



Air Quality Index on Mar 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	110	PM _{2.5}	1
Bengaluru	Moderate	151	PM _{2.5} , PM ₁₀	5
Chandrapur	Satisfactory	88	PM ₁₀	1 [#]
Chennai	Moderate	185	PM _{2.5}	3 [#]
Delhi	Moderate	197	PM _{2.5} , O ₃	5
Faridabad	Moderate	186	PM _{2.5}	1
Gaya	Moderate	116	PM _{2.5}	1
Haldia	Moderate	115	PM ₁₀	1
Hyderabad	Satisfactory	88	PM _{2.5}	1
Jaipur	Moderate	142	PM ₁₀	1
Jodhpur	Moderate	196	PM _{2.5}	1
Kanpur	Moderate	159	PM _{2.5}	1
Lucknow	Moderate	195	O ₃ , PM _{2.5}	2
Mumbai	Moderate	112	PM ₁₀	1

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

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Navi Mumbai	Moderate	109	CO	1
Panchkula	Satisfactory	60	CO	1
Solapur	Moderate	123	O ₃	1
Varanasi	Very Poor	344	PM _{2.5}	1

PM_{2.5}: Particulate Matter (<2.5 micron size); PM₁₀: Particulate Matter (<10 micron size); O₃: Ozone; CO : Carbon Monoxide

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