

## Air pollution in India

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In this Sept. 23, 2014 file photo, smoke rises from brick kiln chimneys on the outskirts of New Delhi, India. India's filthy air is cutting 660 million lives short by about three years, while nearly all of the country's 1.2 billion citizens are breathing in harmful pollution levels, according to research published Saturday, Feb. 21, 2015. While New Delhi last year earned the dubious title of being the world's most polluted city, the problem extends nationwide, with 13 Indian cities now on the World Health Organization's list of the 20 most polluted. (AP Photo/Altaf Qadri, File)