



# Central Pollution Control Board

Air Quality Status for Delhi & NCR

Dated – April 23, 2025



## Current Air Quality Status:

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

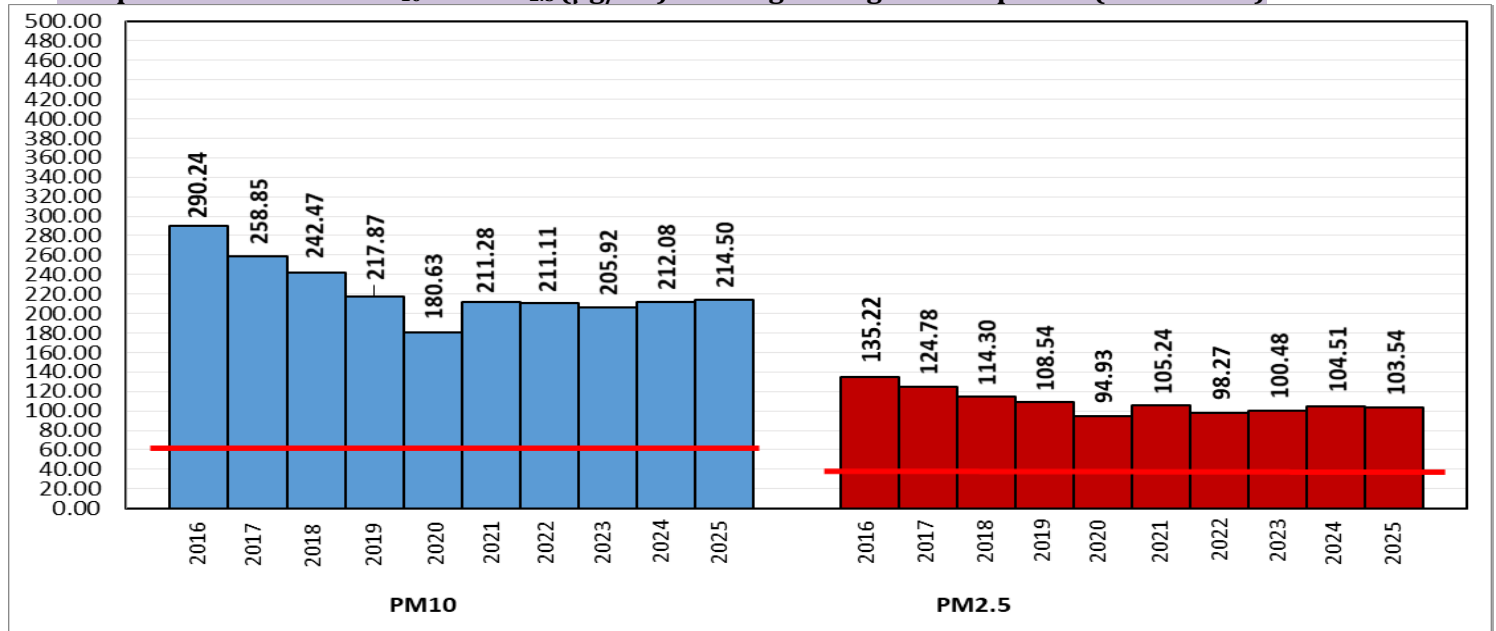
	2025			2024			2023		
	Air Quality	AQI Value	Prominent Pollutant	Air Quality	AQI Value	Prominent Pollutant	Air Quality	AQI Value	Prominent Pollutant
Delhi	Poor	224↓	PM <sub>10</sub>	Moderate	188↑	PM <sub>10</sub>	Moderate	118↓	NO <sub>2</sub> , PM <sub>10</sub>
Faridabad	-	-	-	Moderate	180↑	PM <sub>10</sub> , O <sub>3</sub> , PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Moderate	105↓	PM <sub>10</sub> , PM <sub>2.5</sub>
Ghaziabad	Moderate	190↓	PM <sub>2.5</sub> , PM <sub>10</sub>	Moderate	154↑	PM <sub>10</sub>	Moderate	149↑	PM <sub>10</sub>
Greater Noida	Moderate	160↓	PM <sub>10</sub> , O <sub>3</sub>	Moderate	198↑	PM <sub>10</sub>	Poor	202↑	PM <sub>10</sub>
Gurugram	Moderate	170	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Poor	271↑	PM <sub>10</sub> , PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Poor	213↑	PM <sub>2.5</sub>
Noida	Moderate	176↑	PM <sub>10</sub> , O <sub>3</sub>	Moderate	172↑	O <sub>3</sub>	Moderate	147↑	NO <sub>2</sub> , PM <sub>10</sub>

