



Swachh Vayu Survekshan 2025



Plantation



Clean City



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Waste Management



Public Awareness



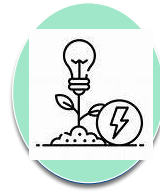
Air Quality



Clean Air



Health



Renewables



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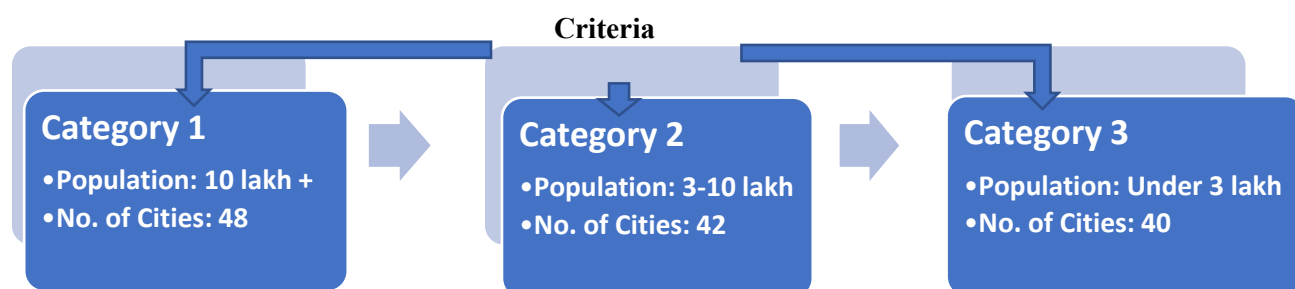
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“Swachh Vayu Sarvekshan” is an initiative by MoEF&CC to rank cities on the basis of implementation of activities approved under city action plan and air quality in 130 NCAP cities.

Objectives

- To create awareness among all sections of the society
- Inform citizens about the health impacts related due to exposure
- Comparing air quality conditions at different locations/cities
- To achieve the goal of NCAP “Clean air for all”.



*Population 2011 census

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change rewards the top three performing cities in each category with a cash prize, a trophy, and a certificate titled “National Clean Air City.” This recognition is part of the National Mission for Clean Air and is awarded on September 7th each year, in celebration of the International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies.

Assessment is done based on submission of self-assessment report along with supporting documents submitted by ULBs. The reports and documents are further vetted by respective Air Quality Monitoring Committee (AQMC), chaired by Principal Secretary Environment and further examined and evaluated by CPCB for ranking, on the basis of assessment framework given in MoEF&CC guideline.

Guiding Principles

All 130 cities covered under NCAP are assessed based on information submitted under ranking framework by cities/ULBs on PRANA portal (dashboard to capture progress under NCAP programme).

Methodology Adopted

Assessment is done every year and cities are ranked based on the assessment of performance for the period (financial year i.e, 1st April to 31st March) of the preceding financial year. Specific weightage has been assigned for taking control measures in 08 identified sectors shown in the Table 1 below.

Table 1-Sector wise specific weightage (shown in %)

Sector	Category 1 >10L Population cities (in %)	Category 2 3-10L Population cities (in %)	Category 3 < 3 L population cities (in %)
Biomass & Municipal Solid Waste Burning	20	20	20
Road dust	20	20	25
Dust from Construction & Demolition Waste	5	5	5
Vehicular Emissions	20	20	15
Emissions from Industries	20	15	15
Other Emissions	10	15	15
IEC activities/Public Awareness	2.5	2.5	2.5
Improvement in PM ₁₀ concentrations	2.5	2.5	2.5

Declaration of Results:

Based on above guiding principles, this year the following cities are presented with “National Clean Air City” Awards as part of **Swachh Vayu Survekshan 2025** at MoEFCC, Delhi on 9th September 2025:

