Household Energy Consumption, Emissions, Pollution, and Health Impacts in India

PM_{2.5}

DISTRICT EMISSIONS

LG

27%

WH

22%

STATE

Jharkhand

(state and district as of census-India, 2011)

DISTRICT

Lohardaga

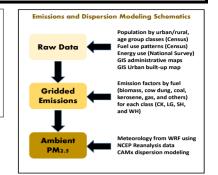
Household energy consumption (HEC) emissions were calculated in four classes - cooking (CK), lighting (LG), space heating (SH), and water heating (WH). Bottom-up emissions for the four classes are available @ 0.25 degree spatial resolution, and further aggregated to district and state level. A sub-classification is available by fuel - biomass, coal, kerosene, liquified petroleum gas (LPG), and others.

WH

18%

23%

NATIONAL EMISSIONS



%Households Primary Cooking Fuel

gas+elec	others
8.8%	91.2%

Estimated district annual HEC emissions

Paticulates (2.5μm)	1,840	tons
Sulfur dioxide	150	tons
Nitrogen oxides	55	tons
Carbon monoxide	32,200	tons
Hydrocarbons	3,420	tons
Black carbon (BC)	430	tons
Organic carbon	760	tons
Carbon dioxide (CO2)	0.09	mil tons

Estimated PM_{2.5} emissions @ 0.25 degree resolution

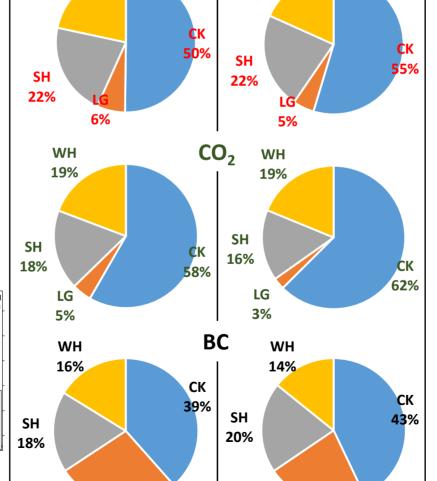
degree resolution ambient PM_{2.5}

pm25 tons/grid 0 to 10 to 10
100 to 100 to 100
100 to 15 to 20
20 to 25 to 30
30 to 40 to 50
50 to 100
50 to

Modeled share of

HEC emissions to





% contribution of HEC emissions to modeled ambient PM_{2.5} concentrations

(concentrations were conducted using the WRF-CAMx models)

National 29.6%

23.1%

District

The health impacts of outdoor air pollution as ischemic heart diseases (which can lead to heart attacks), cerebrovascular disease (which can lead to strokes), chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases, lower respiratory infections, and cancers (in trachea, lungs, and bronchitis) were estimated using the age-dependent relative risk functions detailed in the Global Burden of Disease study and dispersion modeling results from this study. The final calculations were conducted at the district level using the population distribution by age presented in Census-India.

Estimated premature mortality of outdoor air pollution per year - apportioned to HEC emissions

National 84,000 - 115,000

District

15 - 17

Emission and dispersion modeling results, pollution animations, and summary sheets by district and state are hosted

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