



# *Sense Air*

## Custom Air Quality Reports

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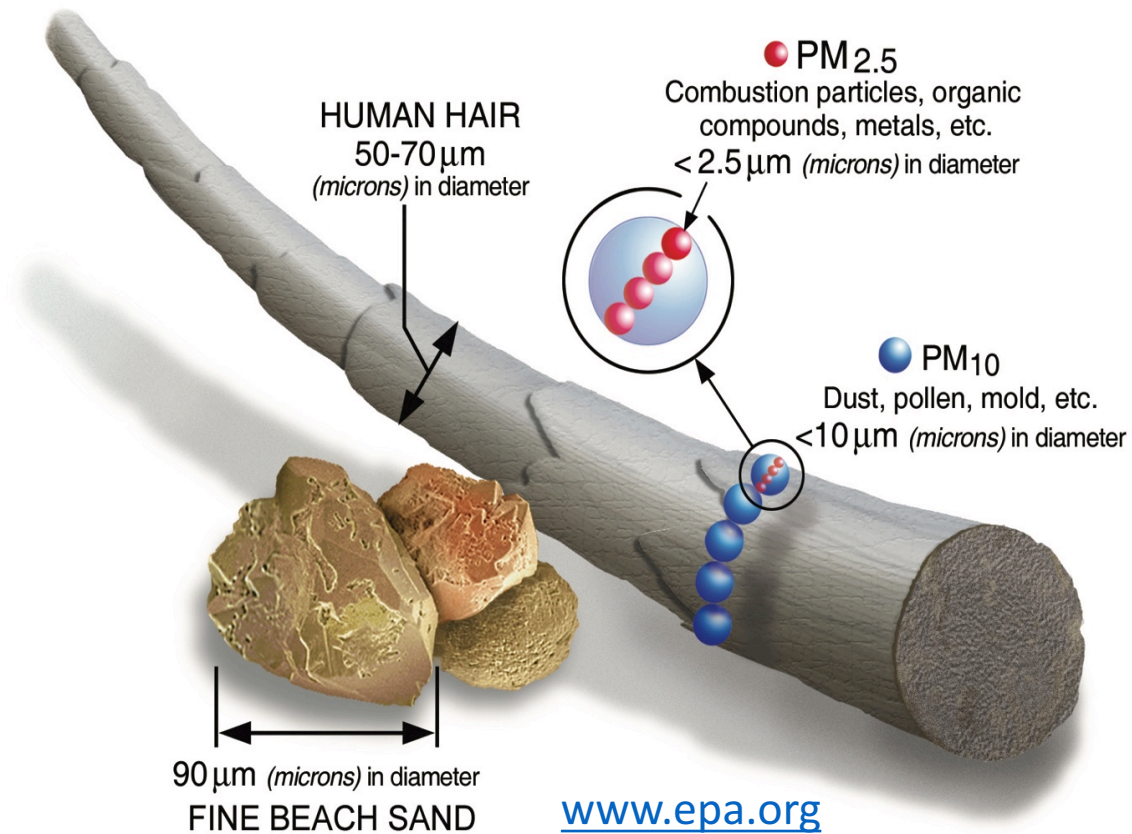
