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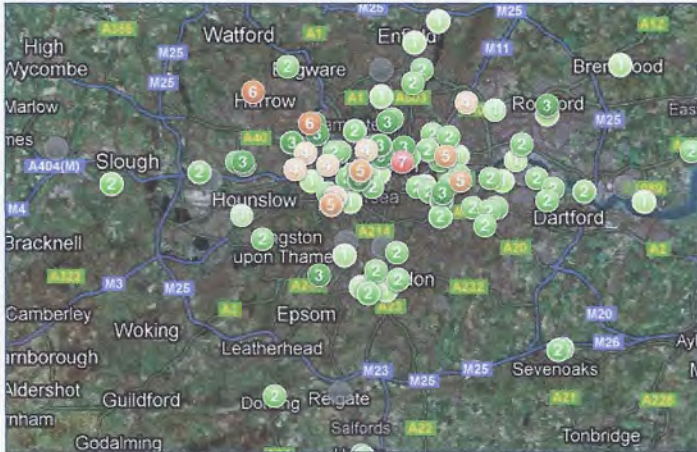
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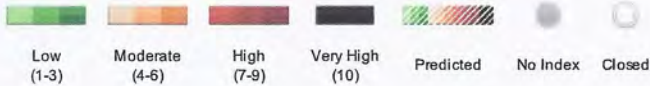
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This map shows the daily air quality index from LAQN pollution analysers. Not all analysers on the network are contacted every hour, so some sites may show 'no data'. Data have undergone automatic validity checks.

You can find out more information about each location (monitoring site) by clicking on its dot on the map. Once selected you can find out further information by clicking the 'Site Details' link above.

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Current air pollution

'Moderate' nitrogen dioxide has been measured at some very busy central London roadside sites this morning due to cold calm conditions overnight.

General Forecast

Cold calm conditions overnight and this morning have led to elevated particulate levels this morning. Although higher wind speeds and rain are forecast to pick up later this afternoon which should improve pollutant dispersion, there is a chance of 'moderate' PM10 and PM2.5 at busy roadside sites today.

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#### Forecasting

These pages provide air pollution forecast information from Defra and the Devolved Administrations. Here you will find daily updated forecasts of UK air pollution concentrations for up to 24 hours ahead. Forecasts are issued for sixteen urban areas and sixteen UK regions; these cover roadside, urban background and rural locations.

#### Latest UK Air Pollution Forecast

Over the next 24 hours Air pollution is expected to remain **Low** at urban, roadside and rural locations in all regions of the UK. As a period of cold, wet and blustery weather moves in across the country.

Forecast valid until 7th December 2012

» [View the forecast map to show UK colour coded regions.](#)

#### View the forecast for a specific UK region

A summary table is available showing a summary of the UK forecast data, although you can view regional summaries on the latest pollution information page by selecting a region below.

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Click a coloured region from the map to view the latest data for a specific region. The coloured regions show the maximum pollution index measured or forecast.

Map View:

**Index Bands**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  
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**Latest Summary**

The following summary shows you how many automatic monitoring sites from the AURN are in each health banding.

**Low: 123 Moderate: 0 High: 0 Very High: 0**

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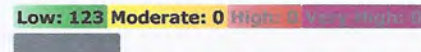
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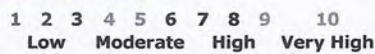
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## Forecast Summary

The tables below show the 24-hour air pollution forecast for sixteen urban areas and sixteen regions of the UK. The information is normally updated at 11am and 4pm daily. During periods of high or changing pollution concentrations the forecasts may be updated at other times during the day.

### Index Bands

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  
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### Zones

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| Zone                    | In rural areas | In towns and cities away from busier roads | In towns and cities next to busier roads |
|-------------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Greater London          | N/A            | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| North East              | 3 (Low)        | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| North West & Merseyside | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Yorkshire & Humberside  | 3 (Low)        | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| East Midlands           | 3 (Low)        | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| West Midlands           | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Eastern                 | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| South East              | 3 (Low)        | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| South West              | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| South Wales             | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| North Wales             | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Scottish Borders        | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Central Scotland        | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| North East Scotland     | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Highland                | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Northern Ireland        | 3 (Low)        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |

### Agglomerations

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| Agglomeration                   | In towns and cities away from busier roads | In towns and cities next to busier roads |
|---------------------------------|--|--|
| West Midlands Urban Area        | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| Greater Manchester Urban Area   | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| West Yorkshire Urban Area       | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| Tyneside                        | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Liverpool Urban Area            | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| Sheffield Urban Area            | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Nottingham Urban Area           | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Bristol Urban Area              | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Brighton/Worthing/Littlehampton | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Leicester Urban Area            | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Portsmouth Urban Area           | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Swansea Urban Area              | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| Cardiff Urban Area              | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |
| Edinburgh Urban Area            | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |

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| Agglomeration                   | In towns and cities away from busier roads | In towns and cities next to busier roads |
|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Glasgow Urban Area              | 3 (Low)                                    | 3 (Low)                                  |
| Belfast Metropolitan Urban Area | 2 (Low)                                    | 2 (Low)                                  |

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