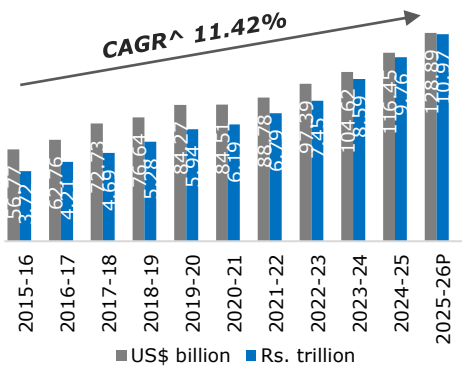


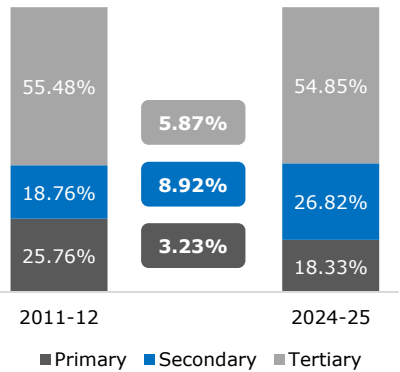
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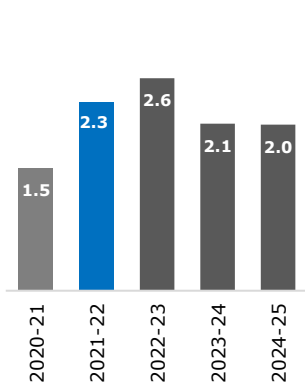
GSDP of Bihar at Current Prices



GSVA Composition by Sector at Current Prices



Merchandise Export from Bihar (US\$ billion)



Note: BE - Budget estimates, CAGR in Rs., GSDP - Gross State Domestic Product, GSVA - Gross State Value Added, FDI - Foreign Direct Investment
Source: Central Statistics Office, Directorate of Economics and Statistics of Bihar. Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT)

ECONOMIC SNAPSHOT



High economic growth with flourishing industries

The Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) of Bihar increased at a CAGR of 11.42% from 2015-16 and 2025-26. Fastest growing industries include food processing, dairy, sugar, manufacturing and healthcare. Initiatives are in place for the development of other sectors such as education and tourism.



Rich labour pool

Large base of cost-effective industrial labour. Institutes of national importance such as National Institute of Technology and Indian Institute of Technology.



Location advantage

Unique location-specific advantage because of its proximity to vast markets.



Policy incentives

Increased its focus on women empowerment as per women empowerment policy. The state government has approved a scheme to provide a grant of Rs. 2 lakh (US\$ 2,392) to poor households for setting up a small business. The estimated budget allocation for this initiative is Rs. 1,000 crore (US\$ 120 million) in FY25, aiming to improve the financial condition of underprivileged households by supporting them in establishing their own small enterprises.

KEY GOVERNMENT POLICIES AND OBJECTIVES



Bihar Agriculture Investment Policy 2020

To encourage investments in the agriculture sector and attract investments for agro-based industries in the state.



Bihar Industrial Area Development Authority Land Allotment Policy 2022

A policy outlining procedures for industrial land allocation, review and conditions to support investment and utilisation of industrial plots in Bihar.



Bihar Startup Policy 2022

A state policy to foster innovation and startup growth by providing incentives, mentorship, infrastructure support and easier access to capital for new enterprises in Bihar.

GOVERNMENT VISION-2030 FOR THE STATE



GSDP Growth

Promotion of agri-business through upgraded technology, financial incentives and infrastructure development.



Health

Build medical institutions, create awareness and bring technological advancements.



Education

Achieve zero dropout rate and increase spending on building schools and colleges to upgrade the infrastructure.



Tourism

Promote educational, cultural and religious tourism. Knowledge and religious hubs to be built and is expected to attract 100,000 tourists per year by 2022.