

Karnataka's IT sector

IT/ITeS contributes over

26%

to the state's Gross State Value Added (GSVA)

Generates direct jobs for over

12 lakh

professionals, and supports an additional 31 lakh indirect jobs

The state is home to over

5,500

IT/ITeS companies, including about 750 MNCs

The state accounts for

43.67%

of India's total software exports



Skilling cost reimbursement



The government will reimburse 20% of the total expenses on the skilling initiative up to **Rs 36,000** per graduate, and

Rs 18,000 per diploma-holder for up to 100 employees

Reimbursement of additional **20%** of the total expenses if a skilled candidate is hired or placed, in accordance with the Nipuna Karnataka Guidelines.



Skilling programmes should be focused on deep tech/emerging technologies