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Monthly Commercial Report

October 2025

Commerce Wing
Consulate General of India, Osaka-Kobe

Name of the Mission (Country): Consulate General of India, Osaka-Kobe (Japan)

1. Trade in goods

1. Total Trade in goods (For September 2025)

	Export (US\$ Million)	Import (US\$ Million)	(P) Provisional / (F) Final
Country's trade with India	1640	483	P
Country's total global trade	63633	65238	P

Source: Trade statistics Japan (<https://www.customs.go.jp/toukei/srch/indexe.htm>)

Exchange rate by bank of Japan: https://www.stat-search.boj.or.jp/ssi/mtshtml/fm08_m_1.html

2. Preferential trade in goods

Sl. No.	Preferential / Free Trade Agreement with India	Preferential Imports from India (US\$ Million)	Preferential Imports from World (US\$ Million)
1	India-Japan CEPA	185.69(April, 2025)	9168.26 (under all EPAs of Japan, April 2025)

*Data on April 2025 is the latest as on date

3. Potential products of imports from India

Sl. No.	HS code and Commodity name	Indian imports (US\$ Millio n)	Global imports (US\$ Milli on)	Rationale
1	760120 Unwrought Aluminium alloy	10.03	154.259	The share of India's export to Japan is still very low (6.52%) compared to Japan's total import from the world market. This offers a large scope of export opportunities.

2	HS code(60-63) Fabrics, Clothing and textile area	0.233	101	The share of India's export to Japan is still very low (0.22%) compared to Japan's total import from the world market. This offers a large scope of export opportunities.
3	300490 Medicament	7.87	263.75	The share of India's export to Japan is still very low (2.98%) compared to Japan's total import from the world market. This offers a large scope of export opportunities.

2. Qualitative

1. Alerts on Customs Tariff changes

Sl. No.	Notification no. and date	HS code	Description	Original customs tariff	Present customs tariff	Effective from	Remarks if any
1.	Nil						

2. Alerts on non tariff measures (SPS / TBT /import and export procedures/ restrictions / prohibitions / licensing / STEs etc.)

Sl. No.	Notification no./ date	Measure	HS Codes	Effective from	Remarks if any
1.	Notice No. dated 27th May, 2025	The Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare (MHLW), Government of Japan vide Official 0321-1 dated 27th May, 2025, has decided to conduct the inspection order on Monocrotophos	–	–	–

		residue in Indian Amla conducted based on violation of the Food Sanitation Act			
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3. Alerts on standards, technical regulations and conformity assessment procedures

Sl. No.	Notification no./ date	Standard/ technical regulation/ conformity assessment procedure	HS Codes	Effective from	Remarks if any
1.	May 20, 2025	In May 2025, the Ministry of Economy, Trade & Industry (METI) established 03 new standards and revised 11 existing standards. METI has been revising and newly establishing these standards in response to societal and technological changes. The list of newly established and revised JIS publicly notified on May 20, 2025 can be downloaded at https://www.meti.go.jp/policy/economy/hyojun-kijun/jiskouji/20250520001.html	–	–	–

4. Alerts on trade defence measures taken by respective country (safeguards including special safeguard, Anti-dumping, CVD or anti-subsidy etc.)

Sl. No.	Notification no., date or other references	Type (initiation, final, prov., sunset, consultations, new shipper review)	Details of products/ sectors affected (including HS codes)	Effective from	Remarks if any
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5. Alerts on services, regulatory regime, qualification requirement, licensing procedures, visa regime, barriers etc.

Sl. No.	Notification no., and date or other references	Service sectors affected	Modes	Effective from	Remarks if any
1.	-	-	-	-	-

3. Feedback

1. Feedback from major Indian industries/ other commercial concerns and India trade visitor to respective country -

Sr. No.	Name of Business House	Activity Sector	Trade barrier issues if any (incl. HS Codes)	General Feedback
1	Synergy Intex India Pvt. Ltd.	Manufacturer and exporter of agricultural products, specifically Indian spices, herbs, and millets	Green Cardamom (90831)	Sought access to the Japanese market for green cardamom.

