

Highest AQI Days
For July 2020

101 July 6, 9
Ozone Maple Canyon
Dr. & Delaware

100 July 8
Ozone Maple Canyon
Dr.

90 July 17
Ozone New Albany

80 July 7, 29
Ozone New Albany

Air Quality Summary | July 2020



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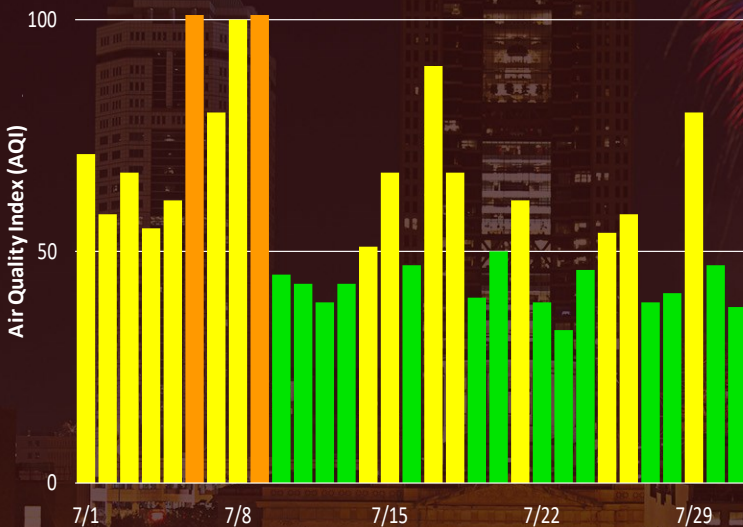
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Air quality conditions in Columbus for July 2020 were slightly worse than conditions during 2018 and 2019. In July 2020, Good AQI levels were observed on 14 days, Moderate AQI levels were observed on 15 days, and Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups AQI levels were observed on 2 days.

During the month, 17 Moderate or worse AQI days were observed, with ground-level ozone being the primary pollutant on 16 of these days. The highest ozone readings of the month occurred between July 6 and 9, as partly sunny skies and temperatures above 90°F each day increased ozone formation, while periods of light and variable winds hindered dispersion, allowing pollutants to accumulate in the Columbus region. These conditions resulted in ozone AQI levels reaching the Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups category at the Maple Canyon Drive monitor on July 6 and at the Delaware monitor on July 9.

Daily Maximum AQI for July 2020

In July 2020, AQI levels in the Columbus region were Good on 14 days, Moderate on 15 days, and Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups (USG) on 2 days. Air Quality Alerts were issued on four days.



Average Temperature

The average temperature in Columbus in July 2020 was 79.3°F, which is 4.1°F above normal.

79.3°F

July 2020

78.0°F

July 2019

Average Precipitation

Columbus received 3.62 inches of precipitation in July 2020, which is 1.17 inches below normal.

3.62 in

July 2020

3.22 in

July 2019

Daily Maximum AQI for July by Category

