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# LAUNCH OF SPECIAL CBM BID ROUND 2025

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New Delhi



# CBM BLOCKS PERFORMANCE OVERVIEW

## 15 Active CBM Blocks

 <b>6 Exploration</b>	 <b>2 Development</b>	 <b>6 Production</b>	 <b>1 under PEL</b>
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States: West Bengal, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh

<b>Total area :</b> 7,009 sq. km	<b>Investment :</b> USD 2.66 billion
<b>Production rate:</b> 2.2 MMSCMD	<b>Cum. Production :</b> 7.19 BCM
<b>Contractors - 11</b>	<b>Wells Drilled: 1,194</b>

## Snapshot of Special CBM Bid Rounds

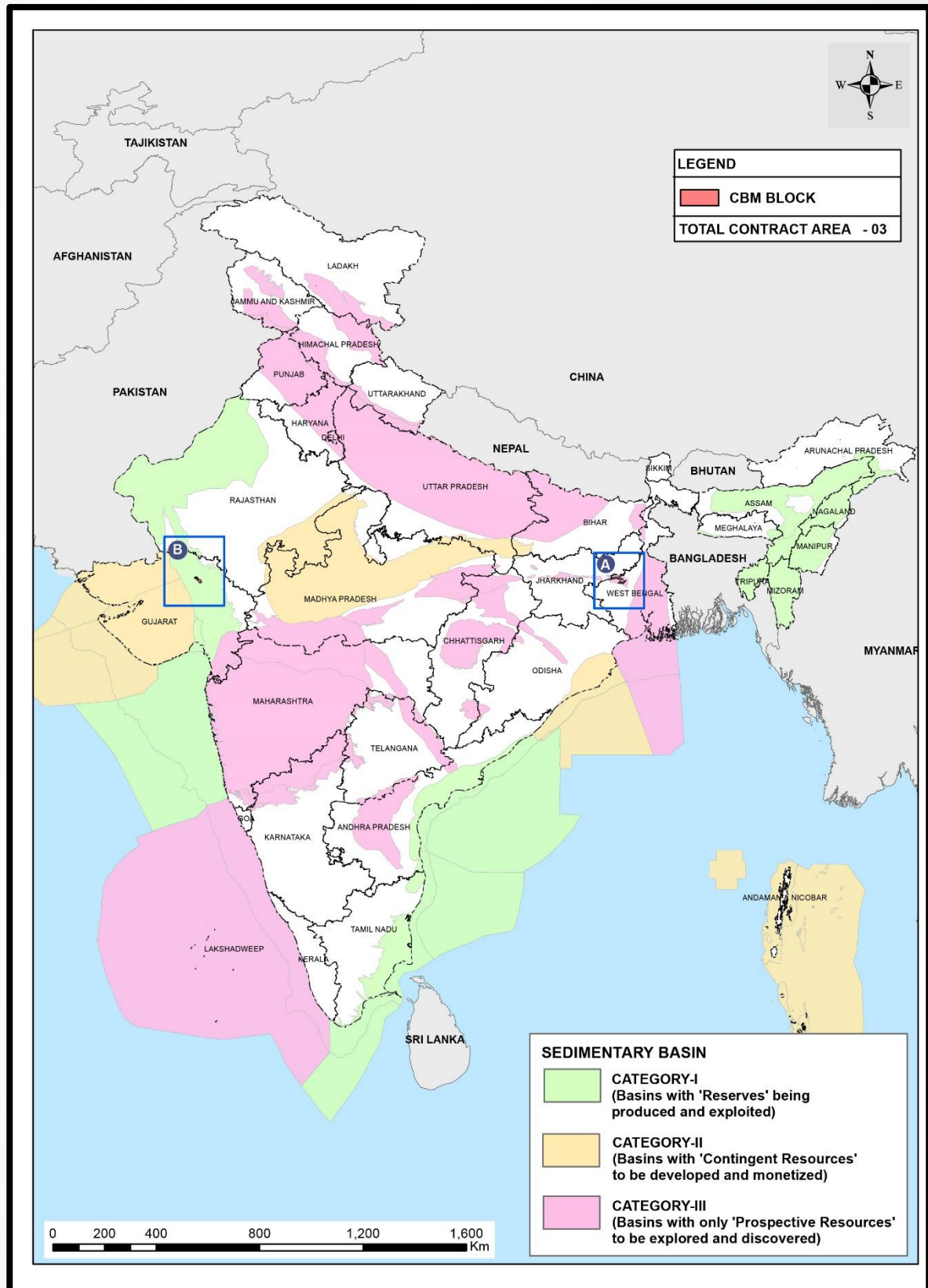
Special CBM Bid Round 2021	Special CBM Bid Round 2022
<b>Total blocks &amp; area :</b> 4 Blocks, 3,862 sq. km area	<b>Total blocks &amp; area :</b> 3 Blocks, 717 sq. km area
<b>Investment Commitment :</b> USD 9.24 million	<b>Investment Commitment :</b> USD 7.4 million
<b>Wells planned :</b> 20 Core Wells & 5 Test Wells	<b>Wells planned :</b> 24 Core Wells & 4 Test Wells