2. Feedback on major trade activities including logistic events (trade fairs / BSM / including Indian participation) -

Sr. No.	Activity	Date and Venue	Number of participants from India	Name(s) of large/ key participants from India	Feedback received / Social Media
1	Kyoto Smart City Expo 2025	2-3 Oct 2025 Keihanna	-	-	Shri Pankaj Garg, Vice Consul

		Open Innovation Center (KICK) Kyoto			<p>participated in the exhibition.</p> <p>Given India's focus on Urban infra and Smart Cities, participating in this exhibition provided invaluable insights into Japan's smart-city ecosystem, emerging technologies, and opportunities for bilateral cooperation.</p>
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3. Feedback from local commercial visitors to trade fairs in India, including under BSM; number of Business Visas issued

Sr. No.	Activity	Date and Venue	Number of participants from relevant country	List of large/ key participants from relevant country	Number of Business Visas issued	Feedback received
1.	-	-	-	-	A total of 185 Business Visas were issued in October 2025.	-

4. Trade and Investment -

1. Significant trends in trade and investment

The Kansai region, encompassing major economic hubs like Osaka, Kyoto, and Kobe, continues to solidify its position as a pivotal center for trade and

investment in Japan. With a population of over 22 million and a GDP exceeding \$842 billion, Kansai is second only to the Greater Tokyo area in economic scale. Additionally, the region's port infrastructure—particularly the Port of Osaka and Port of Kobe—facilitates robust exports, reinforcing Kansai's position as a critical hub for international trade.

Recent trends show that Kansai is leveraging its strengths in manufacturing, life sciences, and innovation-driven industries.

- **Life Sciences, Health, and Pharmaceuticals:** Kansai has emerged as a prominent life sciences cluster, home to over 350 pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies. Osaka's Saito Life Science Park and Nakanoshima Qross and Kobe's Medical Industry Development Project in Port Island have drawn global attention. Notable companies are Shionogi & Co. and Ono Pharmaceutical, headquartered in Osaka.
- **Robotics and Precision Manufacturing:** Companies like Yaskawa Electric and Omron, both with significant operations in Kansai, lead in robotics, factory automation, and AI-integrated systems. The presence of precision component manufacturers such as Murata Manufacturing and Kyocera (headquartered in Kyoto) supports a strong ecosystem for electronics and sensor technologies.
- **Chemical Industry:** The region is home to major players such as Sumitomo Chemical, Kuraray, and Daicel Corporation, whose production facilities contribute significantly to innovation in fields like advanced materials, functional resins, and industrial chemicals. Kansai's strong ties to research institutions, such as Kyoto University and Osaka University, further fuel R&D.
- **SMEs:** Small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) form the backbone of Kansai's economy. Cities like Higashiosaka and Sakai are renowned for their high concentration of small factories producing precision parts essential to global supply chains in automotive, aerospace, and electronics. Many of these SMEs serve as tier-one and tier-two suppliers to major corporations like Panasonic, Mitsubishi Electric, and Shimadzu.
- **Iconic Brands:** Kansai is also home to globally recognized consumer brands. ASICS, headquartered in Kobe, continues to expand its global footprint in sportswear and Nintendo, based in Kyoto, remains a titan in

digital

entertainment.

2. Opportunities for investments / assets on offer / major company divestment

- **Renesas Electronics Corp.**, is exploring a sale of its timing division in a deal that could value the business at close to \$2 billion. It is working with investment bankers at JPMorgan on the potential divestment, which is in its early stages. The division develops and supplies specialized integrated circuits that manage clock, timing and synchronization functions. These components are critical for ensuring the orderly flow of data in high-speed networking equipment. Key markets for the unit include data centers, where its products support communication between servers, as well as telecommunications infrastructure and the build-out of 5G mobile networks. A divestment would allow Renesas to raise significant capital and potentially sharpen its focus on its core markets, such as automotive and industrial chip. Renesas is one of the world's largest suppliers of microcontrollers and a chip supplier to the automotive industry. (Source: <https://www.reuters.com/business/japanese-semiconductor-company-renesas-explores-2-billion-sale-timing-unit-2025-10-14/>)

3. Information on tender notices for projects and procurements of interests to Indian project exporters / suppliers (USD 15 Million & above) - NA

4. Trade enquiries for Imports / Exports -

Trade enquiries from India:

Sr. No.	Inquiry Originator / Contact Details	Products (HS Codes)	Request
1.	Synergy Intex India Pvt. Ltd. Sreevidya S., Director Email: synergyintexipl@gmail.com ; svidyasudhi@gmail.com Contact No.: +91 90083 29382 Address: No. 9, 3F, Sri Krishna Complex, Near Makunatamma Devi Temple, Dodda Banaswadi Main Road, Banaswadi, Bangalore, Karnataka 560-043	Green Cardamom (90831)	Importers, Wholesalers, Supermarket Procurement Teams, Trade Associations

