



Smoke Outlook

West-Central Oregon - Bedrock Fire

8/12 - 8/13

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Special Statement

An Air Quality Advisory for Deschutes County and Eastern Lane County related to smoke from the Bedrock Fire has been issued. More information here: <https://www.oregonsmoke.org/>

Fire

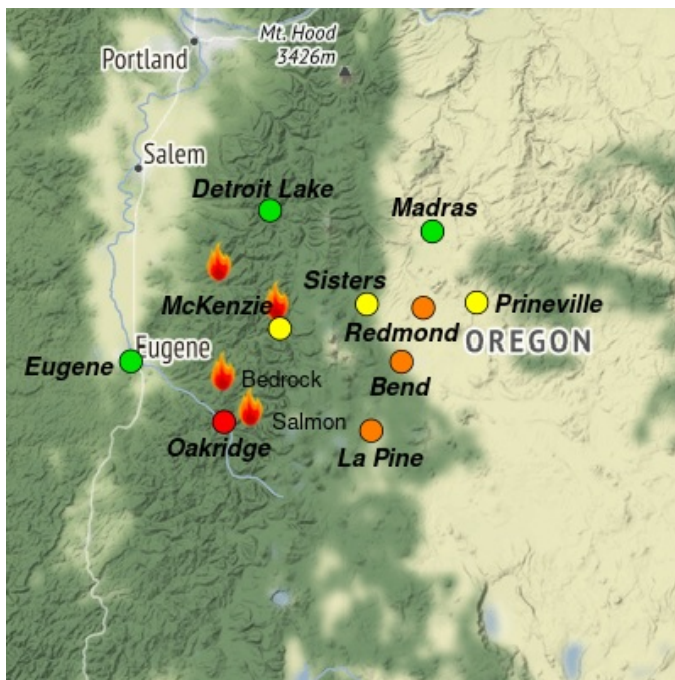
Latest fire information is available at InciWeb: [tinyurl.com/Fire-Information](https://www.inciweb.com/Fire-Information)

Smoke

The Lookout, Wylie, Salmon, and the Bedrock fires in this outlook area will continue to impact air quality.

Eugene/Springfield area, Detroit Lake, and Madras should experience GOOD overall air quality again today. McKenzie through to Sisters and Prineville are likely to experience smoke this morning through the afternoon with MODERATE to USG conditions overall. Bend is expected to have USG conditions all day and overnight. La Pine is expected to experience USG to UNHEALTHY conditions for most of the day, continuing into the area overnight. Oakridge and eastward on Highway 58 is predicted to have USG to UNHEALTHY conditions late morning through the early evening.

Conditions will moderate Sunday in the Prineville, Redmond and Bend Areas, as the smoke is pushed more to the southwest. La Pine and Oakridge will likely continue to experience smoke in USG levels.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Saturday

Station	Yesterday hourly			Fri 8/11	Comment for Today -- Sat, Aug 12	Forecast*	
	6a	noon	6p			Sat 8/12	Sun 8/13
Eugene	[Bar chart showing low smoke levels]			●	GOOD conditions are expected today.	●	●
Detroit Lake	[Bar chart showing low smoke levels]			●	GOOD conditions are expected today.	●	●
Madras	[Bar chart showing low smoke levels]			●	GOOD conditions are expected today.	●	●
McKenzie	[Bar chart showing moderate smoke levels]			●	Smoke from Bedrock, Wylie & Lookout Fires likely to create MODERATE conditions.	●	●
Sisters	[Bar chart showing moderate smoke levels]			●	MODERATE Smoke expected overall, with periods of USG late morning/early evening	●	●
Redmond	[Bar chart showing USG smoke levels]			●	USG conditions are expected for most of the day.	●	●
Prineville	[Bar chart showing moderate smoke levels]			●	MODERATE smoke in the late morning and afternoon, then GOOD conditions continue.	●	●
Bend	[Bar chart showing USG smoke levels]			●	USG smoke levels with possible UNHEALTHY conditions in the morning are expected.	●	●
La Pine	[Bar chart showing USG to UNHEALTHY smoke levels]			●	USG to UNHEALTHY conditions today with a slight improvement in the afternoon.	●	●
Oakridge	[Bar chart showing USG to UNHEALTHY smoke levels]			●	Unhealthy overall with a period of MODERATE in the morning likely.	●	●

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

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



Central Oregon Updates -- <https://outlooks.wildlandfiresmoke.net/outlook/959d2520>

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