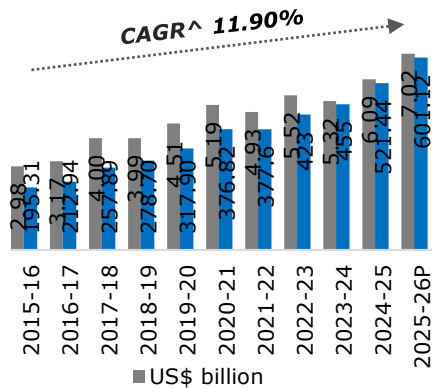




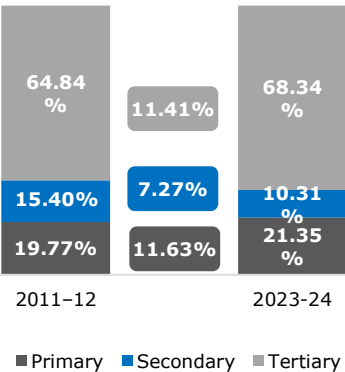
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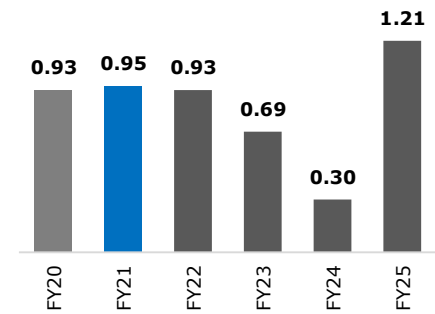
GSDP of Manipur at Current Prices



GSDP Composition by Sector at Current Prices



Merchandise Export from Manipur (US\$ million)



Note: ^-CAGR in Rs., BE- Budget Estimate, GSDP - Gross State Domestic Product, GSDA - Gross State Value Added

Source: Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation

ADVANTAGES



Flourishing bamboo processing industry

- Manipur is one of India's largest bamboo producing states and a major contributor to the country's bamboo industry, with a total bamboo bearing area of 10,687 sq. kms. in 2017.



A tourist's paradise

- Due to its wealth of flora and fauna, Manipur is described as a 'flower on lofty heights', 'a jewel of India' and the 'Switzerland of the East'.
- Its breathtaking scenic beauty makes it a tourist paradise.



Strong handicrafts industry

- Manipur has the highest number of handicraft units and the highest number of craft persons (skilled and semi-skilled artisans) in the entire Northeast region.
- Handlooms is the largest cottage industry in Manipur.



Conducive agro-climatic conditions

- Entrepreneurs get easy access to process and market a wide variety of rare, medicinal and aromatic plants grown in Manipur.

KEY GOVERNMENT POLICIES AND OBJECTIVES



Manipur Textile Policy, 2020

Strengthen and encourage the handloom and handicrafts industry to produce value added items for securing global markets.



Manipur State Cine Policy 2020

To preserve and promote cine art, cine heritage and cine education and develop the cine and visual industry to promote the state economy.



North East Industrial Development Scheme, 2017

Promote the Northeast as an attractive investment destination by providing concessions and incentives.



The Industrial and Investment Policy of Manipur, 2017

Develop good infrastructure to ensure planned and accelerated industrial development.



Manipur IT Policy, 2015

To provide direct and indirect employment to 50,000 employees by creating employment opportunities in IT/ITeS in the next ten years.

GOVERNMENT VISION FOR THE STATE



Infrastructure

Develop Imphal airport into an international airport.



Agriculture

Produce surplus rice and stop importing rice from other states.



Education

Develop the state as an education hub and attract students from other states.



Industries

Setting up Export Processing Zones (EPZs) in every district and SEZ for different sectors.