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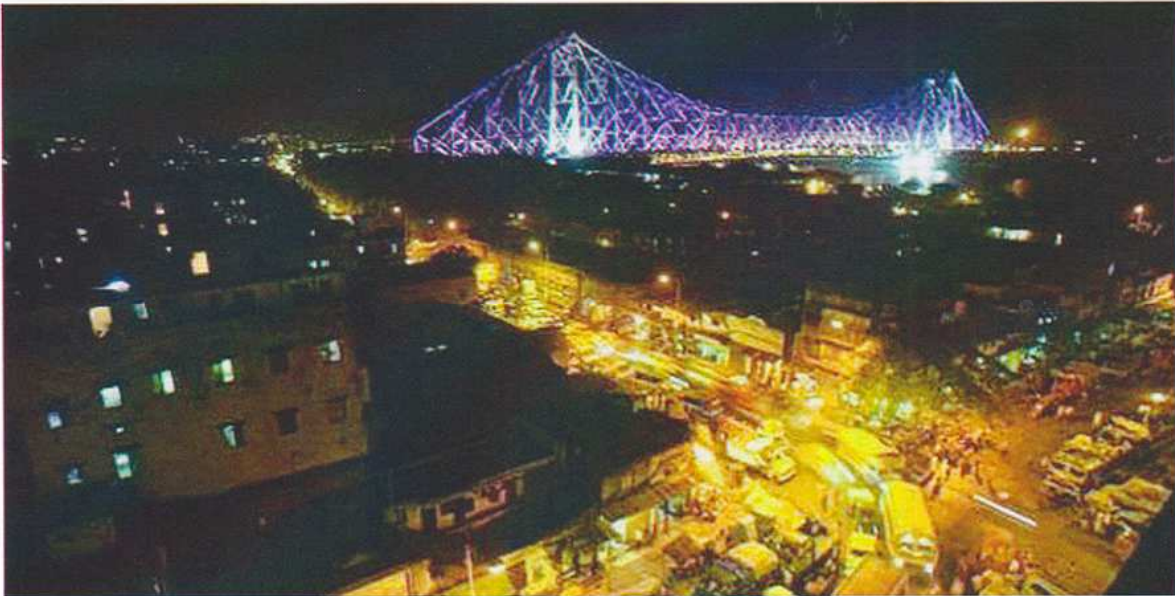
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WEST BENGAL ENABLING BUSINESS CLIMATE

Focused development in physical and social infrastructure, improved work culture, stable governance and fast track clearances of industrial proposals make West Bengal a highly business-friendly State



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West Bengal snapshots

Economy and finance

- 4th largest economy among Indian states
- GSDP – US\$157 billion at current prices (2016-17); 15% CAGR*
- GVA growing at 15.4% (2016-17)*
- State tax revenue more than doubled to US\$ 7.6 billion (2016-17)*
- Expenditure in physical infrastructure increased 4 times to US\$1.09 billion*
- Plan expenditure in social sector increased 4.5 times to UD\$4.6 billion*
- Expenditure in agriculture and allied sectors grew seven-fold to US\$3.5 billion*
- Improved work culture – No man days loss*

* in the last 5 years

Growth indicators

Robust physical infrastructure

- 3rd largest in road coverage - over 3 lakh km
- 2nd largest metro rail network; first under-water metro tunnel
- 2 international airports ; 56% increase in international air traffic, 26% increase in total traffic
- 2 major ports; 2 deep sea ports coming up
- Reviving riverine transport- Freight movement; Luxury cruises
- Amritsar Kolkata Industrial Corridor(AKIC) aligned to Eastern Dedicated Freight Corridor (EDFC) with Dankuni as terminal
- Largest power distribution in India , quality and availability
- 13,825 MW generating station and 12,723 km transmission network capacity
- Largest coal block: Deocha- Pachami - development in PPP
- Rs. 20,000 crore investment potential
- Petroleum downstream raw materials available- PTA, PET
- Availability of natural gas- CBM, GAIL gas
- 6 new theme township coming up; 331 acres land
- 169% increase in IT investment and 80% growth in IT exports in last 5 years
- Nearly doubling presence of IT majors in the last five years
- Assured skilled HR – 8,00,000+ people skilled in last 5 years

