



Central Pollution Control Board

Air Quality Status for Delhi & NCR

Dated – April 22, 2025



Current Air Quality Status:

Air Quality Index (AQI) (Average of past 24 hours at 4 PM) in comparison with last two years

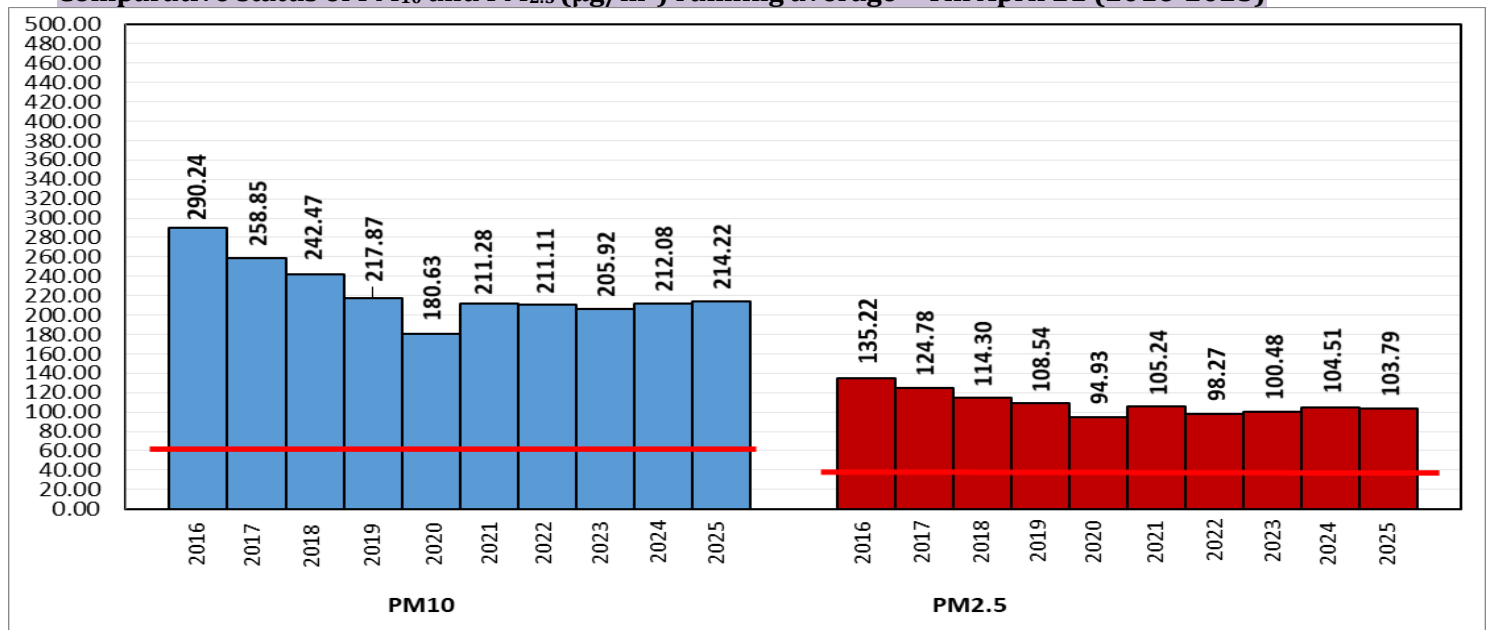
	2025			2024			2023		
	Air Quality	AQI Value	Prominent Pollutant	Air Quality	AQI Value	Prominent Pollutant	Air Quality	AQI Value	Prominent Pollutant
Delhi	Poor	227↑	PM ₁₀	Moderate	127↓	O ₃ , PM _{2.5} , PM ₁₀	Moderate	141↑	PM ₁₀
Faridabad	-	-	-	Moderate	132↓	PM ₁₀ , PM _{2.5}	Moderate	130↑	PM _{2.5}
Ghaziabad	Poor	206↑	PM _{2.5} , PM ₁₀	Moderate	125↓	PM ₁₀	Moderate	134↑	PM ₁₀ , PM _{2.5}
Greater Noida	Moderate	169↑	PM ₁₀	Moderate	170↑	PM ₁₀	Moderate	158↓	O ₃
Gurugram	Moderate	170↓	PM _{2.5}	Moderate	164↓	PM _{2.5} , PM ₁₀	Moderate	150↓	CO, PM _{2.5}
Noida	Moderate	144↓	O ₃ , PM ₁₀	Moderate	138↓	O ₃ , PM ₁₀	Moderate	146↓	NO ₂ , PM ₁₀

*Data available for 37(2025), 38(2024), 38(2023) stations in Delhi today. # ↑, ↓ arrows indicate a decrease/increase as compared to the value on the previous day.

