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#### ANDHRA PRADESH

#### **Mineral Resources**

Andhra Pradesh is the sole producer of apatite. The State is the leading producer of barytes, ball clay, dolomite, garnet (abrasive), laterite, limestone, quartz, quartzite, silica sand and vermiculite. It accounts for 92% barytes, 40% calcite, 41% mica, 31% each kyanite & garnet, 19% titanium minerals, 16% bauxite, 15% dolomite, 13% sillimanite, 12% each vermiculite & limestone resources of the country. Andhra Pradesh is endowed with the internationally known black, pink, blue and multicoloured varieties of granites. Krishna-Godavari basin areas in this State have emerged as new promising areas for hydrocarbons, especially natural gas.

Important minerals occurring in Andhra Pradesh are: apatite in Visakhapatnam district; asbestos in Cuddapah district; ball clay in West Godavari district; barytes in Anantapur, Cuddapah, Krishna, Kurnool, Nellore and Prakasam districts; calcite in Anantapur, Cuddapah, Kurnool and Visakhapatnam districts; china clay in Anantapur, Chittoor, Cuddapah, East Godavari, West Godavari, Guntur, Kurnool, Nellore and Visakhapatnam districts; coal in Godavari Valley Coalfield; corundum in Anantapur districts; dolomite in Anantapur and Kurnool districts; felspar in Anantapur, Cuddapah, West Godavari, Nellore and Vizianagaram districts; fireclay in Chittoor, Cuddapah, East Godavari, West Godavari, Kurnool and Srikakulam districts; garnet in East Godavari, Nellore and Srikakulam districts; granite in Anantapur, Chittoor, Cuddapah, Guntur, Krishna, Nellore, Prakasam, Srikakulam and Vizianagaram districts; iron ore (hematite) in Anantapur, Cuddapah, Guntur, Krishna, Kurnool and Nellore districts; iron ore (magnetite) in Prakasam districts; lead-zinc in Cuddapah, Guntur and Prakasam districts; limestone in Anantapur, Cuddapah, East Godavari, West Godavari, Guntur, Krishna,

Kurnool, Nellore, Srikakulam, Visakhapatnam and Vizianagaram districts; manganese ore in Srikakulam and Vizianagaram districts; mica in Nellore and Visakhapatnam district; ochre in Anantapur and Cuddapah, West Godavari, Guntur, Kurnool and Visakhapatnam districts; pyrophyllite in Anantapur, Chittoor and Cuddapah district; quartz/silica sand in Anantapur, Chittoor, Cuddapah, West Godavari, Guntur, Krishna, Kurnool, Nellore, Prakasam, Srikakulam, Visakhapatnam and Vizianagaram districts; quartzite in Kurnool, Srikakulam, Visakhapatnam and Vizianagaram districts; talc/soapstone/ steatite in Anantapur, Chittoor, Cuddapah and Kurnool districts and vermiculite in Nellore and Visakhapatnam districts. Petroleum & natural gas deposits of importance are located in the onshore and offshore areas of Krishna-Godavari basin of the State.

Other minerals that occur in the State are **bauxite** in East Godavari and Visakhapatnam districts; chromite in Krishna district; copper in Guntur, Kurnool and Prakasam districts; diamond in Anantapur, Krishna and Kurnool districts; gold in Anantapur, Chittoor and Kurnool districts; graphite in East Godavari, West Godavari, Srikakulam, Visakhapatnam and Vizianagaram districts; gypsum in Guntur, Nellore and Prakasam districts; kyanite in Nellore and Prakasam districts; magnesite in Cuddapah district; pyrite in Kurnool district; sillimanite in West Godavari and Srikakulam district; silver in Guntur district; titanium minerals in East Godavari, Krishna, Nellore, Srikakulam and Visakhapatnam districts; and tungsten in East Godavari district (Tables-1 & 2).

#### **Exploration & Development**

The details of exploration activities conducted by various agencies for coal and other minerals during 2016-17 are furnished in Table - 3.

During 2016-17, National Oil Companies (NOC) continued their operations for exploration of oil and gas in the State.

