

# Air Quality Bulletin – PM10 December 2022

The daily limit for PM<sub>10</sub> is 50 ug/m<sup>3</sup>. The limit is deemed breached if more than 35 exceedances occur during the year. The table below shows the number of exceedances at stations in Ireland based on available data to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022. This data is provisional and subject to future revision following any further data validation.

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Station Name	Number of values greater than 50 ug/m <sup>3</sup> (year to date)	Station Location	Station Type	Data available to	Station Operator
Askeaton	0	Co. Limerick	Rural Background	31st December	EPA
Athlone Civic Centre	3	Co. Westmeath	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Ballyfermot	1	Dublin 10	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dublin City Council
Birr	3	Co. Offaly	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Blanchardstown	3	Dublin 15	Suburban Traffic	31st December	Fingal County Council
Bray	0	Co. Wicklow	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Carlow	0	Carlow Town	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Carrick-on- Shannon	0	Co. Leitrim	Suburban Traffic	31st December	EPA
Castlebar (Gravimetric)	0	Co. Mayo	Suburban Background	21 <sup>st</sup> November	EPA
Cavan	2	Co Cavan	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Claremorris	0	Co. Mayo	Rural Background	31st December	EPA
Clonmel	1	Co. Tipperary	Urban Background	31st December	EPA
Clonskeagh	1	Dublin 14	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA

Cobh Leisure Centre	0	Co. Cork	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA/Cork County Council
Cork Harbour	1	Co. Cork	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Cork Heatherton Park	2	Cork City	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Cork City Council
Cork South Link Road	2	Cork City	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Cork City Council
Davitt Road	4	Dublin 12	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dublin City Council
Drogheda	0	Co. Louth	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Dublin Airport Authority	1	Co. Dublin	Suburban Background	31st December	DAA/EPA
Dublin Port	5	Dublin 1	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA/DPA
Dún Laoghaire	1	Co. Dublin	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council
Dundalk	1	Co. Louth	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Edenderry	10	Co. Offaly	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Ennis	21	Co. Clare	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Enniscorthy	5	Enniscorthy Town	Suburban Background	31st December	Wexford County Council
Finglas	1	Dublin 11	Suburban Background	31st December	Dublin City Council
Greystones	0	Co. Wicklow	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Kilkenny Seville Lodge	2	Kilkenny City	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Kilkitt (Gravimetric)	0	Co. Monaghan	Rural Background	20 <sup>th</sup> November	EPA
Killarney	0	Co. Kerry	Rural Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Leixlip	1	Co. Kildare	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Letterkenny	6	Co. Donegal	Urban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Limerick_Henry St.	2	Co. Limerick	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Limerick_Peoples Park	2	Co. Limerick	Urban Background	31st December	EPA
Longford	9	Co. Longford	Suburban Traffic	31st December	EPA

Macroom	7	Co. Cork	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA/Cork County Council
Mallow	1	Co. Cork	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA/Cork County Council
Marino	3	Dublin 3	Suburban Background	31st December	Dublin City Council
MTU Bishopstown	0	Cork City	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	MTU
Naas	2	Co. Kildare	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Navan	1	Co. Meath	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Pearse Street	2	Dublin 2	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dublin City Council
Phoenix Park (Gravimetric)	1	Dublin 8	Suburban Background	14 <sup>th</sup> November	Dublin City Council
Portlaoise	0	Co. Laois	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Rahoon Road (Gravimetric)	0	Galway City	Suburban Background	24 <sup>th</sup> December	Public Analyst's Laboratory
Rathmines (Gravimetric)	2	Dublin 6	Urban Background	6 <sup>th</sup> November	Dublin City Council
Ringsend	11	Dublin 4	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Roscommon	0	Roscommon City	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Sligo	0	Co. Sligo	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
St. Anne's	1	Dublin 5	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
St. John's Road West	1	Dublin 8	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dublin City Council
Tallaght	1	Dublin 24	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Tipperary	2	Tipperary Town	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Tralee	14	Co. Kerry	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Waterford Browne's Road	3	Waterford City	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Wexford	5	Co. Wexford	Background Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Winetavern Street (Gravimetric)	1	Dublin 8	Urban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> October	Dublin City Council