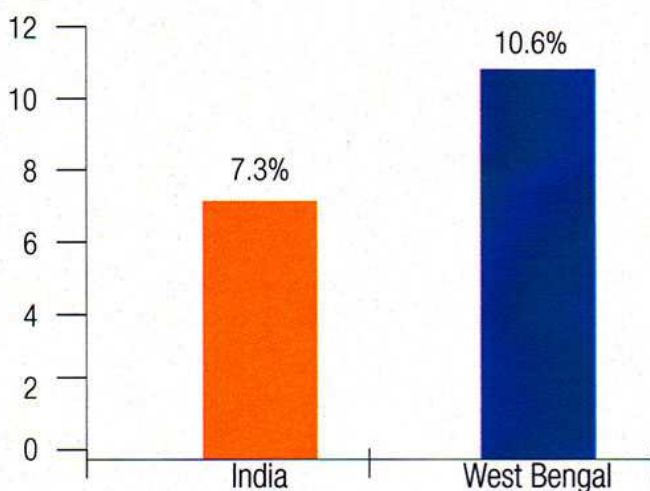
Doing Business Made Easy

- Forward-looking industrial policies- competitive fiscal incentives for industries
- Procedure simplified- decentralization, reduced documentation burden
- Inspection synchronised; report submission within 48 hours
- No more affidavit required: self-declarations and self-attestation introduced
- e-services and single window system for industry
 - 23 Industry Facilitation Centres at district level set up ; over 10,000 clearances disposed of in last 1 year
 - 23 Start up Acceleration Centres set up in districts
- Time bound delivery of services enacted under RTPS Act
- Land bank - plug & play industrial infrastructure in industrial parks/estates

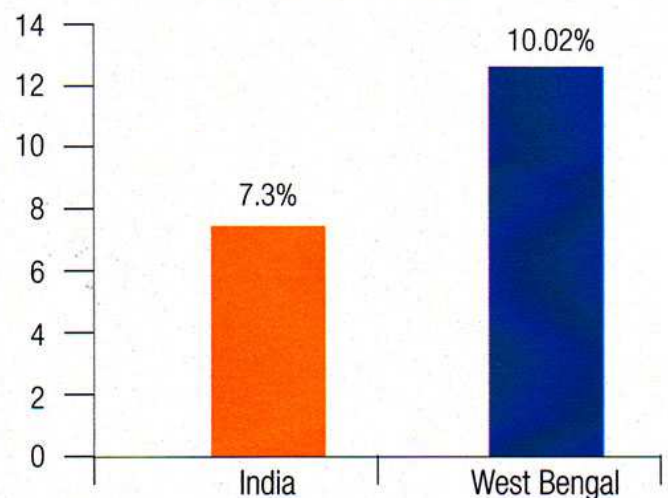
Industrial scenario

- 10.6% industrial growth in 2015-16, higher than national growth (7.3%)
- 12.02% growth in Gross Value Added (GVA) vis-à-vis national growth
- 108% increase in bank credit flow to MSMEs in last six years
- Over Rs. 1.30 lakh crore (~US\$ 20 billion)
- 6.97% growth of Index of Industrial Production (IIP); 6.6% in manufacturing sector
- 2nd largest in the country in terms of number of people employed in MSMEs: about 9 million
- Rs. 200 crore (~US\$ 30.8 million) MSME Venture Capital Fund
- US\$ 3.96 billion total FDI flow (April '00- Sept'16)
- Special focus on handloom and handicraft- Biswa Bangla brand & UNESCO collaborated Rural Craft Hub (RCH)
- Focused cluster development; 400 + MSE clusters
- State of the Art 'State Design Centre' being set up in collaboration with National Institute of Design (NID)
- Presence of 36 embassies and high commissions
- Over 260 multinational and corporate houses
- Development of Industrial Growth Corridor along highways underway
- Howrah being developed as MSME hub

