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भारत की अंतरिक्ष यात्रा ने विज्ञान, प्रौद्योगिकी और मानव आकांक्षाओं की सीमाओं को नए सिरे से परिभाषित किया है। चंद्रयान-3 की चाँद पर ऐतिहासिक सफलता से लेकर आदित्य एल-1 के सूर्य मिशन तक, हर उपलब्धि ने भारत की वैश्विक नेतृत्व क्षमता को सशक्त बनाया है। मध्य प्रदेश स्पेसटेक नीति 2026 हमारे राज्य का इस परिवर्तनकारी क्षेत्र में साहसिक प्रवेश है, जो मध्य प्रदेश को वर्ष 2033 तक भारत की 44 अरब डॉलर की स्पेसटेक से जुड़ी अर्थव्यवस्था में एक प्रमुख भागीदार के रूप में स्थापित करेगा।

यह नीति केवल प्रौद्योगिकी की दृष्टि नहीं बल्कि हमारी सभ्यता की गौरवशाली परंपरा का विस्तार भी है। उज्जैन, जिसे प्राचीन भारत का "ग्रीनविच" कहा जाता था, कभी खगोल विज्ञान का विश्व प्रसिद्ध केंद्र रहा है, जहाँ वराहमिहिर जैसे महान विद्वानों ने गणितीय खगोल विज्ञान और आकाशीय अध्ययन की नींव रखी थी। उज्जैन में "आर एंड डी सेंटर फॉर एस्ट्रोफिजिक्स एंड स्पेस साइंस" की स्थापना के माध्यम से मध्य प्रदेश इस महान परंपरा को पुनर्जीवित कर रहा है, जहाँ प्राचीन भारतीय ज्ञान आधुनिक अंतरिक्ष अनुसंधान से जुड़ता है।

मध्य प्रदेश स्पेसटेक नीति 2026 नवाचार को प्रोत्साहित करने, निवेश आकर्षित करने और रोजगार सृजन के लिए एक महत्वपूर्ण फ्रेमवर्क प्रस्तुत करती है। यह नीति उपग्रह निर्माण, प्रणोदन प्रणालियों, प्रक्षेपण अवसंरचना, डाटा विश्लेषण और कृषि, जल संसाधन प्रबंधन, आपदा प्रबंधन तथा शहरी नियोजन जैसे अनुप्रयोग क्षेत्रों को बढ़ावा देगी। साथ ही, यह अनुसंधान, कौशल विकास और उद्यमिता पर विशेष बल देती है ताकि विद्यार्थी, स्टार्टअप और उद्योग मिलकर ऐसे समाधान विकसित करें जो वैश्विक स्तर पर प्रतिस्पर्धी भी हों और स्थानीय आवश्यकताओं के अनुरूप भी।

"अंतरिक्ष विहार" नामक स्पेस एक्सप्लोरेशन पार्क और "मिशन कल्पना" राज्यव्यापी छात्र सहभागिता कार्यक्रम जैसे प्रमुख उपक्रमों के माध्यम से हम युवाओं में जिज्ञासा, वैज्ञानिक दृष्टिकोण और नवाचार-आधारित विकास को प्रोत्साहित करना चाहते हैं।

मध्य प्रदेश स्पेसटेक नीति 2026 यह संदेश देती है कि भविष्य उन्हीं का है जो सीमाओं के पार सोचने और नए क्षितिजों को छूने का साहस रखते हैं। अपनी गौरवशाली वैज्ञानिक विरासत और आधुनिक नवाचार को साथ लेकर मध्य प्रदेश भारत की अंतरिक्ष प्रगति में नई उड़ान भरने को तैयार है।

- डॉ. मोहन यादव
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Government of Madhya Pradesh



Message from Chief Secretary

Government of Madhya Pradesh

The Madhya Pradesh SpaceTech Policy 2026 is a strategic and timely initiative that positions the state in alignment with the Indian Space Policy and the Government of India's vision to expand the national space economy to \$44 billion by 2033. It reflects Madhya Pradesh's resolve to contribute meaningfully to India's emergence as a global space leader and to drive scientific, industrial, and societal transformation through innovation.

This policy integrates the upstream, midstream, and downstream dimensions of the space ecosystem from satellite and launch vehicle manufacturing to mission management, ground infrastructure, and the use of space data for governance, sustainability, and commercial innovation. By doing so, it complements national reforms under IN-SPACe that encourage private sector participation and public-private collaboration in the space sector.

Madhya Pradesh brings unique advantages to this national mission. The state hosts premier institutions alongside industrial corridors and electronics manufacturing clusters that are well-suited for precision engineering, satellite integration, and component manufacturing. These institutional and industrial capabilities, combined with a progressive governance ecosystem and investor-friendly infrastructure, position Madhya Pradesh as a competitive destination for SpaceTech enterprises.

The policy also reflects the State Government's commitment to inclusive growth. It envisions the creation of high-skilled jobs, new academic pathways, and opportunities for youth and startups to participate in global technology ecosystems. The establishment of Centres of Excellence, Space Manufacturing Parks, and skill development initiatives will help bridge the talent and technology gap, ensuring that the benefits of space science extend beyond laboratories into industries and communities.

Through this policy, Madhya Pradesh seeks not only to complement India's national goals but also to elevate the country's global positioning in the new frontier of space economy. It symbolizes our collective aspiration to make Madhya Pradesh a vital part of India's space success story.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Anurag Jain'.

- **Anurag Jain**
Chief Secretary
Government of Madhya Pradesh



Government of Madhya Pradesh



Message from the Additional Chief Secretary

Department of Science & Technology, Government of Madhya Pradesh

The Madhya Pradesh SpaceTech Policy 2026 is a pioneering step in establishing a state-level framework that bridges research, innovation, manufacturing, and education in the rapidly expanding domain of space technology. Conceived under the visionary leadership of Hon'ble Chief Minister Dr. Mohan Yadav, this policy underscores the Department of Science & Technology's commitment to transforming Madhya Pradesh into a vibrant and self-reliant SpaceTech ecosystem..

The policy's foundation rests on four key pillars: Innovation & R&D, Industry & Startup Support, Skill Development, and Infrastructure Creation. Through these pillars, the State Government aims to enable collaboration between industry, academia, and research organizations to drive indigenous innovation and promote global partnerships.