Trade enquiries from Japan: Nil

5. Important India related statements of commercial significance by Political leaders, Think tanks, Chambers, Associations, etc. / Significant stories / features on India related Trade, Investments, Services and Logistic sector, published in foreign journals / dailies, etc. -

1.	<p>“Minister Motegi expressed the intention to steadily achieve results in the three areas of (1) Security, (2) Economy, Investment, and Innovation, and (3) People-to-People Exchanges, and to elevate the bilateral relationship to new heights as mutually complementary partners.”</p> <p>- Excerpts from press release by Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan on Japan-India Foreign Ministers’ Meeting held on 27 Oct 2025 on the sidelines of ASEAN-related Summit Meetings.</p>
2.	<p>“Japan Airlines plans to launch Narita-Delhi nonstop flights in January 2026, marking the beginning of India’s and Japan’s strengthened aviation ties. This aviation relationship encourages easy access to each other’s territories. It connects the fast-growing Indian markets with Japan’s more developed service industry.”</p> <p>- October 8, 2025, Travel and Tour World</p>
3.	<p>Title: India’s most valuable export: Tens of millions of workers Date: 27 October 2025 Publisher: Japan Times Link: https://www.japantimes.co.jp/business/2025/10/27/india-valuable-export-workers/</p>
4.	<p>Title: Japan-India and the Eurasian Trade Compact Waiting to Happen Date: 7 October 2025 Publisher: Japan Forward Link: https://japan-forward.com/japan-india-and-the-eurasian-trade-compact-waiting-to-happen/</p>

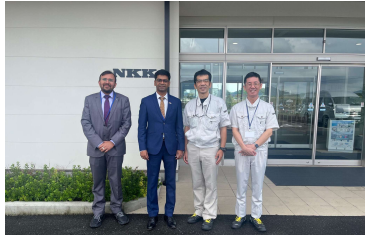
6. Details of information dissemination activity of the Commercial Wing: -

Sr No.	Nature of activity	Details of seminar / conference	Social Media
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1.	Business Seminar	<p>“Haryana Business and Investment Roadshow” was organized at Imperial Hotel Osaka on Oct 7, 2025.</p> <p>Hon’ble Chief Minister of Haryana, Shri Nayab Singh Saini, delivered the keynote address, focusing on businesses and investment climate in Haryana. He also recalled outcomes of the Annual Summit held in August 2025 between both Prime Ministers.</p> <p>Shri Rao Narbir Singh, Hon’ble Minister of Foreign Cooperation Department and Industries & Commerce was also present at the roadshow.</p> <p>Dr. Amit Kumar Agrawal, Commissioner and Secretary, Industries made a detailed presentation on sectoral opportunities in Haryana.</p> <p>The event also featured remarks by Mr. Hiroyuki Baba, Director-General of Osaka Prefecture Government, Mr. Makoto Maehara, Director-General at METI-Kansai, and Mr. Tatsuo Nakanishi, Vice Chairman of Kansai Japan India Association.</p> <p>Over 100 business representatives attended the event.</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1975709435625656338</p> 
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2.	Business Seminar	<p>A special session on “Make in India: Transforming Global Supply Chains” was organized at Oriental Hotel, Meriken Park, Kobe on Oct 11, 2025.</p> <p>Consul General Shri Chandru Appar, in his remarks reflected on the rapidly transforming business climate and how the global businesses are benefiting in this journey.</p> <p>Mr. Yoshinori Sugano, Chairperson of Kobe Assembly showcased the deep connection between Gujarat and Kobe.</p> <p>Mr. Kemal Shoshi, President, Agriculture Business, Yanmar presented the Yanmar's success story in India.</p> <p>Ms. Emi Teshima, Chief Director, JETRO Kobe gave insights on the latest trends & prospects for Japanese businesses in India.</p> <p>Shri Paramjit Chadha, President of Indian Chamber of Commerce Japan emphasized on the growing interests of Japanese companies in India.</p> <p>Over 100 representatives from Japanese Companies and Businesses attended the event.</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1976912344400998652</p> 
3.	Business Seminar	<p>A seminar on the “Future Prospects of India-Japan Partnership” was organized at the Otepia Kochi Library in Kochi City in coordination with the Kochi India Friendship Association on Oct 16, 2025.</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1979447240453492938</p>

