

Marching ahead: a new chapter of growth

The closing ceremony of the UPGIS brought the grand congregation of investors to a close. With the attendance of corporate giants from India and foreign nations, Uttar Pradesh has made its limitless potential known to the world. The promise the state holds for new India's growth narrative is a talking point among the global investor fraternity. Speaking at the closing

ceremony, Droupadi Murmu, President of India, said, "If Uttar Pradesh is prosperous,

India too will be prosperous."
"Uttar Pradesh today is capable of becoming

the growth engine of new India." She added that the summit, which was organised with the goal of inclusive development, would yield meaningful results, and help UP emerge as the best investment region, while giving it global recognition. President Droupadi Murmu added that Uttar Pradesh is not only the largest state of the country in terms of population, but also a state that contributes significantly to the country's economy. UP has made significant progress through development of infrastructure in the recent past. Adding to that, increasing investments in road transport, highways and expressways that are helping immensely in the region's economic development. Uttar Pradesh's 'One District One Product' programme (ODOP) promoting traditional enterprise is also another success story of the state. Promotion of traditional industries has not only led to economic upliftment at the local level, but is also offering investors the opportunities to become stakeholders in the initiative.

The way the state government has made efforts to simplify procedures for investment in Uttar Pradesh is remarkable. The President added, "Uttar Pradesh has more than 90 lakh MSMEs, which is the highest in the country. Apart from being the backbone of India's industries, MSMEs also provide the largest number of employment opportunities, after the agriculture sector, playing a major role in economic development in India."

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SECTOR-WISE INVESTMENT PROPOSALS

Renewable energy	15.47%
Electronics manufacturing	12.41%
Industrial parks	11.35%
Higher education	8.92%
Manufacturing	6.85%
Logistics & Warehousing	5.52%
Real estate	4.32%
IT-enabled services	3.90%
Tourism	3.40%
Housing	2.41%
Textiles	1.89%
Power generation	1.85%
Healthcare	1.63%
Food processing	1.29%
Dairy	1.06%
Food & Civil supplies	1.03%
Energy	0.89%
Hotel	0.72%
Waste to energy	0.71%
Biofuels/ Biomass	0.70%

'One District One Product' (ODOP) programme promoting traditional enterprise along with maximum number of expressways, largest consumer base, highest number of MSME setups in the country and improved law and order have made UP an investment hub

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Droupadi Murmu
President of India



In achieving the goal of making India a five trillion-dollar economy, Uttar Pradesh has resolved to make itself a one trillion-dollar economy. Uttar Pradesh would contribute towards one fifth of India's economy. Efforts to boost the economy in Uttar Pradesh would also strengthen the 'Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan'

