

# Smoke Outlook for 9/14 - 9/15 CentralCoast : Dolan Fire

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## **Fire Information**

The fire is contained on the west by Hwy 1. Fire personnel are evaluating structures for structural defense and they continue to scout and complete control lines that will be utilized stop fire growth. For detailed information on the Dolan fire: For detailed information on the Dolan fire:

inciweb.nwcg.gov/incident/7018

# **Smoke**

Expect similar conditions today as yesterday. Very little day to day changing in weather patterns and smoke is acting similarly. A high pressure system remains in place over the fire, with a marine layer along the coast that spreads up the Salinas Valley. Expect limited visibility along the Coast Hwy, Salinas Valley, and low lying areas where smoke and fog mix especially during dusk, dawn and overnight. Winds over the fire today will be light from the SE with downslope winds overnight.

#### Health

Create a clean air space in your home. See link below or call California Air Resources Board at 1-800-242-4450 for more information.



Daily AQI Forecast\* for Sep 14, 2020

	Yesterday	Sun	Forecast*	Mon Tue
Station	hourly	9/13	Comment for Today Mon, Sep 14	9/14 9/15
	6a noon 6p			
Santa Cruz			Unhealthy	
Gilroy			Unhealthy	
Hollister			Unhealthy	
Salinas			Unhealthy	
Monterey			Unhealthy	
Carmel Valley			Unhealthy	
Soledad			Unhealthy	
Big Sur			Unhealthy	
King City			Unhealthy	
Atascadero			USG to Unhealthy	
Morro Bay			Unhealthy	
Watsonville			Unhealthy	

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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

Monterey Bay Air Resources District -- https://www.mbard.org/
California Smoke Information -- http://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com/
Clean Air Space -- https://twitter.com/AirResources/status/13020203625284075527s=20

San Luis Obispo County Air Pollution Control Distict -- https://www.slocleanair.org/ AirNow Fire and Smoke Map -- https://fire.airnow.gov/

