



Smoke Outlook

West-Central Oregon - Bedrock Fire

8/08 - 8/09

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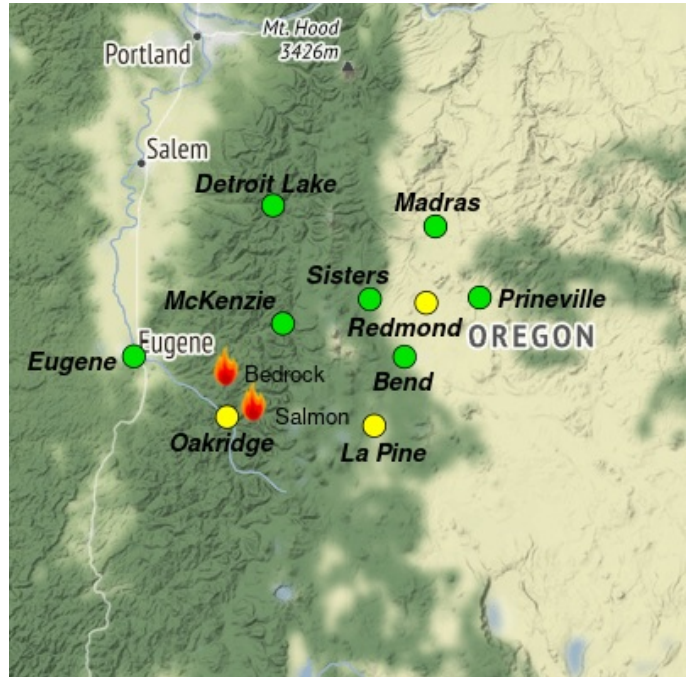
An **Air Quality Advisory** is in effect for parts of Deschutes, Lake, and Klamath counties until further notice.

Fire

Latest fire information is available at InciWeb: tinyurl.com/Fire-Information

Smoke

Northwest winds are shifting to the west and changing recent air quality patterns. Smoke from the Bedrock and Salmon fires is expected for Oakridge and southeast along Highway 58 this morning with impacts peaking at UNHEALTHY levels near midday. Eastward, on the Highway 97 corridor encompassing La Pine, Bend, Redmond, Prineville and Madras, smoke is expected with periods of MODERATE air quality possible for most areas. La Pine will likely see the most significant smoke impacts this evening with USG conditions developing. On the McKenzie River Highway corridor from Vida through to Sisters, MODERATE conditions are likely near midday. Lowell, Springfield, and Eugene may experience a period of light smoke this morning, but it should clear leaving GOOD conditions today. Similar smoke conditions are expected to continue for much of the remaining work week with consistent westerly winds.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Tuesday

| Station | Yesterday | | | Mon 8/07 | Comment for Today -- Tue, Aug 08 | Forecast* | |
|--------------|-----------|------|----|-------------|---|-------------|-------------|
| | 6a | noon | 6p | | | Tue 8/08 | Wed 8/09 |
| Eugene | | | | ● | Smoke may skirt the area in the morning but GOOD conditions should persist. | ● | ● |
| Detroit Lake | | | | ● | GOOD conditions should continue with no smoke expected. | ● | ● |
| Madras | | | | ● | Some smoke may enter the area tonight but overall GOOD conditions expected. | ● | ● |
| McKenzie | | | | ● | GOOD overall conditions but a period of smoke is expected near midday. | ● | ● |
| Sisters | | | | ● | Afternoon smoke is possible but GOOD conditions overall. | ● | ● |
| Redmond | | | | ● | GOOD conditions to midday then smoke may enter the area in the evening. | ● | ● |
| Prineville | | | | ● | Good conditions should persist despite the possibility of light smoke. | ● | ● |
| Bend | | | | ● | Primarily GOOD through the day but smoke and MODERATE for the overnight. | ● | ● |
| La Pine | | | | ● | Except for a period of GOOD in the afternoon, smoke is expected all day. | ● | ● |
| Oakridge | | | | ● | MODERATE to UNHEALTHY smoke is likely throughout the day with GOOD overnight. | ● | ● |

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| Air Quality Index (AQI) | Actions to Protect Yourself |
|-------------------------|---|
| ● Good | None |
| ● Moderate | Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion. |
| ● USG | People within Sensitive Groups* should reduce prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion. |
| ● Unhealthy | People within Sensitive Groups* should avoid all physical outdoor activity. |
| ● Very Unhealthy | Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion. |
| ● Hazardous | Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity. |

***Disclaimer:** This forecast is based on fine particulates only; ozone is not included. Forecasts may be wrong; use at own risk. Use caution as conditions can change quickly. See your health professional as needed. Smoke sensitive groups should take appropriate precautions.

Additional Links

[Bedrock Fire on InciWeb](https://tinyurl.com/Fire-Information) -- <https://tinyurl.com/Fire-Information>
[AirNow Fire & Smoke Map](https://fire.airnow.gov) -- <https://fire.airnow.gov>

[Bedrock Fire on Facebook](https://tinyurl.com/Bedrock-Facebook) -- <https://tinyurl.com/Bedrock-Facebook>
[Oregon Smoke Blog](https://oregonSmoke.org) -- <https://oregonSmoke.org>



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*Smoke and Health Info -- www.airnow.gov/air-quality-and-health