		<p>Consul General Shri Chandru Appar, presented prospects of business and Human Resource collaboration opportunities between Kochi and India.</p> <p>A key focus of the seminar was human resource exchange with presentations from ARMS, and My Cooperative Organization.</p> <p>Representatives from relevant Japanese companies and businesses attended the event.</p>	
4	Seminar on Human Resource Mobility	<p>A “Human Resources Seminar” was held on 29 October 2025 at My Dome Osaka, co-organized by the Consulate General of India, Osaka-Kobe, Osaka Prefectural Government, and JITCO (Japan International Trainee & Skilled Worker Cooperation Organization).</p> <p>The seminar focused on human resource mobility from North Eastern States of India.</p> <p>Consul General Shri Chandru Appar, delivered remarks highlighting the unique advantages of India’s North Eastern region in providing an adaptable workforce. He also referred to the recent outcome of the India-Japan Annual Summit which plans to facilitate the movement of 50,000 skilled and semi-skilled Indian professionals to Japan across various sectors.</p> <p>Remarks were delivered by distinguished speakers including</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1984141099787857972</p> 

		<p>Mr. Shinichi Maeda, Executive Director, Osaka Prefectural Government; Mr. Shigeo Matsutomi, Ambassador and Senior Vice President, JITCO; and Mr. Yohei Ishikura from ARMS Incorporation.</p> <p>The seminar was well received by participating Japanese companies and stakeholders with over 80 participants.</p>	
5.	Engagement with Companies / Prefectures	<p>The Consul General visited Kochi and Kagawa prefectures from 16-17 October 2025. He met prominent companies in the prefecture to promote investment and technology exchange:</p> <p>a) Nippon Kodoshi Kogyo (NKK): Leader in manufacturing of separators for Capacitors and Batteries with ~95% market share in Japan and 60% share globally for Capacitor Separators. They look forward to studying the Indian Market and proceed with establishing the paper cutting facility in India, in the future.</p> <p><u>POC:</u> Mr.Matsumoto Akihito, Deputy Manager, Sales Management Section Email: matsumoto@kodoshi.co.jp Tel: +81-88-894-6662</p> <p>b) Giken Ltd.: Giken is pioneer of Silent Piling Technology. They are already implementing a project in Odisha with funding from JICA. They have set up their office in India and have partnered with Fuji Silvertch Concrete Private Ltd to expand their offerings in India. They also showcased their</p>	 

solutions like Eco Park which is an underground parking solution which might find a market in India.

POC: Mr. Yasunobu Yananose, Managing Operating Officer, Global Strategy HQ

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c) Taiyo Co Ltd.: Taiyo has its only subsidiary outside Japan in India located at Neemrana Japanese Industrial Town in Rajasthan. They briefed about their journey in India and have now become a significant player in rotary blades used in Agriculture with a 25% market share.

POC: Mr. Teruaki Doi, Asst. General Manager, Overseas Division

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Tel: +81-88-846-1230

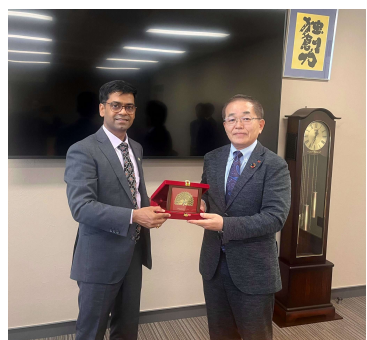
d) Hyakujuushi Bank: Met Mr. Masashi Mori, President of the Bank. He showed keen interest towards India and is visiting India as a member of a delegation from Kagawa Prefecture in December 2025. They are looking forward to setting up a consulting business in India to assist Japanese companies set up in India, in the future.

POC: Ms. Yuki Kawasome, Manager, Consulting Division

Email: consul-kaigai@114bank.co.jp

Tel: +81-87-836-2913

e) Shikoku Kasei Holdings: The



group manufactures Fine Chemicals, Organic Chemicals, Inorganic Chemicals, Interior and Exterior products etc. In Karnataka in 2024, they launched a product Instapure - a B2C product to purify water. Since their product range included chemicals used in the Semiconductor Industry, they were briefed on India Semiconductor Mission and pitched for investment in India. Their other products also hold potential in the Indian Market.

