



# BHARATIYA ANTARIKSH HACKATHON 2025

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Problem Statement : 7-Developing an Algorithm for Air Quality Visualizer and Forecast App.

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## Brief about the Idea :

India breathes unevenly. While air quality tools continue to serve metro cities , over **70%** of our **population** is living in small towns and **rural** areas are left guessing.

People **don't know** what they're **inhaling**.

They don't get real-time **updates**.

**No warnings** when pollution spikes.

**No forecasts** during crop-burning or winter smog.

**No health alerts** for kids, the elderly, or farmers working outdoors.

This isn't just a data gap. It's a **health risk gap**.

With our team Hackastra we are building a bridge turning **invisible pollution** into visible **actions**.  
So that everyone can breathe safely.

## Opportunity should be able to explain the following:

### What makes it different?

Most AQI platforms serve what's already visible big cities with existing sensors. Hackastra focuses on what's invisible ,the rural regions where no one is measuring the air, yet millions are breathing it.









### How will it be able to solve the problem?

Hackastra combines AQI data from **CPCB**, historical trends from **Kaggle**, satellite overlays from **ISRO's Bhuvan**, and live weather inputs from **OpenWeatherMap**. It's designed to work in areas that are often ignored offering both real-time AQI and forecasts.

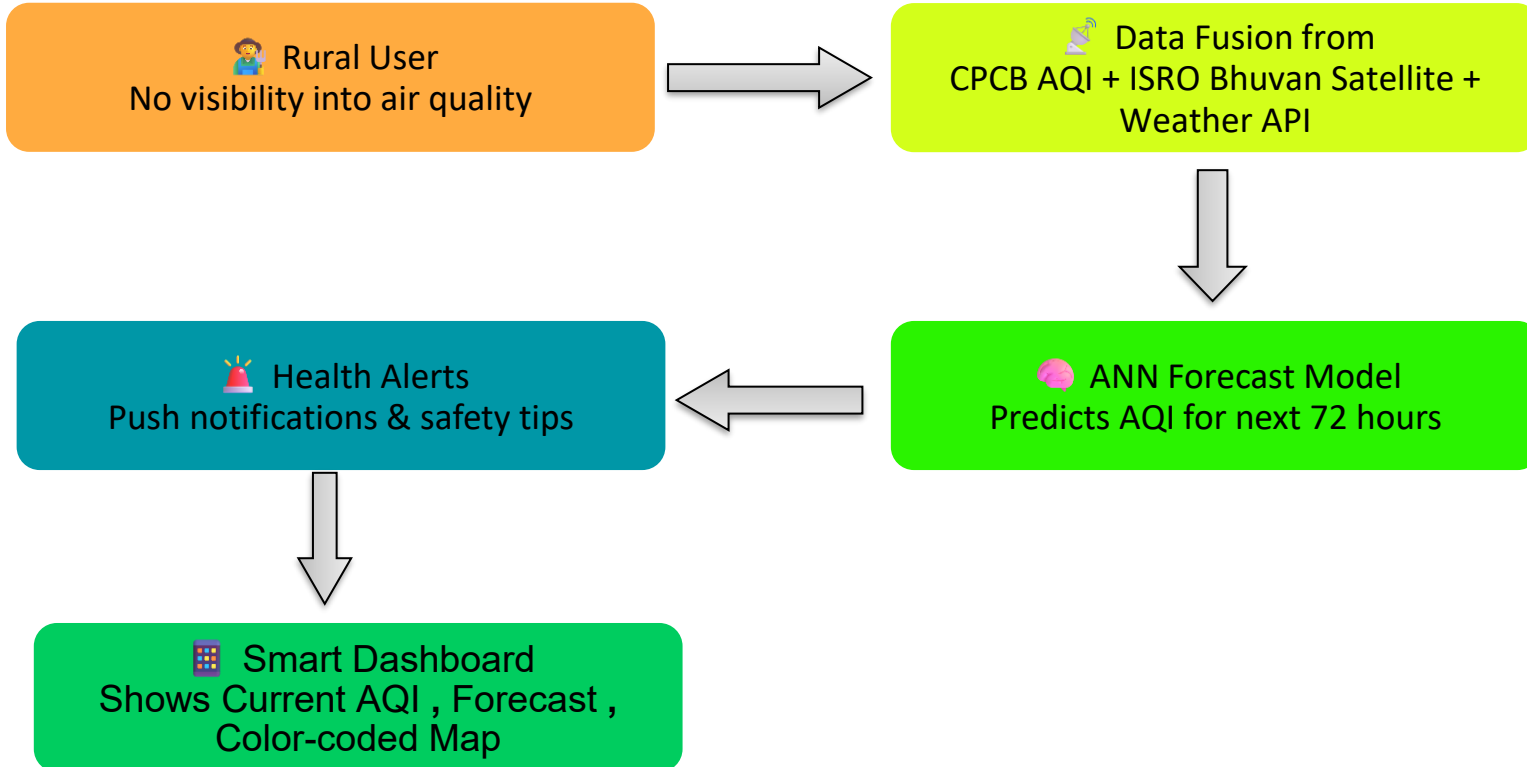
### USP of the proposed solution:

Hackastra is rural first, forecast driven, and map integrated. It works even where sensors are missing , **blending satellite visuals, AI prediction, and hyperlocal health alerts into a lightweight, mobile-friendly platform.**

## List of features offered by the solution:

-  **Real-Time AQI Detection:** Pulls location based AQI from CPCB or satellite fallback.
-  **72-Hour Pollution Forecast:** ANN based predictions using past AQI + weather + seasonality.
-  **Interactive AQI Heatmaps:** Visual zone based severity overlays (good to hazardous).
-  **Personalized Health Recommendations:** Tips like “Avoid jogging today” or “Wear mask” from fixed threshold values.
-  **Historical Trends & Filters:** Line charts by location, pollutant, or time for awareness.
-  **Push Notifications:** Alerts when pollution is expected to spike in user’s area.
-  **Pollution Source Mapping:** Optional satellite overlay of hotspots like traffic zones or crop fire belts.
-  **Lightweight & Rural Ready:** Designed for low bandwidth, scalable even in low-resource zones.

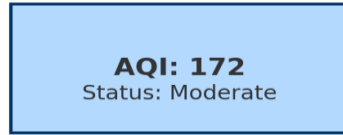
## Process flow diagram or Use-case diagram:



**Wireframes/Mock diagrams of the proposed solution (optional):** We sketched this general UI in **Canva** to represent how a rural user would see the app.

### Hackastra App - Key Screens at a Glance

#### Home Screen



Shows real-time AQI  
+ health warning

#### Forecast Graph



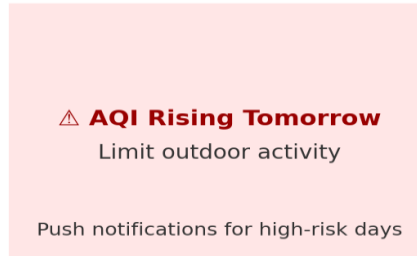
Predicts AQI 72 hrs ahead

#### Heatmap View



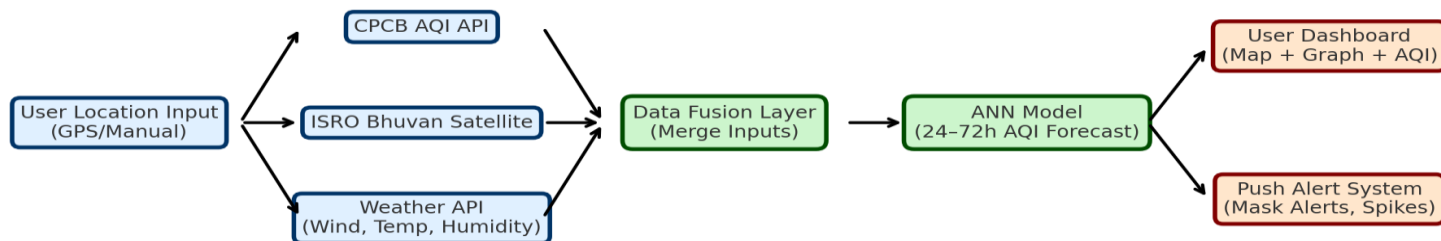
Color-coded AQI zones  
with regional overlay

#### Health Alert



**Architecture diagram of the proposed solution:** We designed this in Canva to show how Hackastra pulls data, processes it through ANN model and delivers useful AQI insights to users.

### Hackastra - Architecture Overview





## Technologies to be used in the solution:



Data Acquisition: ISRO Bhuvan (OCM-3 AOD), CPCB AQI, Weather API, Kaggle datasets



Data Processing: Pandas, NumPy



Modeling: TensorFlow/Keras (ANN for 72-hour AQI forecasting), Scikit-Learn



Backend: Flask, Firebase



Frontend/Visualization: Google Maps API, Seaborn/Matplotlib, Flutter

## Estimated implementation cost (optional): At Largescale Application

Cloud Hosting & Backend Services – ₹25,000 to ₹75,000

Data API Access (AQI, Weather, Satellite) – ₹10,000 to ₹30,000

App Development (Flutter/React Native) – ₹75,000 to ₹2,00,000

AI Model Training & Infrastructure – ₹20,000 to ₹50,000

UI/UX & Design Tools – ₹5,000 to ₹25,000

Miscellaneous (Domain, Testing, Devices) – ₹10,000 to ₹30,000

**Total Estimated Cost for MVP: ₹1,45,000 to ₹4,10,000**

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