Comparative status of AQI - Delhi from 01 January to 22 April 2016-2025

Category	Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
	No. of days	108	112	112	112	112	112	112	112	112	112										
Good (0–50)		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	25	31	44	60	28	27	47	56	45
Satisfactory (51–100)		0	0	1	2	22	0	3	3	0	2										
Moderate (101–200)		8	25	30	42	37	28	24	44	56	43										
Poor (201–300)		52	58	56	39	35	47	66	42	22	49										
Very Poor (301–400)		42	29	22	22	15	31	18	20	31	18										
Severe (>401)		6	0	3	7	2	6	1	3	3	0	100	87	81	68	52	84	85	65	56	67

Comparative status of PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} (µg/m³) running average – Till April 21 (2016-2025)



*Red line shows the annual average concentration standards for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5}.

Daily Average of Particulates in Delhi (24 hourly average value; from 06:00am of 21.04.25 to 06:00 am of 22.04.25)

Date ↓ / parameter →	PM _{2.5} (µg/m ³)	PM ₁₀ (µg/m ³)
21-Apr-2025	75↑	254↑

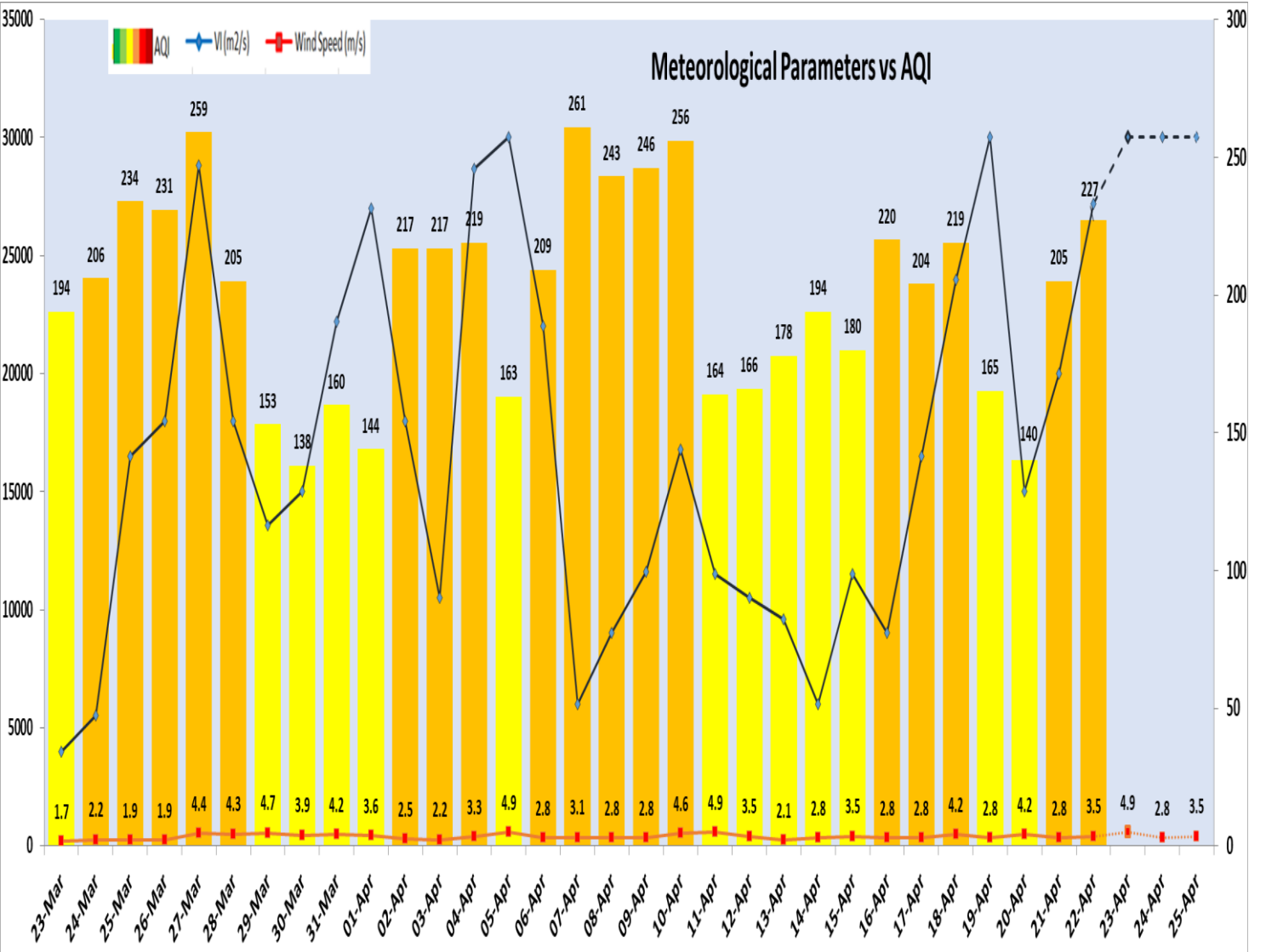
Hotspots for Today:			*Details given below
Delhi	Mundka, Narela, Wazirpur, Jahangirpuri, Rohini	Ghaziabad	Loni, Sanjay Nagar
Faridabad	-	Greater Noida	Knowledge Park – V
Gurugram	NISE Gwal Pahari	Noida	Sector-125, Sector-116