Table -1: Reserves/Resources of Minerals as on 01.04.2015: Andhra Pradesh

			Rest	erves					Remaining	Resources				Total
lineral	Unit	Proved STD 111	Prob	able	Total	Feasibility STD211	Pre-fea	sibility	Measured STD331	Indicated STD337	Inferred STD333	Reconnaiss STD32	ance Total	resources
			STD121	STD122	(c)	117/10	STD221	STD222	100010	700 AT 0			<u>(</u> )	
patite	tonnes	27715	I	1680	29395	1	,	I	ı	I	200163	I	200163	229558
sbestos	tonnes	20016		4617	24633	684984	40408	18355	,	1541	67392		812679	837312
all clay <sup>#</sup>	tonnes	6700417	202950	1049025	7952392	5622514	2842702	10275648	,	2279330	28044529		49064723	57017115
larytes#	tonnes	48990002	49358	372296	49411656	186544	94489	988514	104322	389630	28165637	105721	30034857	79446513
lauxite	'000 tonne	' S	I	1	I	'	I		188971	138120	288176	ı	615267	615267
lcite#	tonnes	16522	8098	119526	144146	8538	ı	105470	8562700	5200	282204		8964112	9108258
hina clay <sup>#</sup>	'000 tonne:	s 2494	953	1889	5337	1508	989	2071	511	688	51427	362	57556	62893
Chromite	'000 tonne:	S		ı		'	ı	·	,	ı	0.4		0.4	0.4
opper Ore	'000 tonne:	s v		ı	ı	686	1	105		5791	1000	ı	7582	7582
Metal	'000 tonne:	ı S	ı	ı		6.88	ı	1.05	'	97.45	8.32	ı	114	114
orundum#	tonnes	200		1	200	'	٢		ı	I	·	·	Δ	207
iamond	carat	ı		·			·		200483	1524317	98155		1822955	1822955
olomite <sup>#</sup>	'000 tonne:	s 86134	11371	17539	115045	176476.97	31908	38324	22373	77	910217	4301	1183677	1298722
elspar#	tonnes	2295253	150795	556263	3002311	4427537	50911	2379650	361444	1819937	1571271	442950	11053700	14056011
ireclay#	'000 tonne:	s 1252	40	642	1934	771	1400	1574	56	417	10211	132	14562	16496
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Gold Ore (primary)	tonnes		3902725	'	3902725	655133		889515	291000	55000	6980031	,	8870679	12773404
Metal (primary)	tonnes		8.49	I	8.49	2.45	ı	3.57	1.08	0.17	23.78	ı	31.05	39.54
Granite <sup>##</sup> (Dim. stone)	,000 cu m	I		I	I			ı	·	ı	2360396	ı	2360396	2360396
Graphite	tonnes	'	ı	ı	'	ı	1195	1135	ı	1122	697575	ı	701027	701027
Gypsum <sup>#</sup>	'000 tonnes	1	ı		ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	404	ı	404	404
Iron ore (hematite)	'000 tonnes	17664	273	11832	29768	40595	49589	68425	377	4666	147628	13	311294	341062
Iron ore (magnetite)	'000 tonnes	1	,		I	43105		I	13800	1266666	68527	,	1392098	1392098
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Lead-zinc														
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Lead metal	'000 tonnes	1	ı		ı	ı	,	ı	28.70	119.53	688.65	ı	836.88	836.88
Zinc metal	'000 tonnes	1	,		'			'	12.40	43.57	7.19	ı	63.16	63.16
Limestone	'000 tonnes	1003483	19713	385133	1408329	269901	53722	706890	82112	268002	18666131	3466741	23513499	24921828
Magnesite	'000 tonnes	1	I	·	ı	I	ı	ı	ı	ı	80	ı	80	80
Manganese														
ore	'000 tonnes	2235	637	2086	4958	675	387	773	188	3220	6987	457	12687	17645
Mica <sup>#</sup>	kg	61942537	18293548	1	80236085	18960000	T	,	93830994	12894000	51668132	- 1	77353126	257589211

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## Minor Mineral before Gazette Notification dated 10.02.2015. Note: The proved and indicated balance recoverable reserves of crude oil and natural gas as on 1.4.2016 in the State are 13.19 million tonnes and 48.44 billion cu m, respectively.

