

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3711
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23 MARCH, 2023**

Retail Price of LPG Cylinder

3711. ADV. DEAN KURIAKOSE:

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has data of retail price of LPG cylinders for domestic use during the last ten years in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has the data of price hike of domestic LPG cylinders during the last ten years and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has any data on subsidy given per cylinder for domestic use during the last ten years and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government has the data on the combined taxes collected from the sale of LPG cylinders for domestic use during the last ten years; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री
(श्री रामेश्वर तेली)**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

(a) to (c): India imports more than 60% of its domestic LPG consumption. Government continues to modulate the effective price of domestic LPG. While the Saudi Contract Prices (CP), on which domestic LPG prices are based, rose by 235 % from 236 \$/MT in April 2020 to 790 \$/MT in February 2023, retail selling price of domestic LPG has increased only by 89.7 % from Rs 581.5 in May 2020 to Rs 1103 in March 2023 and effective cost for PMUY rose only by 55.2 % during the same period.

The prices of 14.2 kg domestic LPG cylinder (Non-subsidised) at Delhi since April 2013 are given at Annexure-A.

The details of year wise Domestic LPG subsidy since 2013-14 are given below:

Period	Equivalent number of 14.2 kg refills based on domestic LPG consumption (in crore)	Total subsidy on domestic LPG (Rs. in crore)*
2013-14	99.16	46458 [#]
2014-15	108.79	36580 [#]
2015-16	106.52	22011
2016-17	111.54	15904
2017-18	120.85	23464
2018-19	132.63	37209
2019-20	143.92	24172
2020-21	171.96 ^{\$}	11896 [@]
2021-22	162.81 ^{\$}	1811 [@]

Source: Petroleum Planning and Analysis Cell

Note: Government launched modified Direct Benefit Transfer for LPG (DBTL/PAHAL) Scheme in 54 districts on 15.11.2014 and across the country on 01.01.2015.

Figure represent under-recoveries on sale of domestic LPG

* includes subsidy provided under Direct Benefit Transfer for LPG (DBTL), Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana (PMUY) and free refills under Pradhan Mantri Gareeb Kalyan Yojana (PMGKY)

@ In addition a one-time compensation of Rs. 22000 crore was paid to OMCs in lieu of under-recoveries on sale of domestic LPG

\$ For 2020-21(May 2020 to March 2021) and 2021-22, total number of refills under domestic LPG are given as all domestic LPG consumers have availed benefit of modulated prices for which a one-time compensation of Rs. 22000 crore has been paid to OMCs.

For domestic LPG, Government continues to modulate the effective price to consumers. Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies have suffered huge losses on sale of domestic LPG. To compensate these losses, the Government has recently paid a one-time compensation of Rs. 22000 crore to OMCs. Under the Direct Benefit Transfer for LPG (DBTL) scheme, subsidy as admissible, is deposited in the account of eligible beneficiaries. W.e.f. 21.05.2022, Government has started a targeted subsidy of Rs. 200 per 14.2 Kg cylinder for Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana (PMUY) beneficiaries for upto 12 refills for year 2022-23.

(d) & (e): The details of contribution of petroleum sector to exchequer since 2014-15 are given below:

	(Rs. in Crore)		
	Total Contribution to Central Exchequer	Total Contribution to State Exchequer	Total Contribution of Petroleum Sector to Exchequer
2013-14	152900	152460	305360
2014-15	172065	160554	332620
2015-16	254297	160209	414506
2016-17	335175	189770	524945
2017-18	336163	206863	543026
2018-19	348041	227591	575632
2019-20	334315	221056	555370
2020-21	455069	217650	672719
2021-22	492303	282122	774425
2022-23 (Apr-Dec) (P)	307913	237089	545002

The above is based on data provided to Petroleum Planning and Analysis Cell (PPAC) by 15 major oil & gas companies. The amount reported by the companies to PPAC is the consolidated amount of all taxes/cess/ duties /GST etc. for crude oil and petroleum products.

(P) - Provisional

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Annexure

Annexure referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3711 asked by Adv. Dean Kuriakose to be answered on 23.03.2023 regarding "Retail Price of LPG Cylinder"

Date	Domestic LPG (Non-Subsidised) Rs./14.2 Kg Cylinder at Delhi
1-Apr-13	901.50
1-May-13	847.00
23-May-13	847.00
1-Jun-13	802.00
1-Jul-13	832.00
1-Aug-13	875.00
1-Sep-13	932.50
1-Oct-13	1,004.00
10-Oct-13	1,004.50
1-Nov-13	954.50
1-Dec-13	1,017.50
11-Dec-13	1,021.00
1-Jan-14	1,241.00
1-Feb-14	1,134.00
1-Mar-14	1,080.50
1-Apr-14	980.50
17-Apr-14	980.50
1-May-14	928.50
1-Jun-14	905.00
25-Jun-14	906.00
1-Jul-14	922.50
7-Jul-14	922.50
1-Aug-14	920.00
1-Sep-14	901.00
1-Oct-14	880.00
23-Oct-14	883.50
1-Nov-14	865.00
01-Dec-14	752.00
1-Jan-15	708.50
1-Feb-15	605.00
16-Feb-15	605.00
1-Mar-15	610.00
1-Apr-15	621.00
1-May-15	616.00
1-Jun-15	626.50
1-Jul-15	608.50
1-Aug-15	585.00

