





# **Environmental Report**

**LAGOS SEPTEMBER 2024** 

# RUNNING FOR CLEAN AIR

## DISCLAIMER

This report contains data from the Air Quality monitoring station installed at National stadium complex, Lagos, Nigeria, operating since February 8th, 2024.

The data presented in this report is collected with sensor technologies which are not regulatory-grade instrumentation following Directive 2008/50/EC. Therefore, the results presented should be considered as informative and not be used for regulatory compliance checking purposes. Any communication of the data should include this statement. After deployment, the monitors are not routinely inter-compared with reference instruments at each destination.

Air Quality Station device:



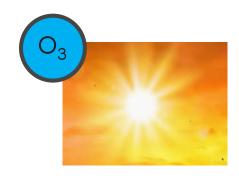


## MAIN POLLUTANTS MEASURED



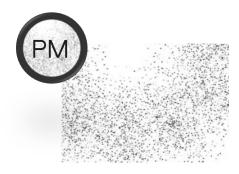
## Nitrogen Dioxide

Primarily gets in the air from the burning of fuel by cars, trucks and buses, power plants



#### Ozone

Created by chemical reactions between (NOx) and (VOC) in the presence of sunlight



#### Particulate matter

Mixture of solid particles and liquid droplets found in the air. Some are emitted directly from a source, such as heating in residential, construction sites, unpaved roads, fields, smokestacks, fires or transported by the wind



## TO BUILD A SIMPLIFIED AIR QUALITY INDEX (AQI)

## Gaseous pollutants







## Particulate Matter









## **EUROPEAN AQI INDEX**

## Help us understand data measured by the stations

EXTREMELY POOR	May cause respiratory issues in healthy people, and			
126-200	serious health issues in people with lung/heart disease.			
VERY POOR	The pollution level has reached a critical level. Even			
101-125	healthy people may show symptoms for short exposures.			
POOR	Effects can be immediately felt by individuals at risk.			
75-100	Everybody feels the effects of prolonged exposure.			
MODERATE	The air has reached a high level of pollution. Higher than			
51-75	the maximum limit for 24 hours established by WHO.			
FAIR	The air is moderately polluted. A long-term exposure			
26-50	constitutes a health risk.			
GOOD	The air is pure, ideal for outdoor activities.			
0-25	The all is pure, ideal for outdoor activities.			

## **EUROPEAN AQI LEVELS**



Measurements of up to five key pollutants (O3, NO2, SO2, PM10, PM2.5) determine the index level that describes the current air quality situation at the location of each Kunak device. The index corresponds to the poorest level for any of the five pollutants based on the following scheme:

Pollutant	Level index (based on pollutant concentrations in µg/m³)					
	Good	Fair	Moderate	Poor	Very poor	Extremely poor
	(0-25)	(26-50)	(51-75)	(76-100)	(101-125)	(126-200)
PM <sub>2.5</sub> (24h)	0-10	10-20	20-25	25-50	50-75	75-800
PM <sub>10</sub> (24h)	0-20	20-35	35-50	50-100	100-150	150-1200
NO <sub>2</sub>	0-40	40-90	90-120	120-230	230-340	340-1000
O <sub>3</sub>	0-50	50-100	100-130	130-240	240-380	380-800
SO <sub>2</sub>	0-100	100-200	200-350	350-500	500-750	750-1250

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#### RECOMMENDED AIR QUALITY GUIDELINES LEVELS & INTERIM TARGETS

Pollutant	Averaging time		Interim target			AQG level
		1	2	3	4	•
PM <sub>2.5</sub> , µg/m³	Annual	35	25	15	10	5
	24-hours	75	<del>- 50</del>	37.5	25	15
PM <sub>10</sub> , µg/m³	Annual	70	50	30	20	15
	24-hours	150	100	75	50	45
O <sub>3</sub> , µg/m³	Peak season <sup>b</sup>	100	70	-	-	60
	8-hour <sup>a</sup>	160	120			100
NO <sub>2</sub> , µg/m³	Annual	40	30	20	-	10
	24-hours	120	<del>- 50</del>	_	_	25

## AIR QUALITY GUIDELINES FOR NITROGEN DIOXIDE (SHORT AVERAGE TIME) REMAIN VALID

Pollutant	Averaging time	Air quality guidelines that remain valid		
NO <sub>2</sub> , µg/m³	1-hour	200		

