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District in Focus- Khordha



Khordha

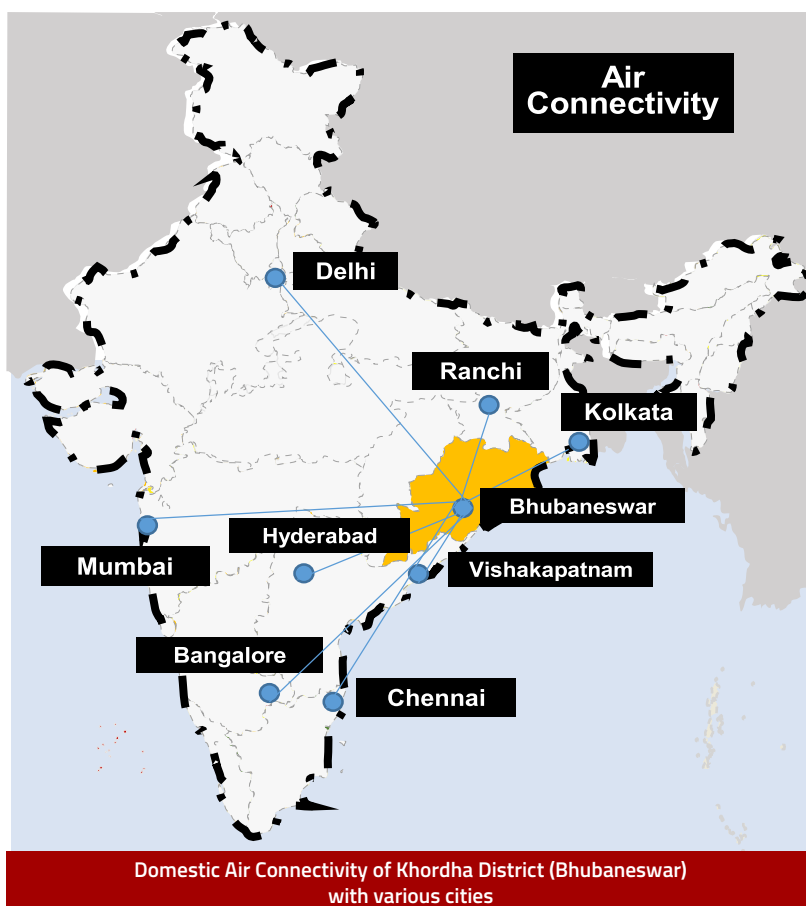
Khordha is an industrialized district of Odisha and houses the capital city, Bhubaneswar. Blessed with the unique advantages of quality industrial & social infrastructure and multi-modal connectivity, Khordha has today become one of the most preferred investment destinations in East India. To support cluster based industrial development, various industrial clusters have been developed in Khordha district as summarized below:

A. Sea Food Park, Deras: The sea food park at Deras is a 152 acres sea food processing cluster with dedicated common facilities for pre processing, cold storage, central processing centre and packaging units. It houses some of the major sea food producers such as Falcon Marine, Magnum Sea Foods etc.

B. Khordha Food Park: The mega food park project in the district is home to some of the biggest players in the food processing industry such as ITC, Coca Cola, Parle, Indo Nissin etc. Several other companies are setting up manufacturing facilities in the Khordha Food Park.

C. Infocity: The Infocity in the district is home to major IT companies such as Infosys, TCS, Wipro, Mindtree, Tech Mahindra etc.

D. Chattabar: Situated in close vicinity of capital city, Bhubaneswar, Chattabar is being developed for apparel and food processing industries. Spread across an area of 100 acres, the cluster has generated significant interest amongst the investor community. Gujarat based



Manpasand Beverages is setting up a pulp-based beverage plant at the cluster.

The district also has a dedicated industrial region spread over 665 acres earmarked to be developed as a country-specific cluster for inward investments from other countries.

All the industrial clusters in the district are located within a 60-minute drive from the Bhubaneswar International airport which is well connected to major cities in the country as depicted.