### New Entrants :

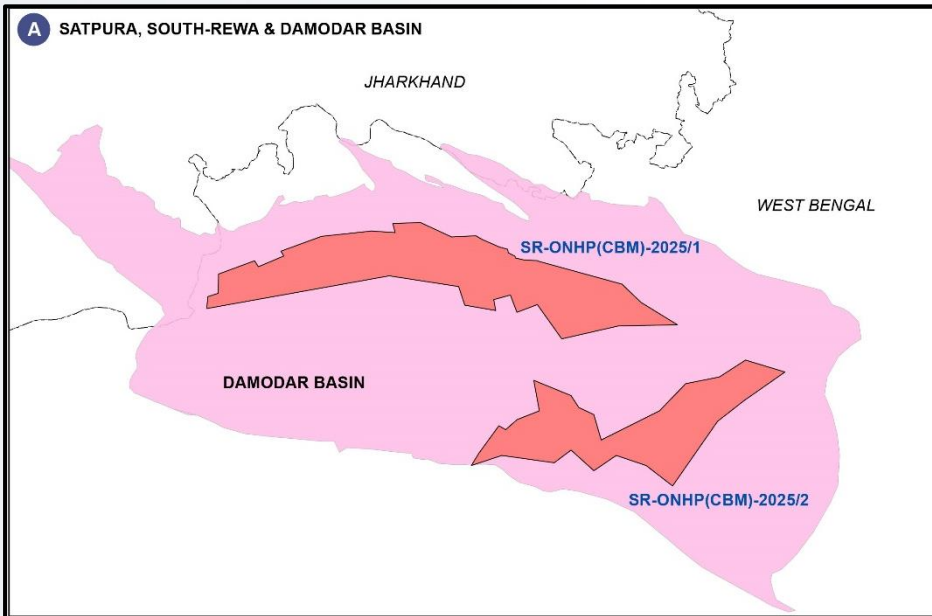


# BLOCKS ON OFFER IN SPECIAL CBM BID ROUND 2025

Investment Opportunity in Unconventional segment



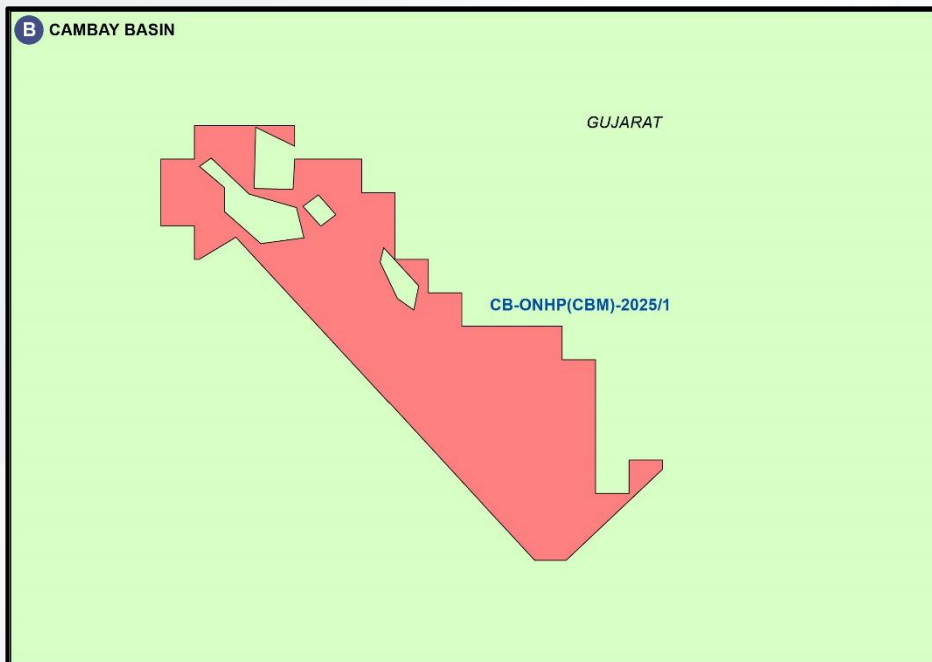
# BLOCKS ON OFFER IN SPECIAL CBM BID ROUND 2025



**2 Blocks** on offer  
in **West Bengal**  
with total area of  
**330 sq. km**

**Basin Category -  
III**

Prognosticated  
CBM Resource-  
**10 BCM**



**1 Block** on offer  
in **Gujarat** with  
total area of  
**189 sq. km**

**Basin Category -  
I**

Prognosticated  
CBM Resource-  
**24 BCM**



# SALIENT FEATURES OF SPECIAL CBM BID ROUND 2025

01

Prior experience in Oil and Gas Sector NOT mandatory

02

No revenue sharing for Category II and Category III basins until windfall gain

03

Concessions in Royalty rates for early production

04

Marketing and Pricing Freedom for Gas produced

05

Availability of Gas Grid Infrastructure

06

100% participation for foreign companies/ JVs

07

Exploration allowed during entire contract period

08

Single License for Conventional & Unconventional Hydrocarbon

## KEY TOUCHPOINT FOR FACILITATION



### Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas

**Website:** <https://mopng.gov.in/en>

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### Directorate General of Hydrocarbons

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