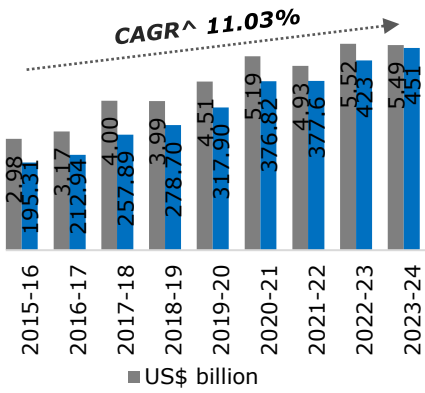




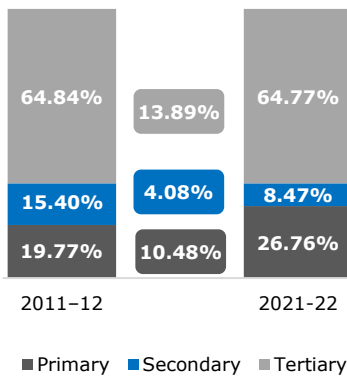
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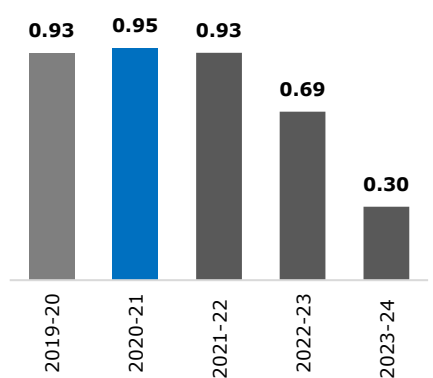
GSDP of Manipur at Current Prices



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, GSDV - 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.