Madhya Pradesh's scientific ecosystem already possesses the necessary depth and diversity to lead this transformation. IIT Indore: the only IIT in India offering a B.Tech program in Space Engineering serves as a cornerstone for advanced research and talent development. IISER Bhopal contributes expertise in astrophysics and computational modelling, while RRCAT Indore and CSIR AMPRI Bhopal provide critical capabilities in optics, laser systems, materials, and composites essential for space-grade technologies. The Global Skills Park and MPCST play a key role in translating research into applied learning, ensuring a continuous supply of skilled professionals and innovators.

Implementation will be spearheaded by MPSEDC as the nodal agency, supported by a dedicated facilitation mechanism ensuring ease of doing business for startups and investors. Financial instruments like the Matching Fund Model and Design Linked Incentives have been designed to support commercial innovation and attract anchor investments in the sector.

With a 10-year policy horizon, the Madhya Pradesh SpaceTech Policy 2026 envisions attracting investments worth ₹900 crore, enabling 30 new space startups, and creating over 2,000 highly skilled jobs in the state. Through this initiative, Madhya Pradesh seeks to emerge as India's foremost Tier-2 SpaceTech hub: one that honors our astronomical heritage while leading the next chapter of India's technological future.

- **Sanjay Dubey**
Additional Chief Secretary

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List of Abbreviations

- i. **AMPRI** - Advanced Materials and Processes Research Institute
- ii. **BEL** - Bharat Electronics Limited
- iii. **CCIP** - Cabinet Committee on Investment Promotion
- iv. **CETP** - Common Effluent Treatment Plant
- v. **CSIR** - Council of Scientific and Industrial Research
- vi. **DLI** - Design Linked Incentive
- vii. **FEA** - Finite Element Analysis
- viii. **FOG** - Fiber Optic Gyroscope
- ix. **GNC** - Guidance, Navigation, and Control
- x. **ISR** - Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance
- xi. **MMSKY** - Mukhya Mantri Seekho Kamao Yojana
- xii. **MPCST** - Madhya Pradesh Council of Science & Technology
- xiii. **MPSEDC** - Madhya Pradesh State Electronics Development Corporation
- xiv. **MPSSDEGB** - Madhya Pradesh State Skill Development and Employment Generation Board
- xv. **NGP** - Norms, Guidelines, and Procedures
- xvi. **OEM** - Original Equipment Manufacturer
- xvii. **PNT** - Positioning, Navigation & Timing
- xviii. **RF** - Radio Frequency
- xix. **SatCom** - Satellite Communications
- xx. **SCVT** - State Council for Vocational Training
- xxi. **SI** - System Integrator
- xxii. **TDF** - Technology Development Fund
- xxiii. **TT&C** - Telemetry, Tracking, and Command
- xxiv. **UAS** - Unmanned Aerial Systems
- xxv. **UAV** - Unmanned Aerial Vehicle

II. Scope & Coverage

The MP SpaceTech Policy 2026 shall extend incentives to enterprises engaged in **upstream, midstream, and downstream space activities, including emerging and strategic domains**. Eligible units must demonstrate active involvement in one or more of the following focus areas, aligned with Madhya Pradesh's industrial, academic, and governance ecosystem.

A. Upstream Segment

Activities related to the **design, development, manufacturing, testing, launching, and monitoring** of space systems and infrastructure.

- i. **Satellite and Launch Vehicle Manufacturers:** Entities developing propulsion systems, payloads, avionics, structural components, and launch infrastructure. MP's Defence Corridor (Jabalpur) and Pithampur Auto & Aero Cluster offer precision engineering capabilities for these.
- ii. **Space Asset Developers:** Companies working on space stations, space tourism, in-orbit servicing, space mining, and orbital transfer vehicles.
- iii. **AIT Facilities and Space Manufacturing Parks:** Units setting up or operating facilities for spacecraft component fabrication, Assembly, Integration, and Testing (AIT), and simulation. MPSEDC and IIT Indore's CoE will support such initiatives.
- iv. **Software and Simulation Providers:** Firms offering spacecraft design, calibration, and mission simulation tools, supported by MP's Electronics Manufacturing Cluster and HPC infrastructure.

The upstream segment under the MP SpaceTech Policy shall encompass, but not be limited to, the following activities:

- **Design, manufacturing, assembly, integration, and testing** of components and sub-systems for launch vehicles, including:
 - Structural systems, Propulsion systems, Attitude Determination and Control Systems (ADCS), Avionics, Telemetry, Tracking, and Command (TT&C) systems, Power systems, Guidance, Navigation, and Control (GNC) systems, Thermal control systems, Separation and destruct mechanisms, other mission-critical subsystems.
- **Development and integration of satellite systems**, including:
 - Payload systems, Satellite bus platforms, Structural and propulsion systems, Attitude and Orbit Control Systems (AOCS), TT&C systems, Power and thermal control systems, GNC systems.
- **Ground segment infrastructure**, including:
 - Antenna and Radio Frequency (RF) systems, Signal processing and control systems, Ground-based Space Situational Awareness (SSA) and Space Domain Awareness (SDA) stations, Master Control Centres and Ground Stations.

B. Midstream Segment

Activities that bridge upstream manufacturing and downstream applications, focusing on **launch services, mission operations, and data transmission.**

- i. **Launch Service Providers:** Entities offering commercial launch services, including suborbital and orbital launches, leveraging MP's strategic location and logistics infrastructure.
- ii. **Mission Operations and Control Centres:** Facilities managing satellite operations, telemetry, and command systems, ensuring seamless communication between ground and space assets.
- iii. **Data Transmission and Ground Station Networks:** Providers of satellite data downlink services, ground station networks, and secure communication links for space missions.
- iv. **Space Traffic Management:** Systems for coordinating and monitoring space traffic, ensuring collision avoidance and orbital safety.
- v. **Space Situational Awareness (SSA) and Debris Management:** Developers of SSA/SDA systems, space robotics, refuelling missions, and quantum-enabled space solutions.

The midstream segment under the MP SpaceTech Policy shall encompass, but not be limited to, the following activities:

- **Launch and mission management**, including:
 - Launch vehicle integration, Mission planning and execution, Payload deployment, post launch support.
- **Ground station operations**, including:
 - Data reception and processing, Telemetry and command services, Network coordination.
- **Space traffic and debris monitoring**, including:
 - Collision avoidance systems, Orbital tracking, Debris mitigation services.



C. Downstream Segment

Applications and services that utilize satellite data and infrastructure to deliver commercial, strategic, or governance value.

