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# MODES OF FINANCING FOR INDIAN MSME'S AND STARTUPS

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# **ABSTRACT**

"Small business isn't for the faint of coronary heart. It's far for the brave, the affected person and the continual, its miles for the over comer." Finance is needed by means of a commercial enterprise company at nearly every level of the commercial enterprise life cycle. MSMEs often find it tough to set up good enough finance for their operations in addition to for expansion and boom. These companies can increase finance through diverse methods. Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) represent a crucial phase and general because the engine of economic growth globally. They make contributions appreciably to the industrial manufacturing, employment and exports of the country. In terms of agriculture they takes in the second place in terms of employment technology and make contributions drastically to the exports of the country of a bringing in critical foreign exchange. In modern situation, MSMEs suffer from lots of problems related to get right of entry to finance, advertising, infrastructure, human resource, and so forth. In certain instances, the hurdles to boom can result in the closure of the units. Within the above context, it isn't always most effective crucial to recognize the troubles faced by way of them, but also find strategy to these issues. This paper is motive to have a look at the development MSME sector & startup's in India, and discussing the precept financing resources of MSME's and Startups in India.

**KEYWORDS:** MSME's, Development of MSME's, Sources of MSME's, Sources of Start-up's.

# I. INTRODUCTION

Finance is required through an enterprise at almost every stage of the business life cycle. MSMEs frequently find it tough to arrange adequate finance for their operations as well as for expansion and boom. Access to financial services can consequently improve task introduction, enhance profits, lesser vulnerability and boom investments in human capital. MSMEs account for a tremendous share of employment and GDP globally; however, after they have restricted get entry to finance, the economy suffers a sequence of poor outcomes: economic and social opportunities are limited, enterprise creation and increase are confined, households and enterprises are extra vulnerable to threats, and payments are costlier and less secure. These enterprises can boost finance by various methods. Below are a number of the ways to elevate long term and short term sources of capital.

#### 1.1 SOURCES OF LONG TERM CAPITAL

The sources of funds refer to the mediums by which an enterprise raises its long-term capital and working capital. The enterprise can select any of the sources of funds depending upon the need and gestation period of the project to be financed.

#### > Reinvestment of Profits

Profitable businesses do not generally distribute the entire quantity of earnings as dividend however, transfer positive proportion to reserves. This could be appeared as reinvestment of income or ploughing back of profits. As these retained earnings genuinely belong to the shareholders of the enterprise, these are treated as a part of ownership capital. Retention of profits is a kind of self financing of enterprise. The reserves constructed up through the years by using ploughing lower back of profits may be utilized by the business enterprise for the following functions:

- ✓ Enlargement of the task
- ✓ Alternative of out of date property and modernization
- ✓ Assembly permanent or unique operating capital requirement
- ✓ Redemption of old debts

The blessings of this source of finance to the enterprise are:

- ✓ It reduces the dependence on external sources of finance
- ✓ It will increase the credit worthiness of the enterprise
- ✓ It permits the company to resist hard situations

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- ✓ It allows the company to undertake strong dividend coverage
- ✓ It will increase the debt raising capacity of the company

#### **Loans from Commercial Banks / Financial Institutions**

Medium and long time loans required for putting in place tasks may be obtained from banks and or financial establishments for all viable tasks. Further, budget required for modernization and maintenance schemes may be borrowed from them. Such loans are generally secured through loan of the employer's residences, pledge of shares, private guarantees and so forth.

## **Public Deposits**

Businesses regularly increase funds by means of their shareholders, employees and the majority to deposit in their savings with the company. The Companies Act authorizes such deposits to be acquired for a length of up to 3 years at a time. Public deposits can be raised by way of companies to meet their medium as well as short term financial needs. The increasing of public deposits is as follows:

- Interest rate of the businesses should pay on them is attractive.
- These are less complicated strategies of mobilizing finances than banks, particularly in the course of periods of credit squeeze
- They're unsecured

# > Risk Capital

Risk capital refers the availability of capital wherein the provider reduces the risk burden of the entrepreneur, and in turn bears some a part of the overall risk worried in a productive activity. The term 'risk capital' includes equity in addition to mezzanine/ quasi equity financial products which have capabilities of both debt and equity. Risk Capital is an vital device for no longer simplest start-ups and revolutionary / rapid developing companies but is likewise crucial to those agencies looking at boom. Risk capital substitutes promoter's contribution, thereby lowering the capital to be brought by means of the entrepreneurs. Under such instances, Risk capital is one of the most possible alternatives for raising capital for MSMEs. Some of the fundamental hazard capital options available for MSMEs encompass Venture Capital, Angel Investment and Public listing.

