



# Smoke Outlook

## SW Oregon Anvil and Flat Fires

10/07 - 10/08

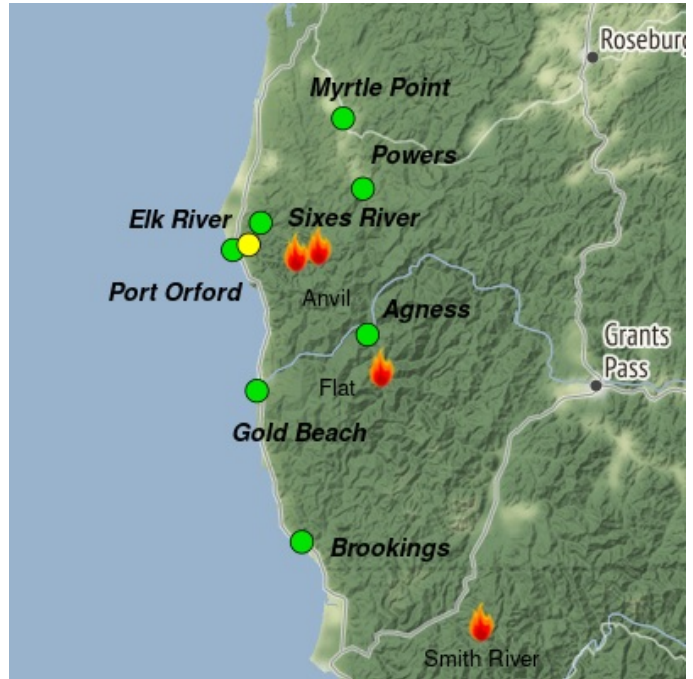
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### Fire

The Anvil Fire is still 22,170 acres and 54% contained. The Flat Fire also holds at 34,242 acres with 93% containment. Fire behavior picked up a little yesterday but mainly in isolated dead logs and stumps within the edges of the current perimeter. There was also a prescribed fire a few miles east of Bandon. Cooler light winds and increased cloud cover will not dampen the smoldering fires today.

### Smoke

The air quality should continue to be in the GOOD range across south coastal Oregon. The only place that will probably be smokey is the Elk River drainage from the fish hatchery to highway 101, but visibility on the road should be clear of smoke. Smoke production will be about what we saw yesterday from the isolated burning logs and stumps.



Daily AQI Forecast\* for Saturday

Station	Yesterday hourly			Fri 10/06	Comment for Today -- Sat, Oct 07	Forecast*	
	6a	noon	6p			Sat 10/07	Sun 10/08
Brookings	[Bar chart showing AQI from 6a to 6p]			●	GOOD AQ throughout the forecast area	●	●
Gold Beach	No hourly data				Good AQ for the Gold Beach area all day	●	●
Agness	No hourly data				No smoke expected from the Flat Fire	●	●
Port Orford	No hourly data				Some smoke from the Anvil Fire will flow into town in the morning	●	●
Powers	[Bar chart showing AQI from 6a to 6p]			●	Expect GOOD AQ today with some smoke from the Anvil Fire	●	●
Myrtle Point	No hourly data				Overall GOOD AQ with little impact from the Anvil Fire	●	●
Sixes River	[Bar chart showing AQI from 6a to 6p]			●	Expect some smoke in the river drainage in the morning	●	●
Elk River	[Bar chart showing AQI from 6a to 6p]			●	Overall, Moderate AQ, some drainage smoke expected.	●	●

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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 <b>reduce</b> prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.
● Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should <b>avoid all</b> 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

- Inciweb -- <https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/>
- Oregon Smoke Blog & Air Quality -- <https://www.oregonsmoke.org/>
- Fire & Smoke Map -- <https://fire.airnow.gov/>
- Oregon TripCheck -- <https://tripcheck.com/DynamicReports/Report/RoadConditions>



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