



SMOKE OUTLOOK

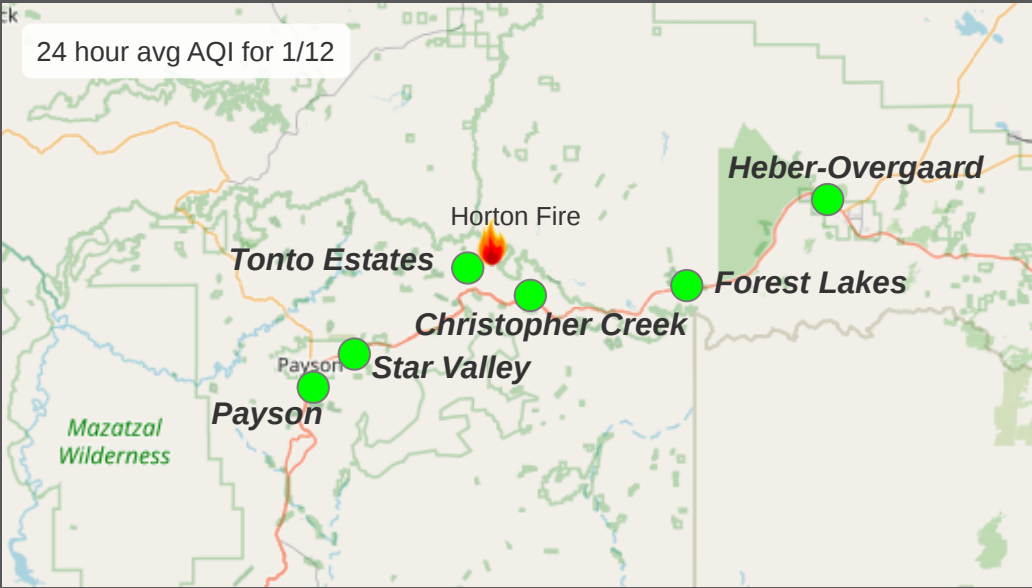
Central Arizona – Horton Fire

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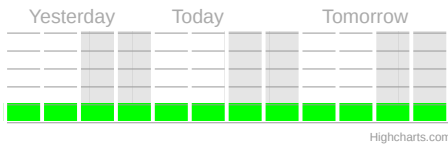
FIRE

The Horton fire is currently estimated at 8346 acres and is 80% contained. Fire activity for the Horton fire is expected to remain low.

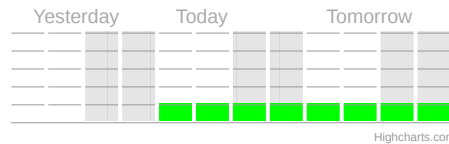
SMOKE

Minimal smoke being generated by pockets of unburned fuels will continue within the Horton fire footprint. These pockets of light smoke may impact portions of Tonto Estates, Christopher Creek, and along Hwy 260 between mile markers 262 and 272 this morning under a downslope drift. Winds are expected to shift to weak upslope this afternoon due to surface heating which will allow the smoke to disperse more. Light smoke impacts are possible once again in drainages tonight into early Monday, specifically Christopher Creek, Tonto Estates, and along Hwy 260 between mile markers 262 and 272, including Doubtful Canyon.

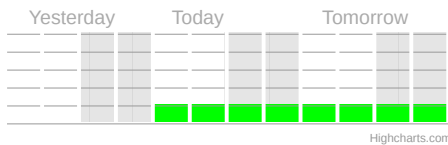
Forest Lakes GOOD air quality for the foreseeable future.



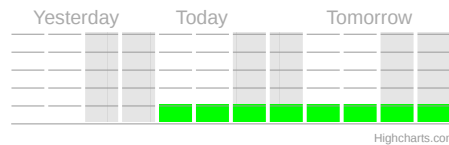
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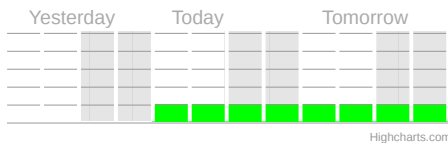
Star Valley GOOD air quality for the foreseeable future.



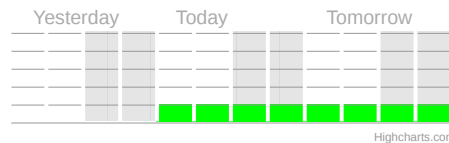
Tonto Estate Area Isolated pockets of light smoke.



Christopher Creek Isolated pockets of light smoke.



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AIR QUALITY INDEX

Hazardous (H)

Very Unhealthy (VU)

Unhealthy (U)

Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups (USG)

Moderate (M)

Good (G)

ACTIONS TO PROTECT YOURSELF

Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity

Everyone should avoid all physical outdoor activity

People within Sensitive Groups should avoid all physical activity

People within Sensitive Groups should reduce prolonged or heavy exertion

Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion

None

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VIEW ONLINE FOR MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.wildlandfiresmoke.net>

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.