



Smoke Outlook

Southern Oregon

8/09 - 8/10

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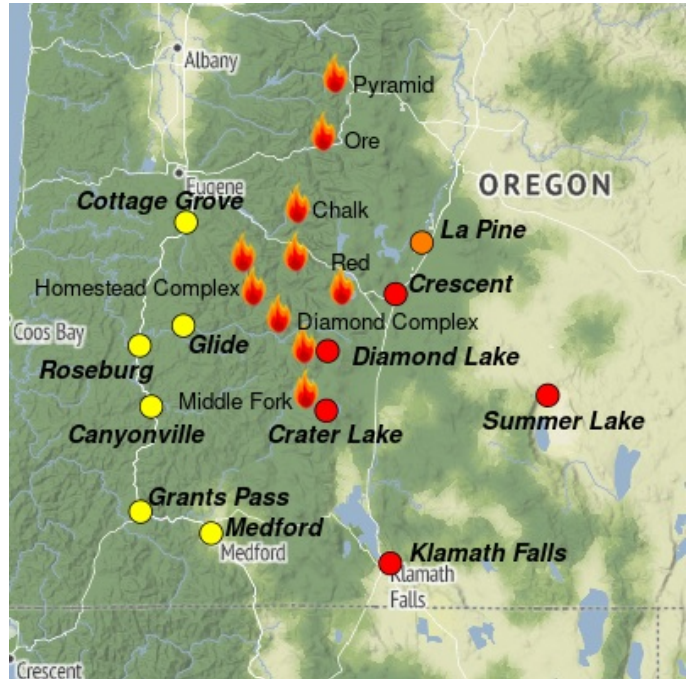
Air Quality Advisories have been issued by Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, see [the Oregon Smoke Blog](#) for details. For additional Smoke Outlooks issued in the region, as well as the latest air quality information, see [the AirNow-Fire and Smoke Map](#).

Fire

Numerous fires are actively burning within the Cascades. Note some fires are being managed within a complex, such as the Homestead and Diamond Complexes. For the latest fire information, see <https://inciweb.wildfire.gov/>

Smoke

We haven't had the winds we would need to scour out the smoke that has blanketed much of the outlook area. Communities nearest the active burning, along the eastern Cascades, will continue to experience UNHEALTHY air quality and heavy smoke. Smoke could also reduce visibility, particularly along Hwy 138, so care should be taken when traveling between Glide and Diamond Lake. Communities along the I-5 corridor should feel some improvement today with mostly GOOD to MODERATE air quality and some haze.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Friday

Station	Yesterday	Thu 8/08	Comment for Today -- Fri, Aug 09	Forecast*	
	hourly			Fri 8/09	Sat 8/10
Roseburg			GOOD to MODERATE air quality, haze, and potential periods of smoke		
Cottage Grove			Mostly GOOD to MODERATE air quality, haze, with periods of smoke		
Crater Lake			Mostly UNHEALTHY air quality with periods of heavy smoke.		
Canyonville	No hourly data		Mostly GOOD to MODERATE air quality, haze, and potential periods of smoke		
Klamath Falls			UNHEALTHY air quality with periods of heavy smoke		
Medford			MODERATE air quality, haze, and periods of smoke		
Summer Lake	No hourly data		Mostly UNHEALTHY air quality, some periods of relief in the afternoon		
Crescent			Heavy smoke and poor air quality, potentially reaching HAZARDOUS levels at times		
Grants Pass			MODERATE air quality, haze, and potential periods of smoke		
Glide			Mostly MODERATE with periods of smoke and UNHEALTHY levels at times		
Diamond Lake			Mostly UNHEALTHY air quality with periods of heavy smoke		
La Pine			Smoke continuing. USG conditions 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 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

[Oregon Smoke information/advisories](#) -- <https://www.oregonsmoke.org/>

[Oregon Health Authority-Prepare for Wildfire](#) -- <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/ph/preparedness/prepare/pages/prepareforwildfire.aspx>



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

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