

Agribiz Connect 2025

Unlocking the Agriculture and Food Processing Business Potential

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India's agriculture and food processing sectors are cornerstones of economic growth, rural prosperity, and global trade competitiveness. As these industries evolve, there is a pressing need to create synergies among stakeholders, foster innovation, enable robust market linkages, and strengthen agro-industrial ecosystems.

To catalyze this transformation, ASSOCHAM is proud to present AgriBiz Connect 2025, a national summit aimed at unlocking the untapped potential of India's agri-business landscape. The summit will serve as a dynamic platform to drive collaboration, capacity building, and investment facilitation, with a special focus on Telangana, India's youngest and fastest-developing state.

Why Telangana?

With strategic advancements in IT, Defence, and Manufacturing, Telangana is now making bold strides in agriculture achieving record food grain outputs, expanding horticulture, and building strong dairy and inland fisheries sectors. The state's proactive governance and infrastructure make it an ideal launchpad for an inclusive and tech-enabled agri-industrial revolution.



Summit Objectives:

- Leverage regional agricultural strengths for high-value, inclusive growth
- Promote innovation and sustainability in agro-industrial practices
- Strengthen market linkages between producers, processors, and buyers
- Support MSMEs, startups, and women entrepreneurs in agri-tech and food processing
- Encourage exports through policy support, branding, and global partnerships
- Position Telangana as a hub for value-added Agri industries, empowering rural India



Key Sessions:

Opening Plenary:

Telangana's Vision for Inclusive Agri-Industrial Growth: A roadmap for transforming agriculture into a value-driven, technology-enabled industry.

Session 1:

From Farm to Factory - Unlocking Value in Agro-Processing: Explore opportunities in grains, horticulture, dairy, fisheries, and value chains.

Session 2:

Investing in the Future - Building Sustainable Food Industry Zones: Models for private investment, public infrastructure, and enabling policies.

Session 3:

The Entrepreneur's Advantage - Startups, Women, and MSMEs in Agri-Business: Inclusive entrepreneurship, innovation hubs, and scaling MSME capacity.

Session 4:

Technology & Finance - Catalysts for Growth in Food Industries: Digitization, smart food tech, cold chains, and innovative financing mechanisms.

Session 5:

Pitch & Partner - Spotlight on New Business Ideas & Collaborative Models: Startup pitches, investor matchmaking, and brand-building strategies.

Special Features & Highlights:

- CEO Forums & Policy Roundtables: Dialogue with top leadership and decision-makers
- Start-Up Pavilion: Spotlight on disruptive Agri-tech & food processing innovations
- Exhibition Zone: Showcase of processed foods, organic products, and export-ready goods
- Buyer-Seller Meet: Facilitated B2B and B2G networking with domestic & international buyers
- Workshops & Training Modules: Export compliance, certifications, food safety, and best practices

Expected Outcomes:

- Boost to agro-industrial innovation and investments
- Facilitation of MoU's and partnerships
- Enhanced export readiness and international market access
- Empowerment of farmers, FPOs, MSMEs, and startups
- Strategic inputs for policy formulation and rural development

Who Should Attend?

- Agri-business Owners & Entrepreneurs
- Food Processors, Exporters & Retail Chains
- Government & Regulatory Bodies
- Agritech & Input Solution Providers
- Farmers' Cooperatives & Producer Organizations
- Academic & Research Institutions
- NGOs & Development Agencies
- Financial Institutions & Impact Investors
- Industry Experts & Consultants
- Agri-startups & Innovation Enablers



About ASSOCHAM

The Associated Chambers of Commerce & Industry of India (ASSOCHAM) is the country's oldest apex chamber initiated its endeavour of value creation for the industry in 1920. Built on the vision of nation-building, ASSOCHAM has been a part of the economic history of India. It brings in actionable insights to strengthen the Indian ecosystem, leveraging its network of more than 4,50,000 members, of which MSMEs represent a large segment. With a strong presence in states, and key cities globally, ASSOCHAM also has more than 400 associations, federations and regional chambers in its fold.

Aligned with the vision of creating a New India, ASSOCHAM works as a conduit between the industry and the Government. The Chamber is an agile and forward-looking institution, leading various initiatives to enhance the global competitiveness of the Indian industry, while strengthening the domestic ecosystem.

With more than 100 national and regional sector councils, ASSOCHAM is an impactful representative of the Indian industry. These Councils are led by well-known industry leaders, academicians, economists and independent professionals. The Chamber focuses on aligning critical needs and interests of the industry with the growth aspirations of the nation.

ASSOCHAM is driving four strategic priorities – Sustainability, Empowerment, Entrepreneurship and Digitisation. The Chamber believes that affirmative action in these areas would help drive an inclusive and sustainable socio-economic growth for the country.

ASSOCHAM is working hand in hand with the government, regulators, and national and international think tanks to contribute to the policy making process and share vital feedback on implementation of decisions of far-reaching consequences. In line with its focus on being future-ready, the Chamber is building a strong network of knowledge architects. Thus, ASSOCHAM is all set to redefine the dynamics of growth and development in the technology-driven 'Knowledge-Based Economy'. The Chamber aims to empower stakeholders in the Indian economy by inculcating knowledge that will be the catalyst of growth in the dynamic global environment.

The Chamber also supports civil society through citizenship programmes, to drive inclusive development. ASSOCHAM's member network leads initiatives in various segments such as empowerment, healthcare, education and skilling, hygiene, affirmative action, road safety, livelihood, life skills, sustainability, to name a few.

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