

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA**

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COAL MINES OF CIL
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of coal mines of Coal India Limite(CIL) in the country.State-wise;
- (b) the quantity of coal extracted [rom these mines during the last three years and the current year; and
- (c) the activities proposed to be taken for the welfare of labourers working in these mines?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA)

(a) The number of working coal mines (as on 01.04.2008) of CIL, in the country, state-wise,are given as below:

SN State COAL INDIA LIMITED(CIL)

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1 West Bengal 77 14 7 98

2 Jharkhand 82 56 22 160

3 Madhya Pradesh 50 18 5 73

4 Uttar Pradesh 0 5 0 5

5 Chattisgarh 39 12 1 52

6 Maharashtra 21 31 0 52

7 Orissa 9 17 0 26

8 Assam 5 2 0 7

9 Total 283 155 35 473

(h) Production of coal for the last three years and the current year (till Sept. '08) are given below :

COMPANY	2008-09 (upto Sept. 2008)	2007-08	2006-07	2005-06
Eastern Coalfields Limited (ECL)	11.437	24.059	30.466	31.114
Bharat Coking Coal Limited (BCCL)	10.192	25.215	24.205	23.311
Central Coalfields Limited (CCL)	14.048	44.146	41.319	40.513
Northern Coalfields Limited (NCL)	28.004	59.623	52.158	51.518
Western Coalfields Limited (WeL)	20.347	43.512	43.212	43.204
South Eastern Coalfields Ltd. (SECL)	46.375	93.791	88.502	83.024
Mahanadi Coalfields Limited (MCL)	37.135	88.012	80.001	69.604
North Eastern Coalfields Ltd. (NIT)	0.280	1.101	1.050	1.101
Total	167.818	379.459	360.913	343.389

(c) The existing activities for the welfare of labourers in coal mines include housing, water supply, educational institutions, medical facilities, canteen, co-operatives and bank branches/extension counters. These activities would be continued for the welfare of employees of coal mines.