

CHAPTER 5 Availability of Energy Resources

Availability

The availability of and access to energy and energy sources are particularly essential for poverty reduction and further improvements in standards of living.

Data on availability of energy resources within the national territory of a given country during a reference period along with reliable and timely monitoring of the supply and use of energy becomes indispensable for sound decision-making.

Data items, particularly, on mineral and energy resources are important for the assessment of their availability in the environment, as well as for the assessment of their depletion. This information is often used in the compilation of asset accounts in the SNA, as well as in SEEA-Energy accounts to assess their availability in the long run.

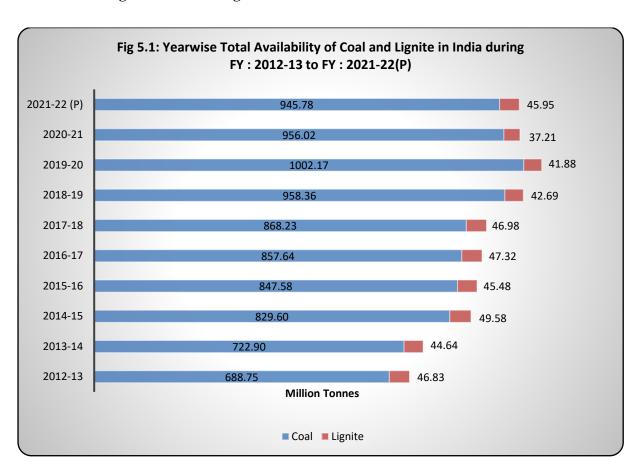
More importantly, it is essential for countries to track their depletion of energy related natural resources, as this directly affects their availability for future generations and increasing dependence of an economy on trade to balance the deficit. Thus, there has been a thrust to rely on renewable and cleaner forms of energy in the recent years, world over, – to bridge the gap between demand and supply without affecting the environment drastically.

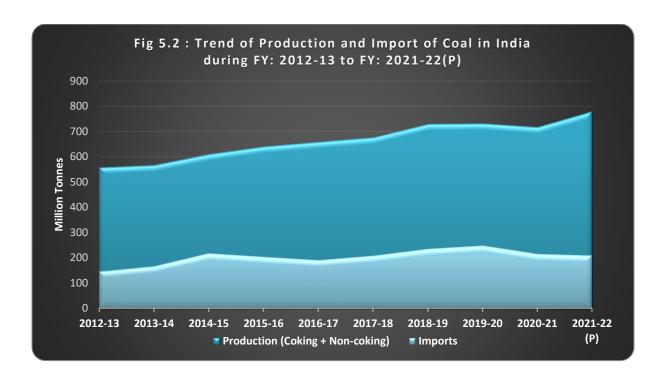
The necessity of Energy security in the current world and availability of energy being an enabler of life improvement, access and availability of Clean Energy for all has been recognized as an agenda point of the Sustainable Development Goals which are to be achieved by countries till 2030.

This chapter presents the availability of primary energy resources, petroleum products and electricity in the economy.

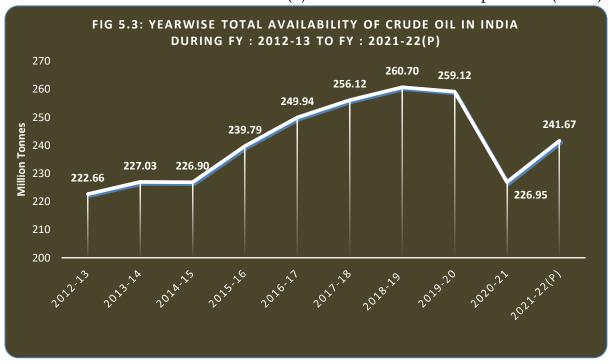
Highlights

- Over the year 2021-22 (P), in comparison to the year 2020-21, the availability of energy resources has experienced an increase in all the energy resources except coal. Coal has declined by 1.07% during FY:2021-22(P), in comparison with previous Financial year; the availability of Lignite, Crude Oil and Natural Gas oil has increased by 23.48%, 6.48% and 5.08% respectively during FY:2021-22 (P), w.r.t FY:2020-21. (Table 5.1).
- India, being one of the largest reservoirs of Coal, has displayed a steady increase in availability of Coal during the period from 2012-13 to 2021-22(P) with a CAGR of about 3.59%, except for small decline of 4.61% from 2019-20 and 1.07% from 2020-21. The total availability of Coal in 2021-22(P) stood at 945.78 MT as compared to 956.02 MT in 2020-21 indicating a total decrease of 10.23 MT in a year. Out of the 945.78 MT available for consumption in 2021-22(P), a major portion (82.28%) is produced domestically and 208.93 MT is imported (Table 5.1 & 5.2). An overview of availability of Coal and Lignite in India is given below,



