

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COAL
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.520
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2022

Import of coal

520. SHRI JAWAHAR SIRCAR:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the amount and value of imported coal in the last five financial years and in the first half of the current FY;
- (b) the average landed cost of imported coal via-a-vis the average price of the domestic coal, in the last 2.5 years;
- (c) whether country's failure to mine sufficient coal is responsible for imports entailing high foreign exchange outgo;
- (d) the main exporting and importing companies/ agencies involved in the last 2.5 years; and
- (e) whether any of these are connected with a specific industrial group?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, COAL AND MINES
(SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI)

(a): The quantity and value of imported coal in the last 5 Financial Years and the first half of the current Financial Year are given below:

Year	Quantity in Million Tonnes	Value in Rs. Crore
2017-18	208.25	138476.98
2018-19	235.35	170920.49
2019-20	248.54	152732.06
2020-21	215.25	116024.05
2021-22	208.93	228741.85
2022-23 (April-September, 2022)	131.92	231378.38

(b): Import of Coal in India consists mainly of coking coal and high grade (GCV) coal which are essential as domestic production is limited. Prices of coking coal and high grade coal are normally higher than thermal coal. The average landed price of imported coal and the average bid price of the domestic coal are as follows:

(i) Landed price of imported coal

Year	Average landed price per tonne
2020-21	Rs.6215.32
2021-22	Rs.12211.59
2022-23 (upto September-22)	Rs.19324.79

(ii) The average price of the domestic coal which is sold at notified prices as well as through auction for last 2.5 years is as follows:

Year	Average Notified Price per tone (ex-coliery)
2020-21	Rs. 2206.97
2021-22	Rs. 2306.53
2022-23 (upto September-22)	Rs. 2662.97

(c): As noted in para-(b), India imports coking coal and other high GCV coal as domestic production is limited due to either scarce reserves or non-availability. Imported coal based (ICB) power plants in the coastal region import coal as they are so designed. Some end-users/traders also import coal on commercial and logistic considerations as coal is under open general license (OGL) system.

(d): A list of Importers is given at **Annexure-A**.

(e): The list of importers given at Annexure-A, contains names of many industrial groups.

List of some of the importers

SL. No.	Name of importers	SL. No.	Name of importers
1	A L GENERAL METAL FZE	101	INDOMINING AND TRISENSA MINERALUTAMA AND MCT ASIA
2	A One Gold Singapore PTE LTD	102	ISS INDUSTRIAL CARBONS LTD
3	A T GLOBAL RESOURCES PTE LTD	103	Itochu Singapore Pte Ltd
4	Aaditya Energy Resource Pte Ltd	104	JACOBI CARBONS LTD
5	AARIZ TRADING AND CONTRACTING W L L	105	JAMES DURRANS AND SONS PVT LTD
6	AARNA RESOURCES PTE LTD	106	Javelin Global Commodities UK Ltd
7	ACIRL QUALITY TESTING SERVICES PTY LTD	107	JINAN COSAVE NEW MATERIAL CO LTD
8	ACTEST-ALS Coal Mackay	108	JSL GLOBAL COMMODITIES PTE LTD
9	ADAM AND COAL RESOURCES PVT LTD	109	JSW International TradecorpPte Ltd
10	ADAN GLOBAL PTE LTD	110	KASI GLABAL FZE
11	ADARO INTERNATIONAL SINGAPORE PTE LTD	111	Katie Prewitt
12	ADCOAL RESOURCES PTE LTD	112	KAY BEE FOUNDRY SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED
13	ADITYAA ENERGY RESOURCE PTE LTD	113	KESTREL COAL SALES PTY LIMITED
14	Aegis Resources DMCC	114	Kideco Jaya Agung
15	AGRAWAL COAL CORPORATION S PTE LTD	115	KRU Overseas DMCC
16	Agro Energy Trading Pte Ltd	116	KTP EXPORTS PTE LTD
17	Al-General Metals FZE	117	LDI RESOURCES HK LIMITED
18	ALPHA METALLURGICAL COAL SALES	118	LI LINGOS CO LTD
19	AM COMODITIES DMCC	119	LOGAN AND KANAWHA LLC
20	AMIT ENGG WORKS	120	LOTUS RESORCES PTE LTD
21	ANAND CARBO PTE LTD	121	M RESOURCES PTY LTD
22	ANGLO AMERICAN MARKETING LIMITED	122	MAHESH KUMAR KAUSHIK
23	ANTANG GUNUNG MERATUS PT	123	Mercuria Dry Bulk Pte Ltd
24	AT GLOBAL RESOURCES PTE LTD	124	MetRes Pty Ltd
25	AVANI RESOURCES PTE LTD ACCOUNT MTC BUSINESS P LTD	125	MIDDLEMOUNT COAL PTY LTD
26	Avra Commodities Pte Ltd	126	MINAS DE BENGA LIMITADA
27	AVRA INTERNATIONAL DMCC	127	Mind ID Trading Pte Ltd
28	B M ALLIANCE COAL MARKETING PTE LIMITED	128	MINS DE BENGA LLIMIADA
29	BATUBARA SUKSES TRADING LTD	129	MITSUBISHI CORPORATION RTM INTERNATIONAL PTE LTD
30	BELVEDERE RESOURCES DMCC	130	ML RESOURCES PTE LTD