Swachh Vayu Survekshan 2025 Results			
Category	Rank	Cities	Award Cash prize (₹ in crores) for FY 2024-25
Category 1	1 st	Indore, Madhya Pradesh	1.50
	2 nd	Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh	1.00
	3 rd	Agra, Uttar Pradesh	0.25
	3 rd	Surat, Gujarat	0.25
Category 2	1 st	Amravati, Maharashtra	0.75
	2 nd	Moradabad, Uttar Pradesh	0.25
	2 nd	Jhansi, Uttar Pradesh	0.25
	3 rd	Alwar, Rajasthan	0.25
Category 3	1 st	Dewas, Madhya Pradesh	0.375
	2 nd	Parwanoo, Himachal Pradesh	0.25
	3 rd	Angul, Odisha	0.125

These cities are being awarded for their significant improvements in air quality, achieved through the adoption of various best practices aimed at mitigating air pollution. Some of the key activities they implemented include-

- End to end paving on roads
- Promoting mechanical sweeping
- Bioremediation of legacy waste
- C & D and solid waste management
- Nagar vatika from reclaimed land of dumpsite
- Greenbelt development
- Intelligent traffic management system
- Miyawaki forestation
- Clean Fuel Transition in Industries

First “National Clean Air City” Awards as part of **Swachh Vayu Survekshan 2022** were presented during National level workshop title “Sumangalam Panchmahabhoot: Conference Series on Vayu-The Vital Life Force” held at Bhubaneswar, Odisha on 2-4th December’22. Cities conferred with awards were – Lucknow (1st), Prayagraj (2nd), Varanasi (3rd) under Category 1; Moradabad (1st), Firozabad (2nd), Amravati (3rd) under Category 2 and Dewas (1st), Sunder Nagar (2nd), Nalagarh (3rd) under Category 3.

Second “National Clean Air City” Awards as part of **Swachh Vayu Survekshan 2023** were presented during National level workshop held at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh on 7th September 2023. Cities conferred with awards were – Indore (1st), Agra (2nd), Thane (3rd) under Category 1; Amravati (1st), Moradabad (2nd), Guntur (3rd) under Category 2 and Parwanoo (1st), Kala-Amb (2nd), Angul (3rd) under Category 3.

Third “National Clean Air City” Awards as part of **Swachh Vayu Survekshan 2024** were presented during National level workshop held at Jaipur, Rajasthan on 7th September 2024. Cities conferred with awards were – Surat (1st), Jabalpur (2nd), Agra (3rd) under Category 1; Firozabad (1st), Amravati (2nd), Jhansi (3rd) under Category 2 and Raebareli (1st), Nalgonda (2nd), Nalagarh (3rd) under Category 3.

This unique initiative envisages to generate competitiveness among cities by showcasing and sharing progress achieved by the cities in the public domain, hence fosters a sense of encouragement and motivation in city authorities in enhancing their efforts.

The Swachh Vayu Survekshan shall help in enabling city authorities in comprehending their city’s progress, and achieving targeted actions towards cleaner environment.

<u>Category-I: List of Cities- Population above 10 Lakhs</u>			
		Score	
Sl.No.	City/ Town	Final Score	Rank
1	Indore	200	1
2	Jabalpur	199	2
3	Agra	196	3
4	Surat	196	3
5	Navi-Mumbai	195	4
6	Kanpur	192.2	5
7	Bhopal	191	6
8	Allahabad	188	7
9	Thane	188	7
10	Chandigarh	186.6	8
11	Trichy	186	9
12	Ahmedabad	185	10
13	Pune	185	10
14	Nagpur	185	10
15	Varanasi	184	11
16	Raipur	184	11
17	Ghaziabad	183	12
18	Vijayawada	182	13
19	Vadodara	181	14
20	Vasai Virar	181	14
21	Rajkot	179	15
22	Lucknow	179	15
23	Nashik	178.4	16
24	Vishakhapatnam	177.6	17
25	Ludhiana	177.2	18
26	Faridabad	171.7	19
27	Asansol	169.3	20
28	Srinagar	169.2	21

