area only some of the perimeter and heat were visible. The clouds are mapped so it is apparent what part of the fire area was not visible. The fire is undoubtedly larger than the acreage report.

- The part of the fire that had moved into the upper part of the Muskeg Creek drainage by last night, has moved down the drainage and appears to have tied in with the main heat perimeter. Lots of intense heat there, as well. Under the cloud cover, the heat appears to be moving up the Soldier Creek drainage to the south, though the full extent wasn't visible due to the clouds. The far eastern part of the heat perimeter in Greyhound Creek was under cloud cover and not visible.
- Along the north side of the incident, a new arm of intense heat has topped the ridge and is backing down into Greyhound Creek. The isolated areas of heat, on the north side of the incident in the west-facing slopes of Soldier Creek grew in the past 24 hours. There were small areas of intense heat in Thicket Creek, and in one spot, the intense heat has topped the ridge to the west and is starting to back down into the north-facing slopes that open to the Middle Fork Salmon River. From there to the west to Sulphur Creek, along the northern perimeter, there was less heat and not much growth.
- The heat perimeter has expanded quite a bit on Moorehead Mountain and appeared to be getting close to the top of the mountain, with lots of intense heat detected on the western part of the perimeter there.
- Intense heat detected in the bottom of Sulphur Creek and a small amount of growth along the ridge to the south of Sulphur Creek. However, where the interpreter noted that the heat had crossed Boundary Creek last night, that area has now expand up the hill to the ESE and over the ridge, past Dagger Creek and the tributary to the east of that. To the east, along the south side of the incident, intense heat has expanded on the east side of the Middle Fork Salmon River near the campgrounds, backing to the sharp ridge at the top,

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