Air Quality Index on Apr 24, 2016 @ 04:00 PM

(Average of past 24 hours)

City	Air Quality	Index Value	Prominent Pollutant	Based on number of monitoring stations
Bengaluru	Satisfactory	87	$PM_{2.5}$, PM_{10}	5
Chandrapur	Moderate	130	PM_{10}	1
Chennai	Moderate	131	$PM_{2.5}$, O_3	3
Delhi	Poor	270	$PM_{2.5}$, PM_{10}	5
Gurgaon	Poor	268	$PM_{2.5}$	1
Jaipur	Poor	285	O_3	1 [#]
Jodhpur	Moderate	165	$PM_{2.5}$	1
Kanpur	Moderate	138	$PM_{2.5}$	1
Lucknow	Poor	242	$PM_{2.5}$	3
Varanasi	Poor	241	PM_{10}	1

$PM_{2.5}$: Particulate Matter (<2.5 micron size); PM_{10}: Particulate Matter (<10 micron size); O_3: Ozone

Possible Health Impacts

Good	Minimal impact
Satisfactory	Minor breathing discomfort to sensitive people
Moderate	Breathing discomfort to the people with lungs, asthma and heart diseases
Poor	Breathing discomfort to most people on prolonged exposure
Very Poor	Respiratory illness on prolonged exposure
Severe	Affects healthy people and seriously impacts those with existing diseases

Notes

* AQI is not calculated for today's bulletin for Agra, Faridabad, Gaya, Hyderabad, Mumbai, Muzaffarpur, Navi Mumbai, Patna, Haldia, Nagpur, Panchkula, Pune, Rohtak, Solapur as data was not available.

Some stations have data available at 3 PM.

* In case of a city with multiple monitoring locations, average value is used to indicate air quality. Air quality may show variations across locations, and averaging is not a scientifically sound approach. However, for the sake of simplicity this method is being followed. For AQI of monitoring locations, website (http://cpcb.nic.in) may be referred.