Road to Make in Odisha Conclave 2018

In addition to sectoral sessions on focus sectors of the State, the forthcoming edition of the conclave will

Bhubaneswar as a Sports Destination



Women Entrepreneurship



also have interesting knowledge events and activities on various other subjects including:

Logistics & Infrastructure



Corporate Social Responsibility



Did you Know?

Odisha has a dedicated Authority for Skill Development

In order to provide overall direction, guidance & implementation of skill development programs in Odisha, the State Government established Odisha Skill Development Authority in 2016. The Authority works with an overarching mission to bring transformative human development through skilling of youth and making "Skilled-in-Odisha" a global brand.

In line with its vision of making 'Odisha's Best, World's Next', the State organized Odisha Skills 2018, a first-of-its-kind state-level skills competition last month.



Hon'ble CM Shri Naveen Patnaik at the unveiling of the logo for Skilled in Odisha

Odisha in News

Odisha to roll out defence manufacturing policy

Being a leader in metals production, the State is now focusing on ancillary and downstream industries which could be beneficial to areas such as defence and automotive sectors. Seeing the immense potential for indigenous defence and aerospace manufacturing, the State is preparing a dedicated defence and aerospace manufacturing policy.

Steel handling begins at Dhamra port

Scripting a new chapter in the growth story of Dhamra Port, steel handling at the port started with the receipt

of first rack from Tata Steel's Kalinganagar plant. 6,000 MT of steel coil was received in the first phase.



Steel coils being loaded in a train to Dhamra Port

Paradip to get world-class infrastructure and business ecosystem

To fast-track port-led development at Paradip, Union Minister for Road Transport & Highways, Shipping and Water Resources, Shri Nitin Gadkari chaired inter-ministerial meeting and directed various agencies such as NHAI, Railways, AAI, IOCL to work in close collaboration for development of infrastructure facilities at Paradip. It is proposed to develop a smart city at Paradip along with an airport and a 400-bedded hospital.

AAI ties up with SAIL for UDAN flight to Rourkela, Burnpur and Bokaro

Airports Authority of India (AAI) and Steel Authority of India Ltd. (SAIL) have signed a Memorandum of Understanding for enhancement of regional air connectivity under the UDAN Scheme at the SAIL owned airports of Rourkela, Burnpur and Bokaro. This will put Rourkela on the national aviation map and boost the connectivity of the Steel City with various cities in the country.

Indian Oil board approves Rs 4,200 crore ethylene glycol project at Paradip

Indian Oil Board has approved a Rs. 4,221 crore project to set up a 357 KTA Ethylene Glycol plant along with associated facilities at Paradip. This will help in the growth of downstream industries such as polyester fibre, bottle grade chips and polyester grade chips.

Tata Power, Adani, ReNew Power plan to set up units in the State

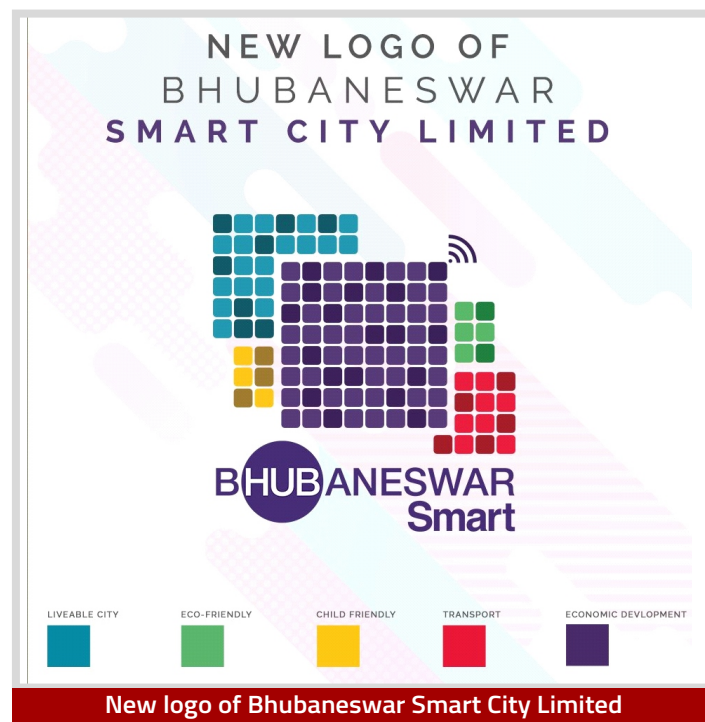
Solar energy majors have shown interest in putting up units in Odisha after GRIDCO invited bids to select 200-MW of grid-connected solar power projects. Companies such as Acme, ReNew Power, Tata Power, IBC Solar, Essel Group and Adani Green Energy have already evinced interest. GRIDCO will enter into a power-purchase agreement (PPA) with the successful bidder for 25 years from the date of commercial operations.

