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Special Statement

Smoke and fog can reduce visibility on roadways. Reduce your speed and use caution when visibility is impacted. No air quality advisories for today. More information at Oregon Smoke.

Fire

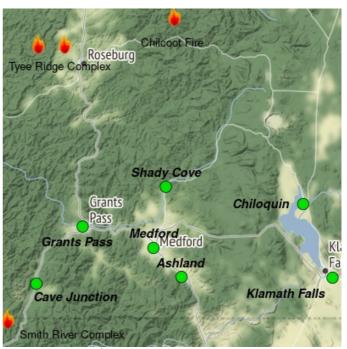
In addition to Smith River Complex, multiple active fires across OR may contribute smoke to the forecast area, including: Chilcoot Fire, Ridge Fire, Salmon Fire, Dinner Fire, Lookout Fire, Tyee Ridge Complex, Bedrock Fire, Flat Fire, and Brice Creek Fire. For more information, see InciWeb.

Smoke

Like Wednesday, little to no smoke will be expected today. Due to recent rain and cool overnight temperatures, air quality in the forecast area is still greatly improved. Today, air quality will remain GOOD. Toward the weekend, W winds could return some smoke from the Smith River Complex back into parts of the area. While National smoke models are predicting much improvement in smoke dispersion into late week, smoke conditions can change at any time. If you see smoke and smell smoke, you're breathing smoke. For near real-time air quality information, see the Fire and Smoke Map. Smoke impacts from wildfires in Canada may also be possible. Information about wildfires in Canada available at Natural Resources Canada.

Road Cameras

For road information, visit ODOT Road Cameras.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Thursday

	Yesterday	Wed	Forecast*	Thu	Fri
Station	hourly	9/06	Comment for Today Thu, Sep 07	9/07	9/08
	6a noon 6p				
Medford			GOOD air quality today and tomorrow. Light smoke expected later in the week.		
Grants Pass			GOOD to MODERATE air quality though the end of the week.		
Ashland			Air quality to remain GOOD with light smoke later in the week.		
Chiloquin			Air quality expected to stay GOOD for the next few days.		
Klamath Falls			GOOD air quality for next few days.		
Shady Cove			GOOD air quality for next few days.		
Cave Junction			Air quality will be GOOD through the end of the week.		

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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

Fire and Smoke Map -- https://fire.airnow.gov/ Smith River Complex Facebook Page -https://www.facebook.com/smithrivercomplexnorth OR DEQ - Air Quality -- https://www.oregon.gov/deq/aq/pages/default.aspx ODOT Road Cameras -- https://tripcheck.com/