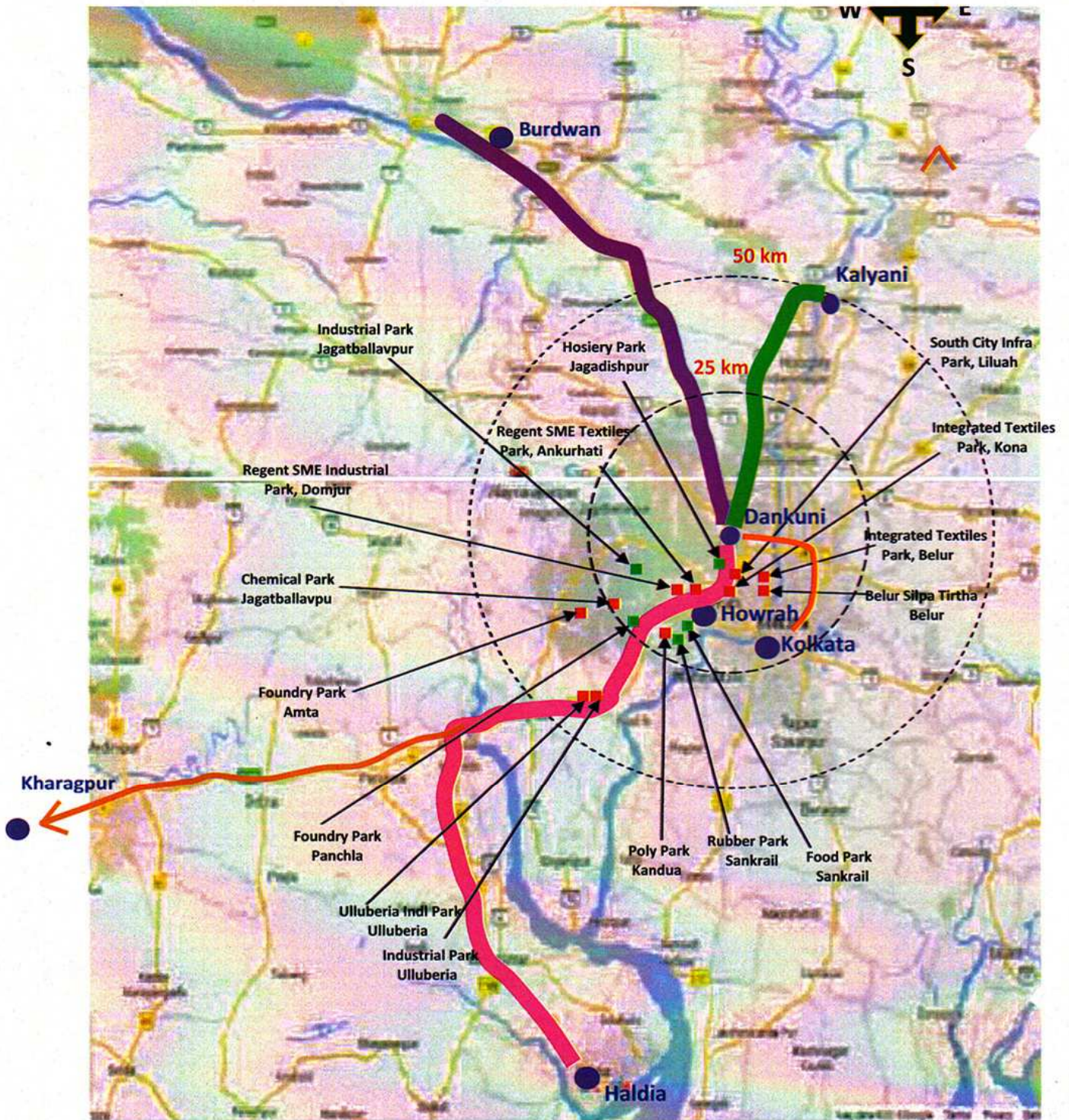
Industrial growth rate (2015-16) India vis-à-vis West Bengal



GVA growth rate (2015-16) India vis-à-vis West Bengal



Industrial growth corridors



Focus areas

- Sectors identified
 - Industrial Infrastructure
 - Manufacturing (Engineering, Auto Ancillaries, Leather, Gems & Jewellery, Textiles)
 - Urban Development
 - Agro Business (Food Processing, Animal Resource Development, Fisheries),
 - IT & ITeS
 - Transport
 - Tourism
 - Energy
 - Skill Development
 - Healthcare and Education amongst others
- Major Industrial Regions- Howrah, Kolkata, Haldia, Asansol- Durgapur, Kharagpur, Siliguri

Bengal Global Business summit (BGBS) – An overview of last three editions

BGBS 2015

- Participating countries- 20
- Investment proposals- Rs. 2.43 lakh crore (US\$ 37.4 billion)

BGBS 2016

- Partner country- Japan
- Participating countries- 26
- Investment proposals- Rs. 2.5 lakh crore (US\$ 38.5 billion)

BGBS 2017

- Partner country- Japan, Poland, Italy, Germany
- Participating countries- 29
- Investment proposals- Rs. 2.35 lakh crore (US\$ 36.2 billion)



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