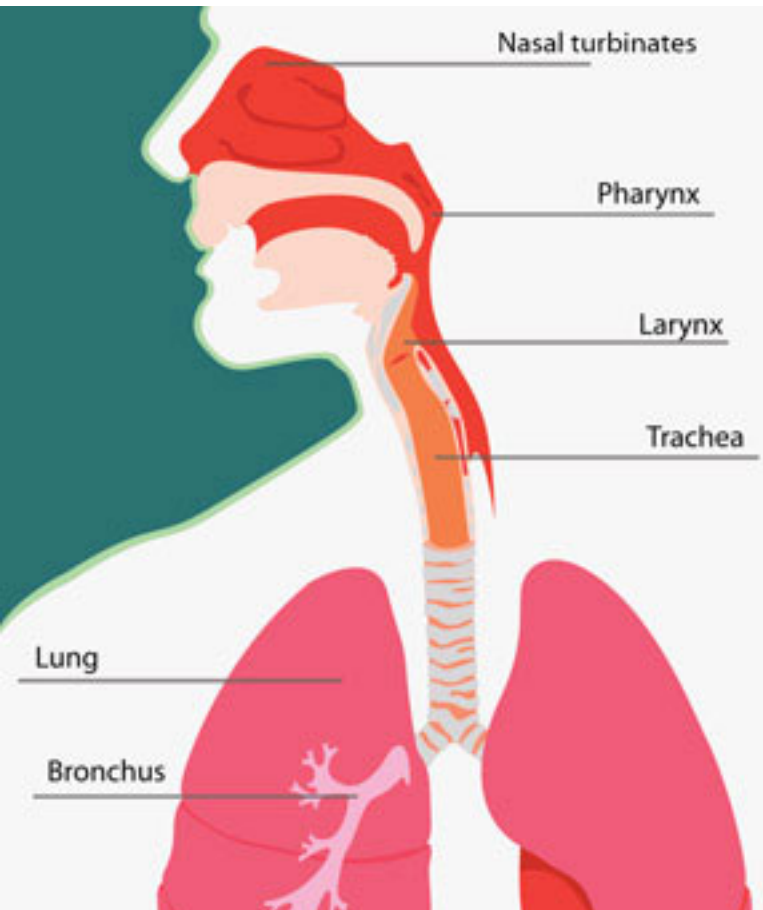
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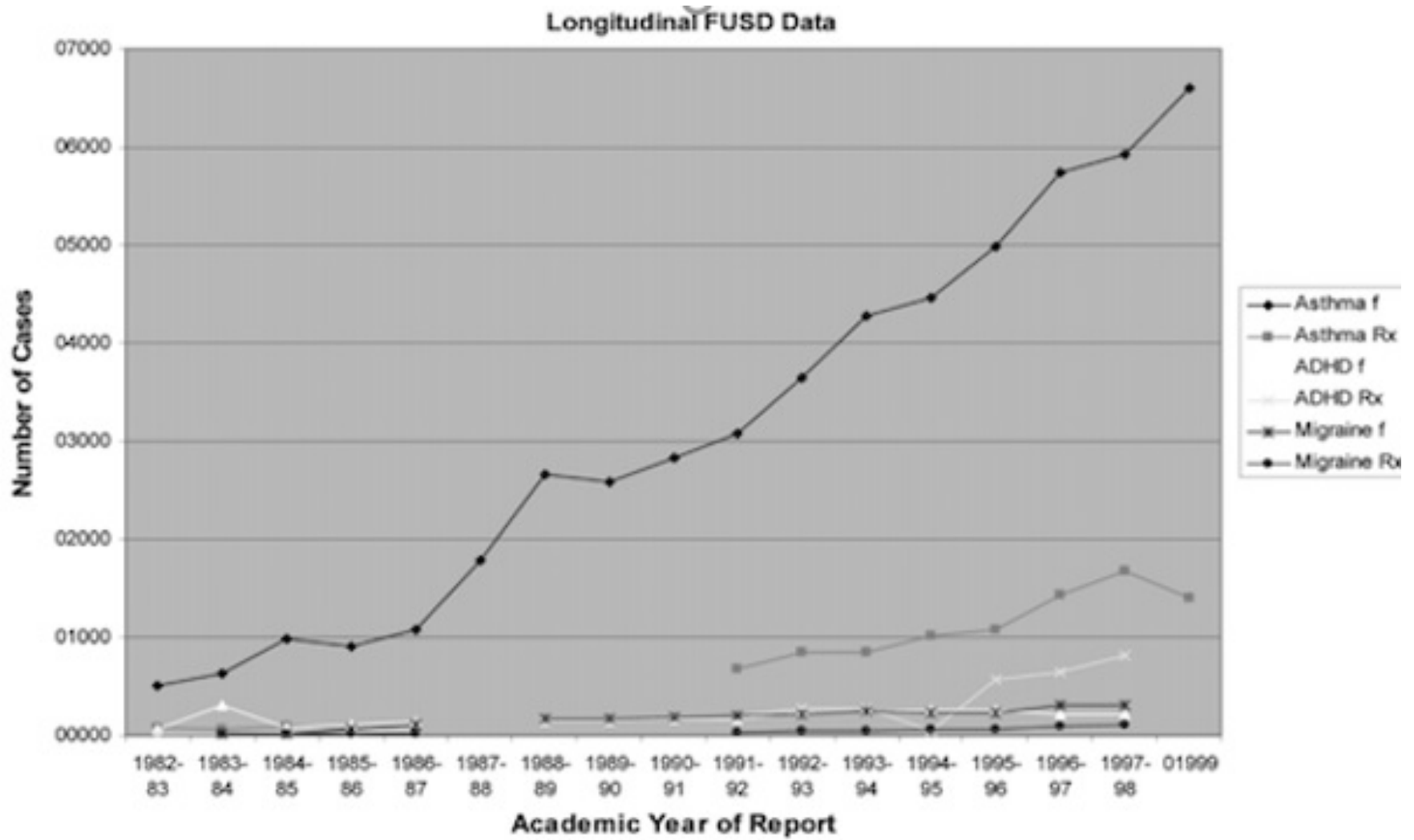
# The Environmental Issue