- i. **Earth Observation (EO):** Platforms for satellite imagery analysis, geospatial intelligence, and sector-specific insights (agriculture, water management, disaster resilience, urban planning). MP's Smart Cities Mission and Kisan Drone initiatives are key beneficiaries.
- ii. **Satellite Communications (SatCom):** Developers of ground segment equipment, broadband platforms, IoT connectivity, and emergency communication systems.
- iii. **Positioning, Navigation & Timing (PNT):** Providers of precision timing, asset tracking, and integrated logistics solutions.
- iv. **Data Analytics and Visualization:** Enterprises using AI/ML, big data, and cloud computing to derive actionable insights from satellite data. Supported by IISER Bhopal and Global Skills Park.

In addition, the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall promote a **Digital Public Infrastructure(DPI)** approach to enable seamless access to space-derived data and services. This will include the development of:

- Shared data repositories and analytics platforms.
- Integration tools for public and private sector applications.
- Research environments for academic and startup-led innovation.

These initiatives will empower government departments, startups, MSMEs, and academic institutions to discover, consume, and build upon space-based datasets and services, fostering inclusive innovation and socio-economic impact across the state.

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D. Eligibility Criteria

To qualify for any incentives, units must:

- i. Indian Non-Government Entities (NGEs) recognized by IN-SPACE, as defined under the Indian Space Policy 2023 and its associated Norms, Guidelines, and Procedures.
- ii. Indian entities registered as vendors to ISRO, with documented proof of supplying goods or services relevant to the focus sectors of this policy within the last three (3) years.
- iii. Indian entities registered as vendors to global space Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) or System Integrators (SIs), with documented proof of supplying relevant goods or services over the past five (5) years.
- iv. Non-Indian entities that are globally recognized OEMs, SIs, or component manufacturers in the space sector, with documented proof of supplying relevant goods or services over the past five (5) years. Their participation in Indian projects shall require prior authorization from IN-SPACE, as per the Indian Space Policy 2023.
- v. Startups/entities in the space-tech sector recognized by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), provided they:
 - a. Maintain a physical office in Madhya Pradesh.
 - b. Demonstrate relevance to the focus sectors of this policy through supporting documents such as Chartered Accountant (CA) certificates, Work orders, Invoices
 - c. Proof of deployment of space-related solutions (if applicable) and are registered with INSPACE (if engaged in space activities requiring authorization).
- vi. All applicants must submit supporting documentation (such as CA certificates, work orders, invoices, or proof of deployment) to establish relevance to the focus sectors of this policy.
- vii. All companies, entities, or enterprises seeking benefits under this policy must thoroughly review the provisions and comply with the requirements outlined in the policy and its operational guidelines.
- viii. Any applicant (apart from start-ups) must be registered under the relevant commercial laws of Madhya Pradesh, such as the Madhya Pradesh Shops and Establishments Act or the Factories Act, at the time of application.
- ix. The Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of Madhya Pradesh, shall operationalize an online registration mechanism for space sector companies and entities. Only those registered through this mechanism shall be eligible to apply for incentives under this policy. Detailed registration guidelines will be issued as part of the operational framework.



1. Background

The **global space economy**, valued at approximately **USD 600 billion**, is projected to exceed **USD 1.8 trillion by 2040**, driven by advancements in satellite technology, miniaturization, and private sector participation. At present, the **Indian space economy** is valued at approximately **USD 8.4 billion** and the Indian government envisions scaling the space economy to **USD 44 billion by 2033**, including US \$11 billion in exports amounting to 7-8% of the global share, through reforms like the Indian Space Policy 2023 and IN-SPACE. The sector is transitioning from government-led to a public-private model, fostering innovation in satellite manufacturing, launch services, earth observation, and downstream applications.

States like Karnataka and Telangana have already established robust SpaceTech ecosystems, leveraging their aerospace and IT strengths. Karnataka's policy focuses on skill development, infrastructure, and innovation, while Telangana emphasizes PPP models, testing facilities, and downstream applications. Madhya Pradesh, with its defense corridor, precision manufacturing hubs (Pithampur), and academic institutions (IIT Indore), is uniquely positioned to emerge as a competitive player in this sector.

The **MP SpaceTech Policy 2026** seeks to capitalize on these opportunities by fostering **R&D, manufacturing, and commercialization**, aligning with national goals while addressing state-specific needs such as **agriculture, disaster management, and urban planning** through space-based solutions.



2. India's Space Sector: Legacy of Innovation and Global Leadership

Over the years, India's space sector has achieved extraordinary milestones, showcasing its technological excellence and strategic importance. The Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has established itself as a global leader, renowned for its cost-effective and reliable missions. From deploying satellites for communication, navigation, and earth observation to pioneering interplanetary missions like **Mangalyaan (Mars Orbiter Mission)**, India became the **first Asian nation and fourth in the world** to reach Martian orbit.

The historic success of **Chandrayaan-3**, which achieved a soft landing on the Moon's South Pole, has unlocked new opportunities for international collaboration and commercialization of space technologies. India has already partnered with space agencies from the **USA, UK, Singapore, Germany**, and other nations, launching **429 foreign satellites** and generating **\$174 million in revenue**.

India's growing self-reliance in space technology is evident through its advanced satellite fleet, including:

- **Navigation Satellites** – Indian Regional Navigation Satellite System (IRNSS)
- **Communication Satellites** – GSAT series
- **Space Exploration** – Aditya L-1, India's first solar mission, reinforcing its commitment to scientific discovery.

The space sector's impact extends across critical industries such as **agriculture, transportation, telecommunications, and disaster management**, driving innovation through cutting-edge research. With an estimated **\$44 billion market potential by 2033**, India aims to capture **8% of the global space economy**, targeting **\$11 billion in exports**. To accelerate growth, the government has introduced key reforms, including the **Indian Space Policy 2023**, fostering public-private partnerships and empowering startups. These initiatives aim to enhance technological advancements while contributing to socio economic development. This dynamic evolution positions India as a formidable player in the global space arena, blending innovation, affordability, and strategic collaborations.



3. Need for SpaceTech Policy for Madhya Pradesh

Madhya Pradesh (MP) is strategically positioned to emerge as a leading hub for **space technology (SpaceTech) innovation, manufacturing, and applications**. The state's existing strengths in **academia, industry, and governance** provide a robust foundation to develop a thriving SpaceTech ecosystem. A dedicated **Madhya Pradesh SpaceTech Policy** is essential to harness these advantages, address critical gaps, and position the state as a key contributor to India's **\$44 billion space economy by 2033**.