#### > Issue of Shares

It is the significant method. The liability of shareholders is restrained to the face value of shares, and they're additionally without difficulty transferable. A private company cannot invite the majority to subscribe for its share capital and its shares also are now not freely transferable. But for public limited companies there are no such restrictions. There are forms of stocks:-

- Equity stocks: the dividend rate on these stocks relies upon on the earnings available and the discretion of directors. As a result, there is no constant burden on the company. Each share carries one vote.
- ➤ Preference stocks: dividend is payable on those stocks at a fixed rate and is payable only if there are earnings. As a result, there is no compulsory burden on the corporation's finances. Such stocks do no longer give voting rights.

# > Issue of Debentures

Companies generally borrow and raise loans by issuing debentures. The interest rate payable on debentures is fixed at the time of issue and the debentures on the property or assets of the company, which is necessary security. The company is liable to pay interest even if there are no profits. Debentures are mostly issued to finance the long-term needs of business and do not carry any voting rights.

#### SOURCES OF SHORT TERM CAPITAL

#### > Trade Credit

Companies purchase raw materials, components, shops and spare parts on credit from unique suppliers. Usually suppliers provide credit score for duration of 3 to 6 months, and as a consequence provide short-term finance to the enterprise. Availability of this form of finance is connected with the volume of business. Whilst the production and sale of products growth, there is automated growth within the quantity of purchases, and greater of exchange credit score is available.

# > Factoring

Due amount is a enterprise from clients, as a consequence of credit sale typically remain notable at some stage in the duration of credit allowed that is dues are collected from the borrowers. Book debts assigned to a bank and cash found out in advance from the financial institution. Therefore, collection of the debtors' balance is taken over by means of the bank on targeted fees by way of the company. Book debts owed assigned by the seller to a FACTOR, who will provide approximately 80 - 85 % or greater of the value of the e book debt, as enhance to the vendor. The FACTOR may also undertake the task of collecting the amount representing the debt from the debtors. Factoring is a critical avenue of raising short funds range towards the receivables for the MSME units. The fees payable to the FACTOR is treated as cost of raising the funds.

# Discounting Bills of Exchange

This method is broadly utilized by companies for raising short-time finance. When the goods are sold on credit, bills of trade are normally drawn for popularity by the buyers of goods. Rather than protecting the bills till the date of maturity, companies can discount them with business banks on charge of a price called bank discount. The rate of discount to be charged with the aid of banks is prescribed by using the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) from time to time. The amount of discount is deducted from the price of payments on the time of discounting. The cost of raising finance by way of this method is the discount charged through the bank.

# > Bank Overdraft and Cash Credit

It is a common approach followed by way of companies for assembly short-term monetary necessities. Cash credit score refers to an arrangement whereby the economic bank allows cash to be drawn as advances once in a while within a distinctive limit. This facility is granted against the safety of products in inventory, or promissory notes bearing a second signature, or different marketable units like government bonds. Overdraft is a brief arrangement with the bank which allows the enterprise to overdraw from its current deposit account with the bank as much as certain restrict. The overdraft facility is likewise granted in

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opposition to securities. The interest rate charged on cash credit and overdraft is especially a great deal higher than the interest on bank deposits..

**1.2 OBJECTIVES** This paper is intent to examine the development of MSME sector & Start-up's in India, and discussing the principle financing sources of MSME's and Startups in India. More specifically, this paper tries to analyze challenges of Indian financing startups and also financing mechanisms to support MSMEs and Startups.

