



SMOKE OUTLOOK

NC Oregon – Grasshopper Fire

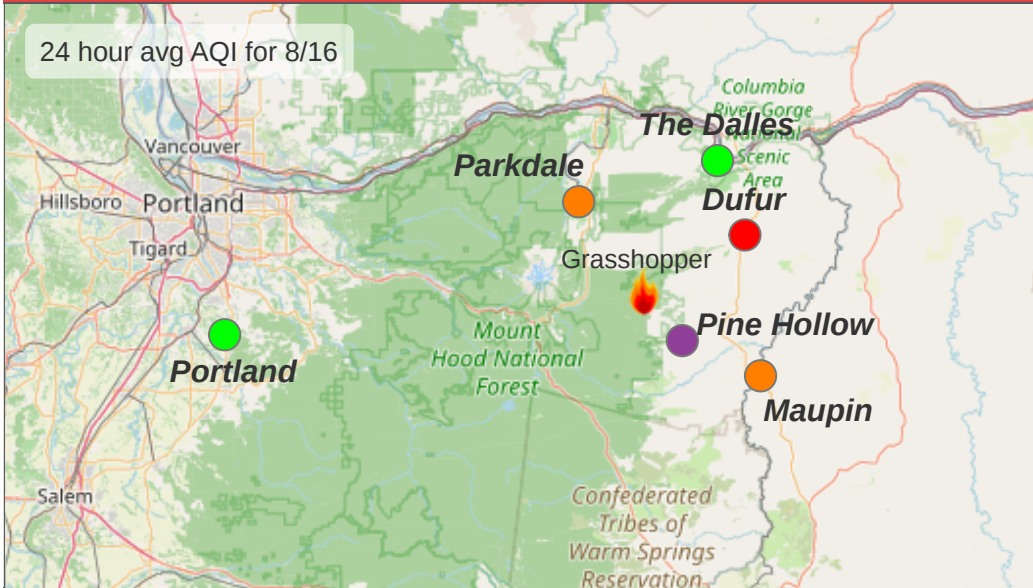
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AIR QUALITY ADVISORY: Advisories in effect for numerous Oregon counties ([more info](#))



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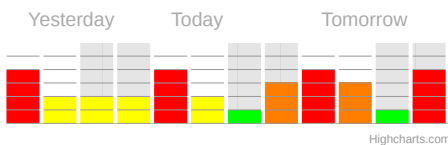
The [Grasshopper](#) fire is currently estimated at 90,130 acres and is 38% contained. Fire activity for the [Grasshopper](#) fire is expected to remain active. The [Austin](#) fire is currently estimated at 2,653 acres and is 0% contained. Fire activity for the [Austin](#) fire is expected to remain active.

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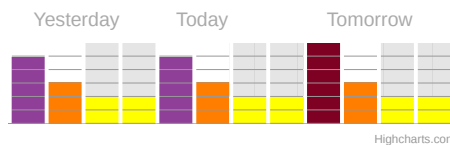
Smoke conditions today should be similar to yesterday, with Pine Hollow, Dufur, and the southern Hood River Valley near Parkdale experiencing the biggest impacts. These areas closest to the down-valley drainages around the fire can expect to see UNHEALTHY to HAZARDOUS AQI levels this morning before improving to GOOD to MODERATE during the day. Expect smoke to return overnight, increasing AQI levels to UNHEALTHY FOR SENSITIVE GROUPS (USG) to VERY UNHEALTHY, especially in the Pine Hollow area. Wamic, Tygh Valley, and Maupin will see a similar pattern but should stay at or below VERY UNHEALTHY even in the morning when the most smoke settles in. Hood River, the Dalles, and areas further east towards Condon can expect MODERATE levels this morning and afternoon, but should improve to GOOD later in the day. Portland will continue to hover between GOOD and MODERATE, averaging GOOD for the next 24 hours.

Check the [Fire and Smoke Map](#) for current Air Quality conditions. If no air monitoring data is available in your area, visibility can be used as a guide. Learn more at [Oregon DEQ's WebPage](#).

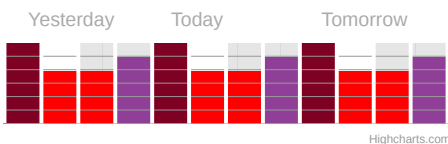
Parkdale Similar to yesterday.



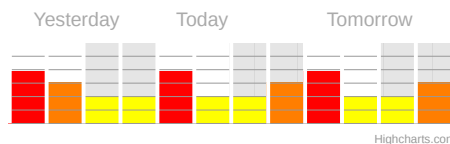
Dufur HAZARDOUS AQI in the morning, recovering in the afternoon and evening.



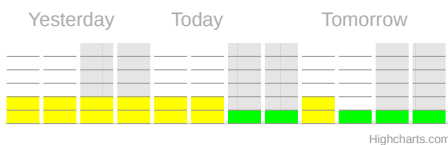
Pine Hollow Heavy smoke in the morning and overnight. Improving in the afternoon.



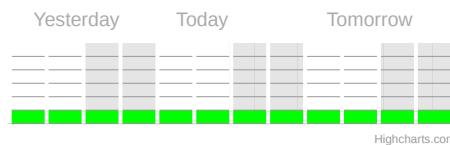
Maupin Air Quality improving through the day.



The Dalles Air quality continuing to improve.



Portland Improving Air Quality today.



AIR QUALITY INDEX (AQI)

	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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<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.