				(In million tonnes)
Coalfield	Proved	Indicated	Inferred	Total
Total/Godavari Valley	-	1149.05	431.65	1580.70

#### Table – 2: Reserves/Resources of Coal as on 1.4.2017: Andhra Pradesh

Source: Coal Directory of India, 2016-17.

#### Table – 3: Details of Exploration Activities in Andhra Pradesh, 2016-17

Agency/	Location	Map	ping	Dri	lling	с I.	
District		Scale	Area (sq km)	No. of boreholes	Meterage	(No.)	Remarks Reserves/Resources estimated
GSI Base Metal (Copper) Kadapa	Around Zangam -arajupalle.	1:12500	158.0 & 430.0	-	-	-	G4 stage reconnaissance survey has been carried out by large-scale mapping for basemetal mineralisation on 1:12500 scale. Besides, 430 sq km of reconnaissance survey was completed. The bands do not have potential for sulphide mineralisation as per the analytical report.
Kurnool	Around Chetlam -allapuram Nayakallu area	1.2000	2.0	4	570	-	G3 stage preliminary exploration, has been carried out by detailed mapping in three different blocks to establish the presence of the base metal and other associated mineralisation; to demarcate the size and shape; to determine the grade of the ore bodies and to assess the resource. The borehole spacing was maintained 100-200 m for three boreholes in Nayakallu East block and one borehole drilled in Nayakallu old working block. All four boreholes were planned to intersect the mineralised zone at 60 m vertical depth. The SEM and EPMA studies reveal gold, molybdenite, bismathinite, chalcopyrite, pyrite, thorite, allanite minerals in borehole core section. The values of 131 BRS range from 10 -16500 ppm Cu, 25– 40 ppb Au, 5 – 301 ppm Nb and 0.5 – 333 ppm Ta. Total 87 nos of APKN-1 borehole core samples show 10 – 2600 ppm Cu, 25- 600 ppb Au, 5-31 ppm Nb, 0.2-25 ppm Ta; in first borehole core samples show 10-336 ppm Cu, <25 ppb Au, 5–13 ppm Nb, 0.2–2.34 ppm Ta; in second borehole core samples have 10-100 ppm Cu, <25 ppb Au, 5-18

Agency/ Mineral/	Location	Map	ping	Dri	lling	Sampling	Remarks
District		Scale	Area (sq km)	No. of boreholes	Meterage	(No.)	Reserves/Resources estimated
							ppm Nb, 0.2-19 ppm Ta; in fourth borehole core samples show 10-725 ppm Cu, <25 ppb Au, 5-91 ppm Nb, 0.2-78 ppm Ta; in PTS the values range from 10-275 ppm Cu, <25 ppb Au, 0.2-124 ppm Nb, 0.09-54 ppm Ta and in SS it ranges from 10-7700 ppm Cu, 25-38 ppb Au, 5-52 ppm Nb, 5.8 -110Ta respectively.
Chittor	Gutamidapalle block	1:2000	1.7	6	964	52	G3 stage preliminary exploration for Gold and associated minerals was carried out in Gutamidapalle block over an area of 1.7 sq km. A total of 27 soil and 25 bed rock samples along with 108.4 cu m of trenching and 116 PTS was carried out from both the blocks. Drilling of 964 m was carried out in the two blocks by drilling of six boreholes in Gutamidapalle block and two boreholes in Gutamidapalle North block. Though the boreholes intersected sulphidic silicified zones in meta basalt and meta acid volcanic rocks of the Velligallu schist belt, the chemical analysis of the core samples indicated low incidence of gold mineralisation ranging from 27 to 520 ppb except in one borehole which has analysed average value of 0.930g/t x 2.7 m at a borehole depth of 96.40 m to 99.10 m. EPMA studies indicated that the pyrite, pyrrhotite are the major sulphide phases with arsenopyrite and lollingite. Lollingite contains occurrences of gold and silver occurring as 'invisible gold'.
<b>Limestone</b> Guntur	Tadutla block	1:5000	2	3 2	21	1100.0	G2 stage general exploration was carried out for assessment of cement grade limestone resources. Drilling was carried out in a grid pattern of maintaining spacing of 350-450 m. Eight boreholes intersected greyish white to dark grey coloured massive limestone with quartz veins while the remaining 13 boreholes intersected variegated brown coloured shaly limestone. The chemical analysis result suggests that the dark grey to greyish white massive limestone variety is cement grade and the rest is more siliceous disqualifying them from

