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# Chhattisgarh



# COAL LOGISTIC SUMMIT



Building a Technologically Enabled, Integrated  
and Sustainable Logistics Ecosystem for Inclusive Growth

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**Hotel Babylon international  
Raipur, Chhattisgarh**



## BACKGROUND

Chhattisgarh is presently one of the few states that have surplus power. Korba district in Chhattisgarh is known as the power capital of India. It is also among the few profitable states in terms of utility-based electricity.

Mineral resources are Chhattisgarh's biggest strength and presence of coal makes Chhattisgarh an ideal location for pit-head-based thermal power plants for both merchant sales and state consumption. The state's huge coal reserves present a large opportunity for electricity generation.

Coal logistics has been a perennial challenge in India, especially in the summer when power generation plants struggle with dwindling coal stocks amid increasing demand for electricity. Often, coal transportation has been a constraint and the railways had to make special arrangements to avoid supply disruptions.

## ABOUT THE SUMMIT

This summit aims to bring together industry leaders, policymakers, and technology innovators to explore and catalyse the transformative potential of technologically Enabled, Integrated, and Sustainable Logistics Ecosystem for Inclusive Growth

The Summit will explore on how Enhancing logistics efficiency can be the key to reducing costs and boosting the economic output of the coal sector. The Summit will focus on an integrated logistics system which promotes inclusive growth by improving accessibility and opportunities across the value chain





## OBJECTIVES

- **Enhance Understanding:** Provide a comprehensive understanding of the current state and future prospects of coal logistics in Chhattisgarh
- **Promote Innovation:** Showcase and explore cutting-edge technologies and strategies for efficient, sustainable logistics
- **Foster Collaboration:** Facilitate connections between industry experts, government officials, and professionals to drive cooperative efforts
- **Encourage Sustainable Practices:** Highlight the importance of sustainable logistics and encourage the adoption of environmentally friendly practices
- **Support Inclusive Growth:** Discuss and promote policies and strategies that ensure inclusive growth within the logistics sector

## Topic of Discussions

- Technological Innovations and Digital Transformation in Coal Logistics
- Sustainability and Environmental Responsibility in Coal Transportation
- Integrated Logistics Systems: Achieving Seamless Connectivity
- Resilience and Risk Management in the Coal Supply Chain
- Public-Private Partnerships and Policy Frameworks for Inclusive Growth

## VISITOR PROFILE

- Logistics and supply chain professionals
- Coal industry stakeholders
- Government and regulatory officials
- Technology providers and innovators
- Environmental and sustainability experts
- Academics and researchers





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