Recommended 2021 AQG levels compared to 2005 air quality guidelines

Pollutant	Averaging Time	2005 AQGs	2021 AQGs	
$PM_{2.5}$ , $\mu g/m^3$	Annual	10	5	
	24-hour <sup>a</sup>	25	15	
PM <sub>10</sub> , μg/m <sup>3</sup>	Annual	20	15	
	24-hour <sup>a</sup>	50	45	
O <sub>3</sub> , μg/m <sup>3</sup>	Peak season <sup>b</sup>	-	60	
	8-hour <sup>a</sup>	100	100	
NO <sub>2</sub> , μg/m <sup>3</sup>	Annual	40	10	
	24-hour <sup>a</sup>	-	25	
SO <sub>2</sub> , μg/m <sup>3</sup>	24-hour <sup>a</sup>	20	40	
CO, mg/m <sup>3</sup>	24-hour <sup>a</sup>	-	4	

https://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10665/345329/9789240034228-eng.pdf?sequence=1&isAllowed=y

## **METHODOLOGY**

#### Meteo sensors

Temperature
(WBGT) Wet bulb globe temperature
Relative Humidity

Gas sensors (ug/m3)

NO, NO2, O3

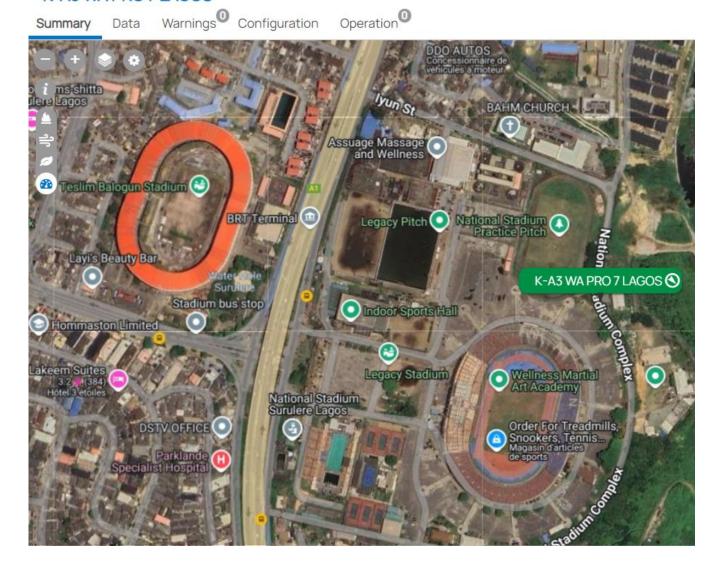
Particulate Matter sensor (ug/m3)

PM2.5, PM10

**Positioning** 

**GPS** 

#### K-A3 WA PRO 7 LAGOS



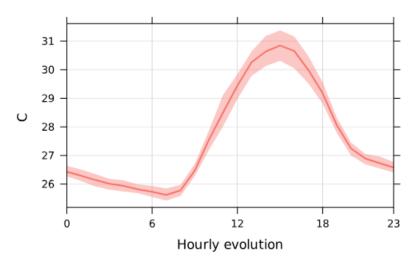


# AGGREGATED DATA September 1st to September 30th, 2024



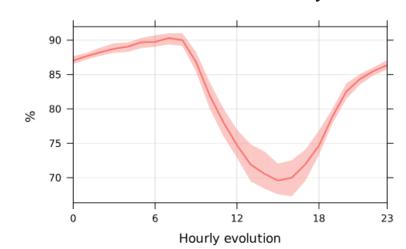
## TEMPERATURE & HUMIDITY – Time variation - September 1st to 30th

### Air Temperature



Aggregated data of the temperature hourly evolution indicate that the lowest temperature is measured at 07:00 and the highest between 14:00 and 15:00

### **Relative Humidity**



Aggregated data of the humidity hourly evolution indicate that the lowest humidity is measured at 15:00 and the highest during nights and 08:00

## WET BULB GLOBE TEMPERATURE - Time variation



WBGT is a measure of heat stress in direct sunlight.