Agency/	Location	Map	ping	Dri	lling	a 11	
District		Scale	Area (sq km)	No. of boreholes	Meterage	(No.)	Remarks Reserves/Resources estimated
							categories as cement grade limestone. Some of the samples have CaO more than 48% and SiO <sub>2</sub> > 15%. Thickness of cement grade limestone band encountered in boreholes varies from 2 to 28 m. The reserves of cement grade limestone are estimated at 29.14 million tonnes considering CaO value < 42% and SiO <sub>2</sub> >17%.
Kurnool Tungsten and	CAK block	1:5000	4.5	23	1128.20	-	G2 stage general exploration for assessment of cement grade lime- stone resources has been carried out by detailed mapping, pitting, trench- ing & drilling. All boreholes have intersected limestone (both flagy & massive limestone) at varying depths. As per chemical analysis re- sults received so far, the limestone is of cement grade with thickness varying from 2 m to 28.50 m re- spectively. Rest of the limestone in- cluding flaggy have higher silica content and are of 15 m not suitable for cement industry. Reserves for Chintalayapalle block are estimated up to 33.14 million tonnes. Re- serves/Resources for remaining two blocks will be estimated after receipt of chemical analysis data.
East Godavari	Rampachodavarm Taluk	1:2000	2.60	10	1521.10		G3 stage preliminary exploration for tungsten and Graphite mineralisation was carried out by detailed mapping & drilling. Boreholes were completed with pitting and trenching & collection of PTS, BRS, core samples, PS, ORM, and EPMA samples. In Chinnagalikonda area, two old working for graphite have been identified during the FS (field season) :2015-16. The old workings have an average length of about 20-30 m and width up to 3-5 m. Graphite mainly occurs in the form of thin stringers, veins, pockets/lenses in graphitic (garnet-sillimanite gneiss) which are the host rock for graphite mineralisation. The graphite is fine grained, amorphous and flaky in nature and the latter having the directional orientation following the foliation trend. It contains quartz kaolinised felspar garnet and graphite (in volume 10 to 35% VE). Out of 10 boreholes drilled, seven boreholes have intersected the mineralisation at 60 m vertical depth

Agency/     Location     Ma       Mineral/	pping Area (sq km)	Dri No. of	lling	Sampling	D. I
District Scale	Area (sq km)	No. of		Sampring	Remarks
	-	boreholes	Meterage	(No.)	Reserves/Resources estimated
					m vertical depth. Drilling established the graphite bearing zone up to a strike length of 470 m with average width of 2.50 m and approximate fixed carbon content of about 10% in the Eastern Block. Core samples as well as the bedrock samples yielded a range of values from 0.07 to 35.83% of fixed carbon. The exploration was dropped because of forest issue.
Diamond Anathapur Wajrakarur - Kimberlite field (WKF)	1.0	8	804.5		G3 level of preliminary exploration was taken up to assess diamond potential of Tummatapalle kimberlite (P-13) and Penna Ahobilam Kimberlite (P-16), Wajrakarur Kimberlite field (WKF). Total 300 tonnes of bulk sample was collected from the Kimberlite body and this bulk sample was processed, which yielded two numbers of diamonds 4643 (1.2 carat) and 4644 (0.035 carat) while carrying out ground survey at a P-16 new Kimberlite body was located at 470 m west. During further exploration and detailed sampling KIMs were identified and weathered Kimberlite rock with distinct texture was identified in the pits. Detailed geophysical survey was carried over the area and based on the anomaly pattern and resistivity signatures, the inferred dimensions of the concealed Kimberlite pipe is estimated to be around 220 x 170 m, emplaced along an east-west trending fault/fracture/shear zone. In addition, a small concealed pipe (or may be an off-shoot) in the northern part having a dimension of 70 x 50 m, trending in E-W direction has been found. Two vertical boreholes were drilled. Total 100 tonnes of bulk sample was collected from P-17, and processed which yielded eight number of diamonds 4645 (0.095ct), 4648 (0.010ct), 4647 (0.095ct), 4648 (0.010ct), 4649 (0.345ct), 4650 (1.805ct), 4651(0.10ct) and 4652 (0.15ct) thus establishing the diamondiferous nature of the new body. In pipe 16, 3 numbers of bore holes were completed. Detailed mapping has been completed in 1.0 sq km area covering both P-16 and P-17 pipes. The locations of the boreholes and bulk sample pits and trenches have been marked over the