29	Hyderabad	168.3	22
30	Jamshedpur	168.2	23
31	Durg Bhilai	168.1	24
32	Mumbai	165.2	25
33	Jaipur	164.6	26
34	Patna	164.5	27
35	Gwalior	162.6	28
36	Dhanbad	162.5	29
37	Ranchi	161.8	30
38	Amritsar	158	31
39	Delhi	157.3	32
40	Meerut	156.5	33
41	Aurangabad	155.1	34
42	Jodhpur	146	35
43	Bangalore	145.1	36
44	Kota	144.7	37
45	Kolkata	144.6	38
46	Howrah	140.1	39
47	Madurai	116.1	40
48	Chennai	115.3	41

Category-II: List of cities-Population from 3 to 10 Lakhs

		Score	
Sl.No.	City/ Town	Final Score	Rank
1	Amravati	200	1
2	Moradabad	198.5	2
3	Jhansi	198.5	2
4	Alwar	197.6	3
5	Bhubaneswar	196.5	4
6	Gorakhpur	195	5
7	Firozabad	195	5
8	Guntur	192	6
9	Bareilly	189.5	7
10	Ulhasnagar	187.5	8
11	Noida	184.2	9
12	Cuttack	182.5	10
13	Gaya	181.4	11
14	Rajahmundry	181	12
15	Ujjain	178.5	13
16	Devanagere	178.2	14
17	Udaipur	176.4	15
18	Sagar	176	16
19	Rourkela	174.6	17
20	Korba	172.5	18
21	Nellore	172.5	18
22	Dehradun	171.7	19
23	Hubli-Dharwad	170.4	20
24	Guwahati	169.9	21
25	Jammu	168.2	22
26	Kadapa	168	23
27	Latur	166.6	24
28	Solapur	166.5	25

29	Jalgaon	166	26
30	Badlapur	165.5	27
31	Sangli	165.2	28
32	Kurnool	162.9	29
33	Muzaffarpur	160.6	30
34	Chandrapur	160.5	31
35	Patiala	160.3	32
36	Akola	159.5	33
37	Barrackpore	159	34
38	Anantapur	146.5	35
39	Gulburga	145.1	36
40	Durgapur	141.1	37
41	Kolhapur	140	38
42	Jalandhar	97.1	39

Category-III: List of cities- Population less than 3 Lakh

		Score	
Sl.No.	City/ Town	Final Score	Rank
1.	Dewas	193	1
2.	Parwanoo	191.5	2
3.	Angul	191	3
4.	Talcher	187.9	4
5.	Anpara	187.5	5
6.	Nalagarh	187.2	6
7.	Raebareli	186.5	7
8.	Vizianagaram	185.5	8
9.	Haldia	185	9
10.	Baddi	183.3	10
11.	Balasore	182	11
12.	Paonta Sahib	181.5	12
13.	Nalgonda	180.8	13
14.	Rishikesh	178.5	14
15.	Nalbari	178	15
16.	Srikakulam	177.5	16
17.	Sangareddy	177.4	17
18.	Kashipur	177	18
19.	Kalinga Nagar	175	19
20.	Silchar	174.5	20
21.	Sibsagar	174.5	20
22.	Ongole	170	21
23.	Damtal	169.6	22
24.	Gajraula	169.2	23
25.	Sunder Nagar	168.7	24
26.	Nagaon	166.6	25
27.	Khurja	166.5	26
28.	Kala Amb	166	27

29.	Pathankot/Dera Baba	164.6	28
30.	Chitoor	159.2	29
31.	Jalna	158.5	30
32.	Eluru	157.5	31
33.	Naya Nangal	157	32
34.	Gobindgarh	151	33
35.	Dimapur	141.6	34
36.	Dera Bassi	126.2	35
37.	Thoothukudi	125.6	36
38.	Khanna	112.3	37
39.	Kohima	109.1	38
40.	Byrnihat	85.7	39