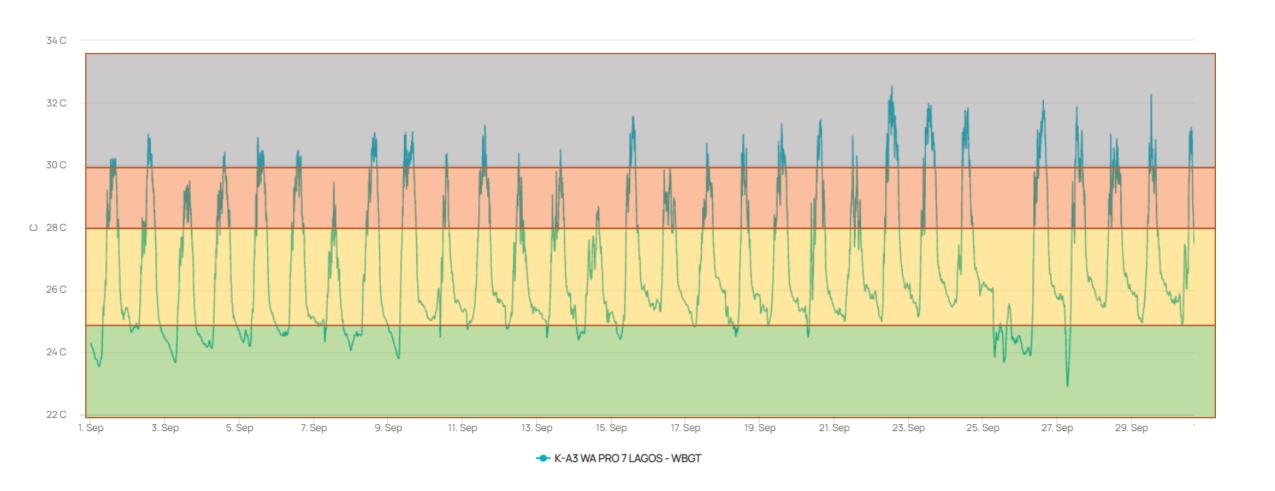
It is a comprehensive measure of all the weather-related factors

- (i) air temperature;
- (ii) humidity;
- (iii) wind speed;
- (iv) solar radiation

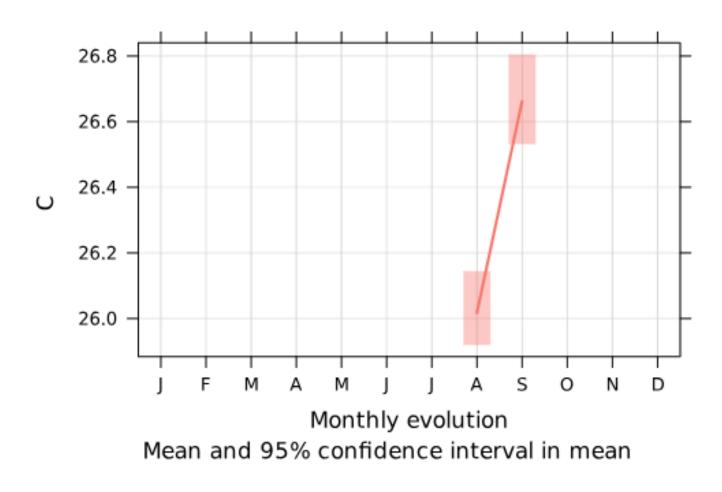
that impact the health and performance of athletes.

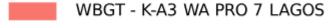
# WBGT - Time variation September 1st to 30th

WBGT index during this period was very high and represent a significant level of heat stress for training athletes.



