

# Air Quality Index on May 18, 2016 @ 04:00 PM

(Average of past 24 hours)

City	Air Quality	Index Value	Prominent Pollutant	Based on number of monitoring stations
Agra	Moderate	183	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	1
Bengaluru	Satisfactory	59	PM <sub>2.5</sub> , NO <sub>2</sub>	3
Chennai	Moderate	151	PM <sub>2.5</sub> , CO	3
Delhi	Poor	276	PM <sub>2.5</sub> , O <sub>3</sub>	4
Faridabad	Moderate	150	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	1
Gurgaon	Poor	221	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	1
Haldia	Good	36	со	1#
Hyderabad	Satisfactory	62	PM <sub>2.5</sub> , PM <sub>10</sub>	2#
Jodhpur	Poor	214	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	1
Mumbai	Satisfactory	81	PM <sub>10</sub>	1
Muzaffarpur	Good	48	СО	1
Nagpur	Poor	219	Оз	1
Navi Mumbai	Satisfactory	78	со	1
Panchkula	Satisfactory	76	Оз	1#

### Possible Health Impacts

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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	

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Pune	Moderate	104	со	1
Solapur	Moderate	109	со	1
Varanasi	Poor	239	PM <sub>10</sub>	1

PM2.5: Particulate Matter (<2.5 micron size); NO2: Nitrogen Dioxide; CO: Carbon Monoxide; O3: Ozone; PM10: Particulate Matter (<10 micron size)

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