

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3174
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04th August, 2022

Oil and Gas Status in the Country

3174. SHRIMATI PRATIMA MONDAL:

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) the latest position of availability and possibility of oil and gas in the country;
- (b) the total consumption of oil and gas in the country at present;
- (c) the percentage of total requirement of the country met with the present oil and gas reserves;
- (d) the quantum of oil and gas imported to meet the requirement of the country besides domestic production during each of the last three years and the current year; and
- (e) the foreign currency spent in terms of rupee and dollar in this regard during the said period?

ANSWER

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(a) The conventional hydrocarbon resources that have been discovered so far in the country is estimated to be approximately 12.0 Billion Tonnes of oil & oil equivalent of gas. Out of this, recoverable resources are estimated to be 4.2 Billion Tonnes of which about 2.6 billion Tonnes of oil and oil equivalent of gas has already been produced.

(b) The consumption of petroleum products and natural gas in the country, during 2021-22, was 204.23 MMT and 63.91 Billion Cubic Meter (BCM) respectively.

(c) During 2021-22, 22.8 % of total requirements of crude oil and gas of the country were met through domestic production.

(d) & (e) Details of crude oil imported along-with its cost for last 3 years and first quarter (Q1) (April – June) of 2022-23 (P) is given below:

| Financial Year | 2019 - 20 | 2020 - 21 | 2021 - 22 | Q1 of 2022-23 (P) |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| Crude Oil Import (in MMT) | 227.0 | 196.5 | 212.0 | 60.3 |
| Import Cost (in US \$ billion) | 101.4 | 62.2 | 120.4 | 48.0 |
| Import Cost (in Rs. crore) | 717001 | 459779 | 899312 | 369742 |

Source: Petroleum Planning & Analysis Cell (PPAC), (P): Provisional

Details of Natural Gas imported along-with cost for last 3 years and Q1 of 2022-23 (P) is given below:

| FY | 2019 - 20 | 2020 - 21 | 2021 - 22 | Q1 of 2022-23 (P) |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| Natural Gas Imports (in BCM) | 33.887 | 33.031 | 30.776 | 7.40 |
| Import Cost (in US \$ billion) | 9.5 | 7.9 | 13.4 | 3.4 |
| Import Cost (in Rs. crore) | 67383 | 58129 | 100011 | 25268 |

Source: PPAC, (P): Provisional
