

## **Quick Estimates of Index of Industrial Production and use-based Index for The Month of February, 2017 (Base 2004-05=100)**

The Quick Estimates of Index of Industrial Production (IIP) with base 2004-05 for the month of February 2017 have been released by the Central Statistics Office of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation. IIP is compiled using data received from 15 source agencies viz.

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## **Major Ports Register 6.79 Percent Growth in Traffic over last year, Outperform Private Ports for Second Consecutive Year**

The twelve major ports under the Ministry of Shipping handled a record 647.43 MT of traffic in 2016-17, registering an annual growth rate of 6.79 percent, as against 4.32 percent last year.

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## **Speech of the President of India Presentation of National Geoscience Awards 2016**

1.It is indeed a privilege for to be amidst you today on the happy occasion when we are recognizing the hard work and dedication of winners of the National Geoscience Awards for the year 2016.

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## **President of India presents National Geoscience Awards 2016**

The President of India, Shri Pranab Mukherjee presented the National Geoscience Awards – 2016 today (April 12, 2017) at a function held at Rashtrapati Bhavan.

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## **J P Nadda reviews preparedness regarding Dengue and Chikungunya**

Shri J P Nadda, Union Minister for Health and Family Welfare, held a high level meeting to review the preparedness of the Ministry and Central Government Hospitals for prevention and control of dengue and chikungunya