



SMOKE OUTLOOK

NW Colorado – Derby Fire

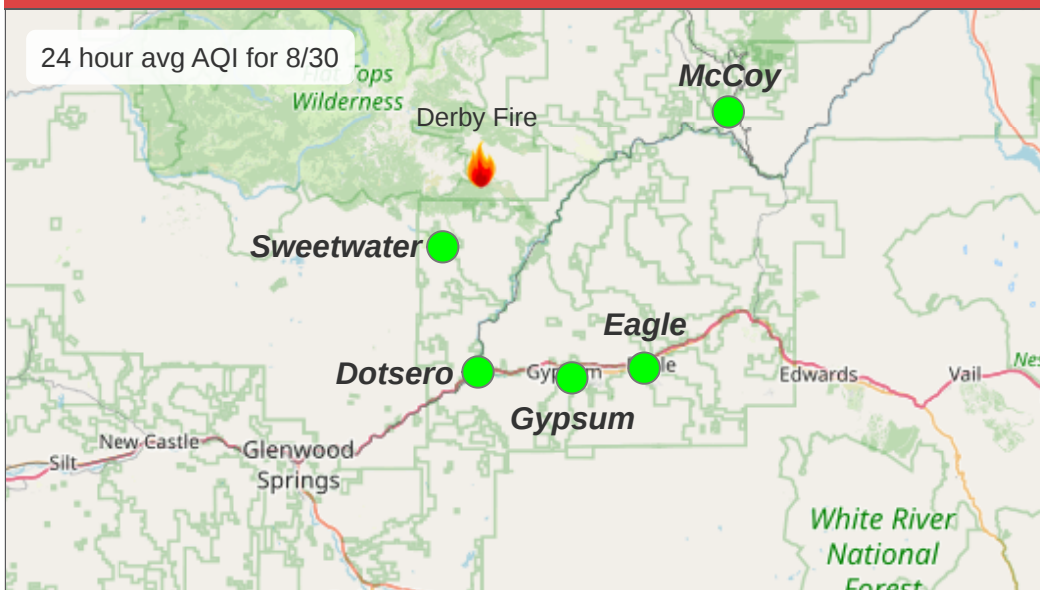
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FIRE

The [Derby](#) fire is currently estimated at 5736 acres and is 6% contained. Fire activity for the [Derby](#) fire is expected to remain low.

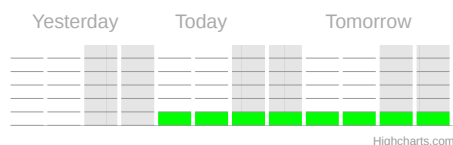
SMOKE

With clearer skies and lower humidity more smokes should become visible. Only low levels of smoke is expected from the smoldering of large fuels in the dense conifer forest. Smoke impacts should be limited to the immediate vicinity of the fire with no impact expected in the communities. Yesterday, low levels of drift smoke from fires in Oregon and Idaho caused periods of MODERATE air quality at some locations. That is expected again today. The Outlook area can expect GOOD air quality most of the day with periods of MODERATE possible as the drift smoke from out of state adds to what is normally in the area.

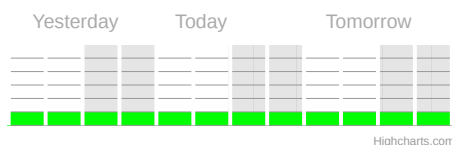
SPECIAL STATEMENT

Isolated showers and thunderstorms develop on terrain today. Impacts will be limited to some gusty winds, small hail, and brief downpours. Flash flooding is not expected today.

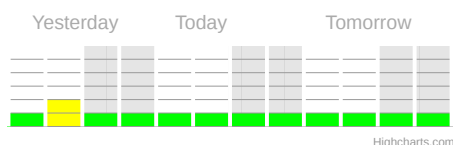
Gypsum Minimal smoke expected from the Derby Fire but low levels of drift smoke from Oregon and Idaho is expected.



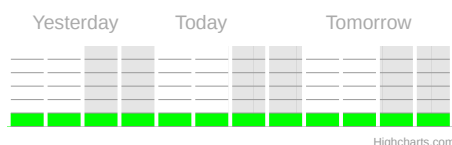
Eagle Minimal smoke expected from the Derby Fire but low levels of drift smoke from Oregon and Idaho is expected.



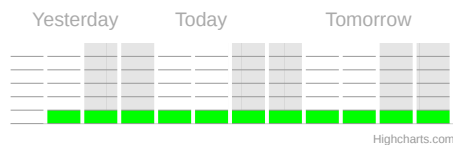
Sweetwater Minimal smoke expected from the Derby Fire but low levels of drift smoke from Oregon and Idaho is expected.



Dotsero Minimal smoke expected from the Derby Fire but low levels of drift smoke from Oregon and Idaho is expected.



McCoy Minimal smoke expected from the Derby Fire but low levels of drift smoke from Oregon and Idaho is expected.



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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<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.