3.1. Strategic Advantages of Madhya Pradesh

3.1.1. Academic & Research Excellence

Madhya Pradesh hosts premier institutions that can drive **SpaceTech R&D and skill development**:

- **IIT Indore** – Offers India's **first B.Tech in Space Engineering**, along with advanced research in satellite systems, propulsion, and AI-driven space analytics.
- **IISER Bhopal** – Strong focus on **astrophysics, remote sensing, and computational modelling** for space applications.
- **Raja Ramanna Centre for Advanced Technology (RRCAT), Indore** – Specializes in **optics, laser technology, and advanced materials**, critical for satellite payloads and sensors.
- **Madhya Pradesh Council of Science & Technology (MPCST)** – As the apex science and technology body of the state, MPCST plays a pivotal role in promoting applied research and innovation. Its Remote Sensing Applications Centre supports geospatial analytics, satellite imagery interpretation, and spatial data infrastructure for agriculture, water resources, and disaster management. MPCST also facilitates policy advisory, infrastructure development, and scientific outreach aligned with SpaceTech objectives.
- **BEL Centre of Excellence, IT Park Sinhasa** – An initiative of Bharat Electronics Limited focusing on advanced electronics, embedded systems, and secure communication technologies. The center supports the development of defence-grade communication platforms, aligning with national security and space exploration goals.
- **CSIR-Advanced Materials and Processes Research Institute (AMPRI), Bhopal** – A premier national research institute under CSIR, AMPRI focuses on advanced materials, composites, and lightweight alloys essential for space-grade structures. Its expertise in nanomaterials, metallurgy, and structural engineering supports the development of satellite components, launch vehicle parts, and thermal protection systems.
- **Global Skills Park, Bhopal** – A state-of-the-art skill development hub with potential to offer specialized training programs in **space drone technology and space data analytics**, bridging the industry-academia gap.



3.1.2. Manufacturing & Industrial Readiness

Madhya Pradesh offers a **robust industrial ecosystem** with specialized infrastructure, supply chain advantages, and sectoral synergies that position it as an ideal hub for **SpaceTech manufacturing and innovation**.

i. State-of-the-Art Industrial Infrastructure

- 322 Industrial Parks (including 208 MSME parks) with plug-and-play facilities.
- Multi-Modal Logistics Park – Streamlined supply chains for raw materials (e.g., rare earth metals from MP's titanium theme park).
- Power Surplus (31 GW) – Competitive tariffs for energy-intensive space manufacturing.

ii. Electronics Manufacturing Expertise

- Electronics Manufacturing Cluster (EMC) – One of India's first EMCs supports space-grade PCB fabrication, semiconductor packaging, and radiation-hardened electronics.

iii. Aerospace & Defence Synergies

- Defence Industrial Corridor (Jabalpur) – Hosts ordnance factories, ammunition manufacturers, and R&D units, providing a ready base for space-grade propulsion systems, avionics, and structural components.
- DRDO & ISRO Collaborations – Existing partnerships with RRCAT (Indore) and Defence PSUs for advanced materials (e.g., composites, titanium) critical for space applications.

iv. Auto Sector's Precision Engineering Legacy

- Pithampur Auto Hub – Capabilities in CNC machining, casting, and lightweight alloy fabrication can be repurposed for spacecraft components and ground support equipment. Asia's largest automotive test track and precision engineering units can be leveraged for satellite chassis, launch vehicle assemblies, and thermal protection systems.
- EV & Battery Tech – Growing ecosystem for energy storage solutions applicable to satellite power systems.

v. Pharmaceutical and BioTech Expertise

- 300+ pharma companies exporting to 160+ countries, 5th largest Indian state in terms of pharma exports. Cleanroom facilities and sterile manufacturing processes align with satellite AIT (Assembly, Integration, Testing) requirements.
- Medical Device Park (Medical device park in Vikram Udyogopuri Ujjain) – Expertise in high precision instrumentation (sensors, optics) adaptable for satellite payloads.



3.1.3. Government Initiatives Aligning with SpaceTech

MP's focus on **emerging technologies** complements SpaceTech growth:

- **Madhya Pradesh Drone Promotion and Usage Policy, 2025** – Synergies in unmanned aerial systems (UAS) and satellite-based surveillance.
- **MP Startup Policy, 2025** – Supports SpaceTech startups with funding, incubation, and mentorship.
- **Aerospace and Defence Production Policy, 2025** – Aims to strengthen existing industrial infrastructure and develop new facilities for aerospace and defence manufacturing.
- **Biotechnology Policy, 2025** – Leveraging biotech innovations for space-grade materials, life support systems, and sustainable space agriculture through cross-sector R&D and infrastructure
- **Electric Vehicle Manufacturing Policy, 2025** – Accelerating the adoption of electric vehicles and developing hubs for EV Manufacturing and its associated ecosystem.
- **Medical Devices Policy, 2025** – Emphasis on establishing and expanding medical device manufacturing units which includes electrical medical devices (ECG Machines, MRI, CT scanners, ultrasound devices etc.).
- **Renewable Energy Equipment Manufacturing Policy, 2025**- Synergies in manufacturing of solar components and energy storage systems.

3.1.4. Downstream Applications for Socio-Economic Impact

Space-based technologies are transforming key sectors like agriculture, water resources, disaster management, and urban planning through applications such as satellite monitoring, remote sensing, and GIS mapping. These innovations lead to improved efficiency, sustainability, and faster response times.

This list is not limited and continues to grow as technology evolves.

Sector	SpaceTech Applications	Impact
Agriculture	Satellite-based crop monitoring, soil health analysis, and precision farming.	Increased yield, reduced water wastage.
Water Resources	Remote sensing for groundwater mapping and flood forecasting.	Better resource management.
Disaster Mgmt.	Real-time satellite imagery for cyclone tracking, landslide prediction.	Faster emergency response.
Urban Planning	GIS mapping for infrastructure development, traffic management.	Sustainable cities.

4. Vision

To establish Madhya Pradesh as a leading destination for SpaceTech innovation, manufacturing, and application-driven solutions, contributing to India's global space economy.