POC: Mr. Yoshinobu Takagi, Executive Officer, General Manager, Sales & Marketing Division
 Email: takagi@shikoku.co.jp
 Tel: +81-3-6745-4122

e) Okura Kogyo: The company is a producer of Plastic Films, Optical Films and Housing Material. They have produced a product in collaboration with Toyota and are now looking to collaborate with Toyota in India to manufacture the product in India. Their products also find application in manufacturing of Semiconductor and Li-ion batteries.

POC: Mr. Tomoya Yano, Senior General Manager, Overseas Business Promotion Department
 Email: t-yano01@okr-ind.co.jp
 Tel: +81-877-56-1127

f) Ishimaru Seimen: The company manufactures Udon Noodles. They have launched their products in India. Although,



		<p>currently the focus is only on exports, if they are successful, they are open to setting up a facility in India.</p> <p><u>POC:</u> Mr. Maki Nakada, Manager, General Affairs Division Email: nakada@isimaru.co.jp Tel: +81-87-879-6111</p>	
6	Engagement with JETRO / other local associations	<p>a) JETRO Kochi: Consul General Shri Chandru Appar, met Mr. Yoshiaki Yoneyama, Chief Director of JETRO Kochi to discuss the outcomes of the successful India-Japan Annual Summit. The Prefecture is keen to collaborate with India especially in the field of Human Resource. It may be mentioned that Kochi recently signed an MoU with Nagaland to promote more HR exchanges. They are also looking at highly skilled professionals from India e.g. there is a requirement from Kochi Based Kagoo Dockyard. He also apprised that the Kochi companies are looking to learn more about India e.g. 2 companies are participating in "Prowine Mumbai" event (as part of Japan Pavilion) in Mumbai.</p> <p>b) JETRO Kobe: Consul General Shri Chandru Appar, met the Chief Director of JETRO Kobe to discuss activities to enhance economic and investment activities. The consulate will be conducting a business seminar “New Wave of Japanese Business Expansion into India” in collaboration with JETRO Kobe in Feb 2026.</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1979443630126567765</p>  <p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1983406620064526660</p>

		<p>c) JETRO Tottori: Consul General Shri Chandru Appar met with JETRO Tottori to explore potential investment / economic collaboration with the Prefecture</p>	
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7. Details of activities conducted -

The post does not have budgetary allocation under the head “Trade promotion”. The activities were undertaken under the heads State Facilitation and Market Expansion Activities

7(a). State Facilitation

Sanctioned Amount	RE for current financial year	Amount utilised as on 31.10.2025	Details of activity (Max. 200 words)
15,00,000	NA	14,26,294.42	<p>1. Haryana Investor Roadshow was organized in Hotel Imperial on 07 October 2025 during the visit of Hon’ble Chief Minister of Haryana to Osaka. It was also attended by Sh. Rao Narbir Singh, Hon’ble Minister, Foreign Cooperation Department and I&C, DG, Osaka Prefectural Government, Vice Chairman of KJIA.</p>

			<p>2. A seminar at India Pavilion, Osaka Expo and another at the Osaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry were organized in collaboration with Uttar Pradesh Govt. during the visit of Mr. Suresh Kumar Khanna, Hon'ble Finance Minister of Uttar Pradesh. Both the seminars witnessed participation from various Chambers of commerce, industries, businesses in Osaka and nearby prefectures.</p> <p>3. Kanagawa Day, Kyoto Day and Okayama Day were celebrated at India Pavilion.</p> <p>4. Various seminars were organized in the India Pavilion in collaboration with Kochi Prefecture, Yamanashi Prefecture, Mie Prefecture, Toyama Prefecture, Shizuoka Prefecture and Nagaland.</p>
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7(b). Market Expansion

Vote on Account for current financial year	RE for current financial year	Amount utilised as on 31.10.2025	Details of activity (Max. 200 words)
35,00,000	35,00,000	34,02,364.18	<p>1. A seminar titled "Make in India: Transforming Global Supply Chains" was organized on 11 October 2025 at the Kobe Meriken Park Oriental Hotel. The seminar aimed to highlight India's growing role in reshaping global supply chains and to showcase the opportunities arising from the Make in India initiative as it completed 11</p>