\*Data available for 35(2025), 36(2024), 39(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 23 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	109	113	113	113	113	113	113	113	113	113										
Good (0-50)		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0										
Satisfactory (51-100)		0	0	1	2	22	0	3	3	0	2	8	26	32	44	61	29	27	48	57	45
Moderate (101-200)		8	26	31	42	38	29	24	45	57	43										
Poor (201-300)		53	58	56	40	35	47	67	42	22	50										
Very Poor (301-400)		42	29	22	22	15	31	18	20	31	18	101	87	81	69	52	84	86	65	56	68
Severe (>401)		6	0	3	7	2	6	1	3	3	0										

### Comparative status of PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> (µg/m<sup>3</sup>) running average – Till April 22 (2016-2025)



\*Red line shows the annual average concentration standards for PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub>.

### Daily Average of Particulates in Delhi (24 hourly average value; from 06:00am of 22.04.25 to 06:00 am of 23.04.25)

Date ↓ / parameter →	PM <sub>2.5</sub> (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	PM <sub>10</sub> (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
22-Apr-2025	75	246↓

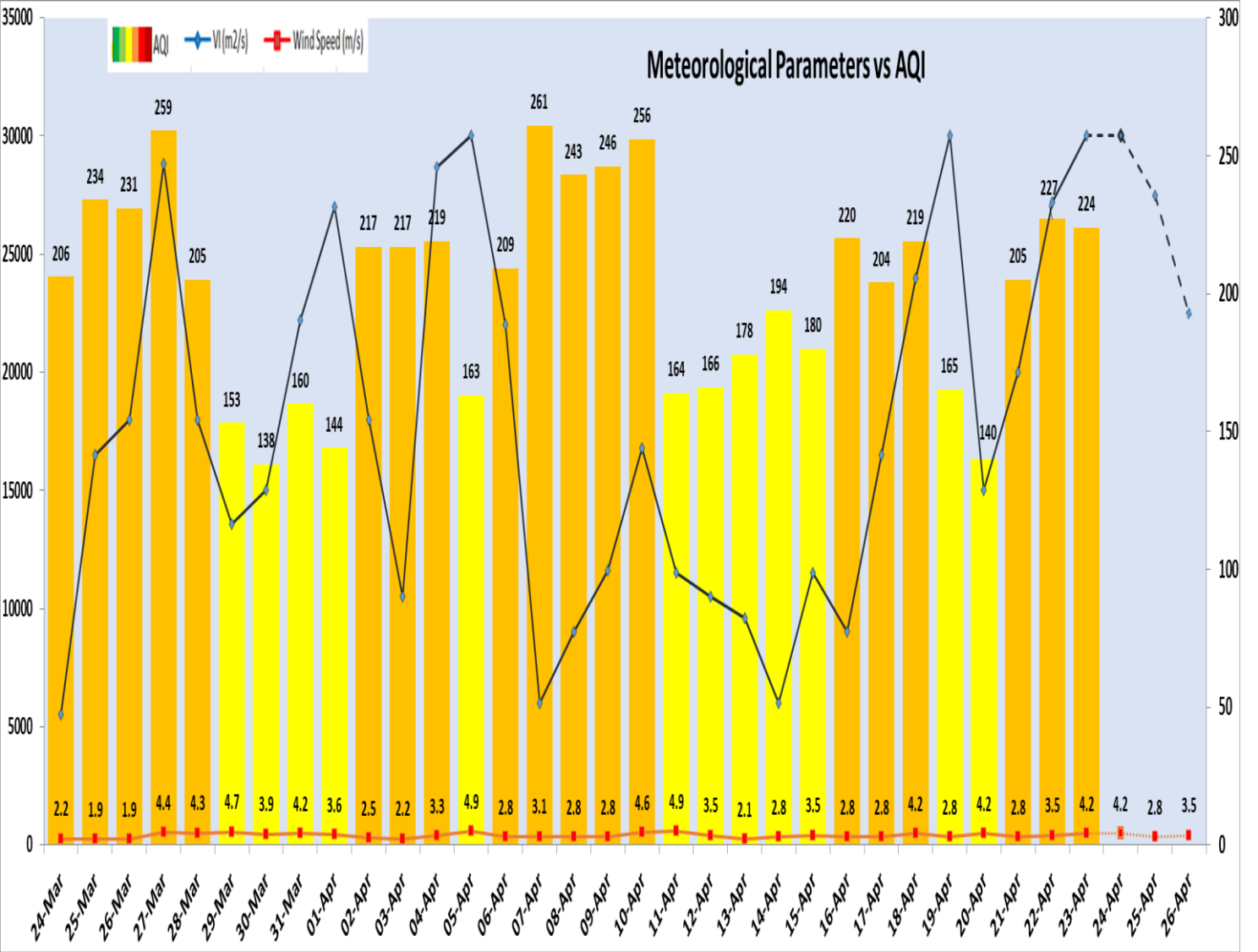
Hotspots for Today:		*Details given below	
Delhi	Mundka, Narela, Jahangirpuri, Wazirpur, Alipur	Ghaziabad	Loni, Sanjay Nagar
Faridabad	-	Greater Noida	Knowledge Park – V
Gurugram	NISE Gwal Pahari	Noida	Sector-125

