**Special Statement**
The smoke outlook for the San Francisco Bay Area will be consolidated into a North-Central Coast outlook. This will be the last smoke outlook issued specific only to the San Francisco Bay Area.

**Fire**
Burnout operations and mop up will continue today. Drying fuels inside the containment area will likely result in increased fire activity. Total acreage is 4,811 with 85% containment. For detailed fire information on the Woodward Fire: [https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7062](https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7062)

**Smoke**
This forecast area is periodically experiencing smoke impacts from the Woodward fire, as well as from other large California fires. Winds are similar to yesterday, however it is getting hotter and dryer and an increase in fire activity is likely. Communities near the fire will experience periods of heavy smoke. Expect deteriorating air quality in the Bay Area over the next few days, as critical fire weather is expected in the state.

**Notes**
In areas experiencing sustained dense smoke even healthy people may start feeling effects from the smoke. Limit outdoor activities and look out for one another.

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## Station | Yesterday hourly | Fri 9/04 | Comment for Today -- Sat, Sep 05 | Forecast* | Sat 9/05 | Sun 9/06
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San Rafael | | 6a noon 6p | Moderate with periods of USG | | | |
Vallejo | | 6a noon 6p | Overall Moderate conditions with likely periods of USG/Unhealthy | | | |
Concord | | 6a noon 6p | Moderate with potential periods of USG mid-day | | | |
San Francisco | | 6a noon 6p | Overall Moderate conditions with likely periods of USG/Unhealthy | | | |
Oakland | | 6a noon 6p | Overall Moderate conditions with likely periods of USG/Unhealthy | | | |
Livermore | | 6a noon 6p | Moderate with potential periods of USG mid-day | | | |
San Jose | | 6a noon 6p | Moderate with potential periods of USG mid-day | | | |
Redwood City | No hourly data | | Moderate with potential periods of USG mid-day | | | |
Novato | | 6a noon 6p | Overall Moderate conditions with likely periods of USG/Unhealthy | | | |
Pt Reyes | No hourly data | | Overall USG conditions with periods of very unhealthy | | | |

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### Air Quality Index (AQI)

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*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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**Additional Links**
- California Smoke Information -- [https://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com](https://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com)
- Bay Area Air Quality Management District -- [https://www.baaqmd.gov/](https://www.baaqmd.gov/)
- Issued by USFS Wildland Fire Air Quality Response Program -- [www.wildlandfiresmoke.net](http://www.wildlandfiresmoke.net)
- San Francisco Bay Area Current Outlook -- [tools.airfire.org/outlooks/SanFranciscoBayArea](https://tools.airfire.org/outlooks/SanFranciscoBayArea)
- Smoke and Health Info -- [www.airnow.gov/index.cfm?action=smoke.index](https://www.airnow.gov/index.cfm?action=smoke.index)