1-Sep-15	559.50
1-Oct-15	517.50
1-Nov-15	545.00
1-Dec-15	606.50
9-Dec-15	606.50
1-Jan-16	657.50
1-Feb-16	575.00
1-Mar-16	513.50
4-Mar-16	513.50
1-Apr-16	509.50
25-Apr-16	509.50
1-May-16	527.50
17-May-16	527.50
1-Jun-16	548.50
1-Jul-16	537.50
7-Jul-16	537.50
1-Aug-16	487.00
16-Aug-16	487.00
1-Sep-16	466.50
16-Sep-16	466.50
1-Oct-16	490.00
16-Oct-16	490.00
28-Oct-16	492.00
1-Nov-16	529.50
16-Nov-16	529.50
1-Dec-16	584.00
16-Dec-16	584.00
1-Jan-17	585.00
16-Jan-17	585.00
1-Feb-17	651.50
1-Mar-17	737.50
1-Apr-17	723.00
16-Apr-17	723.00
1-May-17	631.00
16-May-17	631.00
1-Jun-17	552.50
16-Jun-17	552.50
1-Jul-17	564.00
2-Jul-17	564.00
11-Jul-17	564.00
16-Jul-17	564.00
1-Aug-17	524.00
2-Aug-17	524.00
16-Aug-17	524.00

1-Sep-17	597.50
2-Sep-17	597.50
16-Sep-17	597.50
30-Sep-17	599.00
1-Oct-17	649.00
1-Nov-17	742.00
15-Nov-17	742.00
1-Dec-17	747.00
1-Jan-18	741.00
16-Jan-18	741.00
1-Feb-18	736.00
16-Feb-18	736.00
1-Mar-18	689.00
16-Mar-18	689.00
1-Apr-18	653.50
16-Apr-18	653.50
1-May-18	650.50
16-May-18	650.50
1-Jun-18	698.50
16-Jun-18	698.50
1-Jul-18	754.00
16-Jul-18	754.00
1-Aug-18	789.50
16-Aug-18	789.50
1-Sep-18	820.00
16-Sep-18	820.00
1-Oct-18	879.00
11-Oct-18	879.00
16-Oct-18	879.00
1-Nov-18	939.00
7-Nov-18	942.50
16-Nov-18	942.50
1-Dec-18	809.50
16-Dec-18	809.50
1-Jan-19	689.00
16-Jan-19	689.00
1-Feb-19	659.00
16-Feb-19	659.00
1-Mar-19	701.50
16-Mar-19	701.50
1-Apr-19	706.50
16-Apr-19	706.50
1-May-19	712.50
16-May-19	712.50

1-Jun-19	737.50
16-Jun-19	737.50
1-Jul-19	637.00
16-Jul-19	637.00
1-Aug-19	574.50
16-Aug-19	574.50
1-Sep-19	590.00
16-Sep-19	590.00
1-Oct-19	605.00
16-Oct-19	605.00
1-Nov-19	681.50
16-Nov-19	681.50
1-Dec-19	695.00
16-Dec-19	695.00
1-Jan-20	714.00
15-Jan-20	714.00
16-Jan-20	714.00
1-Feb-20	714.00
12-Feb-20	858.50
16-Feb-20	858.50
1-Mar-20	805.50
21-Mar-20	805.50
1-Apr-20	744.00
16-Apr-20	744.00
1-May-20	581.50
16-May-20	581.50
1-Jun-20	593.00
16-Jun-20	593.00
1-Jul-20	594.00
16-Jul-20	594.00
1-Aug-20	594.00
16-Aug-20	594.00
1-Sep-20	594.00
16-Sep-20	594.00
1-Oct-20	594.00
16-Oct-20	594.00
1-Nov-20	594.00
16-Nov-20	594.00
1-Dec-20	594.00
2-Dec-20	644.00
15-Dec-20	694.00
16-Dec-20	694.00
1-Jan-21	694.00
16-Jan-21	694.00

1-Feb-21	694.00
4-Feb-21	719.00
15-Feb-21	769.00
16-Feb-21	769.00
25-Feb-21	794.00
1-Mar-21	819.00
16-Mar-21	819.00
1-Apr-21	809.00
16-Apr-21	809.00
1-May-21	809.00
16-May-21	809.00
1-Jun-21	809.00
16-Jun-21	809.00
1-Jul-21	834.50
16-Jul-21	834.50
1-Aug-21	834.50
16-Aug-21	834.50
17-Aug-21	859.50
1-Sep-21	884.50
16-Sep-21	884.50
1-Oct-21	884.50
6-Oct-21	899.50
16-Oct-21	899.50
1-Nov-21	899.50
16-Nov-21	899.50
1-Dec-21	899.50
16-Dec-21	899.50
1-Jan-22	899.50
16-Jan-22	899.50
1-Feb-22	899.50
2-Feb-22	899.50
16-Feb-22	899.50
1-Mar-22	899.50
16-Mar-22	899.50
22-Mar-22	949.50
1-Apr-22	949.50
16-Apr-22	949.50
1-May-22	949.50
7-May-22	999.50
16-May-22	999.50
19-May-22	1,003.00
22-May-22	1,003.00
1-Jun-22	1,003.00
16-Jun-22	1,003.00

1-Jul-22	1,003.00
6-Jul-22	1,053.00
16-Jul-22	1,053.00
1-Aug-22	1,053.00
1-Sep-22	1,053.00
1-Oct-22	1,053.00
1-Nov-22	1,053.00
1-Dec-22	1,053.00
1-Jan-23	1,053.00
1-Feb-23	1,053.00
1-Mar-23	1,103.00

Source: IOCL