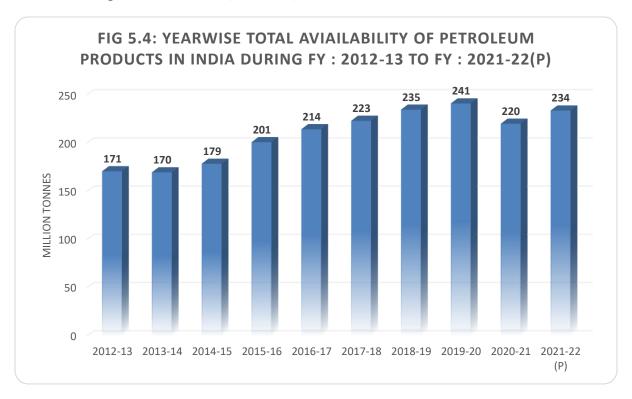


• The total availability of crude oil experienced a downfall of 32.17 MT during FY:2020-21 a decline of close to 12%, primarily because of COVID-19 pandemic. The same, however has bounced back and registered a growth of 6.48% during FY:2021-22(P) over last year (from 226.95 MT in 2020-21 to 241.67 MT during 2021-22(P)). The overall CAGR between 2012-13 to 2021-22(P) has also remained positive (0.91%).



• Like in all developing countries, India has also experienced a steady growth rate of Petroleum Products over time. A production of 203.20 MTs in 2011-12 to 262.94 MTs in 2019-20 i.e. an increase of over 29% has been registered. But during 2020-21, primarily because of COVID-19, the same has been decreased to 233.51 MTs, a decline

of 11.19% over 2019-20. The Petroleum Products, however, has experience a healthy growth of close to 9% during FY:2021-22(P) and has reached to 254.31 in 2021-22(P). The CAGR of total availability of Petroleum products between 2012-13 to 2021-22(P) has shown a growth of 1.74% (Table 5.3).



• Electricity available for supply has increased from 9,21,229 GWh in 2012-13 to 14,25,036 GWh in 2021-22(P), thus recording a CAGR of 4.97% during this period. There is also an increase of 8.45% in the availability of electricity (from 13,14,025 GWh during 2020-21 to 14,25,036 GWh) during 2020-21.

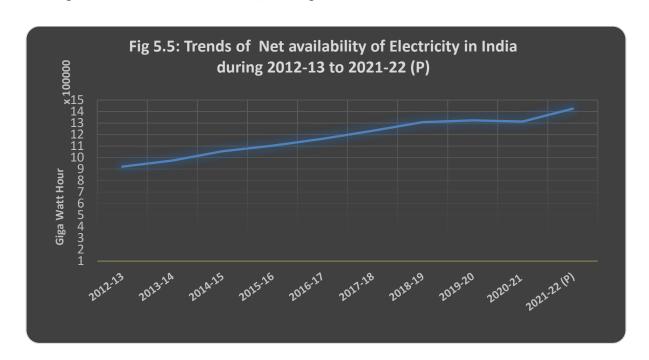


Table 5.1 : Yearwise Availability of Energy Resources							
Year	Coal (Million Tonnes)	Lignite (Million Tonnes)	Crude Oil (Million Tonnes)	Natural Gas (Billion Cubic Metres)			
2012-13	688.75	46.83	222.66	57.19			
2013-14	722.90	44.64	227.03	52.37			
2014-15	829.60	49.58	226.90	51.30			
2015-16	847.58	45.48	239.79	52.51			
2016-17	857.64	47.32	249.94	55.70			
2017-18	868.23	46.98	256.12	59.17			
2018-19	958.36	42.69	260.70	60.79			
2019-20	1002.17	41.88	259.12	64.14			
2020-21	956.02	37.21	226.95	60.82			
2021-22(P)	945.78	45.95	241.67	63.91			
Growth rate of 2021-22 over 2020-21(%)	-1.07	23.48	6.48	5.08			
CAGR 2012-13 to 2021-22 (%)	3.59	-0.21	0.91	1.24			

(P) - Provisional

Note: Availability is defined as below:

Coal/lignite: Production+Net Imports+change in stocks Crude Oil: Production +Net Imports

Natural gas:Net Production i.e. (Gross production -Flared - Losses) + Net imports

