



Smoke Outlook

Southern Oregon

8/12 - 8/13

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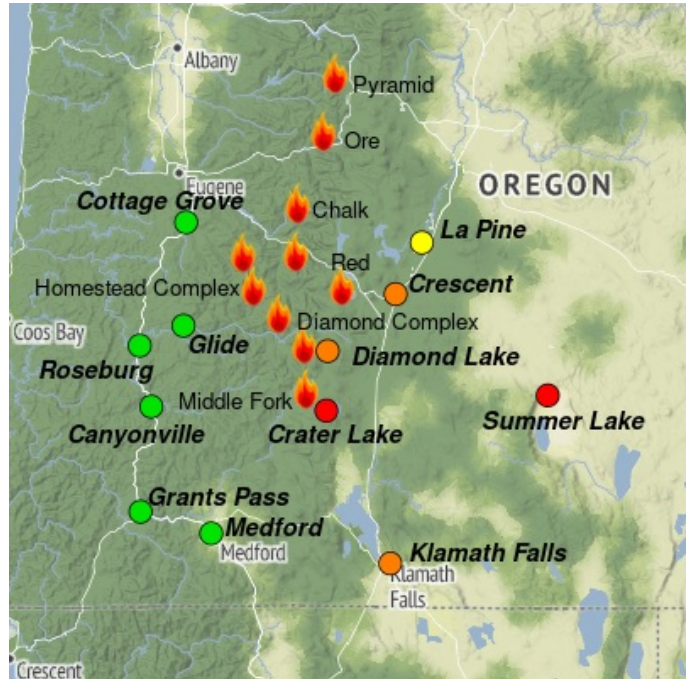
Air Quality Advisories have been issued by OR Department of Environmental Quality: see [the Oregon Smoke Blog](#) for details. Additional Smoke Outlooks and updated air quality information are at [the Fire and Smoke Map](#). If you see smoke and smell smoke, you're breathing smoke.

Fire

Multiple active fires burning within the Cascades and new fire starts are contributing smoke to the forecast area. Some fires are being managed within a complex, such as Homestead and Diamond Complexes. Heavy smoke has moderated fire behavior in some instances. The latest fire information is at [Inciweb's Wildfire Information](#).

Smoke

West winds should move smoke predominantly to the east. Air quality has improved since yesterday at some locations, but areas nearest the fires and east of the Cascades will continue to experience the worst of the smoke. Visitors may experience periods of heavy smoke, with air quality possibly reaching UNHEALTHY to VERY UNHEALTHY levels in some areas. The I-5 corridor is predicted to stay mostly GOOD.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Monday

| Station | Yesterday hourly | | | Sun 8/11 | Comment for Today -- Mon, Aug 12 | Forecast* | |
|---------------|------------------|------|----|----------|--|-----------|----------|
| | 6a | noon | 6p | | | Mon 8/12 | Tue 8/13 |
| Roseburg | | | | | GOOD air quality, haze, and low potential for smoke in the area. | | |
| Cottage Grove | | | | | GOOD air quality, haze, low potential for smoke in the area. | | |
| Crater Lake | | | | | Mostly USG air quality with periods of heavy smoke. | | |
| Canyonville | No hourly data | | | | Mostly GOOD air quality, haze, and low potential for smoke in the area. | | |
| Klamath Falls | | | | | Mostly USG to UNHEALTHY air quality with periods of heavy smoke. | | |
| Medford | | | | | GOOD air quality, haze, and low potential for smoke in the area. | | |
| Summer Lake | No hourly data | | | | Mostly UNHEALTHY air quality, with potential to improve in the evenings. | | |
| Crescent | | | | | Periods of heavy smoke leading to USG/UNHEALTHY. MODERATE mornings/afternoons. | | |
| Grants Pass | | | | | GOOD air quality, haze, and potential for periods of light smoke. | | |
| Glide | | | | | GOOD air quality, haze with potential periods of light smoke. | | |
| Diamond Lake | | | | | Mostly USG air quality, periods of heavy smoke possible. | | |
| La Pine | | | | | Smoke continuing. MODERATE conditions expected overall. | | |

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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.



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 Southern Oregon Updates -- <https://outlooks.wildlandfiresmoke.net/outlook/d393fd74>

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