# The Air



# The Health Issue





# The Health Issue

## Research report

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## Outdoor air pollution and uncontrolled asthma in the San Joaquin Valley, California

Ying-Ying Meng,<sup>1</sup> Rudolph P Rull,<sup>2,3</sup> Michelle Wilhelm,<sup>4</sup> Christina Lombardi,<sup>1</sup> John Balmes,<sup>5,6</sup> Beate Ritz<sup>4</sup>

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## Particulate Matter (PM<sub>2.5</sub>, PM<sub>10-2.5</sub>, and PM<sub>10</sub>) and Children's Hospital Admissions for Asthma and Respiratory Diseases: A Bidirectional Case-Crossover Study

Lokman Hakan Tecer<sup>1</sup>, Omar Alagha<sup>2</sup>, Ferhat Karaca<sup>2</sup>, Gürdal Tuncel<sup>3</sup>, and Nilufer Eldes<sup>4</sup>

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AIR QUALITY  
**GOOD**



AIR QUALITY INDEX: 0-50  
HEALTH STATEMENT: NO LIMITATIONS

AIR QUALITY  
**MODERATE**



AIR QUALITY INDEX: 51-100  
HEALTH STATEMENT: EXTREMELY  
SENSITIVE GROUPS SHOULD BE  
CAREFUL WHEN OUTDOORS

AIR QUALITY  
**UNHEALTHY**  
FOR SENSITIVE GROUPS