Sources: 1. Office of Coal Controller, Ministry of Coal

 $2.\ Ministry\ of\ Petroleum\ \&\ Natural\ Gas$

3. Central Electricity Authority

Table 5.2 : Yearwise Availability of Coal and Lignite										
(Million Tonnes										
	Coal					Lignite				
Year	Production (Coking + Non-coking)	Imports	Exports	Change of Vendible Stock (closing stock- Opening stock)	Consumption	Production	Imports	Exports	Change of Vendible Stock (closing stock- Opening stock)	Availability for Consumption
1	2	3	4	5	6=2+3-4+5	7	8	9	10	11=7+8-9+10
2012-13	556.40	145.79	2.44	-10.99	688.75	46.45	0.00	0.07	0.44	46.83
2013-14	565.77	166.86	2.19	-7.54	722.90	44.27	0.00	0.00	0.37	44.64
2014-15	609.18	217.78	1.24	3.88	829.60	48.27	0.00	0.00	1.32	49.58
2015-16	639.23	203.95	1.58	5.97	847.58	43.84	0.00	0.00	1.63	45.48
2016-17	657.87	190.95	1.77	10.59	857.64	45.23	0.02	0.01	2.07	47.32
2017-18	675.40	208.25	1.50	-13.92	868.23	46.64	0.01	0.00	0.33	46.98
2018-19	728.72	235.35	1.31	-4.40	958.36	44.28	0.02	0.08	-1.54	42.69
2019-20	730.87	248.54	1.03	23.79	1002.17	42.10	0.05	0.09	-0.18	41.88
2020-21	716.08	215.25	2.95	27.63	956.02	37.90	0.02	0.19	-0.51	37.21
2021-22 (P)	778.19	208.93	1.17	-40.17	945.78	47.49	0.07	0.02	-1.59	45.95
Growth rate of 2021-22 over 2020-21(%)	8.67	-2.93	-60.31	-245.40	-1.07	25.32	258.96	-90.61	209.73	23.48
(P): Provisional Source: Office of	(P): Provisional Total may not tally due to rounding off Source: Office of the Coal Controller, Ministry of Coal									

Table 5.3 : Yearwise Availability of Crude Oil, Petroleum Products and Natural Gas.									
Year	Crude Oil (Million Tonne)			Petroleum Products (Million Tonne)			Natural Gas (Billion Cubic Meter)*		
Tear	Production	Net Imports	Availability	Production	Net Imports	Availability	Production	Net Imports	Availability
1	2	3	4=2+3	5	6	7=5+6	8	9	10 = 8+9
2011-12	38.09	171.73	209.82	203.21	-44.99	158.22	46.56	18.00	64.56
2012-13	37.86	184.80	222.66	217.73	-47.05	170.68	39.57	17.61	57.19
2013-14	37.79	189.24	227.03	220.76	-51.17	169.59	34.57	17.80	52.37
2014-15	37.46	189.43	226.90	221.14	-42.63	178.50	32.69	18.61	51.30
2015-16	36.94	202.85	239.79	231.92	-31.08	200.84	31.12	21.39	52.51
2016-17	36.01	213.93	249.94	243.55	-29.23	214.32	30.85	24.85	55.70
2017-18	35.68	220.43	256.12	254.40	-31.37	223.03	31.73	27.44	59.17
2018-19	34.20	226.50	260.70	262.36	-27.75	234.61	32.05	28.74	60.79
2019-20	32.17	226.95	259.12	262.94	-21.90	241.04	30.26	33.89	64.14
2020-21	30.49	196.46	226.95	233.51	-13.52	219.99	27.78	33.03	60.82
2021-22 (P)	29.69	211.98	241.67	254.31	-20.65	233.65	33.13	30.78	63.91
Growth rate of 2021-22 over 2020-21(%)	-2.63	7.90	6.48	8.90	52.73	6.21	19.25	-6.83	5.08
CAGR 2012-13 to 2021-22 (%)	-2.66	1.54	0.91	1.74	-8.74	3.55	-1.95	6.40	1.24

^{* :} Availability of natural gas is equal to indigenous net production (Gross production-Flared/Losses) + net imports

Source: Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas.

Table 5.4 : Yearwise Availability of Electricity							
(in Giga Watt hour = 10 ⁶ Kilo Watt hour							
Year	Gross Electricity Generated from Utilities	Consumption in Power Station Auxiliaries	Net Electricity Generated from Utilities	Purchases from Non- Utilities + Net Import from Other Countries	Net Electricity Available for Supply		
1	2	3	4=2-3	5	6=4+5		
2012-13	9,64,489	64,109	9,00,380	20,849	9,21,229		
2013-14	10,26,649	70,161	9,56,488	17,948	9,74,436		
2014-15	11,16,850	76,268	10,40,582	13,773	10,54,355		
2015-16	11,67,584	79,302	10,88,282	15,947	11,04,228		
2016-17	12,35,358	81,044	11,54,314	8,977	11,63,290		
2017-18	13,03,455	82,148	12,21,307	11,198	12,32,505		
2018-19	13,71,779	83,386	12,88,393	19,291	13,07,685		
2019-20	13,83,417	83,301	13,00,116	22,932	13,23,048		
2020-21	13,73,187	80,472	12,92,715	21,310	13,14,025		
2021-22 (P)	14,84,442	83,856	14,00,586	24,450	14,25,036		
Growth rate of 2021-22 over 2020-21(%)	8.10	4.20	8.34	14.73	8.45		
CAGR 2012-13 to 2021-22 (%)	4.91	3.03	5.03	1.79	4.97		
(P): Provisional Source:Central Electricity Authority.							

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