			<p>successful years.</p> <p>2. A seminar was organized on 07 October 2025 at the India Pavilion in partnership with Mayoral Alliance. The program included remarks by Vice President of Mayoral Alliance and Bihar ACS Mr. Mihir Kumar Singh.</p> <p>3. Various other seminars were organized at India Pavilion in collaboration with the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Navis ICCJ Japan Tea Association Amagasaki City FICCI During the visit of Secretary, Ministry of Steel
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8. Action taken on the previous JWG's, Joint Commissions, Sub-Commissions, etc. - NA

9. Complaints from foreign buyer / supplier on quality and trade dispute - Nil

10. Complaints of Indian exporter / importer - Nil

11. Tourism

1. Tourist visa issued

Tourist visas during the month	Tourist visas during the same month last year	Tourist visas issued cumulatively: April 2025 - Oct 2025	Tourist visas cumulatively during the last year April 2024 - March 2025
314	211	1296	2615

2. Indian Tourism Promotion Events held / organised: -

Sr No.	Event Title	Details	Social Media
1	India Mela Kobe 2025	<p>The 14th edition of India Mela Kobe was held at Meriken Park, Kobe from 11-13 October 2025.</p> <p>The Consulate's booth provided information on business opportunities as well as promotion of Make-in-India. A delegation from EPCH also participated to promote Handicrafts and Textiles.</p> <p>Mr. Yoshinori Sugano, Chairperson, Kobe Assembly, Mr. Masao Imanishi, Deputy Mayor of Kobe, Mr Yamashita, Kobe Assembly member, Mr. Hideki Sho, Director General JETRO Mr. Paramjit Chadha, President ICCJ, Mr. Bhawen Jhavery, President, India Club and Mr. Sagar Rohera, President, ISS were among the dignitaries, who were present.</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1976915958074662995</p>  <p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1977571843407261858</p>  <p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1978960301690368268</p> 
2	Sakai Matsuri	<p>Consul General Shri Chandru Appar, participated in the Sakai Matsuri festival at Sakai City.</p> <p>Mayor of Sakai City, Mr. Hideki Nagafuji, Vice Mayor, Mr. Motoya Kazuhiro, Chairman of Sakai Tourism Convention Bureau, Mr. Toshinori Kakiuchi, Chairperson of Sakai City</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1979842604369076406</p> 

		<p>Council, Mr. Kazuo Tabuchi were among the dignitaries present.</p> <p>The craftwork of Master craftsmen Padma Shri Pandi Ram Mandavi, Shilp Guru Gulamhusen Khatri, National Awardee Pyare Lal, National Awardee Rajendra Kumar and National Awardee Samir Kumar Chaudhary was demonstrated to the tens of thousands of visitors. They were sponsored by EPCH and the Office of Development Commissioner Handicrafts.</p>	
3	Northeast India Seminar	<p>A “Human Resources Seminar” was held on 29 October 2025 at My Dome Osaka, co-organized by the Consulate General of India, Osaka-Kobe, Osaka Prefectural Government, and JITCO (Japan International Trainee & Skilled Worker Cooperation Organization).</p> <p>The seminar focused on human resource mobility from North Eastern States of India.</p> <p>It also showcased Japanese connect with the North East India.</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1984141099787857972</p> 
4	Haryana Investment and Tourism Roadshow	<p>“Haryana Business and Investment Roadshow” was organized at Imperial Hotel Osaka on Oct 7, 2025.</p> <p>In his keynote address, Hon’ble Chief Minister pitched to businesses about</p>	<p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1975709435625656338</p>

		<p>the excellent investment climate in Haryana and presented compelling reasons for their presence in the state. He recalled the outcomes of the Annual Summit held in August 2025 between both the Prime Ministers and emphasised that Haryana will play a catalytic role in contributing to the increased economic exchanges.</p> <p>It also showcased Haryana as a tourism destination.</p>	
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3. Any advisory issued by the country for travelling to India: Nil

4. Interactions held with tour operators for promoting tourism in India: Nil

12. Transfer of Technology to India

1. New Technology identified / covered in Press -

Sr. No.	Technology Name	Details	Usage	Sector	Company
1	Unified Payments Interface (UPI)	NPCI International Payments (NIPL) and NTT	Cashless payments by scanning QR codes using UPI apps	FinTech / Digital Payments	NPCI International Payments Ltd. (India),

		<p>DATA Japan, signed an MoU to enable UPI acceptance across merchant locations in Japan.</p>			<p>NTT DATA, Japan</p> <p>Source: The Times of India https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/business/india-business/npci-partners-ntt-for-upi-acceptance-in-japan/articleshow/124554671.cms</p>
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2. Any interest received from foreign companies for Technology Transfer -

