

AccuWeather.com Forecast

TODAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Plenty of sunshine	Plenty of sunshine	Mostly sunny and breezy	Nice with plenty of sunshine	Pleasant with plenty of sun

PENDLETON TEMPERATURE FORECAST

92°	60°	91°	60°	85°	53°	86°	56°	91°	60°
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HERMISTON TEMPERATURE FORECAST

95°	65°	95°	64°	87°	57°	89°	61°	94°	62°
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PENDLETON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	83°	49°
Normals	89°	59°
Records	110° (1918)	43° (1913)

PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	Trace
Normal month to date	0.17"
Year to date	11.30"
Last year to date	7.27"
Normal year to date	7.74"

HERMISTON

through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE	HIGH	LOW
Yesterday	85°	49°
Normals	89°	59°
Records	108° (1941)	45° (1939)

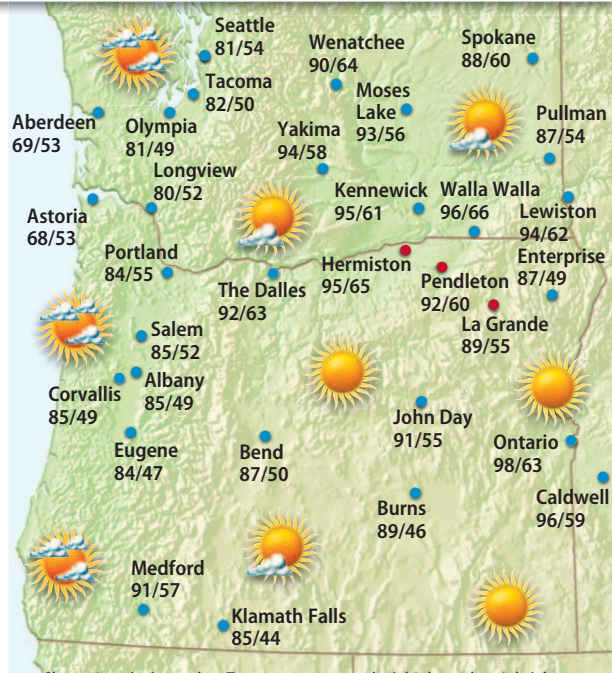
PRECIPITATION

24 hours ending 3 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	0.00"
Normal month to date	0.12"
Year to date	6.59"
Last year to date	4.93"
Normal year to date	5.82"

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today	5:23 a.m.
Sunset tonight	8:39 p.m.
Moonrise today	1:21 a.m.
Moonset today	3:38 p.m.

New	First	Full	Last
July 23	July 30	Aug 7	Aug 14



REGIONAL FORECAST

Coastal Oregon: Clouds giving way to some sun today. Increasing clouds tonight.

Eastern Washington: Mostly sunny today. Clear tonight. Plenty of sunshine tomorrow.

Western Washington: Mostly sunny today; however, clouds breaking for some sun at the coast.

Northern California: Clouds giving way to some sun at the coast today; mostly sunny elsewhere.

REGIONAL CITIES

	Today			Wed.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Astoria	68	53	pc	68	56	pc
Baker City	88	47	s	87	49	s
Bend	87	50	s	86	49	s
Brookings	62	51	pc	62	52	pc
Burns	89	46	s	88	47	s
Enterprise	87	49	s	86	50	s
Eugene	84	47	s	81	53	s
Heppner	89	55	s	88	54	s
Hermiston	95	65	s	95	64	s
John Day	91	55	s	90	55	s
Klamath Falls	85	44	s	84	44	s
La Grande	89	55	s	89	54	s
Meacham	87	51	s	87	51	s
Medford	91	57	s	91	57	s
Newport	62	50	pc	62	52	pc
North Bend	64	51	pc	66	54	pc
Ontario	98	63	s	96	61	s
Pasco	95	59	s	95	60	s
Pendleton	92	60	s	91	60	s
Portland	84	55	s	81	60	s
Redmond	89	45	s	88	46	s
Salem	85	52	s	82	57	s
Spokane	88	60	s	89	60	s
Ukiah	85	47	s	86	47	s
Vancouver	83	52	s	80	59	s
Walla Walla	96	66	s	94	65	s
Yakima	94	58	s	93	60	s