#### **Comments:**

#### **PM10 Exceedance Dates:**

# Athlone:

05/03/2022

14/12/2022

15/12/2022

# Ballyfermot:

26/03/2022

# Birr:

28/03/2022

14/12/2022

15/12/2022

# Blanchardstown:

24/03/2022

25/03/2022

26/03/2022

# Cavan:

11/12/2022

15/12/2022

# Cork Heatherton Park:

16/12/2022

17/12/2022

# Cork South Link:

16/12/2022

17/12/2022

# Clonskeagh:

26/03/2022

# Cork Harbour:

01/01/2022

# Davitt Road:

17/01/2022

25/03/2022

26/03/2022 29/11/2022

#### DAA:

26/03/2022

# **Dublin Port:**

17/01/2022

24/03/2022

25/03/2022

26/03/2022

05/04/2022

# **Dun Laoghaire:**

26/03/2022

# **Dundalk:**

27/03/2022

# **Edenderry:**

12/01/2022

13/01/2022

15/01/2022

17/01/2022

24/01/2022

25/01/2022

26/03/2022

29/11/2022

16/12/2022

17/12/2022

# Ennis:

11/01/2022

12/01/2022

13/01/2022

15/01/2022

16/01/2022

20/01/2022

29/01/2022

28/02/2022

04/03/2022

05/03/2022

17/10/2022

16/11/2022

18/11/2022

7/12/2022

8/12/2022

10/12/2022

11/12/2022

14/12/2022

15/12/2022

21/12/2022 22/12/2022

# **Enniscorthy:**

13/01/2022

15/01/2022

16/01/2022

17/01/2022

23/03/2022

# Finglas:

26/03/2022

# Kilkenny:

01/01/2022

17/12/2022

# <u>Letterkenny:</u>

26/03/2022

16/11/2022

28/11/2022

02/12/2022

12/12/2022

13/12/2022

# Limerick Henry St.:

07/12/2022

10/12/2022

# Limerick Peoples Park:

07/12/2022

10/12/2022

# Longford:

05/03/2022

24/03/2022

29/03/2022

09/08/2022

02/09/2022

11/12/2022

13/12/2022

14/12/2022

15/12/2022

# Macroom:

05/01/2022

12/01/2022

13/01/2022

26/03/2022

28/03/2022

10/12/2022

# 16/12/2022

# Mallow:

29/03/2022

# Marino:

17/01/2022

25/03/2022

26/03/2022

#### Naas:

15/02/2022

25/03/2022

# Navan:

26/03/2022

# Pearse Street:

25/03/2022

26/03/2022

# **Phoenix Park:**

26/03/2022

# Rathmines:

26/03/2022

04/05/2022

# Ringsend:

14/01/2022

17/01/2022

24/01/2022

21/03/2022

22/03/2022

23/03/2022

25/03/2022

26/03/2022

27/03/2022

01/12/2022

02/12/2022

# St. Anne's:

26/03/2022

# St. John's Road:

26/03/2022

# Tallaght:

25/08/2022

# Tipperary:

05/01/2022 24/01/2022

# <u>Tralee:</u>

04/01/2022

11/01/2022

16/01/2022

25/01/2022

29/01/2022

26/03/2022

27/03/2022

07/12/2022

08/12/2022

09/12/2022

10/12/2022

11/12/2022

12/12/2022

15/12/2022

# Waterford:

05/01/2022

12/01/2022

13/01/2022

# Wexford:

05/01/2022

11/01/2022

12/01/2022

13/01/2022

17/01/2022

# Winetavern St.:

26/03/2022



# Air Quality Bulletin – Nitrogen Dioxide December 2022

The hourly limit for NO<sub>2</sub> is 200 ug/m<sup>3</sup>. The limit is deemed breached if more than 18 exceedances occur during the year. The table below shows the number of exceedances at stations in Ireland based on available data to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022. This data is provisional and subject to future revision following any further data validation.