Odisha adjudged 'Best State in Skill Development'

Odisha won the Prime Minister's Award for best State in the country in skill development for rural youth for second year in a row. The State has successfully trained and ensured employment for a record 96,000 rural youth under Deen Dayal Upadhyay Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY).

Bhubaneswar Smart City logo unveiled

On the eve of 70th Capital Foundation Day, Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Naveen Patnaik unveiled the logo and official website of Bhubaneswar Smart City Limited (BSCL) along with a dedicated website for the city. The logo of Bhubaneswar Smart City Limited represents a fast developing smart city in the form of a butterfly signifying growth, motion and youthful energy.



'Odisha Skill 2018' organised

The first ever Odisha Skills 2018- state level skills competition was organized in the State during Apr 28-29, 2018. During the event, 5 Memorandums of Understanding were signed with leading academic and technological organisations in the fields of super computation, artificial intelligence, Internet of Things, robotics, vision care and professional trainings.



OMFED, NDDB sign pact to increase milk production in Odisha

Orissa State Cooperative Milk Producers Federation (OMFED) signed an agreement with National Dairy

Development Board (NDDDB) for setting up a modern 5 lakh litre capacity dairy plant in the State. The milk processing capacity of OMFED is set to be enhanced from 6.4 lakh litres per day to 12 lakh litres per day.

IOCL to lay Rs 1080 cr pipeline to evacuate products from Paradip refinery

The IOCL board has given the first stage approval for laying a 330 km pipeline from Paradip to Haldia for

evacuation of high-speed diesel, motor spirit and kerosene. Of the total investment of Rs.1080 cr, Rs. 722 cr will be invested in Odisha. With this development, Odisha is set to become the first state in eastern India to have all the pipelines in the hydrocarbon chain ranging from crude oil to petroleum products, LPG and natural gas.

GO SWIFT- Ensuring Investors' Delight

Frequently Asked Questions

GO SWIFT is one-stop solution for all required services by an investor during the investment life cycle of a project in a time-bound, hassle-free, paper-less and transparent manner. It also provides seamless integration with various IT applications developed by the Industries department. Going forward, we will cover some of the Frequently Asked Questions on GO SWIFT for the benefit of our readers from the investor community:

I am a New User. How do I register on GO-SWIFT? Is there any Registration Fee?

New Users can register themselves by filling the registration form and OTP based verification of email/mobile number provided. There is no fee for registration.

What is the Single Sign-On (SSO) Framework?

Single Sign-On (SSO) permits a user to use the same login credential to access multiple applications

(similar to various Google applications/products). All existing technological applications of the Industries Department, Govt. of Odisha including APAA/ GO SMILE / GO PLUS / GO CARE / SPMG Portal have been seamlessly integrated via the SSO Framework. Existing users can login on GO SWIFT through their registered login credentials on any of these other technological applications of the Department.

Testimonial

We applied through the online single window portal GO SWIFT of Odisha for a project at Aluminium park, Angul. We completed the project application and the registration successfully without any glitches. We are able to track the project application status online through the portal. We are really happy with the GO SWIFT portal for its simple process. We thank the authorities for providing such a user-friendly platform for the Industry.

-Mr. Adish Jain, SMW Metal Pvt. Ltd.

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