WORLD CITIES

	Today			Wed.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Beijing	91	76	s	89	78	t
Hong Kong	85	80	sh	86	80	c
Jerusalem	90	69	s	88	69	s
London	81	66	pc	78	59	t
Mexico City	73	55	pc	72	55	t
Moscow	69	53	pc	68	53	pc
Paris	94	71	pc	87	64	t
Rome	86	63	s	86	65	pc
Seoul	87	76	pc	89	77	pc
Sydney	73	49	s	63	47	pc
Tokyo	90	74	pc	86	76	pc

WINDS

(in mph)	Today	Wednesday
Boardman	NE 4-8	WSW 7-14
Pendleton	NNW 4-8	W 6-12

UV INDEX TODAY

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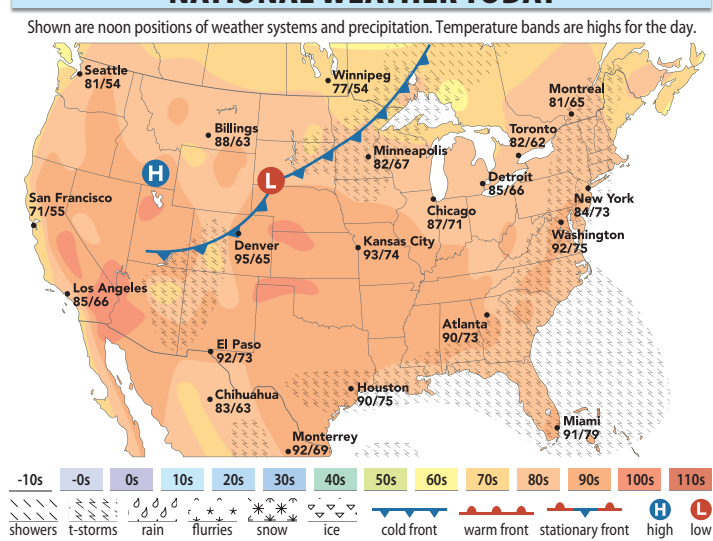
8 a.m. 10 a.m. Noon 2 p.m. 4 p.m. 6 p.m.

0-2, Low 3-5, Moderate 6-7, High; 8-10, Very High; 11+, Extreme

The higher the AccuWeather.com UV Index™ number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

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NATIONAL WEATHER TODAY



National Summary: Spotty storms will affect the Deep South and Atlantic Seaboard today. Storms can be locally severe over the Upper Midwest. Storms over the interior Southwest will carry the risk of flash flooding.

Yesterday's National Extremes: (for the 48 contiguous states)
High 110° in China Lake, Calif. **Low** 32° in Meacham, Ore.

