



**Smoke Outlook for 9/08 - 9/09**  
**North-Central Coast August Complex Fires**  
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**Special Statement**

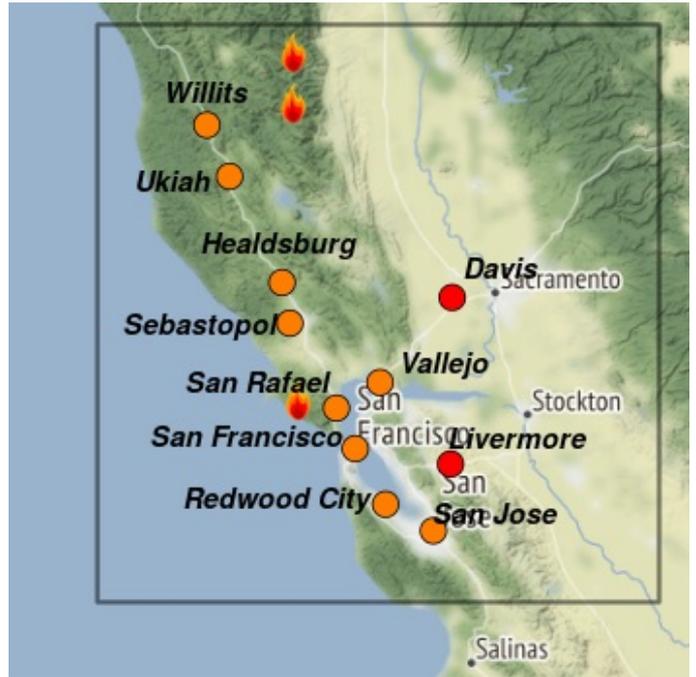
The August Complex, as well as numerous other fires, are producing smoke impacting the entire North-Central Coast. Deteriorating air quality over the next few days is anticipated. A Red Flag Warning is issued for today and strong breezy northeast wind will persist over the fires. Stay alert to changing conditions, including periods of heavy smoke.

**Fire**

Fires were active in the complex overnight and activity is expected to continue. Critical fire weather and extreme heat will be with us for the next few days, thus we can anticipate increased fire activity throughout the region.

**Smoke**

Can expect smoke from the August Complex to move down valley and into the forecast area as the day progresses. Areas in the valley and eastern Bay will see the most impact.



Daily AQI Forecast\* for Sep 08, 2020

Station	Yesterday hourly	Mon 9/07	Forecast* Comment for Today -- Tue, Sep 08	Tue 9/08	Wed 9/09
	6a noon 6p				
Davis			Unhealthy for most of the day		
Healdsburg			Good to moderate this morning with USG later today		
Vallejo			Good to moderate this morning with USG later today		
San Rafael			Good to moderate this morning with USG later today		
San Francisco			Good to moderate this morning with USG later today		
Livermore			Unhealthy for most of the day		
Redwood City			Good to moderate this morning with USG later today		
San Jose			Good to moderate this morning with USG later today		
Sebastopol			Good to moderate this morning with USG later today		
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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 <b>reduce</b> prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.
Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should <b>avoid all</b> 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**

- CA Smoke Information -- <https://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com>
- August Complex Fire Information -- <https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/6983/>
- Bay Area Air Quality Management District -- <https://www.sparetheair.org/understanding-air-quality/air-quality-forecast>



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