



# Smoke Outlook

## Southern Oregon

7/26 - 7/27

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### Fire

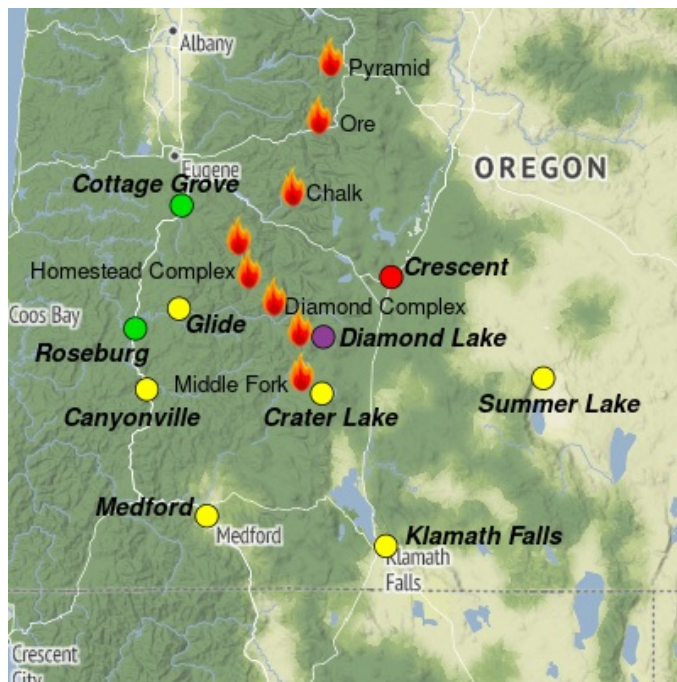
Numerous fires and fire complexes are ongoing within the Cascades. Dry conditions will continue to promote at least moderate fire behavior. For the latest fire information, see <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/>

### Smoke

West to northwest winds continue which will lead to the largest air quality impacts to locations east and southeast of the fires within the Cascades. Smoke will continue to settle and remain present within the Cascades near fire activity, especially within the valleys, where UNHEALTHY TO HAZARDOUS conditions will continue. Crescent and Diamond Lake will be the most impacted areas within the forecast area. Summer Lake, which is further downwind, may see smoke overnight and into the morning hours. Glide, Crater Lake, and Klamath Falls will see periods of smoke with MODERATE to UNHEALTHY conditions at times. Areas west of the Cascades will primarily remain GOOD today with little to no smoke impacts. GOOD to MODERATE conditions are expected in Medford through most of the day.

### Smoke Outlooks

Additional smoke outlooks are being issued nearby. View [fire.airnow.gov](https://fire.airnow.gov) for the latest air quality information.



Daily AQI Forecast\* for Friday

Station	Yesterday hourly	Thu 7/25	Comment for Today -- Fri, Jul 26	Forecast*	Fri 7/26	Sat 7/27
	6a noon 6p					
Cottage Grove			GOOD air quality continues with possible haze in the early afternoon.			
Roseburg			GOOD air quality expected to continue with possible haze in the early afternoon.			
Glide			Brief periods of smoke w/ MODERATE conditions expected; Otherwise GOOD			
Crescent			Periods of USG to UNHEALTHY throughout the forecast period.			
Diamond Lake	No hourly data		VERY UNHEALTHY air quality overall; Period of HAZARDOUS expected in the evening.			
Crater Lake			GOOD air quality for most of the day; Smoke evening/night with MODERATE-USG AQI			
Summer Lake	No hourly data		Periods of smoke with MODERATE to UNHEALTHY FOR SENSITIVE GROUPS air quality.			
Medford			GOOD to MODERATE air quality expected with some smoke late in the day			
Klamath Falls			Periods of smoke continue with MODERATE to UNHEALTHY air quality at times			
Canyonville	No hourly data		Period of smoke early afternoon with MODERATE to USG AQI, otherwise GOOD AQI			

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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

[AirNow Fire & Smoke](https://fire.airnow.gov/v4beta/#7/43.149/-122.076) -- <https://fire.airnow.gov/v4beta/#7/43.149/-122.076>  
[Oregon Health - Wildfires & Smoke](https://bit.ly/OHASmoke) -- <https://bit.ly/OHASmoke>

[InciWeb](https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/) -- <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/>  
[Oregon DEQ - Air Quality](https://www.oregon.gov/deq/aq/pages/aqi.aspx) -- <https://www.oregon.gov/deq/aq/pages/aqi.aspx>



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