# II. DEVELOPMENT OF MSME SECTOR & START-UP's

The Micro, Small and Medium business enterprise (MSME) area plays a large role in the Indian economy. A catalyst for socio-monetary transformation of the country, the arena is essential in meeting the countrywide goals of producing employment, decreasing poverty, and discouraging rural-urban migration. These businesses assist to build a thriving entrepreneurial eco-system, further to promoting the use of indigenous technologies. The sector has exhibited steady boom over the previous couple of years, however it has performed so in a confined environment regularly ensuing in inefficient resource usage. Of the many challenges impeding the boom and improvement of MSMEs, insufficient get right of entry to financial sources is one of the key bottlenecks that make those enterprises prone, particularly during periods of financial downturn. MSME sector is presently opening up in India to guide startup tasks, in particular inside the production, infrastructure and IT-enabled services area. The government is fully dedicated now to increase complete-hearted monetary and technical cooperation and aid to the entrepreneurs to peer through a increase in the startup industries; as additionally to fulfill the 'Make in India' mission of the government. Among different things, the foremost objectives of this challenge are to decorate the general monetary growth and create vast process opportunities in India.

# 2.1 Defining the MSME Sector

Definitions of SMEs regularly varies by countries and are usually based totally on the variety of personnel, the annual turnover or the value of assets of enterprises. Generally, microenterprises are defined as enterprises with up to 10 employees, small enterprises as people who have ten to 100 employees, and medium-sized businesses are of with 100 to 250 employees. Until otherwise precise, the definition of an SME that is used on this record is any enterprise with fewer than 250 employees. This includes all varieties of enterprises, no

matter their legal form (along with own family enterprises, sole proprietorships or cooperatives) or whether or not they may be formal or informal enterprises. For the sake of clarity, the term SME during, until a differentiation of sub-segments is needed. The term 'MSME' is extensively used to explain small enterprises in the private sector. Regulators and monetary institutions internationally use parameters which include employee strength, annual income, value of fixed assets, and loan length proxies to define the sector.

The development of MSME sector in our country has been regular and tremendous over the preceding decades. The number of such enterprises has improved from approximately 1.1 crore in 2001-02 to 4.1 crore units in 2009-10 and once more to 4.48 crore firms in 2014-15. The MSMEs produce greater than 7,500 merchandise and also contribute to about 35% of the India's exports. MSMEs contribute 8% of the country's GDP, 45% of the manufactured output and 40% of exports. The Government of India has delivered several important policy initiatives for aid and promotion of micro, small & medium enterprises in the country. These includes established of Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) in 1990 for promotion and financing of MSME sector, in 2000 (CGTMSE) Credit Guarantee Fund Trust of Micro and Small Enterprises was to offer credit score centers to eligible debtors and the Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) in 2008 to generate employment possibilities in rural and urban regions through new selfemployment ventures / projects / micro enterprises. As per the Fourth All India Census of MSME in 2006-07, indicate that around 60 % of these enterprises are primarily based in rural areas of the country and 45% of total manufacturing output is contributed with the aid of the MSME sector. The share of MSME sector within the total exports of India is ready 40%. In India MSME's the number of such enterprises set-up, employment generated and the investments made has proven an increasing trend over the years.

#### 2.2 Economic Contribution of MSME

It's far essential to observe that in addition to assisting catalyze the growth of the economic system; MSMEs feed massive nearby and worldwide value chains as well as local purchaser markets as providers, manufacturers, contractors, vendors, shops and service companies. They account for a huge share of industrial units, and make contributions considerably to employment in the country. MSMEs are also powerful vehicles for employment technology. India's cities were experiencing the burden of a continually developing population, comprising an ever increasing share of migrants searching for employment and livelihood. With sufficient financial and non-financial resources, in addition

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to capacity-building, the MSME area can develop and make a contribution to economic development notably higher than it is doing currently.

# 2.6 Share of MSME in the Economy

As per the MSME Annual report 2013, approximately there are 46 million Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME's) sector across various industries, which employ 106 million people. Overall, 45% of Indian business output and 40% of exports accounts in the MSME sector for Even as maximum of the world is un-organized (about 94%) which are informal and un-registered sectors, initiatives to take greater enterprises registered are properly underway. In the year 2011-15 the MSME sector contribution towards India's GDP (gross domestic product) currently stands at 8%, and is increasing at a price better than the estimated GDP growth rate. Worldwide the contribution of MSME sector to the GDP is 25-60% range. Indian MSMEs has the capacity to increase the proportion of contribution to GDP (gross domestic product) from the present 8% to approximately 15% by the year 2020. The MSME sector faces numerous limitations to their growth and to realizing their full capability. These key barriers of the sector were highlighted in the report of Prime Minister Taskforce on MSME, 2010, which include:

- ✓ Lack of availability of good enough and well timed credit score
- ✓ Excessive cost of credit score
- ✓ Collateral requirements
- ✓ Limited access to equity capital
- ✓ Problems in deliver to government departments and companies
- ✓ Procurement of raw materials at a aggressive price
- ✓ Problems of garage, designing, packaging and product display
- ✓ Lack of access to international markets
- ✓ Inadequate infrastructure facilities, which include power, water, roads, and so forth.
- ✓ Low era levels and lack of access to modern technology
- ✓ Lack of skilled manpower for production, services, advertising and marketing, etc.
- ✓ Multiplicity of labour legal guidelines and complex processes associated with compliance of such legal guidelines
- ✓ Issues related to taxation

#### III. FINANCING MECHANISMS TO SUPPORT MSMEs AND STARTUPS:

# 3.1 MSME's Access to Financial Services

Providing access to suitable financial services is a key detail in establishing smallscale enterprise clusters in rural areas. The development of micro finance institutions (MFIs) has extended the scope of financing possibilities for entrepreneurial activities, lending to small-scale entrepreneurs is often confined by using loss of resources. In most countries, MFI lending resources derive from financial savings and present current account deposits. The high value of mobilizing small savings and the need to stick to official guidelines, manner that rural-primarily based MFIs are especially concerned in providing short-term working capital loans at higher interest rates to cover their operational cost. Such higher interest rates aren't typically appropriate for small enterprise activities, which may additionally require large investments and longer amortization periods. It can be feasible to overcome the lack of resources for lending to small rural enterprises by way of increasing cooperation between commercial banks which includes development banks and the micro finance sector. In some developing countries, the forging of partnerships between business banks and MFIs is now being facilitated through institutionalization of the micro finance sector. Collaboration among MFIs and business or development banks may also be endorsed through assures mechanisms aimed at mobilizing resources for MSME development.

# 3.2 Routes of Alternative Finances for the MSMEs and the Startups

Enhancing access to cooperative finance for MSMEs, especially of their preliminary investment and the infusion of equity among its stakeholders might be a healthy manner for MSMEs to tap in to its increase and revolutionary capability. However, a huge number of MSMEs may also face an equity gap. While their initial funds will be exhausted, entrepreneurs need to gain external finance to develop their project. Financing MSME is, often taken into consideration a risky investment on account due to the low rates of return; especially in the course of the seed segment. In India, lack of great commercial enterprise evaluation another dampening component which otherwise could spend money on young innovative MSMEs. The inability to obtain early stage investment narrows down many MSMEs attaining a length; where they could entice enlargement capital, this restraint their growth. No matter these severe odds, MSMEs as sources of innovation and employment generation may be the catalyst of India's growth. So giving them the opportunity to start up,

develop and attain their potential outcome will make a vital contribution to the search of Indian economy.

# 3.3 Venture Capital for the Startups at a Take-off Stage in India

The venture capital enterprise in India continues to be at a nascent level. A good way to promote innovation, agency and conversion of scientific era and knowledge primarily based thoughts into commercial production, it's far very vital to promote venture capital activity in India. India's current achievement story in the vicinity of information technology (IT) has shown that there may be a tremendous capability for boom of information based industries. This capacity isn't most effective restrained to facts technology however is similarly relevant in numerous areas together with bio-technology, pharmaceuticals and drugs, agriculture, food processing, telecommunications, services, and many others. Given the inherent strength by means of manner of its skilled and cost competitive manpower, technology, research and entrepreneurship, with right surroundings and coverage aid, India can attain rapid economic growth and aggressive worldwide strength in a sustainable manner.