#### Production

Andhra Pradesh was bifurcated into two states on 02.06.2014 and a new state 'Telengana' was formed. The data is analysed by considering the districts of the newly formed state for previous years.

Many important minerals are produced in Andhra Pradesh. The principal minerals produced in the state

were Natural Gas (ut.), Manganese Ore, Garnet (abrasive), Limestone, Sillimanite, Vermiculite etc.

The value of minor minerals' production was estimated at \$9,353 crore for the year 2016-17.

The number of reporting mines in the state was 123 in 2016-17 in case of MCDR minerals (Table-4).

Table-4: Mineral Production in Andhra Pradesh, 2014-15 to 2016-17 (Excluding Atomic Minerals)

									(Va	lue in `'000)
			2014-15			2015-	-16		2016-	17 (P)
Mineral	Unit	No. of mines	Quantity	Value <sup>s</sup>	No. of mines	Quantity	Value <sup>\$</sup>	No. of mines	Quantity	Value <sup>\$\$</sup>
All Minerals		428	1	05573172	136		101514077	123		102481258
Natural										
Gas (ut.)	m c m	-	541	-	-	619	5119209	-	868	-
Petroleum										
(crude)	'000t	-	254	-	-	295	5361853	-	276	-
Gold	kg	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Iron Ore	'000t	29	916	504259	27	493	283258	19	489	249379
Manganese										
Ore	t	27	253746	516842	23	186632	328949	23	232488	770941
Apatite	t	1	930	2065	1	110	387	1	-	-
Ball Clay <sup>#</sup>	t	9	148774	77414	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barytes#	t	18	886929	2639622	-	-	-	-	-	-
Calcite#	t	1	4100	1702	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clay (others)#	t	5	50920	7264	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dolomite <sup>#</sup>	t	33	698273	162891	-	-	-	-	-	-
Felspar#	t	7	100930	28500	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fireclay <sup>#</sup> Garnet	t	9	27286	6788	-	-	-	-	-	-
(abrasive)	t	2	68275	645124	2	55583	471079	2	51243	534082
Kaolin#	t	6	45857	8487	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sillimanite	t	-	33801	250026	-	42409	340841	-	37109	322265
Laterite#	t	13	1760358	400194	-	-	-	-	-	-
Limestone	'000t	73	34676	6145183	76	32579	6556564	72	35251	7077680
Mica (crude)#	t	25	636	21892	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mica (waste										
& Scrap)*#	t	-	7644	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ochre#	t	11	155723	23188	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pyrophyllite <sup>#</sup>	t	2	1603	1122	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ouartz <sup>#</sup>	t	49	508179	110151	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quartzite#	t	17	456494	220509	-	-	-	-	-	-
Silica Sand#	t	54	1242041	223500	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sand (others) <sup>#</sup>	t	1	7197	1089	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shale	t	4	102331	13422	-	-	-	-	-	-
Talc/Soapstone/ Steatite	t	25	57752	30679	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vermiculite	t	6	15491	6246	6	21890	7986	5	4725	1898
Minerals <sup>@</sup>		-	-	93525013	-	-	93525013	-	-	93525013

Note: The number of mines excludes petroleum (crude), natural gas (utilised) and minor minerals. (see also N.B. under tables-1 and 3 on pre pages)

\$ Excludes the value of Petroleum (crude) & Natural Gas (ut.), \$\$ Excluding Fuel minerals, \* Includes mine waste obtained while dressing of crude mica.

@ Figures for earlier years have been repeated as estimates, wherever necessary because of non-receipt of data.