AIR QUALITY INDEX: 101-200  
HEALTH STATEMENT: SENSITIVE GROUPS  
SHOULD LIMIT OUTDOOR EXERTION

AIR QUALITY  
**UNHEALTHY**



AIR QUALITY INDEX: 151-200  
HEALTH STATEMENT: EVERYONE  
SHOULD LIMIT OUTDOOR EXERTION

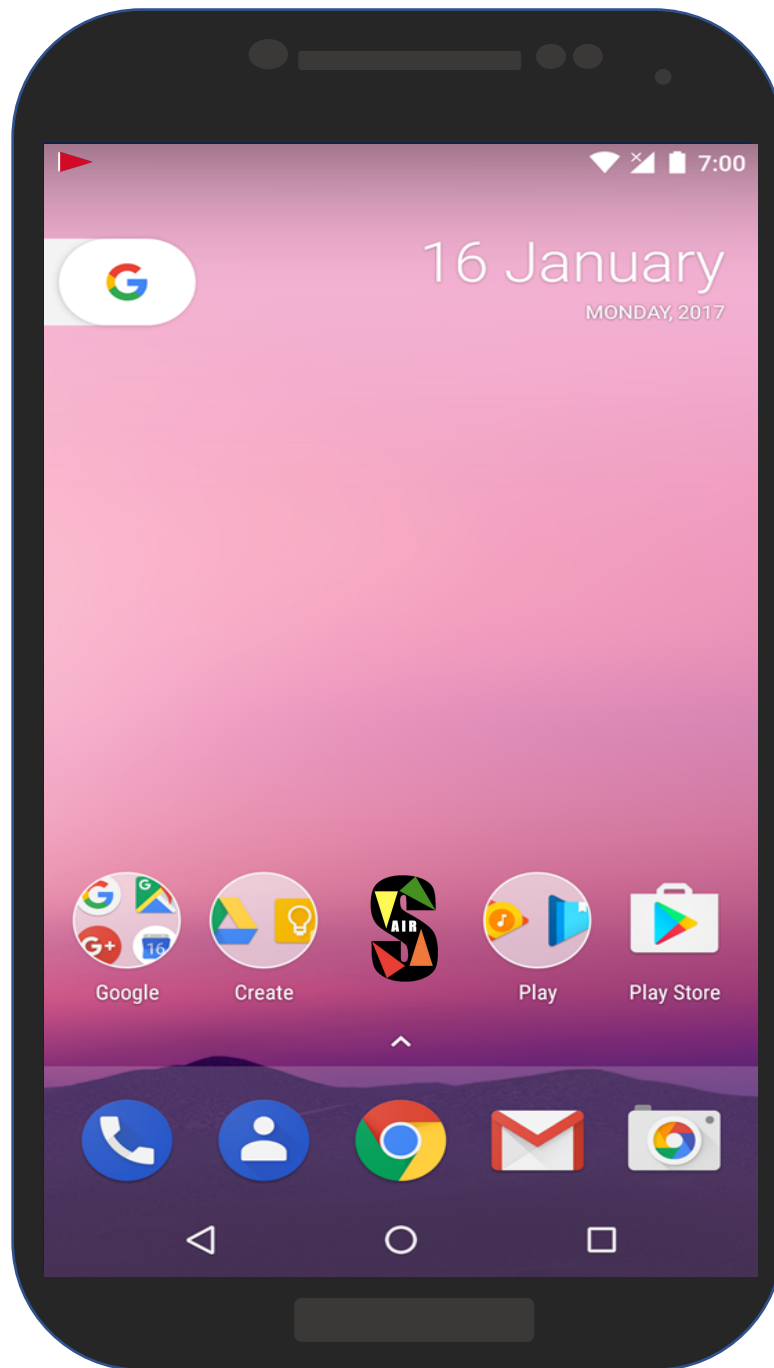


CLEAN AIR  
MAKE  
MORE

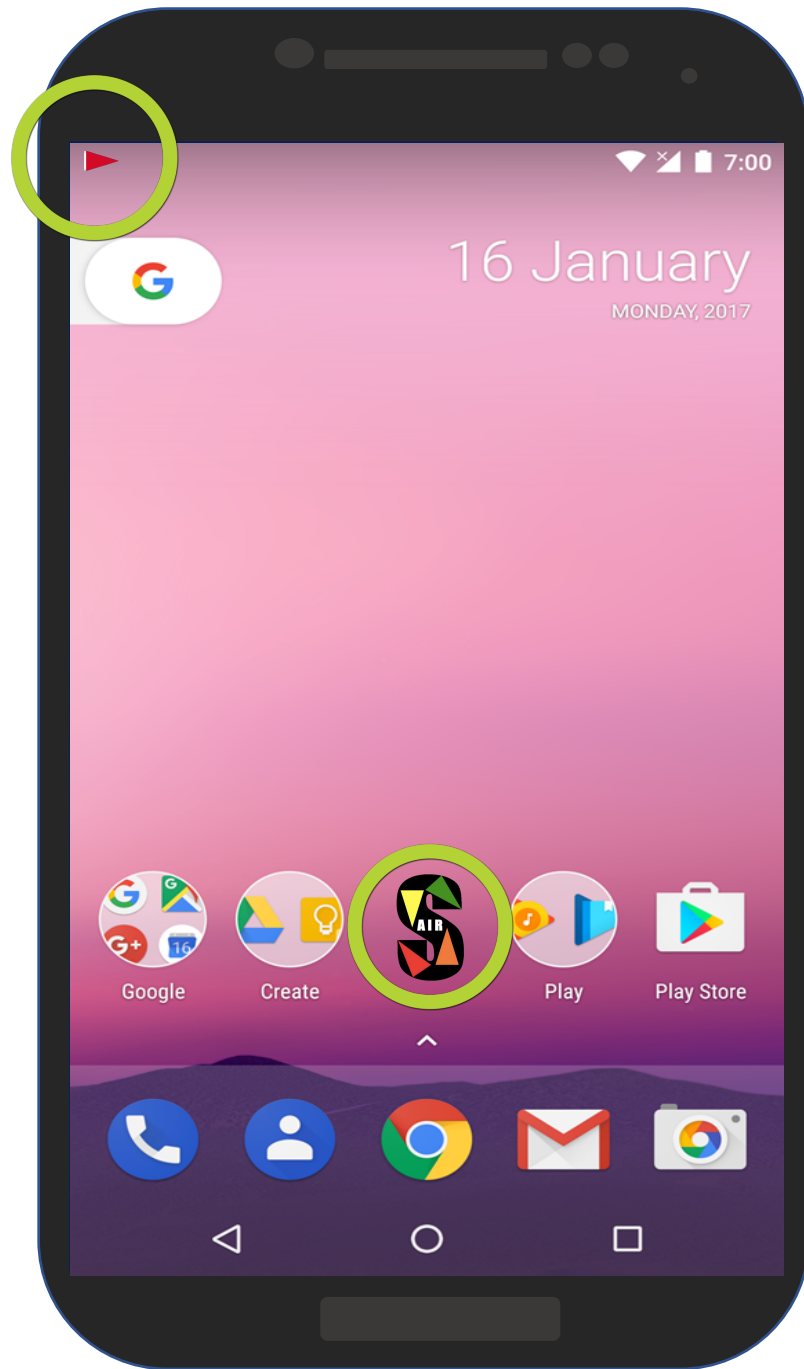


What do these  
flags mean to you?









Did you drink soda today?

Select please ▼

How many cigarettes did you smoke today?


Select please ▼

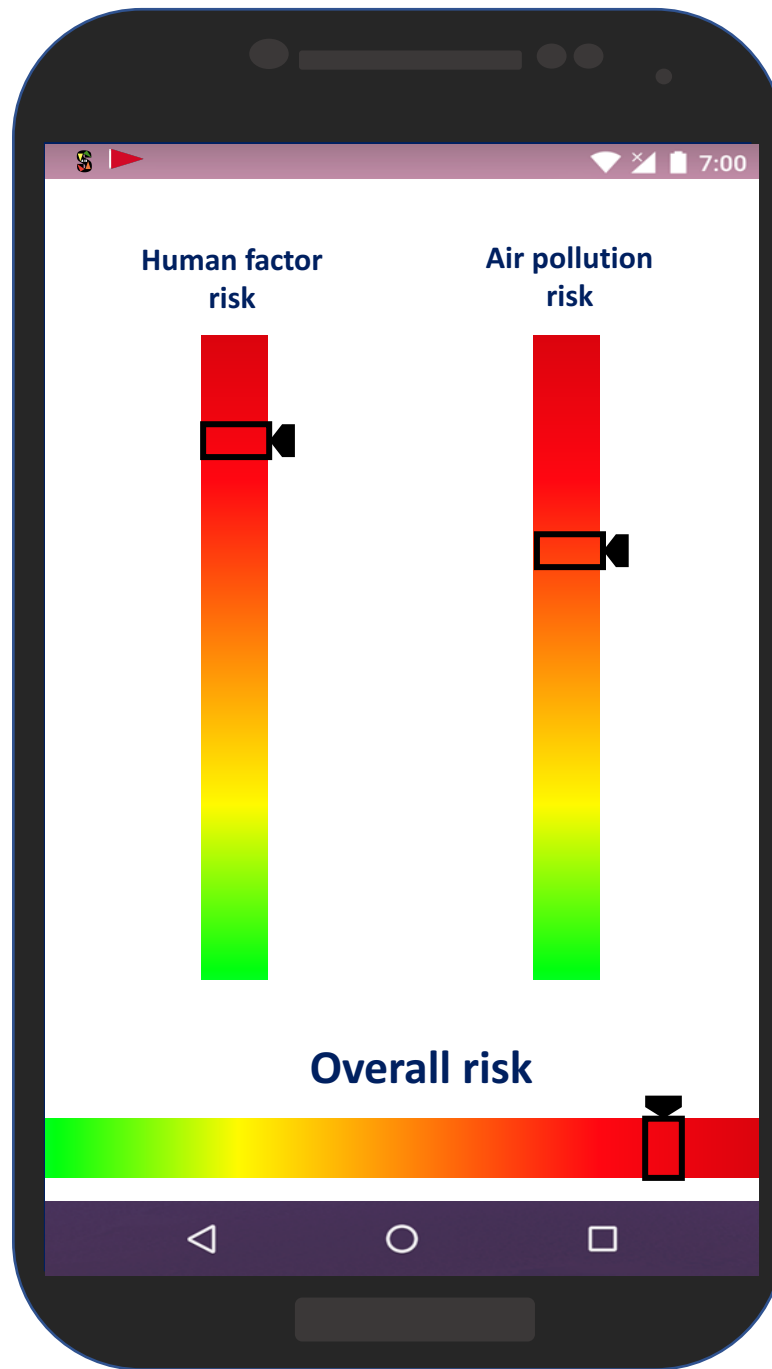
How many hours did you sleep last night?