5. Objectives

- i. **Develop infrastructure** for satellite/launch vehicle manufacturing, advanced materials and testing, ground communication and data analytics etc.
- ii. **Enhance skilling** via specialized courses and industry-aligned training and create **high-skilled jobs** in this sector.
- iii. **Foster R&D** through academia-industry collaboration and CoEs.
- iv. **Promote adoption** of space technologies in governance (agriculture, urban planning, disaster management).
- v. Attract around **30 Spacetech Startups/companies, investment of ₹ 1000 Crore** and a **direct employment generation of 2000 highly skilled people** in next 5 years



6. Policy Implementation, Coverage, and Validity

6.1. Policy Validity

The MP SpaceTech Policy 2026 shall remain in force for a period of ten (10) years from the date of its official notification by the Government of Madhya Pradesh, unless extended, amended, or superseded by a subsequent policy issued by the Department of Science and Technology (DoST), Government of Madhya Pradesh.

6.2. Policy Amendments and Guidelines

- i. The Department of Science and Technology shall be the competent authority to issue clarifications, amendments, and operational guidelines from time to time to ensure effective implementation of the policy.
- ii. All such amendments shall be notified through official government channels and shall be binding on all stakeholders.
- iii. The Department shall ensure that all rules and procedures are transparent, consistent, and user friendly, with a focus on ease of access and compliance for startups, MSMEs, academic institutions, and large enterprises.

6.3. Policy Facilitation and Nodal Agency

- i. The Department of Science and Technology shall act as the apex coordinating body for inter departmental collaboration and policy oversight.
- ii. The Madhya Pradesh State Electronics Development Corporation (MPSEDC) shall serve as the Nodal Agency for the implementation of the MP SpaceTech Policy 2026.
- iii. A dedicated Facilitation Cell shall be established within MPSEDC to:
 - Provide end-to-end support to startups, MSMEs, and investors.
 - Assist in obtaining regulatory approvals, land allotment, and testing access.
 - Serve as a single-window interface for all policy-related services and grievance redressal.



6.4. Operational Provisions

i. No Duplication of Benefits

Enterprises that have availed benefits under any other investment promotion policy of the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall not be eligible to claim incentives under this policy, irrespective of the scheme or department, unless explicitly permitted.

ii. Online Application and Disbursement System

All applications for incentives shall be submitted through a dedicated **Policy Incentives Portal**, managed by MPSEDC.

- The portal shall operate on a **“No Query” model**: once an application is submitted with all required documents and is accepted, no further queries shall be raised unless discrepancies are found during verification.
- The portal shall also provide real-time tracking, automated alerts, and a digital dashboard for applicants.

iii. Compliance with National Regulations

All entities availing benefits under this policy must comply with applicable national regulations, including but not limited to:

- Indian Space Policy 2023 and its Norms, Guidelines, and Procedures (NGP) issued by IN-SPACe.
- Environmental, safety, and quality standards prescribed by ISRO, DRDO, and BIS etc.
- Any future amendments or sector-specific rules issued by the Government of India.

7. Appeals and Dispute Resolution

- i. The **Additional Chief Secretary / Principal Secretary / Secretary**, Department of Science and Technology, Government of Madhya Pradesh, shall be the **Appellate Authority** for all matters related to the interpretation, implementation, and dispute resolution under this policy.
- ii. Appeals must be submitted in writing within 30 days of the disputed decision, along with supporting documents.
- iii. The decision of the Appellate Authority shall be final and binding.

8. Key Pillars & Incentives

8.1. Innovation & R&D

Innovation and research form the cornerstone of Madhya Pradesh's SpaceTech ambitions. By fostering cutting-edge research in satellite systems, propulsion, and space analytics, the state aims to build indigenous capabilities that align with national and global space missions. Institutions like IIT Indore, CSIR-AMPRI and RRCAT Indore offer a strong foundation for advanced R&D in optics, advanced materials, and AI-driven analytics. This pillar is crucial for Madhya Pradesh to transition from a consumer of space technologies to a developer of original solutions.

8.1.1. Centre of Excellence (CoE) for SpaceTech

The Government of Madhya Pradesh shall establish an integrated Centre of Excellence (CoE) and Incubation Network for SpaceTech, to be anchored at **a national institute of importance as the central Hub**. This integrated entity will combine advanced R&D with grassroots entrepreneurship, creating a seamless pipeline from innovation to commercialization.

i. Structure: The Hub & Spoke Model

- **The Hub** : The central Hub will be the nerve center, housing advanced R&D facilities, core technical expertise, and the primary incubation program for high-potential, deep-tech startups.
- **The Spoke Network**: A network of state engineering colleges and universities across Madhya Pradesh (e.g., in Bhopal, Gwalior, Jabalpur, Indore, Ujjain, Sagar, Rewa) will act as regional Spokes. These Spokes will focus on grassroots awareness, primary mentorship, prototype development, and funnelling top-tier talent and ideas to the central Hub.

ii. Key Functions

a) Advanced R&D & Prototyping

- Host the **SmallSat Digital Twin Lab** and **Space Innovation Sandbox** for simulation and testing.
- Conduct fundamental and applied research in satellite systems, propulsion, SSA, and space instrumentation.
- Provide incubated startups with privileged access to high-end lab infrastructure, simulation data, and research mentorship.
- Run a flagship incubation program offering seed funding, mentorship from institute's faculty/industry experts, and access to the CoE's labs.
- Facilitate connections to venture capital and the **MP SpaceTech AIF Fund**.
- Manage the "Spoke to Hub" pipeline, identifying and elevating the most promising teams from regional Spokes for intensive support at the Hub.
- Offer introductory workshops, ideation challenges, and pre-incubation support.
- Provide basic lab access, 3D printing, and workspace for early-stage prototyping.
- Act as local nodes for the "Mission Kalpana" student engagement program, fostering a statewide culture of space innovation.

b) Implementation

- The Department of Science & Technology, in collaboration with MPSEDC, industry experts and the selected institute, will be responsible for establishing this integrated entity.
- A formal agreement will define the roles, responsibilities, and resource-sharing mechanisms between the Hub and the Spoke institutions.
- The Hub will be governed by a joint committee comprising representatives from the Government, academia, and the space industry.

8.1.2.R&D Centre in Ujjain for Astrophysics and Space Science

A dedicated R&D Centre will be established in Ujjain; in collaboration with IIT Indore or any other institute of national importance. Ujjain is a city with deep-rooted astronomical heritage, historically known as the **"Greenwich of Ancient India"**. Ujjain was the prime meridian for Indian astronomical calculations and the home of Varāhamihira, a legendary astronomer whose contributions laid the foundation for Indian space sciences.