Sr. No.	Company Name	Sector	Company Details
1	Awa Paper and Technological Company, Inc.	Technical Paper	<p>The company is open to technology transfer/licensing their technology to Indian Companies.</p> <p>Awa paper manufactures paper catering to technical use cases like filters for automobiles etc.</p> <p>POC: Mr. Yutaro Miki, Vice President / Chief Operation Officer Email: yu-miki@awapaper.co.jp Tel: +81-88-635-8870</p>
2	TLO Kyoto	Technology Licensing Organization	<p>TLO Kyoto is a licensing organization affiliated with Kyoto University and other partner institutions.</p>

			<p>It manages around 400 inventions annually and has executed over 660 technology transfer contracts, with strengths in life sciences, engineering ICT, and energy.</p> <p>In India, opportunities are emerging through Kyoto University's collaborations with IIT Roorkee. The IN-CBI (Initiative for Intelligent ChemBioInformatics) Joint Lab at IIT Roorkee focuses on healthy aging, AI, and chem-bio research.</p> <p>POC: Motohiro Shimizu, Ph.D. Executive Director Email: shimizu@tlo-kyoto.co.jp Tel: +81-75-753-5529</p>
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3. Any query received from Indian company seeking technological solutions - Nil

4. Any science / technology / events held -

Sr. No.	Name	Venue	Date	No. of participants	Notable Participants
1	<p>Meeting with CII delegation on Technology and IPR Mission in Osaka</p> 	Consulate General of India, Osaka-Kobe	September 18, 2025	31	<p>Mr. Anuj Kapuria, Director & CEO, Hi-Tech Gears, and CEO, Hi-Tech Robotic Systems</p> <p>https://x.com/IndianConsOsaka/status/1968992671898181786</p>

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5. Any press coverage on new patents / design / IPR field / granted -

Sr. No.	Project / Initiative	Details	Usage	Sector	Company
1	Medical Device Park Development	The Yamuna Expressway Industrial Development (YEIDA) is set to sign an MoU with Medical Excellence Japan (MEJ) to establish a medical device park in Sector 28, Noida.	Provides infrastructure and facilities for manufacturing and developing medical devices, fostering collaboration between Indian and Japanese firms.	Manufacturing / Medical devices	Yamuna Expressway Industrial Development Authority (YEIDA). Medical Excellence Japan (MEJ) Source: <i>The Times of India</i> https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/noida/yeida-set-to-sign-pact-with-japan-agency-for-medical-device-park/articleshow/124728881.cms
2	India-Japan Fund invests in Eka Mobility	National Investment and Infrastructure Fund (NIIF) has entered into a collaboration with the Japan Bank for International	The fund will focus on investing in environmental sustainability and low carbon emission strategies. The	Sustainable Transportation	Source: https://www.pib.gov.in/PressReleaseIframePage.aspx?PRID=1963922 Source: https://economictimes.in

		Cooperation (JBIC) to launch a \$600 million India-Japan Fund (IJF) with JBIC and Government of India (GoI) as anchor investors. India-Japan Fund to invest Rs. 500 crore in EKA Mobility.	investment in Eka Mobility seeks to expand production capacity for electric buses.		diatimes.com/industry/renewables/eka-mobility-secures-rs-500-crore-from-india-japan-fund-to-boost-ev-push/article/show/124613387.cms?from=mdr
3	MoU between ENEOS Corporation and NTPC Green Energy Limited (NGEL) 	ENEOS Corporation (H.O. Tokyo) signed an MoU with NTPC Green Energy Limited (NGEL) (H.O. New Delhi), a wholly owned subsidiary of India's state-owned power company NTPC Ltd., regarding the potential supply of renewable energy-derived green methanol and hydrogen derivatives to be produced by NGEL in Andhra Pradesh, India at the India	The green methanol and hydrogen derivatives (including e-SAF, synthetic fuels, and hydrogen carriers) are intended for use as clean energy sources to support decarbonization initiatives in industrial and transportation sectors.	Renewable Energy	ENEOS Corporation (Japan) & NGEL (India) Source: https://www.eneos.co.jp/english/newsrelease/2025/pdf/20251014_01.pdf

		Pavilion during Osaka Expo 2025.			
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13. Business Opportunities

