

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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MODERNISATION OF OIL REFINERIES
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of public sector oil refineries and privately owned oil refineries in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the total refining capacity of each of these refineries and the cost of refining of crude oil in these refineries;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to modernise these refineries; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a) and (b): The information is at Annexure-I.

(c) and (d): The Public Sector Oil Companies have been undertaking refinery upgradation projects for capacity expansion and to optimize the production of value added products based on economics, product demand, etc. Details of refinery modernization/upgradation projects being undertaken by Public Sector Undertaking refineries is at Annexure-II.