Forecast by IITM(Delhi):			
	Apr 23, 2025	Apr 24, 2025	Apr 25, 2025
AQI Category	Poor	Poor	Poor

Wind Forecast for Delhi:					
	Wind speed (at surface) in km/h		Wind speed (at 900 m) in km/h	Wind Direction	
	As per IMD (range)	As per windy.com (at 16:00 hrs.)	As per windy.com (at 16:00hrs)	As per IMD	As per windy.com at 900m
Apr 23, 2025	10-25	11	24	NW	W
Apr 24, 2025	05-15	09	19	W/NW	NW
Apr 25, 2025	05-20	09	19	W	NW

IMD Alert for Tomorrow (23.04.2025):

The air quality is likely to be in the Poor category from 23.04.2025 to 25.04.2025. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the northwest direction with a wind speed of 10-12 kmph during morning hours. The wind speed will gradually increase thereafter becoming 18-20 kmph from the northwest direction during the afternoon. It will decrease becoming less than 12 kmph from the northwest direction during evening and night on 23.04.2025. Ventilation index is likely to be more than 30000 m²/s.



Delhi Temperature (°C)*		
Date	Minimum	Maximum
19-04-2025	25.8	40.1
20-04-2025	26.0	39.5
21-04-2025	26.2	39.8
22-04-2025	20.9	41.3

* Source – IMD (08:30 hrs.)

Hotspots for Today				
City	Station Name	AQI value	Air Quality	Prominent Pollutant
Delhi	Mundka, Delhi - DPCC	360	Very Poor	PM ₁₀
	Narela, Delhi - DPCC	319	Very Poor	PM ₁₀
	Wazirpur, Delhi - DPCC	305	Very Poor	PM ₁₀
	Jahangirpuri, Delhi - DPCC	300	Poor	PM ₁₀
	Rohini, Delhi - DPCC	300	Poor	PM ₁₀
Gurugram	NISE Gwal Pahari, Gurugram - IMD	170	Moderate	PM _{2.5}
Ghaziabad	Loni, Ghaziabad - UPPCB	264	Poor	PM _{2.5}
	Sanjay Nagar, Ghaziabad - UPPCB	220	Poor	PM ₁₀
Greater Noida	Knowledge Park - V, Greater Noida - UPPCB	212	Poor	PM ₁₀
Noida	Sector - 125, Noida - UPPCB	171	Moderate	Ozone
	Sector-116, Noida - UPPCB	161	Moderate	PM ₁₀