Air Quality Index on Aug 15, 2015 @ 04:00 PM

(Average of past 24 hours)

City	Air Quality	Index Value	Prominent Pollutant	Based on number of monitoring stations
Agra	Good	46	$PM_{2.5}$	1
Bengaluru	Satisfactory	64	$PM_{2.5}$, NO_2	3
Chennai	Satisfactory	84	CO, $PM_{2.5}$	2
Delhi	Moderate	130	$PM_{2.5}$, PM_{10}	5[#]
Faridabad	Poor	294	$PM_{2.5}$	1
Hyderabad	Satisfactory	56	$PM_{2.5}$	1
Kanpur	Satisfactory	66	CO	1
Navi Mumbai	Satisfactory	51	PM_{10}	1
Varanasi	Satisfactory	62	PM_{10}	1

$PM_{2.5}$: Particulate Matter (<2.5 micron size); NO_2: Nitrogen Dioxide; 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 Lucknow, Mumbai as data was not available.

Some stations did not have data available at 4 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.