

Deaths from

# Air Pollution

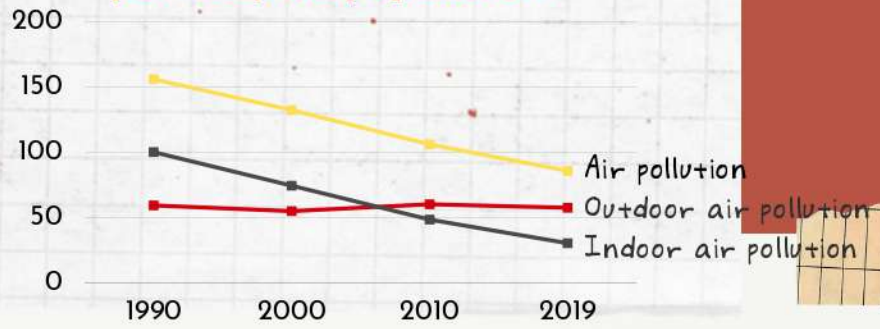
one of the world's largest health and environmental problems

## Air pollution develops in two contexts:

1. Indoor (household) air pollution
2. Outdoor air pollution

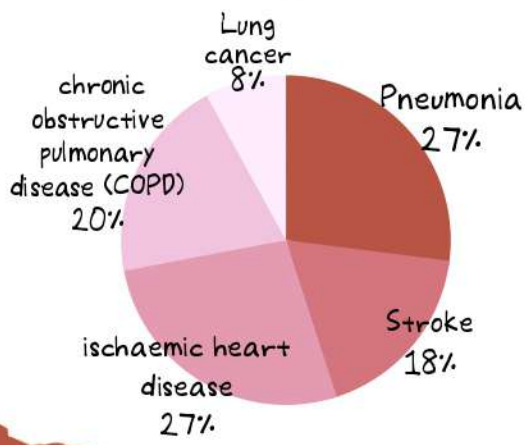


## World Death Rates from air pollution per 100,000 population



Death rates from indoor air pollution have seen an impressive **decline** in recent decades, whilst improvements in outdoor pollution have been much more **modest**.

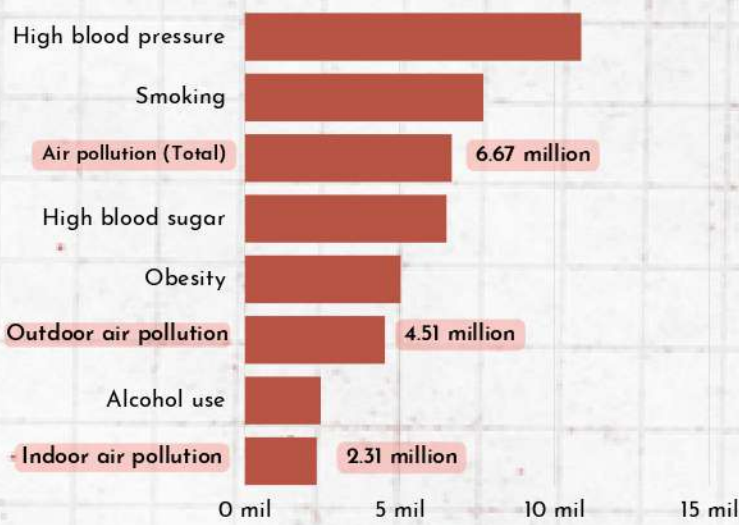
## Deaths caused by indoor air pollution



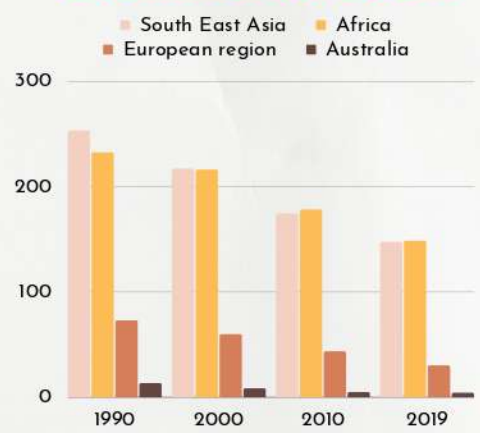
# 7 Million

died prematurely worldwide each year due to air pollution

## Number of deaths by risk factor in 2019



## Death rates from air pollution per 100,000 population by region



Death rates tend to be highest across middle-income countries

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