



Air Quality Index on Dec 19, 2015 @ 04:00 PM

(Average of past 24 hours)

City	Air Quality	Index Value	Prominent Pollutant	Based on number of monitoring stations
Agra	Very Poor	379	PM _{2.5}	1 #
Bengaluru	Satisfactory	92	PM _{2.5} , NO ₂	4
Chandrapur	Moderate	112	PM ₁₀	1
Chennai	Moderate	106	PM _{2.5} , CO	2 #
Delhi	Poor	257	PM _{2.5}	3
Faridabad	Very Poor	324	PM _{2.5}	1 #
Hyderabad	Satisfactory	76	PM _{2.5} , PM ₁₀	2
Jodhpur	Very Poor	313	PM _{2.5}	1
Kanpur	Very Poor	360	PM _{2.5}	1
Lucknow	Poor	266	PM _{2.5}	3
Mumbai	Moderate	156	PM _{2.5}	1
Muzaffarpur	Very Poor	399	PM _{2.5}	1
Navi Mumbai	Moderate	122	CO	1
Patna	Severe	406	PM _{2.5}	1
Varanasi	Very Poor	383	PM _{2.5}	1

PM_{2.5}: Particulate Matter (<2.5 micron size); NO₂: Nitrogen Dioxide; PM₁₀: Particulate Matter (<10 micron size); CO : Carbon Monoxide

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 Panchkula, Pune, Gurgaon, Jaipur 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.