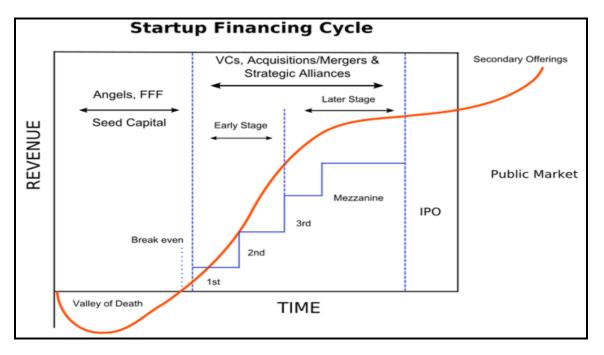
# IV. START-UP'S IN INDIA AND THEIR FUNDING

Startup companies typically are available distinctive forms; however the term is often related to high growth and technology-orientated corporations. Traders are usually attracted to those companies, due to the fact that they're prominent through their risk or reward profile and scalability. That is, they have lower decrease restoration cost and better return on investment. But, there is additionally a higher risk in the initial ranges. Many startups emerge as successful due to the fact they're greater scalable than a longtime enterprise, as they could grow hastily with restricted investment of capital and resources. Startups have several specific options for investment at various stages in their operation. A number of the maximum famous among them are Angel Investors and Venture Capitals. These alternatives assist startup enterprises start their operations, replacing cash for an equity stake. Many startups also are funded at once through the founders themselves, with the intention to keep away from any overheads. A few startups additionally choose crowd funding, wherein a collective cooperation of people is needed to pool in the finances.

# **❖** Financing a Startup

One of the principal challenges faced through an entrepreneur is financing his venture, when you consider that it is vital that the monetary needs of a business alternate

because the business faces different challenges. The entrepreneur should be able to recognize where the organization is in its life cycle, and specify which financing choice has for use. Also, he has to decide whether or not a positive choice needs to be sustained all through further ranges, or some other option must be considered, based totally on the necessities of the business enterprise. The diagram proven below illustrates the different stages in the Financing Life Cycle of a startup enterprise.



Source: http://tapmidiary.files.wordpress.com/2011/05/700px-startup\_financing\_cycle-svg.png

#### A. Seed Capital

Seed Capital is the small amount of money needed to prove that the concept of the startup is viable. It's far normally not used to begin the business on a huge scale, but to investigate its various possibilities. Seed capital is extra like a securities offering, in which the events who've a few connection to the startup, make investments the necessary finances to start the enterprise. This is completed to ensure that sufficient funds are generated so as for the startup to maintain itself for a length development, until it reaches a country in which it is able to keep funding itself, or has created enough in cost in order that it is worth of destiny funding. The people making an investment in such ventures are called Angel Investors. Seed capital options also can be generated from crowd funding.

An angel investor is often a wealthy individual, who affords capital for an enterprise start-up. That is generally executed in go back for convertible debt or possession equity. Some of angel investors had been organizing themselves into angel companies to divide research and pool their funding capital. In short, Angel capital is used to fill the gap in startup funding between buddies and own family (the acronym FFF in the diagram). A critical time period for the time among a corporation's receipt of seed capital and its establishment of a comfortable cash flow is the Death Valley curve, as shown in the diagram. During the Death Valley curve, the startup is not going to receive any extra financing. The curve refers to the excessive possibility that the company may fail during the Death Valley curve.

# B. Venture Capital

Once a startup manages to emerge out of the Valley of Death and break-even, there are two stages of financing.

# • Early stage financing

In addition to the seed capital, a certain amount of funds are needed to get the business function and operational. This start-up capital is also referred as first-stage financing and also needed the initial working capital, to assist the primary industrial sale of the start-up's products.

#### • Expansion/ Later stage financing

The second level of financing is concerned with increasing the business beyond the breakeven point and positive cash flow patterns which helps debtors, inventories, resources, and expenses. However, at this view, the venture won't have achieved a positive cash flow. For both those purposes, Venture Capital is considered. Venture capital is supplied as a funding option to early-stage start-ups, commonly after the project has been funded through angel investors. In return for their investment, venture capitalist expects a return through IPO or trade sale of the enterprise. This growing start-up will then use this money to carry out its activities, like advertisement campaign, construct infrastructure, and increase merchandise and so on. The funding company is called a venture capital firm, and the capital furnished is referred to as venture capital. The venture capital firm makes its investment in go back to owning a stake within the assignment it invests in. The corporations that a venture capital

company will put money into normally have a sound business model in vicinity. It is very normal for venture capitalists to pick out and fund corporations in excessive technology, find it irresistible companies.

