

Vedanta's new feat: World's largest zinc producer

VEDANTA, THE FLAGSHIP company of Vedanta Group, has become the world's largest zinc producer with the doubling of its annual production capacity at Vedanta Zinc International in South Africa to 500,000 tonnes, backed by a $600-million investment in Gamsberg Phase II.

The expanded capacity was inaugurated by South African President Cyril Ramaphosa and Vedanta Director Priya Agarwal-Hebbar. With this expansion, Vedanta advances its vision of achieving 3 million tonne of annual zinc production in India and South Africa. Its subsidiary Hindustan Zinc, the world's largest integrated zinc producer, aims to contribute 2 million tonne annually, while Vedanta Zinc International target 1 million tonne.

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