

Monitored Nitrogen Dioxide Levels in Urban Areas

Figure 1 provides a 10 year record of urban background levels of nitrogen dioxide, monitored within all West Yorkshire Districts. Between 1998 to 2000, there were general improvements in air quality, with 3 Districts initially exceeding the annual average standard of 40ug/m³. Since the year 2000, there have been fluctuating levels of nitrogen dioxide, with little change in air quality, but with most Districts complying with the relevant standard.