# C. Initial Public Offering (IPO)

Initial Public Offering (IPO), often called as an offering, is whilst an organization troubles not unusual inventory or stocks to the general public for the primary time. This is frequently finished with the aid of a start-up that has started out making income through budget acquired from venture Capitals, and now wants to enlarge greater. Whilst a startup lists its shares, it generally appears to issue additional new shares at the identical time. The money paid by means of buyers for those new stocks goes to the organization, in contrast to a later alternate of the stocks on the change, in which the money passes among buyers. Thus, an IPO permits a startup to faucet a huge pool of investors, and to provide it with large volumes of capital for growth and destiny boom. The organization does not should repay the capital, however the new shareholders have a proper to the destiny profits dispensed by way of the agency, and additionally the right to a economic distribution in case of dissolution of the business enterprise, the present shareholders might see their percentage-holdings diluted with admire to the organization's shares while such new shares are issued, but they desire that the capital funding will improve their shareholdings and cause them to greater precious in absolute phrases. IPOs also contain some funding banks, called underwriters. The enterprise imparting its stocks (issuer) symptoms an agreement with a lead underwriter to sell its stocks to the traders. An IPO can once in a while be a unstable investment with admire to a start-up. For character traders, it is hard to predict what the shares will do on its preliminary buying and selling day and in the next days, due to the fact that there's regularly little ancient records approximately a start-up, with which you'll be able to analyze and are available to a selection.

## **B.** Debt Financing

#### Loan from Banks & NBFCs

Loans from banks and NBFCs help finance the acquisition of inventory and equipment, besides securing working capital and budget for enlargement. More significantly, unlike a VC or angels, which have a fairness stake, banks do no longer searching for

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ownership in your challenge. However, there are several drawbacks of such funding alternative. No longer handiest do you pay interest on mortgage however it additionally must be accomplished on time no matter how your enterprise is faring.

# • External Commercial Borrowings

External Commercial Borrowings (ECB) in shape of bank loans, consumers' credit score, suppliers' credit score, securitized instruments (e.g. non-convertible, optionally convertible or in part convertible preference shares, floating rate notes (FRN) and fixed charge bonds can also be benefited from non-resident lenders to fund the enterprise requirement of an enterprise. ECB may be obtained under two paths, which are (i) automated direction; and (ii) Approval course depending upon the class of eligible borrower and diagnosed lender, amount of ECB availed, average maturity period and other relevant issue. ECB raised has also sure quit use regulations along with that it can't be used for (a) on lending or funding in capital market; (b) acquiring a business enterprise in India; (c) real property quarter etc. beneath ECB also the borrower wishes to create sure charge on intangible assets, tangible belongings, financial securities and difficulty of company and / or private ensures in aid of overseas lender or security trustee, to comfortable the ECB raised by way of the borrower, subject to compliance of positive conditions as prescribed beneath ECB guidelines regulated by Reserve bank of India (RBI). The documentation on similar traces as cited under bank loan segment above will need to be finished.

#### • **CGTMSE Loans**

The Credit Guarantee Trust for Micro and Small Enterprises scheme released by Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) and Government of India to encourage entrepreneurs, where in one can still get loans of up to 1 crore without any collateral security. Any new and existing micro and small enterprise can take the loan below the scheme from all Scheduled Commercial Banks (SCBs) and specified Regional Rural Banks (RRBs), NSIC, NEDFi, and SIDBI, which have signed an agreement with the credit guarantee trust.

# Crowd Funding

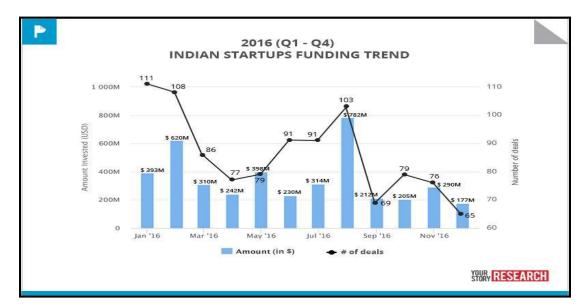
Crowd funding is as solicitation of finances (small amount) from more than one trader through a web-primarily based platform or social networking web page for a specific

project, enterprise assignment or social reason. The entrepreneur can earn money for his venture through showcasing his concept before a massive group of people and looking to persuade people of its software and achievement. Wishberry.in and Catapooolt are some amongst many such forums working or present in India. Entrepreneur wishes to position up on a portal of which is need to encompass the enterprise concept, its effect, the rewards for investors as it should be carried by relevant images and movies of the project. In India Crowd funding is providing a framework to allow start-ups and MSMEs to elevate early stage capital in quite small sums from a wide investor base.