# Declared as Minor Minerals vide Gazette Notification dated 10.02.2015.

#### **Mineral-based Industry**

The present status of each mineral-based industry is not readily available. However, the

### Table – 5 : Principal Mineral-based Industries in Andhra Pradesh

Industry/plant	Capacity ('000 tpy)
Abrasives Grindwell Norton Ltd, Renigunta, Distt. Chittoor.	5
<b>Asbestos Products</b> Hyderabad Industries Ltd, Ibrahimpatnam, Distt. Krishna.	45
Ramco Industries, Ibrahimpatnam, Distt. Krishna.	225
<b>Cement</b> ACC Ltd (formerly Encore cement), Vishakhapatnam (G).	300
Andhra Cements Ltd (Visaka Cement Works), Durga Nagar, Distt. Visakhapatnam (G).	620
Andhra Cements Ltd, Durga Cement Works, Dachepalli, Distt. Guntur.	2000
Bharthi Cement Corp. Pvt. Ltd, Nallingayapalli, Distt. kadapa.	5000
Bhavya Cement, Thangeda, Distt. Guntur.	1400
Dalmia Cement (Bharat) Ltd, kadapa.	2500
India Cements Ltd, Chilamkur, Distt. kadapa.	1460
India Cements Ltd, Yeraguntla, Distt. kadapa.	730
Jaypee Balaji Cement, Budawada, Distt. Krishna.	5000
JSW Cement Ltd, Nandyal, Distt. Kurnool.	4800
KCP Ltd, Macherla, Distt. Guntur.	830
KCP Ltd, Muktyala, Distt. Krishna.	1520
My Home Cement Industries Ltd, Mulakapalli, Distt. Visakhapatnam (G).	2000
NCL Industries Ltd, Kondapalli, Distt. Krishna (G)	. 990
Panyam Cements & Mineral Industries Ltd, Cement Nagar, Distt. Kurnool.	1000
Parashakti Cement, Jettipalem, Distt. Guntur.	1700
Penna Cement Industries Ltd, Talaricheruvu,	1800
Tadıpatri, Distt. Anantapur.	(Contd.)

principal mineral based industries in the organised sector in the State are provided in Table-5.

Table -	5	(Contd.)
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Industry/plant	Capacity ('000 tpy)	
Penna Cement Industries Ltd, Boyaredo Distt. Anantapur.	dypalli, 2000	
Rain Commodities Ltd (Rain Cements)	, 2160	
Ramco Cement Ltd (formerly Madras) Jayantipuram, K.S. Rajanagar, Distt. K	Cements), 3650 rishna.	
Ramco Cement Ltd, Vizag Grinding Un Distt. Visakhapatnam.	it, 950	
Sree Jayajothi (Subs. of Myhome Ceme Yanakandala, Distt. Kurnool.	ent Ind.) 3200	
Sri Chakra Cements Ltd, Alamada, Distt. Vizianagaram (G).	260	
Sri Chakra Cements Ltd, Karampudi, D	istt. Guntur. 310	
Toshali Cement Ltd, Bayyavaram, Distt. Visakhapatnam (G).	200	
Ultra-Tech Cements Ltd (APCW), Tad Distt. Anantapur.	ipatri, 6500	
Zuari Cement, Krishnanagar, Yerrangu Distt. kadapa.	ntala, 3800	
<b>Chemical</b> A.P. Carbides Ltd, Kurnool.	23 (calcium carbide	
Andhra Sugars Ltd, Saggonda, Distt. West Godavari.	132 (caustic soda) 99 (H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> )	
Shree Rayalseema Alkalies & Allied Chem. Ltd, Gondiparla, Distt. Kurnool.	69.5 (caustic soda) 49.8 (Cl) 24.7 (HCl) 23.1 (KOH)	
Shree Rayalseema High Strength Hypo Ltd, Gondiparla, Distt. Kurnool.	9 (bleaching powder $45 (H_2SO_4)$ 15 (Oleum	
<b>Ceramic</b> RAK Ceramics India Pvt Ltd, Samalkot, Distt. East Godavari.	30000 (Vitrified tile sq m/day 1500 (sanitary ward pc/day	
Sentini Ceramica Pvt Ltd, Kanukollu,	75	
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Table - 5 (Contd.)	
Industry/plant	Capacity ('000 tpy)
Spartek Ceramics India Ltd, Narsingapuram, Distt. Chittoor.	NA
Kajaria Ceramics Ltd, Vijaywada.	2.3 (mill. sq m)
Fertilizer Agri Green Fertilizers & Chemicals Pvt Ltd, Cuddapah.	30 (SSP)
Bhaskar Fertiliser (P) Ltd, Anantpur Coromandel International Ltd, Visakhapatnam.	45 (SSP) 1300 (NP/ NPKs)
Coromandel International Ltd, Kakinada, Distt. East Godavari. GDS Chemicals & Fert Pvt Ltd., Anakapalli, Visakhapatnam	1925 (DAP) 36 (SSP)
K. P. R. Fertilizers Ltd Biccavolu, E. Godavari	90 (SSP)
Krishna Industrial Corpn. Ltd, Nidadavole, Distt. West Godavari.	45 (SSP) 33.5 (H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> )
Nagarjuna Fertilizers & Chemicals Ltd, Kakinada, Distt. East Godavari. (Unit I & II)	1520 (Urea)
NG Fertilizers & Chemicals Pvt. Ltd, Kodurupadu, Distt. Krishna	200 (SSP)
Prathyusha Chems and Fertilisers Ltd, Parwada, Visakhapatnam	100 (SSP)
Subhodaya Chemicals Ltd, Gauripatnam, Distt. West Godavari.	42.9 (SSP)
The Andhra Sugars Ltd, Tanuku, Kovvur, Distt. West Godavari.	66 (SSP) 45 (H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> )
<b>Pesticides</b> Jayalakshmi Fertilizers, Tanuku, Distt. West Godavari.	2.4
<b>Glass</b> Triveni Glass Ltd, Kondagudem, Distt. West Godavari.	10 (mill. sq m)
Iron & Steel Visakhapatnam Steel Plant, Visakhapatnam. 2910 (cr	8856 (sinter) 3400 (pig iron) rude/liquid steel)
<b>Pig Iron</b> Lanco Industries Ltd, Rachaguneri,	275
Distt. Chittoor. Rishrtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Vishakhapatanam	n, 6500
Andhra Pradesh.	(Contd.)

