Singapore air pollution hits record high

Haze from fires in Indonesia is engulfing Singapore, driving air quality to hazardous levels and disrupting business and travel – as well as causing increased tension between the Southeast Asian neighbours

200km
125 miles

MALAYSIA
Kuala Lumpur

SUMATRA

Singapore

Jakarta

HAZE
as of Jun 21

Moderate
Dense

INDONESIA: Illegal burning of forests to clear land for palm oil plantations is chronic problem during dry season, from June to September

Jun 21, 12pm (local time) PSI hits 401 – highest in country's history

THREE-HOUR POLLUTANT STANDARDS INDEX (PSI)

Jun 19, 10pm: 321

Jun 20, 1pm: 371

Previous record: **226** *Sep 1997*

Level	PSI
Very hazardous	400
Hazardous	300
Very unhealthy	200
Unhealthy	100
Moderate	50
Good	0

Jun 17   Jun 18   Jun 19   Jun 20   Jun 21