This centre will focus on astrophysics, deep space observation, and satellite-based analytics, integrating traditional astronomical knowledge with modern space science. It will act as a collaborative platform for research in payload design, space optics, and AI-powered data interpretation, reinforcing Ujjain's legacy as a beacon of scientific excellence.



8.2. Startup & Industry Support

Supporting startups and industry is vital to accelerate commercialization and build a vibrant SpaceTech ecosystem in Madhya Pradesh. This pillar focuses on enabling early-stage ventures to scale through access to infrastructure, mentorship, and market linkages. Encouraging private sector participation will help bridge the gap between research and market-ready products, fostering innovation in satellite components, ground systems, and data services. By nurturing startups, MP can tap into the national momentum created by reforms like IN-SPACE and the Indian Space Policy 2023. This pillar is especially important for Madhya Pradesh to attract investments, create high-skilled jobs, and position itself as a competitive destination for space entrepreneurship, complementing the efforts of ISRO and other national agencies. The following incentives are designed to support early-stage ventures, MSMEs, and industry players across the space value chain.

8.2.1. Funding & Prototyping Support

a) Early-Stage Financing

- i. **Idea-to-Prototype Grant:** 50% grant up to ₹75 lakh for PoC development and validation. Proposals for the Idea-to-Prototype Grant will be evaluated by the Department of Science & Technology, in consultation with MPSEDC, based on technical merit, commercial potential, and execution capability. The exact eligibility criteria, detailed evaluation parameters, and application process will be comprehensively outlined in the subsequent Policy Guidelines.
- ii. **Strategic Fund Infusion:** To provide scalable, market-driven venture capital, the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall establish a dedicated fund. This corpus shall be deployed by acting as a Strategic Limited Partner, infusing funds into existing SEBI-registered Category I Alternative Investment Funds (AIFs).
 - **Objective:** To secure dedicated venture capital for Madhya Pradesh-based SpaceTech startups and MSMEs.
 - **Process:** The Department of Science & Technology, in consultation with MPSEDC, shall identify and select AIFs managed by professional fund managers with a proven track record in Deep Tech, Aerospace, or Defence.
 - **Matching Fund Model:** The state government will provide capital to the selected AIF(s) specifically to match the funding allocated to eligible Madhya Pradesh-based startups. For example, if the AIF invests ₹5 Crore in a qualifying startup, the state government will contribute an equal ₹5 Crore through the AIF, effectively doubling the total funding to ₹10 Crore for the startup.
 - **Corpus:** An initial corpus of ₹200 Crore shall be allocated for this purpose to facilitate the matching fund model.

b) Technology Adoption

- iii. **Technology Acquisition Support:** 50% reimbursement up to ₹1 crore for licensing/transfer from ISRO/DRDO/international institutions. Disbursement would be done in three phases:
 - 30% for evaluation,
 - 40% for acquisition,
 - 30% for implementation.

8.2.2. IP Support

- 50% reimbursement of patent costs (capped at ₹5 lakh for Indian patents; ₹10 lakh for international).

8.2.3. Infrastructure & Certification

a) Testing & Certification

- i. 50% subsidy up to ₹1 crore for environmental/EMC testing.
- ii. 75% reimbursement for ISRO/IN-SPACe/ISO certifications (capped at ₹10 lakh).

b) Incubation Support

- 50% capital grant up to ₹1 crore for setting up SpaceTech incubators.

8.2.4. Market & Employment Incentives

a) Global Market Access

- 50% reimbursement up to ₹15 lakh/year for international trade fairs and collaborations.

b) Employment Generation

- ₹5,000/month per new technical hire (24 months max; ₹15 lakh/startup cap).

c) Revenue-Linked Incentive

- 15% of revenue for downstream solutions (capped at ₹50 lakh/startup).



8.2.5. Design Linked Incentive (DLI) for SpaceTech Applications

To support startups, MSMEs, and enterprises engaged in the **design and development of new products, systems, and applications** in the SpaceTech sector, including satellite systems, payloads, ground segment software, SSA/SDA tools like AI-driven collision alerts, debris removal prototypes, orbital simulation software, and space robotics.

i. Incentive Structure

- **Milestone-linked reimbursement** of up to **50% of eligible expenditure**
- **Ceiling:** 50 Lakhs per application
- Disbursed in tranches based on the following milestones:
 - i. Completion of design and simulation: 10%
 - ii. Prototype development and validation: 10%
 - iii. Demonstration in operational environment: 10%
 - iv. Readiness for volume production or deployment: 20%



8.3. Skill Development

Skill development is a foundational pillar that ensures the availability of a qualified workforce to support the growth of the SpaceTech sector in Madhya Pradesh. With the emergence of new technologies in satellite manufacturing, data analytics, and space applications, there is a pressing need to train engineers, technicians, and researchers in specialized domains. Institutions like IIT Indore, IISER Bhopal, and the Global Skills Park offer a strong base for launching academic programs and industry-aligned training. This pillar aims to bridge the talent gap by integrating space education into mainstream curricula and promoting hands-on learning through internships and lab-based modules. For Madhya Pradesh, investing in skill development is critical to build a self-reliant ecosystem that can support manufacturing, testing, and downstream services. It also ensures inclusive growth by enabling youth from across the state to participate in the space economy, thereby enhancing regional capabilities and long-term competitiveness.

8.3.1. Academic Integration & Infrastructure

a) Curriculum and Lab Development

- Policy will support the undergraduate and masters' program in Space Technology domain in various institutes across the state by providing a one-time grant of Rs. 20 lakh per institute during the policy tenure.
 - Curriculum design (AICTE-approved degrees in SpaceTech, remote sensing, data analytics).
 - SSA-certified courses: Orbital mechanics, space law, and AI/ML for SSA at IIT Indore/Global Skills Park.
 - Lab equipment, simulation software, and faculty training.

8.3.2. Industry-Academia Linkages

- i. **Stipend Program:** To foster industry-aligned practical experience, a stipend support program is established for students of Madhya Pradesh.
 - **Eligible Host Organizations:** Internship opportunities must be provided by eligible units registered with IN-SPACE, recognized vendors to ISRO/global OEMs, or DPIIT-recognized SpaceTech startups operating anywhere in the country.
 - **Eligible Beneficiaries:** Students must be domiciles of Madhya Pradesh, enrolled in undergraduate or postgraduate programs in relevant STEM fields at UGC/AICTE-recognized institutions.