Table - 5	(Concld.)
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Industry/plant	Capacity ('000 tpy)
Sathavahana Ispat Ltd, Haresamudram, Distt. Anantapur.	210
<b>Pellets</b> Essar Steel Ltd, Visakhapatnam. Sponge Iron	8000
GSAL (India) Ltd, Sriramapuram, Dist. Vizianaga	aram. 220
Sree Rayalseema Green Steloy Ltd, Gooty, Distt. Anantapur.	36
Sri Venkateshwara Sponge & Power Pvt Ltd, Merlapaka, Distt. Chittoor.	90
Maa Mahamaya Industries Pvt Ltd, Relligaurammapeta, Distt. Vizianagaram.	NA
<b>Ferro-alloys</b> Andhra Ferro Alloys Ltd, Kothavalasa, Distt. Vizianagaram.	20
Deccan Ferro alloys (P) Ltd, Pendurthi, Visakhapatnam.	13
FACOR Alloys Ltd, Shreeramnagar, Distt. Vizianagaram.	72
Jindal Stainless (Hisar) Ltd, Kothavalasa, Distt. Vizianagaram.	40
Metkore Alloys & Ind. Ltd (GMR Ferro alloys Ind. Ltd) Ravivalasa, Distt. Srikakulam.	& 25
Shree Sarda Alloys Ltd, Ravivalasa, Distt. Srikakulam.	6
<b>Refractory</b> Carborandum Universal Ltd. Visakhapatnam	3.6
RHI Clasil Ltd, Venkatapuram, Visakhapatnam.	50
Vesuviusindia Ltd, Visakhapatnam.	24
<b>Lead-zinc</b> HZL, Zinc Smelter, Visakhapatnam.	56 (Zn)*
<b>Petroleum Refinery</b> HPCL, Vizag.	8300
ONGC, Tatipaka, Distt. East Godavari	66
* Operation has been discontinued.	

Note: Data, not readily available for fertilizer and cement Industries on respective website, is taken from Indian Fertilizer Scenario, 2015/FAI Statistics, 2015-16 and Survey of Cement Industry & Directory, 2016 respectively.