31	BHP BILLITON MARKETING AG SINGAPORE BRANCH	131	MOGAL METAL FOR SCRAP LLP
32	BinuangMitraBersama Blok Dua	132	Moranbah North Coal Sales Pty LTD
33	Black Sand Commodities	133	MS LOGAN AND KANAWHA LLC
34	BM ALLIANCE COAL MARKETING PTY LTD	134	MUJIBULLAH OBAIDULLAH
35	BORNEO HOLDINGS LTD	135	NAWID SAEEDI LTD
36	BRAMCO TRADING WLL	136	NCA MARKETING COMPANY PTY LIMITED
37	Bravo Sponge Iron Private Ltd	137	New Asia Commodities PTE LTD
38	BT MINING LIMITED	138	NINGXIA HENGTAI CARBONS CO LIMITED
39	Bureau Veritas Minerals Pty Ltd	139	Noble Resources International Pte Ltd
40	Calipar Trading FZE	140	NOBLE RESOURCES LTD
41	CARAVEL CARBONS LIMITED	141	ORION MINING PTY LTD
42	CARBON RESOURCES PRIVATE LIMITED	142	P T BARA DAYA ENERGI
43	CENTURY COMMODITIES SOLUTION PTE LTD	143	PAN AISA TRADELING PTE LTD
44	CHAMP MERIT HK LIMITED	144	Panasia Resources DMCC
45	Coal and Natural Resources PTE LTD	145	PEABODY COAL SALES PACIFIC PTY LTD
46	Coal Energy	146	PlantCore Mining and Plant Hire PTY Ltd
47	Coal Fillers Inc	147	PRAKTIKA ENERGY RESOURCES TRADING FZE
48	COAL ORBIS TRADING GMBH	148	PTLANNA HARITA INDONESIA
49	COALICIAN GROUP LIMITED	149	R WOOD RESOURCES DMCC
50	Coaltrade services International pte Ltd	150	RAWMET RESOURCES PRIVATE LIMITED
51	COECLERICI COMMODITIES SA	151	RESCOM MINERAL TRADING FZE
52	Comet Pelli S R L	152	RICHARDS BAY TITANIUM PTY LTD
53	Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company LLC	153	RIPLEY COMMODITIES FZ LLC
54	Coral Energy DMCC	154	RUICHEN METALLURGY CO LIMITED
55	Coronado Curragh	155	S OIL COMMODITIES FZC
56	CORONADO CURRAGH PTY LTD	156	SARAOGI GLOBAL PTE LIMITED
57	CTPL PTE LTD	157	SEABULK INTERNATIONAL TRADING LLC
58	DA NANG WATER PURIFICATION MATERIALS COMPANY LTD	158	SEVEN MINERALS INTERNATION PTE LTD
59	Dale Resources Pte Ltd	159	SGS AUSTRALIA PTY LTD
60	DAWSON SALES PTY LTD - JSW STEEL GLOBAL TRADE PTE	160	SHAMOKIN
61	DELDA CARBON COMPANY LIMITED	161	SHAMOKIN CARBON
62	DEV ENERGY LIMITED	162	Siban Anthracite Overseas Pte Ltd
63	DVK RESOURCES PTE LTD	163	SINGAPORE JINTENG INTERNATIONAL PTE LTD
64	DVTC Trading LLC-FZ	164	SOLNTSEVSKY COAL MINE LLC
65	ECOMET INFRA TRADING LLC	165	SOUTH MARKETING PTE LTD
66	EQUENTIA NATURAL RESOURCES PT LTD	166	SOUTH THIRTY TWO MARKETING PTE LTD