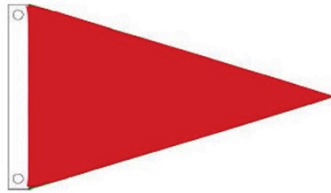
Select please ▼

Do you feel stressed?

Select please ▼







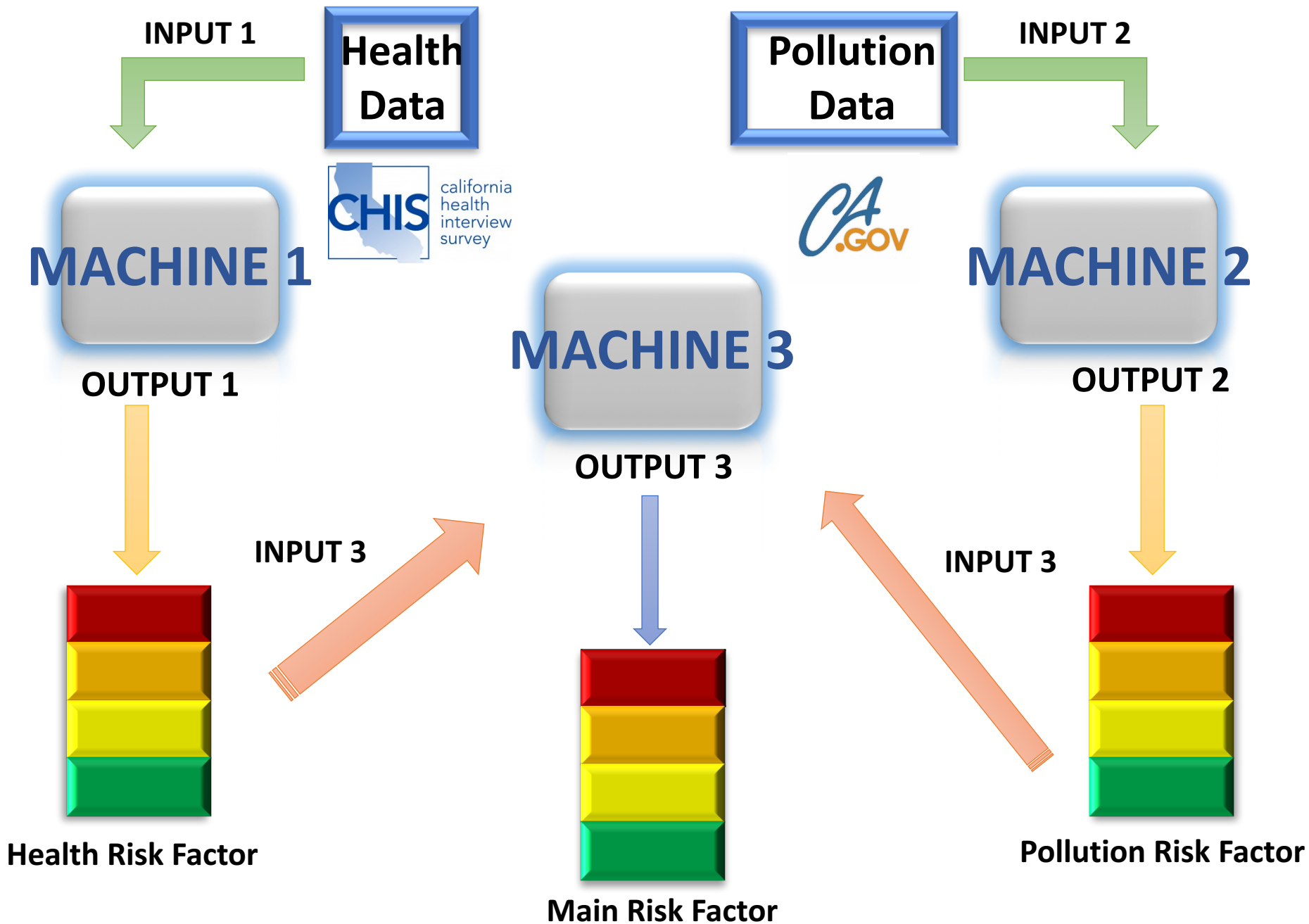
Your Overall risk is 89%

Personalized tips:

- Stay indoor
- If you are in car set the fan on recirculate
- Drink a glass of milk
- Use vitamin C
- Eat fresh fruit and vegetables
- Make sure you drank enough water