1. Business opportunities due to iconic events -

Sr. No.	Iconic Event	Description
1	Osaka Expo 2025 (13 April - 13 October, 2025)	<p>The India Pavilion Bharat showcased business opportunities in India in the sectors like Technology, Semiconductor, Railways, Space, Textiles, Chemicals, Pharmaceuticals etc.</p> <p>The India Pavilion Bharat itself witnessed over 3.7 million visitors and served as an excellent platform for engaging with Japan during the six months from April to October 2025.</p> 
2	India Mela Kobe (11-13 October, 2025)	<p>The 14th edition of India Mela Kobe was held at Meriken Park, Kobe from 11-13 October 2025.</p> <p>The Consulate's booth provided information on business opportunities as well as promotion of Make-in-India. A delegation from EPCH also participated to promote Handicrafts and Textiles</p>

		
3	<p>Sakai Matsuri (19 October 2025)</p>	<p>Promotion of India Handicrafts and Textiles:</p> <p>The craftwork of Master craftsmen Padma Shri Pandi Ram Mandavi, Shilp Guru Gulamhusen Khatri, National Awardee Pyare Lal, National Awardee Rajendra Kumar and National Awardee Samir Kumar Chaudhary was demonstrated to the tens of thousands of visitors. They were sponsored by EPCH and the Office of Development Commissioner Handicrafts.</p> 

2. Business opportunities due to Iconic Projects -

Sr. No.	Iconic Project	Description
1.	Yumeshima - Post-Expo redevelopment & MGM Osaka (Integrated Resort)	<p>With Expo 2025 concluded, Yumeshima is transitioning into long-term development. MGM Osaka consortium is moving to pre-construction/ construction preparation for the Integrated Resort (IR) to open around ~2030.</p> <p>Opportunities to grow in sectors such as F&B, hotel services, luxury retail, MICE/corporate events, construction and engineering contractors, tourism, security & cashless payments, local SME vendor partnerships, and retail development.</p>
2.	Umeda North Redevelopment Project	<p>As of October 2025, Grand Green Osaka (also known as the Umekita Redevelopment Project) stands as one of the most prominent urban regeneration initiatives in Japan. The project envisions a large-scale mixed-use development that integrates office towers, hotels, luxury residences, retail spaces, and an expansive central park.</p> <p>Opportunities are available in sectors such as flagship retail & experiential stores, serviced apartments, hospitality & F&B and boutique office/ co-working operators.</p>

14. Any other issue of importance

October 2025 marked the end of the 6-month Osaka Expo 2025.

Commissioned by the India Trade Promotion Organisation (ITPO), Ministry of Commerce and Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA), Ministry of Culture, the India Pavilion-Bharat embodies the Expo theme – Designing Future Society for Our Lives. Tata Ecofirst, an Indian company designed and constructed the Pavilion. Embassy of India in Tokyo and Consulate General of India in Osaka-Kobe worked very closely with all stakeholders in planning and implementation of India's participation in Expo 2025 Osaka.

Since the opening of India Pavilion-Bharat at World Expo, Osaka 2025, it has captivated over 3.73 million guests. And it's a proud moment that India Pavilion-Bharat was among the top 5 most visited Pavilions. Since mid-September 2025, the Expo's daily visitor count had topped 200,000, with India

Pavilion-Bharat also seeing a steady flow of visitors, exceeding 25,000 per day. It's a matter of pride that the Pavilion was awarded the Bronze Medal in the category of External Design for Module Pavilions (Type B+X) at the Expo 2025 Official Participant Awards, organised by the *Bureau International des Expositions* (BIE).

Hon'ble CM of Haryana, Shri Nayab Singh Saini's visit led to fruitful discussions with top Japanese companies such as AISIN, Air Water, TASI, Nambu, Denso, Sojitz, Nissin, Kawakin, and Toppan reportedly resulted in the signing of six MoUs. During the visit of Hon'ble CM of Chhattisgarh, Shri Vishnu Deo Sai, three MoUs were signed, including an investment proposal from Sartaj Foods, Osaka, for setting up a food processing unit. During the visit of Hon'ble Finance Minister of Uttar Pradesh, Shri Suresh Kumar Khanna, Denso announced plans to invest in a manufacturing facility for motor generators in Gautam Budh Nagar. NTPC Green Energy (NGEL) signed an MoU with ENEOS Corporation for delivery of Green Methanol and Green Hydrogen derivative products to ENEOS.