NATIONAL CITIES

	Today			Wed.				Today			Wed.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W		Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Albuquerque	92	69	t	93	69	pc	Louisville	92	72	s	94	75	s
Atlanta	90	73	t	91	73	s	Memphis	95	76	s	96	77	s
Atlanta City	83	72	pc	86	75	s	Miami	91	79	t	91	80	pc
Baltimore	91	70	pc	93	72	pc	Milwaukee	85	70	s	81	67	t
Billings	88	63	pc	92	64	pc	Minneapolis	82	67	t	85	70	pc
Birmingham	90	73	t	92	73	s	Nashville	93	73	pc	95	73	s
Boise	96	63	s	95	63	s	New Orleans	87	75	t	89	76	t
Boston	82	69	pc	86	70	pc	New York City	84	73	pc	87	75	pc
Charleston, SC	86	72	t	93	75	t	Oklahoma City	95	72	s	97	73	s
Charleston, WV	92	68	pc	91	70	t	Omaha	95	74	pc	98	78	s
Chicago	87	71	s	86	70	t	Philadelphia	90	73	pc	92	75	t
Cleveland	84	66	pc	88	71	pc	Phoenix	100	83	t	102	85	pc
Dallas	95	79	pc	97	79	pc	Portland, ME	77	63	pc	82	65	pc
Denver	95	65	pc	96	65	s	Providence	84	69	pc	85	70	pc
Detroit	85	66	s	87	69	pc	Raleigh	89	70	t	93	72	pc
El Paso	92	73	t	91	73	t	Rapid City	85	62	pc	97	64	t
Fairbanks	75	54	pc	77	57	c	Reno	94	58	s	95	57	s
Fargo	83	61	pc	82	63	t	Sacramento	90	57	s	94	58	s
Honolulu	87	72	sh	88	76	pc	Salt Lake City	100	78	pc	97	76	pc
Houston	90	75	t	93	76	t	San Diego	78	70	pc	78	69	pc
Indianapolis	87	68	s	90	72	pc	San Francisco	71	55	pc	72	56	pc
Jacksonville	89	74	t	91	73	t	Seattle	81	54	s	78	57	s
Kansas City	93	74	s	93	76	s	Tucson	92	75	t	94	75	pc
Las Vegas	105	87	t	100	85	t	Washington, DC	92	75	pc	95	77	pc
Little Rock	95	74	s	95	74	s	Wichita	96	74	s	99	76	s
Los Angeles	85	66	s	85	66	pc							

Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

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Interior secretary ponders fate of nat'l monument in Oregon

SALEM (AP) — After touring the “unique” Cascade-Siskiyou National Monument in Oregon and speaking to ranchers, loggers and environmentalists, U.S. Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke must next make a recommendation on whether it should be abolished or resized.

It's going to require a lot of study, Zinke indicated, given that the monument was created — and expanded by former President Barack Obama — to protect biodiversity in an area where three mountain ranges converge, creating diverse habitats for species that would normally be living apart.

“Beautiful country, no doubt,” Zinke said at a news conference Saturday next to a lake rimmed by evergreens. “There’s areas that are being harvested, and harvested well. On the trail I saw horseback, and the resident artisan and the people that are incredibly passionate about this monument.”

Zinke was ordered by President Donald Trump to

review 27 national monuments and report by Aug. 24. Since June 12, Zinke has recommended that the Bears Ears National Monument in Utah be downsized, and that no changes be made to Craters of the Moon National Monument in Idaho and the Hanford Reach National Monument in Washington.

“This site is unique among the 27 sites I’m reviewing,” Zinke said after hiking in the monument in southern Oregon, which laps over into Northern California.

He said he wants to find out how the boundaries of the 112,000-acre monument were made, explaining that it relates to the language of the Antiquities Act of 1906. It authorized a president to declare land controlled by the federal government a monument but limits the size “to the smallest area compatible with proper care and management of the objects to be protected.”

Zinke said he also wants to protect local traditions and “make sure the monument

doesn't have unintended consequences.”

He pointed out that while private land is inside the expanded monument, the government's management plans pertain only to those federal lands inside it.

Oregon Gov. Kate Brown also toured the monument on foot and horseback, and met with Zinke to try to persuade him to leave it untouched.

“It's not only an Oregon treasure; it's a national treasure,” Brown told a separate press conference.

Among monument supporters are the mayors and city councils of Ashland and Talent, the two closest towns, who cited its “economic and ecological benefits.”

Among those opposing is the Association of O&C Counties, which represents counties in western Oregon that host vast swaths of timberlands once privately owned as part of a grant in exchange for construction of a railroad in the late 1800s, but that were returned to federal ownership in 1916.

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