Top Story 1

India's Phenomenal Economic Ascent

India's economic journey over the past decade has been truly transformative. Once considered among the more vulnerable economies globally, it has now emerged as one of the largest. This ascent has been driven by a mix of strategic reforms, targeted investments, and policy initiatives that have reshaped its economic trajectory. Structural reforms and large-scale infrastructure development have laid the groundwork for long-term stability and growth. Initiatives focused on boosting manufacturing, supporting startups, and advancing digital governance have empowered entrepreneurs and modernized various sectors. Incentive-driven schemes across key industries have further attracted foreign investment and increased export potential. Economic inclusion has improved, with rising per capita income and a notable expansion of the middle class. Increased private consumption, especially in rural regions, reflects stronger domestic demand. Additionally, a significant number of people have moved out of poverty, marking a shift toward inclusive growth and signaling resilience and optimism in the broader economic outlook.

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Top Story 2

India to remain among fastest-growing major economies even as growth may moderate in FY26

India's economic growth is projected to see a moderate pace in the current fiscal year, shaped by a blend of external and internal factors. The overall outlook remains optimistic, with the economy expected to maintain its position among the fastest-growing major economies. This resilience is attributed to strong domestic demand, easing inflationary pressures, and supportive monetary policies, all of which contribute to an environment conducive to private investment revival. While growth may not match previous peaks, it continues to outpace global counterparts. The cautious sentiment is largely driven by external challenges, such as persistent supply chain disruptions, recent tariff measures by key global partners, and ongoing geopolitical uncertainties. To navigate these headwinds and sustain momentum, a balanced strategy combining monetary and fiscal measures is considered essential. This approach aims to safeguard growth while maintaining macroeconomic stability, reinforcing the economy's adaptability and long-term potential amid a shifting global landscape.

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Economy

Indian economy to sustain its position as fastest growing major economy in 2025-26 RBI annual report

The economy is expected to retain its position as the fastest-growing major economy in the upcoming fiscal year, driven by strong macroeconomic fundamentals, a robust financial sector, and a consistent focus on sustainable development. Supportive factors include a revival in private consumption, improved financial health of banks and corporates, easing financial conditions, and continued emphasis on capital expenditure. Despite these strengths, several challenges could impact the outlook. These include rising global trade uncertainties due to protectionist policies, persistent geopolitical tensions, and potential volatility in global financial markets. The financial markets are anticipated to remain sensitive to developments in international trade policies and reciprocal tariff measures, which could lead to instability. Nonetheless, the overall economic environment remains optimistic, with domestic resilience expected to offset many external headwinds. A balanced approach to policy and continued structural support are seen as key to sustaining this growth trajectory in the medium term.

https://indianexpress.com/article/business/indian-economy-sustain-fastest-growing-economy-2025-26-rbi-annual-report-10035727/

Market

India Looks Set To Be Primary Engine Of Growth In 2025, 2026:

A vision to build a developed and inclusive economy centers around four key pillars: the underprivileged, the agricultural community, women, and the youth. This approach emphasizes inclusive growth by empowering the most vital segments of society. Supporting the poor ensures that the benefits of development reach the grassroots, reducing inequality and enhancing social stability. Strengthening the farming sector drives rural prosperity and food security, contributing to broader economic resilience. Empowering women unlocks a vast pool of talent, encouraging greater participation in the workforce and fostering innovation. Focusing on the youth provides momentum to future growth, harnessing demographic strength through skill development and employment opportunities. Together, these efforts can stimulate domestic consumption, improve productivity, and encourage sustainable development. This inclusive and strategic vision reflects a strong commitment to long-term, balanced economic progress, paving the way for a more resilient, self-reliant, and prosperous economy built on the strength of its people.

https://www.ndtv.com/world-news/india-looks-set-to-be-primary-engine-of-growth-in-2025-2026-world-economic-forum-report-8527977

Finance

India to retain crown of fastest growing major economy amid global gloom: RBI

The economy is expected to remain the fastest-growing among major economies, driven by strong macroeconomic fundamentals, a resilient financial sector, and a clear focus on sustainable development. Despite recent moderation in growth, the outlook remains positive, supported by a revival in consumption demand and continued emphasis on capital expenditure, alongside a commitment to fiscal discipline. The central bank highlights that growing participation in global trade further strengthens the economic trajectory. However, it also acknowledges downside risks stemming from trade fragmentation, supply chain disruptions, and climate-related uncertainties. These factors could impact growth and pose upward pressure on inflation. Nonetheless, the overall economic momentum is projected to stay robust, aided by a balanced policy approach and a stable financial environment. As global volatility continues, the economy's internal strengths are expected to provide a cushion, ensuring continued progress toward long-term development goals.

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Digitalization

India's Digital Backbone Data Center Capacity to Cross 4,500 MW By 2030

The data center market has entered a transformative phase, witnessing significant scale-up in recent years. Capacity has grown more than fourfold over the past few years, driven by rising demand for digital and cloud services, increasing adoption of AI and IoT, and expanding internet penetration. This growth is further supported by favorable policies and infrastructure initiatives. Major metropolitan regions continue to lead in capacity, with several others emerging as strong contributors. The real estate footprint for data centers has also expanded more than three times, reflecting strong infrastructure development across key markets. Factors such as established global connectivity via submarine cables, availability of affordable land and power, and long-term investments by leading operators are accelerating this momentum. There is a growing focus on expanding into Tier II and III locations, indicating widespread digital infrastructure development. This evolution marks a major step forward in building a resilient and inclusive digital economy.

https://www.rprealtyplus.com/news-views/indias-digital-backbone-data-center-capacity-to-cross-4500-mw-by-2030-120171.html

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