Further details are available at <a href="http://www.epa.ie/air/quality/">http://www.epa.ie/air/quality/</a> or email <a href="mirror">airquality/</a> or email <a href="mirror">airquality/<a href="m

Station Name	Number of values greater than 200 ug/m³ (year to date)	Station Location	Station Type	Data available to	Station Operator
Ballyfermot	0	Dublin 7	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dublin City Council
Birr	0	Co. Offaly	Suburban Traffic	31st December	EPA
Blanchardstown	0	Dublin 15	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Fingal County Council
Carrick-On- Shannon	0	Co. Leitrim	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Castlebar	0	Co. Mayo	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Cork South Link Road	0	Cork City	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Cork City Council
Davitt Road	0	Dublin 12	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dublin City Council
Dublin Airport Authority	0	Co Dublin	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	DAA/EPA
Dublin Port	0	Dublin 1	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA/DPA
Dún Laoghaire	0	Co. Dublin	Suburban Background	31st December	Dún Laoghaire Rathdown County Council
Dundalk	0	Co. Louth	Suburban background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Edenderry	0	Co. Offaly	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Emo Court	0	Co. Laois	Rural Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Eyre Square	0	Galway City	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA

Glanmire Road	0	Cork City	Urban Traffic	31st December	EPA
Kilkenny Seville Lodge	0	Kilkenny City	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Kilkitt	0	Co. Monaghan	Rural Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Limerick Henry St	0	Limerick City	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Peoples's Park Limerick	0	Co. Limerick	Urban Background	31st December	EPA
Mallow	0	Co. Cork	Suburban Background	31st December	EPA
Navan	0	Co. Meath	Suburban Traffic	31st December	EPA
Portlaoise	0	Co. Laois	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Rathmines	0	Dublin 6	Urban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Ringsend	0	Dublin 4	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
St. John's Road	0	Dublin 8	Urban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	Dublin City Council
Swords	0	Co. Dublin	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Tallaght	0	Dublin 24	Suburban Traffic	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
UCC Distillery Field	0	Cork City	Suburban Background	31st December	UCC
Waterford	0	Co. Waterford	Suburban Background	31 <sup>st</sup> December	EPA
Winetavern Street	0	Dublin 8	Urban Background	31st December	Dublin City Council
Comments:					



# Air Quality Bulletin – Ozone December 2022

The health information daily threshold for Ozone is 120 ug/m³. Any exceedances of this threshold must be notified to the public. The table below shows the number of exceedances at stations in Ireland based on available data to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022. This data is provisional and subject to future revision following any further data validation.

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Station Name	Number of values greater than 120 ug/m³ (year to date)	Station Location	Station Type	Data available to	Station Operator
Bray	0	Co. Wicklow	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Carnsore Point	0	Wexford	Rural Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EMEP
Castlebar	0	Co. Mayo	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Clonskeagh	0	Dublin 14	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Cork South Link Road	0	Cork City	Suburban Traffic	30 <sup>th</sup> September	Cork City Council
Dublin Airport Authority	0	Co. Dublin	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	DAA/EPA
Emo Court	0	Co. Laois	Rural Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Kilkenny Seville Lodge	0	Kilkenny City	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Kilkitt	0	Co. Monaghan	Rural Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Limerick People's Park	0	Co. Limerick	Urban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Mace Head	0	Co. Galway	Rural Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	NUI Galway
Malin Head	0	Co. Donegal	Rural Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EMEP
Mallow	0	Co. Cork	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
MTU Bishopstown	0	Cork City	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	MTU

Pearse Street	0	Dublin 2	Urban Traffic	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Rathmines	0	Dublin 6	Urban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Swords	0	Co. Dublin	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
UCC Distillery Field	0	Cork City	Suburban Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	UCC
Valentia	0	Co. Kerry	Rural Background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	Met Éireann
Waterford	0	Co Waterford	Suburban background	30 <sup>th</sup> September	EPA
Comments:					