

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3780  
TO BE ANSWERED ON **23<sup>rd</sup> MARCH, 2022**  
**Expansion of LNG**

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पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) whether the Government has carried out/intends to carry out expansion of Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) in coming future;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the list of States which comes under the expansion plan?

**ANSWER**

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्यमंत्री  
(श्री रामेश्वर तेली)

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

(a) to (c) Government has taken various steps to support growth of a gas based economy which includes Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG). This, inter-alia, includes permitting 100% Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) under 100% automatic route for establishment of LNG infrastructure including LNG terminals, Open General Licensing (OGL) category for LNG imports, etc. As on date, six (6) LNG regasification terminals are operational with capacity of about **42.7 MMTPA (~ 153 MMSCMD)**.

Location	Owner & Operator	Capacity(MMTPA)
Dahej (Gujarat)	PLL	17.5
Hazira (Gujarat)	SHELL	5.2
Kochi (Kerala)	PLL	5
Dhabol (Maharashtra)	GAIL(KLPL)	5*
Mundra (Gujarat)	GSPC LNG Ltd	5
Ennore (Tamilnadu)	Indian Oil	5
<b>Total Capacity (MMTPA)</b>		<b>42.7</b>

Source: PPAC

(MMTPA – Million Metric Tonne per Annum) (MMSCM – Million Metric Standard Cubic Meter)

\*To increase to 5 MMTPA with breakwater. Only HP stream capacity of 2.9 MMTPA is commissioned

Further, following LNG terminals are under construction:

<b>Location</b>	<b>Owner &amp; Operator</b>	<b>Capacity(MMTPA)</b>
Dhamra (Odisha)	Adani LNG Pvt Ltd	5
Jafrabad (Gujarat)	Swan Energy	5
Gopalpur (Odisha)	PLL	4
Chhara (Guajrat)	HPLNG	5
Dahej (Gujarat)- capacity expansion	PLL	5
Total Capacity (MMTPA)		24

4 LNG dispensing stations are operational and 49 LNG fuelling stations (across Golden Quadrilateral and major highways) of OIL and Gas PSUs are in various stages of commissioning.

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