- **Stipend Support:**
 - A stipend of **₹10,000 per month per student** for a maximum duration of **6 months**.
 - **75%** of the stipend will be reimbursed to the host organization by the Government.
 - The host organization is required to contribute the remaining **25%**.

 - **Certification:** A joint certificate will be issued by the host organization and the nodal agency (MPSEDC) upon successful completion of the internship.
- ii. Faculty Industry Immersion:**
- Professional development programs and educational activities designed to enhance the skills, knowledge, and teaching effectiveness of educators, typically within academic institutions of national repute will be supported within this policy. An annual outlay of **Rs. 50 lakh** will be earmarked for the training activities for upskilling technical education faculty in the state.

b) Employee Upskilling

- Skilling reimbursement will be provided to eligible units at the rate of Rs. 50,000 per employee for course fee or 50% of the costs, whichever is lower for undertaking training programs. Government affiliated or accredited courses (minimum 3 months) shall be considered for this incentive. The Skilling Reimbursement will be available for 3 years to eligible units for 25% of the workforce, with an upper limit of 50 employees per annum. To calculate the workforce, number of employees who have completed at least 6 years in the SpaceTech or Spacetech technology related sector (total experience) shall be considered. This benefit will be available only to employees who are domicile of Madhya Pradesh state.

8.3.3. Advanced Capacity Building

a) SpaceTech Fellowships

- **₹1 lakh/year for 3 years** for researchers/entrepreneurs (retained as standalone to attract top talent).



8.4. Infrastructure Development

Infrastructure development is the backbone of Madhya Pradesh's vision to become a SpaceTech hub. This pillar focuses on creating world-class facilities for satellite and launch vehicle manufacturing, testing, and data processing. With over 300 industrial parks, a defense corridor, and precision engineering clusters, MP is well-positioned to host space-grade infrastructure. Establishing clean rooms, environmental testing labs, optical equipments, lasers and high-performance computing centers will enable the state to support end-to-end space missions. The following incentives are proposed to support the creation of world-class facilities for satellite and launch vehicle manufacturing, testing, and data processing, and to catalyze public-private partnerships across the state.

8.4.1. SpaceTech Infrastructure Capital Subsidy Scheme

To encourage the establishment of space-grade infrastructure such as clean rooms, vacuum chambers, vibration testing facilities, and satellite integration bays, the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall provide capital subsidies to eligible enterprises.

- Up to **40% of capital investment** in plant, machinery, and infrastructure, subject to a ceiling of ₹150 crore per unit. **The minimum eligible capital investment** required to avail this subsidy shall be **₹10 crore**.
- **Additional 2%** incentives for women led entities. For the purpose of this policy, a Women-Led Entity shall mean an enterprise in which **one or more women promoters/founders hold at least 26% equity stake**, and at least one woman is actively involved in strategic decision-making or day-to-day management of the entity. In the case of startups, this may include women founders, co-founders, or partners holding a significant managerial or leadership role, as evidenced through incorporation documents or self-declaration.
- **Land rebate and stamp duty exemption** as per IT, ITeS and ESDM Investment Promotion Policy 2023

Note: Eligible Capital Investment includes expenditure on new plant and machinery (including eligible imported/refurbished machinery with a minimum useful life), factory buildings and sheds used for production, in-house R&D facilities (within prescribed caps), eligible portions of captive renewable power plants, and approved energy-saving systems. It excludes land cost, old or obsolete machinery, compound walls, internal roads, residential buildings, vehicles, working capital, pollution control systems (ETP/STP/ZLD), and general power infrastructure unless specifically permitted.



8.4.2. Space Systems & Applications Park Development Incentive (Including Manufacturing, Software & Dual-Use Capabilities)

To promote cluster-based development across the space technology value chain, the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall support the establishment of Space Systems & Applications Parks, including Dual-Use Technology Hubs.

These Parks may host units engaged in space manufacturing, satellite and launch vehicle integration and testing, space software development, satellite data analytics, Earth Observation (EO) applications, mission operations, and dual-use component manufacturing for defence, aerospace, and satellite applications.

The State Government shall facilitate the creation of common infrastructure and shared facilities within such Parks, including clean rooms, AIT facilities, environmental and vibration testing labs, secure data and mission operations infrastructure, and other specialised facilities required for space technology development. These facilities shall be developed and operated through PPP arrangements, leveraging private sector expertise.

- To support establishment of such Parks, the State Government shall facilitate a dedicated support of up to ₹200 crore towards development of shared infrastructure.
- PPP models may include DBFO, BOT, BOO, Hybrid Annuity, or any other model approved by the competent authority, in accordance with applicable State and Central PPP guidelines.



8.4.3. SpaceTech Testing Infrastructure Support Scheme

To reduce dependency on external testing facilities and accelerate product validation, the Government shall support the establishment of environmental, EMI/EMC, and performance testing labs.

- Up to **₹15 crore per facility** as capital grant for equipment and setup.
- **30% reimbursement** of operational testing costs for startups and MSMEs using these facilities.

8.4.4. High-Performance Computing (HPC) and Data Infrastructure Grant

To support satellite data analytics, simulation, and AI-driven modelling, the Government shall fund the establishment of HPC centers and satellite data repositories.

- Up to **₹10 crore per centre** for infrastructure, software, and data acquisition.
- Free access to MP-based startups and academic researchers for the first year.

8.5 SpaceTech Awareness, Education, and Scientific Infrastructure

Space technology is rapidly transforming global industries, and Madhya Pradesh aims to cultivate a future ready workforce by embedding space science into education and public engagement. This section of the policy focuses on inspiring students and communities through structured outreach, immersive learning environments, and flagship infrastructure. These initiatives will ensure inclusive access to space education and position MP as a cradle of space innovation.

Madhya Pradesh Council of Science & Technology (MPCST) will be responsible for undertaking the implementation of awareness, education, and scientific infrastructure. On behalf of the Department of Science & Technology, MPCST will drive programs to inspire students and the public, integrate space science into educational curricula, and develop flagship projects such as the Space Exploration Park, 'Antariksh Vihar'.

8.5.1. Establishment of *Space Exploration Park: Antariksh Vihar*

To inspire scientific curiosity and innovation among students and the public, the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall establish a world-class **Space Exploration Park 'Antariksh Vihar'** as part of MPCST's flagship Science City initiative. This gallery will serve as a dynamic, immersive space for learning and exploration of space technologies.

i. Components

- SpaceTech Pavilion with satellite models, launch simulations, and VR experiences.
- Planetarium with real-time data feeds from ISRO missions.
- Innovation labs for school and college students.
- Auditorium for lectures, exhibitions, and national science festivals.

