Air Quality Index on Nov 18, 2015 @ 04:00 PM

(Average of past 24 hours)

City	Air Quality	Index Value	Prominent Pollutant	Based on number of monitoring stations
Agra	Poor	265	PM$_{2.5}$	1
Chandrapur	Moderate	149	PM$_{2.5}$	1
Chennai	Satisfactory	71	PM$_{2.5}$, CO	3
Delhi	Very Poor	322	PM$_{2.5}$, PM$_{10}$	6
Faridabad	Poor	284	PM$_{2.5}$	1
Hyderabad	Satisfactory	81	PM$_{2.5}$, PM$_{10}$	2
Kanpur	Poor	222	PM$_{2.5}$	1
Lucknow	Very Poor	375	PM$_{2.5}$	2
Mumbai	Moderate	112	PM$_{10}$	1
Muzaffarpur	Very Poor	360	PM$_{2.5}$	1
Navi Mumbai	Moderate	106	CO	1
Pune	Poor	244	PM$_{2.5}$	1
Varanasi	Very Poor	323	PM$_{2.5}$	1

PM$_{2.5}$: Particulate Matter (<2.5 micron size); CO : Carbon Monoxide; PM$_{10}$: Particulate Matter (<10 micron size)

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 Bengaluru, Patna as data was not available.

* 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.