



The average level of radon measured over ____ months in your home was ____ Bq/m³.
Radon levels are higher during cold months, so the annual 12-month average level is likely to be lower.

ANNUAL AVERAGE RADON LEVEL Bq/m³

100

200

300

Guideline proposed by
the World Health
Organization

Guideline for Canada,
Australia and the
European Union

BELOW 100 Bq/m³

No action is required if the annual average level is below 100 Bq/m³, according to the World Health Organization guideline, although any amount of radon can increase the risk of getting lung cancer, especially if you smoke.

- 1) Stop smoking to reduce the extra risk of lung cancer.

BETWEEN 100 AND 200 Bq/m³

No action is required if the annual average level is below 200 Bq/m³, according to the Canadian guideline. The World Health Organization recommends you take steps to reduce radon levels. If you are close to 200 Bq/m³, you can:

- 1) Put another monitor in your home for 12 months to get a more accurate measure of the annual average
- 2) Stop smoking to reduce the extra risk of lung cancer.

ABOVE 200 Bq/m³

If the level of radon measured in your home over the winter months is above 200 Bq/m³, you should:

- 1) Put another monitor in your home for 12 months to confirm the annual average is above the Canadian guideline.
- 2) Increase ventilation in ground floor rooms or your basement.
- 3) Look into methods for repairing your home.
- 4) Stop smoking to reduce the extra risk of lung cancer.

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