

REPORT ON INDUSTRIAL VISIT

Name of the Event: Industrial Visit Conducted by: MS-DoMS Date: 23rd October 2024 - Wednesday Venue : Kamarajar Port Ltd, Tamil Nadu. No. of Attendees: 37 students of MBA and 3 Faculty Members – MS-DoMS

KPL Port Coordinator:

Mohamed Sathak – Department of Management Studies (MS-DoMS) organized an Industrial Visit for MBA students to Kamarajar Port Ltd, Ennore, Tamil Nadu on October 23, 2024. The purpose of the industrial visit is to allow students to interact with Ennore Port Officials, gain insights on the port operations and helps in understanding the complexities involved in managing a port efficiently.

INDUSTRY PROFILE

Kamarajar_Port, located on the Coromandel Coast about 24 km north of Chennai Port, Chennai, is the 12th major port of India and the first port in India which is a public company. The port was declared as a major port under the India Ports Act, 1908 in March 1999 and incorporated as Ennore Port limited under the companies Act 1956 in October 1999 the Kamarajar Port is the only corporatized major port and this registered as a company. Today, the landlord port is the dominant port model in larger and medium sized Ports.

Kamarajar port was originally conceived primary to handle thermal coal to meet the requirement of Tamil Nadu electricity board (TNEB) and was endowed with large chunks of land (about 2,000 acres). The port has terminals for handling coal, LNG, containers and multi-purpose cargo. The port is owned by Chennai Port Trust, which also operates the Port of Chennai.

The students and faculty members were warmly welcomed by the Kamarajar port Coordinator Mr. Charles, Section Supervisor, gave an overview of the Kamarajar port and explained the purpose of the visit and the agenda to be followed by the team during the visit. He gave brief information on the service-related activities taken care of by the port and furnished details related to the vessel in the port.

The students and the faculty of MS-DoMS were taken by the Kamarajar port Coordinator Mr. Charles to visit the various terminals and facilities. A visit to Kamarajar port typically includes seeing container terminals, bulk cargo handling facilities, warehouses, and other infrastructure essential for port operations.

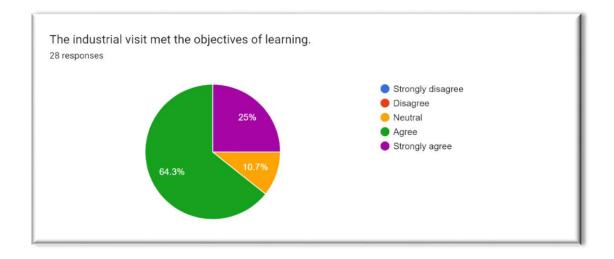
The students get to know the cargo handling operations, including the loading and unloading of ships, container stacking, and the use of specialized equipment such as cranes and forklifts.

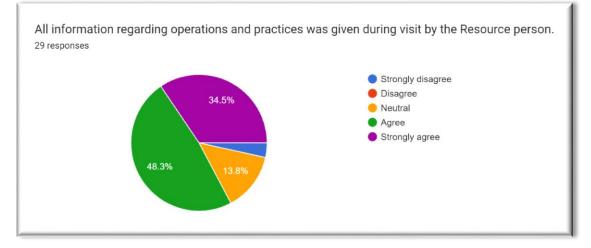
Coordinator Mr. Charles explained the crucial role of Kamarajar port in facilitating trade and commerce, both regionally and internationally. Students gain insights into the economic significance of the port, its contribution to the local economy, and its role in global supply chains.

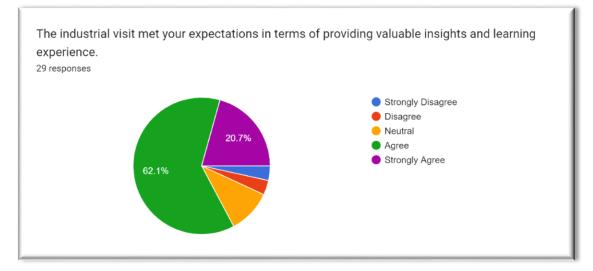
Throughout the visit, Kamarajar port Coordinator were enthusiastic in answering the questions of the students and giving necessary information related to the port operations. The Visit ended with final closing comments, in which he thanked everyone who contributed to the visit.

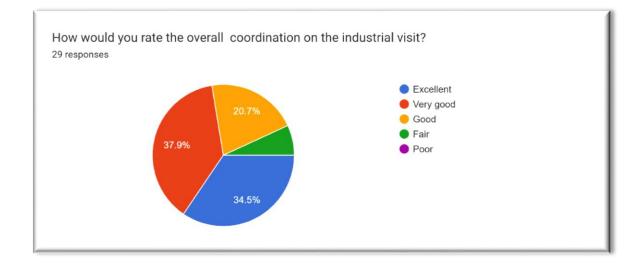
On behalf of MS-DoMS, Dr. Hemalatha Seeram, Head, MS-DoMS extended her sincere gratitude for the prompt assistance provided by the Port Coordinator. She expressed her gratitude to Mr. Charles, for giving the team an opportunity to visit their facility within a very short duration. She mentioned that the department intends to keep this contact with them through internships and future visits.

STUDENT FEEDBACK









Any two takeaways from this visit:

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| | Learn about ships and then coal energy plant |
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| | New insights and knowledge |
| | Communication hub |
| | Coal |
| | Information about logistic |
| | Information about export and important, logistics |
| | Good and knowledge |
| | Cargo |
| | Clarify for logistics |
| _ | Coal petroleum |
| | Coal, petroleum |
| | Learning about the shipment |
| | Insights and logistics |
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| | I want to learn logistics an transportation goods |
| | Insights and logistics |
| | Insights and logistics |
| | Logistics position |
| | Good and excellent |
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| | 1. Insight about logistics 2. Able to learn more about import process |
| | I want to learn import and export of logistics goods and vehicle |
| | More information from port for export and import of goods and service |
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About gcb. , and export and import

Knowing the new things about port

About logistics and electricity using coal

Any other suggestions/ feedback on the visit.

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| Good | | |
| Must visit | | |
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| Good and knowledge | | |
| Nil | | |
| Very interesting | | |
| No food | | |
| Disappointment of travel and food | | |
| Nothing | | |
| It would be good if food provided | | |
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| Itis useful visit for myself | | |
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| It will be better if food was also provided. Also we need such IV's for our career which is | | |
| very useful. | | |
| Good | | |
| Very useful to us for logistics studies | | |
| Food | | |
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| good experience | | |
| Very interesting | | |
| No | | |
| Good | | |

SNAPSHOTS







