

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1999  
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PRODUCTION OF COAL BED METHANE GAS  
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**Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the target fixed for the production of Coal Bed Methane Gas during the last three years; and  
(b) the extent to which the target was achieved?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI R.P.N.SINGH)

(a) & (b) The annual target fixed by Directorate General of Hydrocarbons(DGH) taking into consideration Annual Work Plan of the Operators versus actual Coal Bed Methane (CBM) production during the last three years is as under.

(Million Cubic Meter)

Year	Target	Actual	% Achievement
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2008-09	38.75	13.10	33.8
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2009-10	57.73	38.40	66.5
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2010-11	33.29	41.36	124.2
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