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Paradip Refinery is the Vikas Deep for Odisha and the youth of Odisha. It will unleash a new wave of industrialisation in hydrocarbon sector & enhance economic progress in Eastern India.

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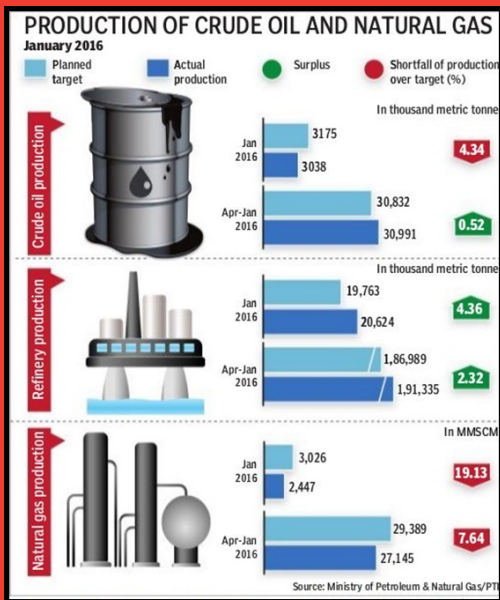


Dear Friends!

February has been a month of achievements for the oil and gas industry. Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi dedicated to the nation the most-technologically advanced 15 million tonnes per annum refinery set by Indian Oil Corporation Limited at Paradip in Odisha.

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Crude Monitor

Average Indian basket February 2016 30.63

Highest in 2015-16 68.54 (May 06, 2015)

Lowest in 2015-16 24.03 (Jan 20, 2016)
(in \$/barrel)

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PM DEDICATED COUNTRY'S MOST ADVANCED REFINERY IN ODISHA



Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi dedicated state of the Art Paradip Refinery to the nation on February 07, 2016. [Read More...](#)

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Petroleum Minister releases Hydrocarbon Vision 2030 for North-East



The Vision intends at doubling Oil & Gas production by 2030, making clean fuels accessible, fast tracking projects, generating employment opportunities and promoting [Read More...](#)

Petroleum Minister showcases sectoral opportunities in 'Make in India' Week



Echoing the sentiments of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi towards creating a favourable environment for business through better policies and investment opportunities, [Read More...](#)

Historic Budget for Providing LPG Connection to Women of BPL Families: Dharmendra Pradhan

What is hailed as a historic Union budget for the lives of rural women who face enormous health issues due to unclean cooking fuels, the finance Ministry has allocated Rs 2000 Cr for providing LPG connections to 1.5 Crore women belonging to the below poverty line (BPL) families during the year 2016-17. The Scheme is scheduled to continue for atleast two years to cover a total of 5 Crore BPL households. The LPG connection will be in the name of women member of the family. [Read More...](#)

Petroleum Minister holds bilateral meeting with his counterparts from Bangladesh & Sri Lanka on energy issues



The Minister of State (I/C) for Petroleum and Natural Gas Shri Dharmendra Pradhan held bilateral meetings with Dr. Tawfiq-e-Elahi Chowdhury, [Read More...](#)

Petroleum Minister Meets Energy Minister of UAE for Bilateral Talks



Petroleum Minister Shri Dharmendra Pradhan held a bilateral meeting with H. E. Suhail Mohammed Al Mazrouei, Minister for Energy of United Arab Emirates on February 10, 2016 in New Delhi. [Read More...](#)

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'MAKE IN INDIA' WEEK

'Oil ministry to move Cabinet note on crude import policy'

Move to provide a common crude platform for all state-owned oil refiners

Oil & Gas

Oil Minister Dharmendra Pradhan at the India International Conference on Oil & Gas

The India **EXPRESS** Feb 10, 2016

Govt to announce new crude oil import policy soon: Pradhan



In a bid to make oil cheaply available for the consumer, the government will soon be rolling out a new import policy whereby oil marketing companies can purchase the commodity via a trading desk rather than the usual tendering route.

"India is the only country in the world which carries out tendering for oil purchase. This compels the consumer to shell out more. Our aim is to make oil cheaply available to the consumer and hence will soon be introducing an oil import policy which eliminates tendering entirely," Dharmendra Pradhan, Union petroleum minister told reporters at the Make In India event on Monday. He, however, did not mention a timeline for the policy. The sector is one of the 25 priority ones identified under Make in India initiative.

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Thanks to the initiative, Prime Minister Narendra Modi gave the flag of LPG over to the consumers.

LPG gets a digital makeover

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