# WBGT evolution from August to September

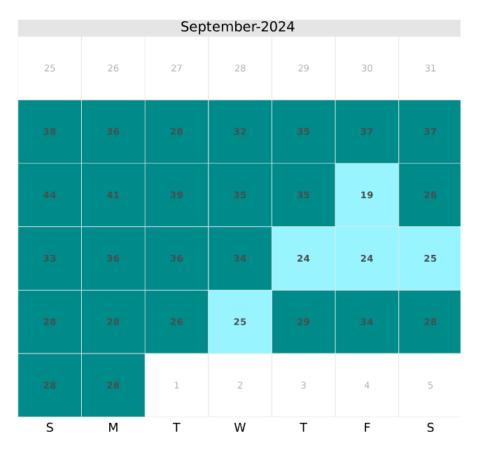


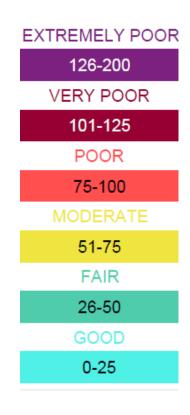




## AQI EU - September 1st to 30th

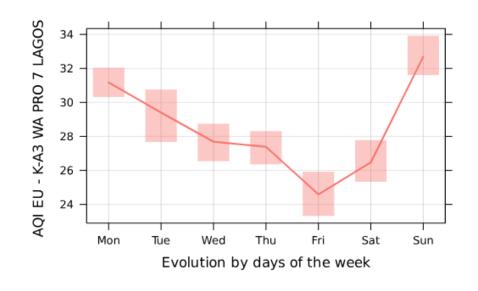
### AQI EU of K-A3 WA PRO 7 LAGOS in 2024





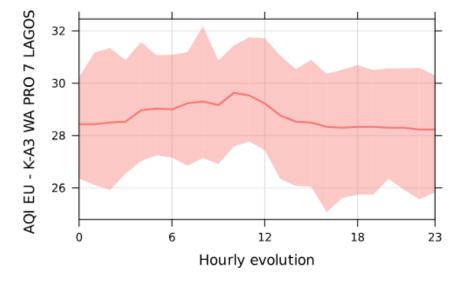
The AQI calendar plot indicates the AQI for each day during the monitoring period. Helping us to have a first glimpse of the conditions for each day. The AQI measured in August shows a fair air quality. The worst and best AQI values reported over the period are (44) and (19) respectively.

## AQI - Time variation - September 1st to 30th



Aggregated data of the AQI evolution throughout the monitoring period helps us understand how the AQI changed based on day of the week and time of the day.

Aggregated data of the evolution by days of the week indicates the lowest AQI values were recorded on Friday this month.



Aggregated data of the AQI hourly evolution indicates very low changes

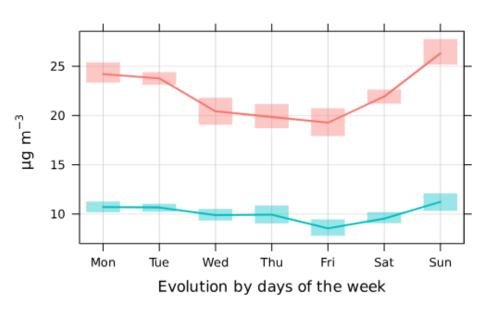
## PARTICULATE MATTERS - Time variation - September 1st to 30th



PM<sub>10</sub> - K-A3 WA PRO 7 LAGOS



PM<sub>2.5</sub> - K-A3 WA PRO 7 LAGOS



Aggregated data of the particulates pollutants evolution by days of the week indicates that absolute concentrations were higher on Sunday.

#### Guideline values

Coarse particulate matter (PM10):  $45 \,\mu\text{g/}\ \text{m}^3\ 24$ -hour mean Fine particulate matter (PM2.5):  $15 \,\mu\text{g/}\ \text{m}^3\ 24$ -hour mean



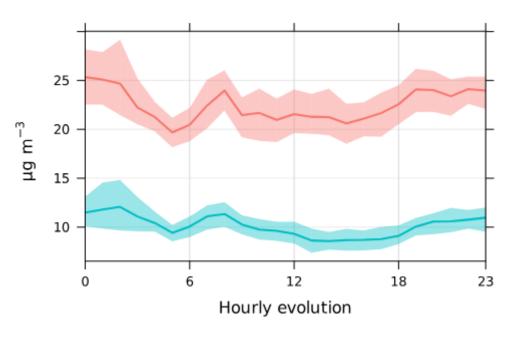
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These organic compounds can be emitted by both natural sources, such as trees and vegetation, as well as from man-made (anthropogenic) sources, such as industrial processes and motor vehicle exhaust.

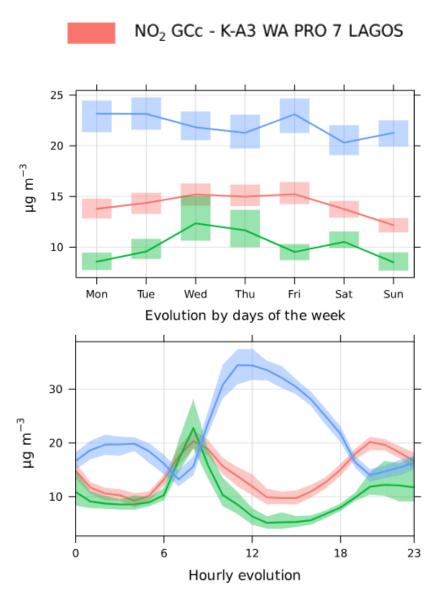
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## GASEOUS POLLUTANTS - Time variation - September 1st to 30th