# Incubators

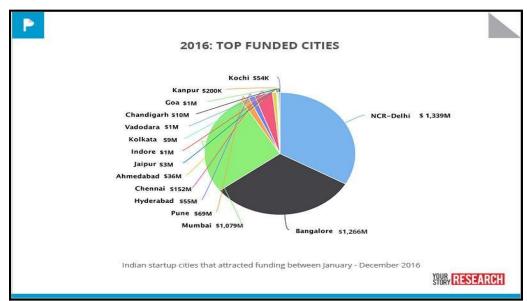
Incubators offer workplace area, administrative aid, prison compliances, management training, mentoring and get right of entry to industry professionals in addition to investment via angel investors or VCs. those are usually government-supported institutes just like the IIMs or IITs, technical institutes or private business incubators run via enterprise veterans or groups. These set-ups precede the seed funding level and help the entrepreneur develop a business concept or make a prototype by using imparting sources and offerings in alternate for an equity stake starting from 2-10% and the incubation duration can be 2-3 years and admission is rigorous.

Indian startups noticed \$4 billion in danger capital being deployed across 1,040 angel and VC/PE deals among January and December 2016. The disclosed investment announcements have proven a reduced value of 55% from the same period (2015) and a lower of 20% from 2014. About \$9 billion in VC/PE capital were invested in 2015. The range of offers in 2016, however, has improved through 3% over closing year. On a median, 4 startup deals were introduced every weekday throughout 2016. In the end, the year wasn't handiest about the gloom and doom; investment hasn't dried up, it just. The number of offers in 2016, but, has extended with the aid of 3% over remaining 12 months. On a mean, 4 startup offers had been introduced each weekday during 2016. After all, the yr wasn't most effective about the gloom and doom; funding hasn't dried up, it simply waned after remaining yr's exuberance. The down rounds have commonly been escaped in 2016.



## Source: Your Story Research

Top funded cities like Delhi, Noida, and Gurgaon (NCR-Delhi) noticed 33.3% of the overall deal price, even as 31.4% went to Bengaluru-primarily based startups, accompanied by using 26.8% to Mumbai-primarily based startups. Chennai, Pune, and Hyderabad acquired 3.8%, 1.7% and 1.4% of the deal cost respectively. Different cities which can be emerging as startup hubs and generating investor are Ahmedabad, Jaipur, Indore, Kolkata, and Vadodara.



Source: Your Story Research

35.4% of the overall offers had been introduced from the NCR-Delhi vicinity, 28.5% of the deals had been made in Bengaluru, and 18.2% in Mumbai. Different cities which have seen an amazing quantity of offers are Pune, Hyderabad, and Chennai, which noticed 4.6%, 3.5%, and 3.1% of the total offers respectively.

# CONCLUSION

In nowadays instances, a start-up agency in India has unique options to finance and maintain itself via the initial intervals. Angel buyers come into the photograph while a beginup has not yet started making earnings. These are human beings, who are normally wealthy and have faith within the employer, in return for ownership equity or convertible debt. Venture Capitalists offer funds to a business enterprise in its boom degree, provided it has a strong organizational and technological model in area. Venture Capitalists count on high returns on their investments as a way to counter the excessive dangers concerned, and anticipate an eventual attention of their investments while the organization troubles an IPO, or goes in for a merger/acquisition. IPOs are supplied by using a enterprise while its miles notably stable and making appropriate profits, and desires to enlarge in addition through public investments. Despite the fact that there may be no collateral or assure supplied to the general public investors, the organization is expected to give them a share of the income, or a capital distribution in case of dissolution of the corporation. Consequently, an entrepreneur has to investigate numerous situations before selecting a financing alternative, or determining when to transport from one option to another; the perfect decision taken at the precise time can result in wonderful benefits, not only for the begin-up assignment and the entrepreneur, but also for all of the stakeholders worried.

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