67	EXEN RESOURCES PTE LTD	167	SQA CARBON CO LIMITED
68	Exim Minerals SMCC	168	STANMORE SMC PTY LTD
69	EXPRESS WELL RESOURCES PTE LTD	169	STAR ASCENT ENERGY PTE LTD
70	FLAME ASIA RESOURCES PTE LTD	170	SUCOFINDO SUB CONSUMER IND
71	FOREVER SPRING INDUSTRIAL CO., LIMITED	171	Suek Ag
72	G D ImpexPte Limited	172	SUM CARBON PVT LTD
73	GEMS TRADING RESOURCES PTE LTD	173	SWISS ISINGAPORE OVERSEAS ENTERPRISES PTE LTD
74	GLASS GLOBES	174	T S Global Procurement Co Ptd Ltd
75	GLENCOERE INTERNATIONAL AG	175	TARFIGURA PTE LTD
76	GLOBAL METCORP LIMITED	176	TATA INERNATIONAL SINGAPORE LTD
77	GLOBULK DMCC	177	TAURUS COMMODITIES GENERAL TRADING LLC
78	GOLDEN CORE TRADING LLC	178	TCPL Singapore Pte Ltd
79	GRM RESOUCES PTE LIMITED	179	TOHKEMY CORPORATION
80	GW COALORBIS Coal Distributin GmbH	180	TRADFIGURA ASIA TRADING PTE LTD
81	HAMPTON ROADS TESTING LABORATORY	181	Transcoalimpex private limited
82	HARWA GROUP LIMITED	182	TRANSNATION HOLDINGS PTE LTD
83	HC TRADING ASIA AND PACIFIC PTE LTD	183	VALE INTERNATIONAL SA
84	HewadBaghlanHotak Limited	184	VERLIN AG
85	HI LONGOS CO LTD	185	VIETNAM NATIONAL COAL AND MINERAL INDUSTRIES
86	HIGH SEAS SALE	186	VISA COMMODITTIES DMCC
87	HINENI RESOURCES PTE LTD	187	VISA MINMETAL LIMITED
88	HMS BERGBAU SINGAPORE PTE LTD	188	VITOL ASIA PTE LTD
89	HO LINGOS CO LTD	189	VULCAN MOZAMBQUE SA DOS DESPORTISTAS N
90	HORWA GROUP LIMITED	190	WANSHI INTERNATIONAL LIMITED
91	HPL GLOBAL PTE LTD	191	WELARCO COAL MINING
92	ICI Suisse SA	192	WESTERN ELECTRODES
93	IKWEZI MINING FZE	193	WINNER PALACE INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIAL LIMITED
94	IME METALLURGICAL RESOURCES AG	194	Wollongong Coal Limited
95	IMI FUELS LLC	195	WONDER STAR TRADING LLC
96	IMR COMMODITIES DMCC	196	Yancoal Australia Sales Pty Ltd
97	IMR METTALLURGICAL RECOURCES AG	197	YARRABEE COAL COMPANY PTY LTD
98	INDIA COKE AND POWER PRIVATE LIMITED	198	YULS HK INDUSTRIAL LIMITED
99	INDIANO GLOBAL LLC	199	ZED TRADIN DMCC
100	INDO INTERTRADE AG	200	ZIJIN SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL MINING PTE LTD