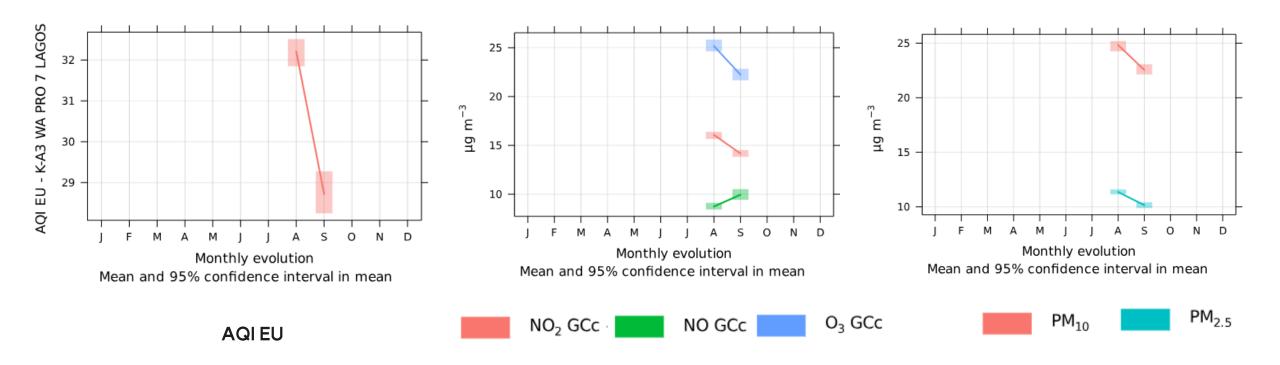


O<sub>3</sub> GCc - K-A3 WA PRO 7 LAGOS

Aggregated data of the gaseous pollutants evolution by days of the week indicates that absolute concentrations were relatively low for NO2, NO and O3.

Aggregated data of the gaseous pollutants hourly evolution show typical trends for NO2 and NO suggesting the influence of vehicle traffic emissions (morning and evening rush hours, 08:00 and 18:00) in this location. O3 peaked in the early afternoon between 11:00 and 12:00. Typically, ozone levels reach their peak in mid-afternoon, after exhaust fumes from morning rush hour have had time to react in sunlight.

# Comparison from August to September





## CONCLUSIONS

Air Quality Index values recorded during the month of September shows a good to fair levels of air pollution. AQI index was mostly influenced by particulates matters PM 10 and PM 2.5.

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# **Appendix**

## AIR QUALITY INDEX (EUROPE)



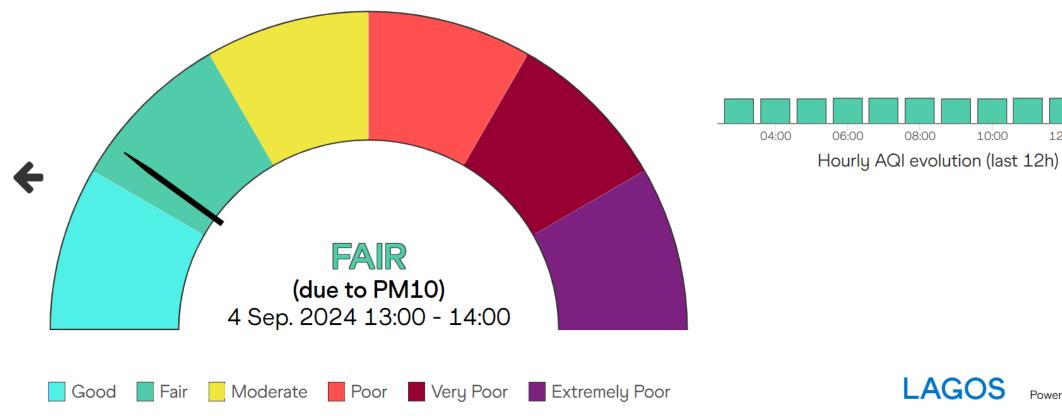


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12:00



14:00



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# **Appendix**

# HEAT STRESS INDEX WET BULB GLOBE TEMPERATURE