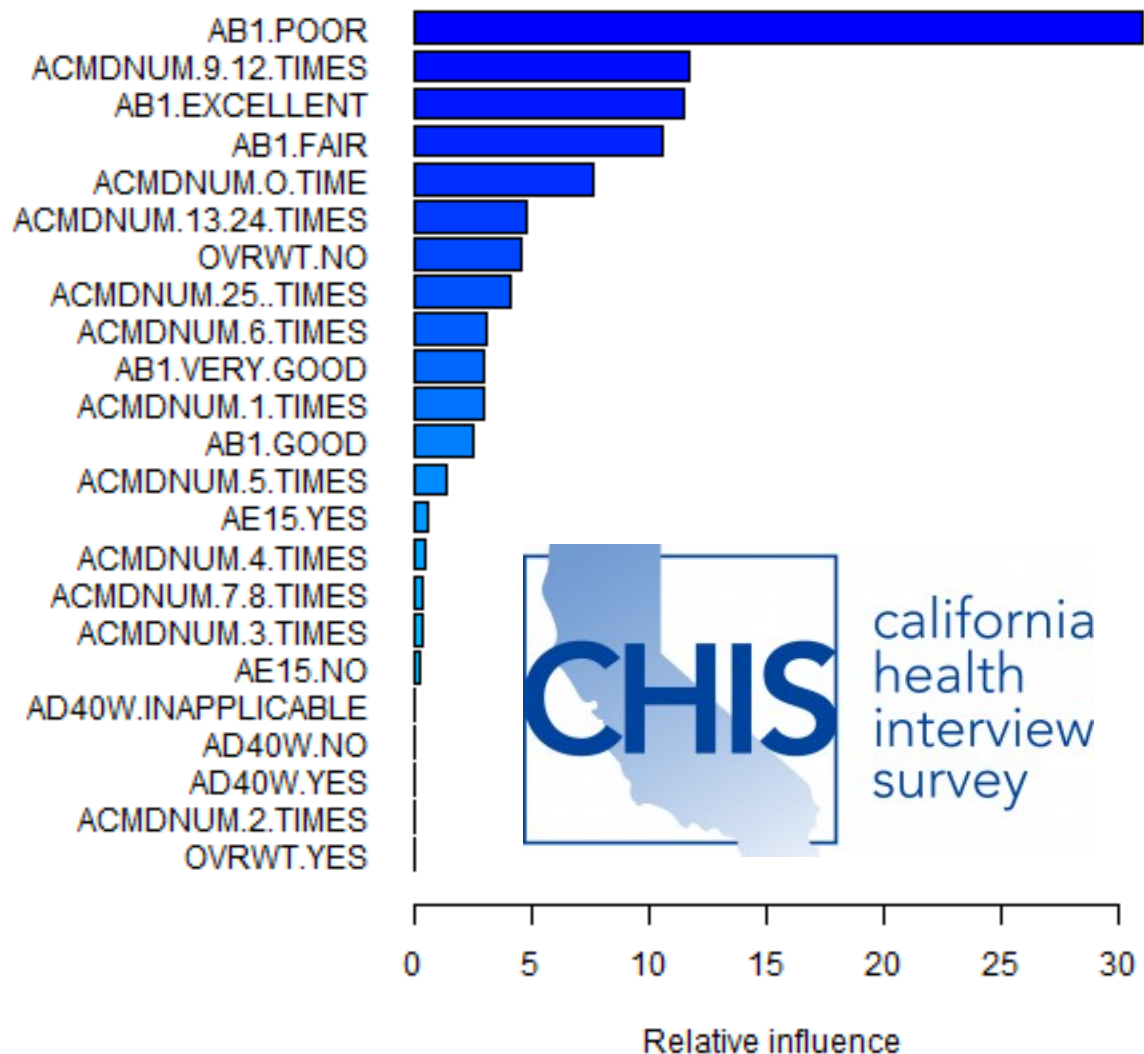
Overall risk







# Results



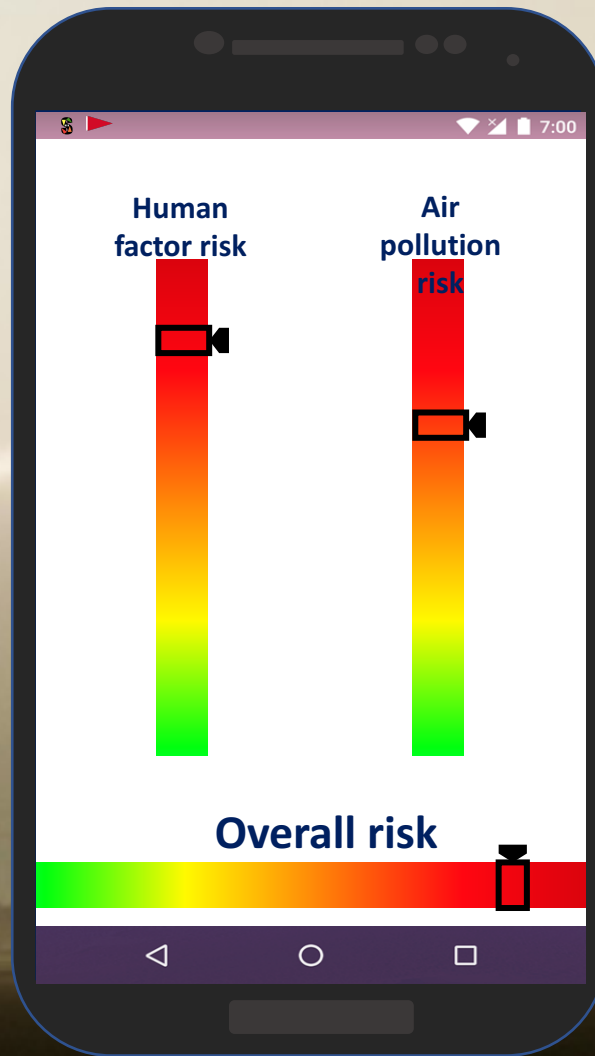
## Variable Descriptions

General Health Condition
ER/Urgent care for asthma
Confidence to control and manage asthma
Doctor ever told has asthma
Taking daily medication for asthma
Current asthma
Still has asthma
Asthma last 12 months
Workdays missed due to asthma
Asthma management plan
Have written copy of asthma care plan
Stop smoking one day or longer to quit in past year
Thinking about quitting smoking in last 6 months
number of doctor visits past year
Walked at least 10 minutes for transport
Walked at least 10 minutes for transport in past 6 weeks
Walking

# *Sense Air* Timeline and Progress

<b><i>SENSE AIR</i> PROJECT TIMELINE</b>				
<b>TASK DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>FEBRUARY</b>	<b>MARCH</b>	<b>APRIL</b>
Idea Development and Design				
Networking				
Literature Review				
Considering Data Available				
Collecting Data				
Assessed resources				
Data mining				
Data cleaning and compiling				
Analyzed Data				
Prepped Data for Presentation				

# Summary



# Moving Forward



# Broader Impacts



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