8.5.2. Innovative Student Engagement Program – “Mission Kalpana”

To cultivate early interest in space science through a state-wide student challenge named after **Kalpana Chawla**, India’s first woman in space. The department would set aside ₹1 crore annual budget for awards, logistics, and mentorship.

i. Program Features

- Annual competition for students from grades 6 to 12.
- Themes include “Design Your Own Satellite,” “Space Farming,” and “Mars Habitat Challenge.”
- Top 100 students to receive mentorship, lab access, and exposure visits to ISRO centers.

8.5.3. Enhancing Participation in ISRO’s YUVIKA Programme

YUVIKA (Yuva Vigyani Karyakram) is ISRO’s flagship outreach initiative aimed at school students in Class 9, designed to foster early interest in space science and technology. The program includes lectures by scientists, facility visits, hands-on activities, and interaction with space professionals, offering a unique opportunity to experience India’s space ecosystem firsthand. To ensure greater representation of Madhya Pradesh in this prestigious national program, the Department of Science and Technology shall undertake the following initiatives:

i. Key Activities

- **Statewide Awareness Campaigns:** Organize district-level outreach sessions in collaboration with schools and education departments to inform students and teachers about the YUVIKA program and its application process.
- **Nomination Facilitation:** Set up a dedicated support cell to assist eligible students in completing the application process, including documentation, essay writing, and online registration.
- **Merit-Based Travel and Participation Support:** Provide travel and incidental expense support to selected students from Madhya Pradesh, especially those from rural and tribal districts, to ensure equitable access.
- **One-Time Grant and Recognition:** Students from Madhya Pradesh who are selected for the YUVIKA program shall receive a one-time grant of ₹25,000 from the Department of Science and Technology. These students will also be designated as "Ambassadors for Science" for the state, representing Madhya Pradesh in national science outreach and education initiatives.

8.6. Focus Sectors with Enhanced Incentives

To accelerate growth in **high-potential, high-impact** segments of the SpaceTech ecosystem, the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall provide **1.5× multiplier benefits (subject to existing caps)** to enterprises engaged in the following Focus Sectors. These segments are strategically chosen based on MP's inherent strengths in academia, industry, and governance infrastructure



S. No	Focus Sector	Segment	Eligible Activities Eligible Activities & Examples
1.	Space Systems Testing & Qualification	Midstream	<p>Eligible Activities: Environmental testing labs (thermal, vacuum, vibration), EMI/EMC testing facilities, structural testing, propulsion test stands, and related simulation software.</p> <p>Examples: SmallSat qualification centers, commercial testing hubs for private and ISRO missions, development of FEA and simulation tools.</p>
2.	Advanced Materials & Propulsion Systems	Upstream/Midstream	<p>Eligible Activities: R&D and manufacturing of advanced propulsion systems (electric, green), composite materials for launch vehicles/satellites, radiation-hardened electronics, and miniaturized payloads, Radiation-resistant fiber optics, FOGs, laser communication etc.</p> <p>Examples: Electric propulsion thrusters, lightweight alloy tanks, Fiber gyros, satellite bus structures, precision payload components.</p>
3.	Agricultural & Environmental Decision Analytics	Downstream	<p>Eligible Activities: Development of AI/ML platforms for satellite imagery analysis, crop health monitoring, yield prediction, soil moisture analysis, flood/drought forecasting, and urban planning.</p> <p>Examples: Hyperspectral data analytics SaaS for agriculture, groundwater mapping services, GIS-based infrastructure planning tools.</p>
4.	Ground Systems & SSA Infrastructure	Midstream	<p>Eligible Activities: Establishment of Telemetry, Tracking & Command (TT&C) ground stations, SSA ground stations (radars/telescopes), data downlink centers, and manufacturing of related RF equipment.</p> <p>Examples: Commercial ground station networks, SSA radar installations for debris tracking, manufacturing of antenna systems.</p>

i. Incentive Calculation Example

Policy Reference:

- Incentive Head: *SpaceTech Infrastructure Capital Subsidy Scheme (8.4.1)*
- Base Incentive: 40% of capital investment, up to ₹150 crore.
- Focus Sector Bonus: 1.5× multiplier (Testing & Simulation Services).

Incentive Calculation for a Total Investment of ₹5 crore (machinery + infrastructure).

- Base Subsidy: 40% of ₹5 cr = ₹2 crore.
- Focus Sector Boost: ₹2 cr × 1.5 = ₹3 crore.
- Cap Check: ₹3 cr < ₹150 cr → Eligibility of ₹3 crore incentive

9. Customised Incentives for Mega Projects

To attract anchor investments and strategic infrastructure in the SpaceTech sector, the Government of Madhya Pradesh shall offer a special incentive package for **Mega Projects**, defined as projects with a minimum committed investment of ₹75 crore in eligible SpaceTech activities. These projects may apply for a **customised incentive package** through the **Cabinet Committee on Investment Promotion (CCIP)**.

i. Eligibility Criteria

To qualify as a Mega Project under this policy, the applicant must:

- a) Be a registered company, consortium, or institution in India.
- b) Commit a minimum investment of ₹75 crore in fixed assets (land, plant, machinery, infrastructure).
- c) Operate in one or more of the following domains:
 - Satellite or launch vehicle manufacturing
 - Space-grade component fabrication
 - Environmental and EMI/EMC testing infrastructure
 - High-performance computing and data analytics for space applications
 - Ground station and telemetry systems

a) Submit a detailed project proposal including:

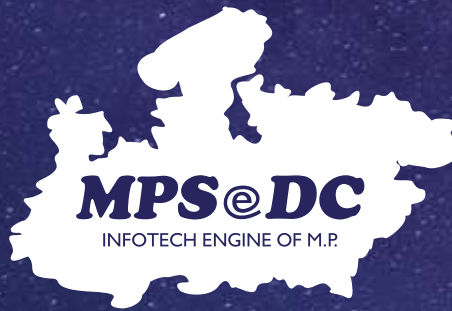
- Investment and employment plan
- Technical specifications
- Timeline for commissioning
- Collaboration details (if any) with ISRO, IN-SPACe, DRDO, or academic institutions





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