

## Ultra Gas & Energy opens 6 LNG refuelling outlets in freight corridors

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Ultra Gas & Energy, an Essar venture, has emerged as India's largest private operator and highest dispensing LNG refuelling outlets (ROs), with six stations operational across major freight corridors.

## STRATEGIC LOCATIONS

The ROs are strategically located in Bhilwara (Rajasthan), Anand (Gujarat), Chakan-Pune (Maha-Jalna (Maharashtra), rashtra), Toranagallu (Karnataka) and Vallam (Tamil Nadu), enabling efficient access to cleaner fuel across key industrial and logistics hubs.

UGEL aims to scale its network to 100 LNG retail



outlets across India, supported by a planned investment of ₹900 crore.

Expansion is already in progress in key States including Gujarat, Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Rajasthan, Haryana, Punjab, Karnataka, Odisha, Chhattisgarh, and Jharkhand, laying the groundwork for a robust nationwide infrastructure that supports India's clean energy and transport goals.

## FUTURE-READY

Each UGEL RO is futureready with integrated infrastructure to support electric vehicle charging, reinforcing the company's long-term vision of multi-fuel, low-emission mobility solutions.

By enabling commercial fleets to shift away from high-emission fuels to cleaner alternatives such as LNG and electric, UGEL is delivering both environmental and economic value to its customers.

Maqsood Shaikh, Managing Director & CEO, Ultra Gas & Energy, said backed by robust infrastructure and intelligent energy solutions, the company leads India's transition towards greener fuels and sustainable mobility.

Strategically placed to serve high-density logistics zones, these stations are accelerating the shift from diesel to LNG, a cleaner and more efficient fuel for long-haul trucking. Each UGEL station has a scalable capacity of 50 tonnes, capable of refuelling up to 600 LNG trucks per month. Each station can reduce up to 66,000 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions annually, collectively reducing 1 million tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>.

To ensure uninterrupted operations, UGEL has partnered with IOCL, GAIL, HPCL and other leading LNG suppliers with access to all major LNG terminals of India, ensuring consistent fuel supply and enabling smooth scalability, the company stated.