

SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES

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These are the industrial undertakings having fixed investment in plant and machinery. For the development of small scale industries in the state, there is a Directorate of Industries under which district industries centers are included at district level.

Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) in Uttar Pradesh

In Uttar Pradesh Micro, Small and Medium Development Institutions are located in Kanpur, Agra, Prayagraj and Varanasi.

MSME and Export Promotion Department

It was established for the economic development of the state. State Government has been devoting considerable attention to the growth of industries by creating necessary infrastructure to ensure sustained industrialization in Uttar Pradesh. Some of its objective are:

- To ensure the growth rate of 12 percent per annum in the MSME area.
- Doubling the export from the state in the next 5 years.

- Generating maximum employment by establishing MSME units in Bundelkhand and Purvanchal areas.
- Qualitative development in the MSME sector through Export Infrastructure Development Scheme, Cluster Development Scheme and Technical Upgradation Scheme.
- Promotion and Protection of traditional handicrafts.