Forecast by IITM(Delhi):			
	Apr 24, 2025	Apr 25, 2025	Apr 26, 2025
AQI Category	Poor	Poor	Moderate

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 24, 2025	10-20	06	16	W	W
Apr 25, 2025	05-15	09	19	WNW/N	NW
Apr 26, 2025	10-15	09	22	SW/S	N

IMD Alert for Tomorrow (24.04.2025):

The air quality is likely to be in the Poor category from 24.04.2025 to 25.04.2025. The predominant surface wind will likely be from the west 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 west direction during the afternoon. It will decrease becoming less than 12 kmph from the west direction during evening and night on 24.04.2025. Ventilation index is likely to be more than 30000 m<sup>2</sup>/s.



Delhi Temperature (°C)*		
Date	Minimum	Maximum
20-04-2025	26.0	39.5
21-04-2025	26.2	39.8
22-04-2025	20.9	41.3
23-04-2025	19.7	39.9

\* Source – IMD (08:30 hrs.)

Hotspots for Today				
City	Station Name	AQI value	Air Quality	Prominent Pollutant
Delhi	Mundka, Delhi - DPCC	335	Very Poor	PM <sub>10</sub>
	Narela, Delhi - DPCC	331	Very Poor	PM <sub>10</sub>
	Jahangirpuri, Delhi - DPCC	288	Poor	PM <sub>10</sub>
	Wazirpur, Delhi - DPCC	281	Poor	PM <sub>10</sub>
	Alipur, Delhi - DPCC	279	Poor	PM <sub>10</sub>
Gurugram	NISE Gwal Pahari, Gurugram - IMD	170	Moderate	PM <sub>2.5</sub>
Ghaziabad	Loni, Ghaziabad - UPPCB	241	Poor	PM <sub>2.5</sub>
	Sanjay Nagar, Ghaziabad - UPPCB	223	Poor	PM <sub>10</sub>
Greater Noida	Knowledge Park - V, Greater Noida - UPPCB	197	Moderate	Ozone
Noida	Sector - 125, Noida - UPPCB	211	Poor	Ozone