## Coal supply to non-power sector to be around 130 mt in FY23: Minister

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The Coal Ministry plans supply around 130 millio tonnes (mt) of coal to the non-power sector indus-
tries such as steel, cement and sponge iron in the cur-
rent financial year, endin March 2023. So far, des patches to the sector hav As per the latest provisional data, coal despatche to non-power sector indus tries stood at 48.66 mt
down 13 per cent $y$. down 13 per cent $y-0-y$, dur ing the Apri-Octobe
period of FY23. "Providing coal to the power sector is very import , all development of the
country. The non-power sector is also an important component of the industry. raising the supply to them," Coal Minister Pralhad Joshi

nomic development, Joshi
pointed out that the com-
modity is the mainstay for
power generation.
call put together, total
coal dispatches in 2014
were 572 mt, and this year
(FY22), India achieved 817
mt. In the ongoing year
(FY23), we are going to ction of 900 mt , inclusive of commercial, captive
abundant mines and Co India," the minister said. Joshi stressed that coa
will continue to be a key will continue to be a key
commodity for India for the
next $30-40$ years, and it
important that productio important that productio keeps pace with demand
that imports can stopped. The Coal Ministry has set a target to produce 1.3 bil
lion tonnes by FY25 and lion tonnes by FY25 and 1 .
billion tonnes by FY30


1 m barrels a day imported from Russia in October

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India's appetite for Russian crude oil surged multifold, from les than 1 per cent before February 2022 to 21 per cent in October, 1 million barrels per day From a market share of less than 1 per 1 million barrels per day. From a market share of less than 1 pe Ukraine conflict, Russia's share of India'simports rose to 0.24 mil lion tonnes, or nearly 1 million barrels per day, in Ocobeer taining al 11 per cent share comparable
 port taskete in the esme month, SSkr Cliobid data showed
Shreyans Baid asenior oil analyst for South Asia at S\&PP Global Commodity Insights, said since the voyage time to India from Russian
ports ranges from $2-5$ weeks, the crude that arrived in October
"But future purchases of Russian crude by Indian refiners will depend on how the EU ban
shapes up the seaborne trade and whether Russhapes up the seaborne trade and whetier Rus-
sian crude makes economic sense, given high freight rates and the market structure," he added. India's appetite for Russian crude in October rose to levels not seen in recent years and
surpassed volumes shipped by leading West surpassed volumes shipped by leading West
Asian suppliers, as refiners rushed to snap up Asian suppliers, as reitners susted to snap up
plentifulc cargoes ahead of any potential shipping orpolicy hurdles once the EU's sanctions kickin. "As refineries start up from planned mainten-
ance schedules, Indian crude imports have seen ance schedules, Indian crude imports have seen
ajump in October and are likelyto stay healthy in ajump in October and are ilielyto stay healthyin
upcoming months. Despite the jump in Russian gion still remains the largest supplier to India, with a com
Baid said.

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