

Projects Identified as Suitable for Foreign Investment

Areas of Investment	Trade Potential Areas
A. Agriculture & Agro-based Industry	
1. Cultivation of Vegetables-tomato, egg plant, broccolli, cabbage, lettuce, okra, sweet pepper, carrot, green-chillies, cauli-flower, snow peas, french beans	Markets in Middle East, Hongkong, Singapore, Japan.
2. Cultivation and processing of vegetables	Export Market.
3. Cultivation of Mushroom	Exports-fresh, dried & canned.
4. Cultivation of flowers-roses, carnation, orchid chrysanthemum	Export to the Middle East, Singapore, Hongkong, Japan.
5. Ornamental plants	Export markets.
6. Cultivation of fruits-grapes, apricots, peaches, mango, avocado, litchi, orange	Export in fresh form.
7. Cultivation and processing of fruits-dried mango, dried apple, jams, jelly, squash	Export market.
8. Production of flowering seeds	Export markets in Europe, USA, Japan.
9. Production of vegetable seeds	Export to South & South East Asian markets.
10. Cultivation and processing of herbs	Exports & domestic markets.
11. Cultivation & processing of soya	Exports & domestic markets.
12. Development of tea industry	Domestic & export markets.
13. Cultivation of sugarcane and processing sugar	Domestic market.
14. Cultivation and processing, fresh & dried ginger	Export market.
15. Cultivation and processing of garlic	Export market.
16. Integrated livestock industry	Domestic market.
17. Integrated dairy development	Domestic market.
18. Production of skimmed milk powder	Domestic market.
19. Baby food and nutritious food	Domestic market.
20. Animal feed	Domestic market.
21. Aquaculture	Domestic market.
22. Tomato processing	Export market.
23. Oil seed processing and oil extraction	Domestic market.
24. Coffee Cultivation and Processing	Export & domestic market
B. Textile & Wearing Apparel Industry	
1. Integrated textile mill	Domestic market.
2. Textile processing-dyeing & finishing	Domestic market.
3. Woollen Knitwear	Domestic & export markets.
4. Acrylic & polyester fabrics	Domestic market.
5. Dhoti and saree	Domestic market.
6. Terry towels	Export market.
7. Bed linen	Export & domestic markets.
8. Readymade garments	Export market.
9. Spinning mill	Export & domestic market.
10. Grey cloth	Export & domestic markets.
11. Leather shoes	Export & domestic markets.
12. Canvas shoes	Export & domestic markets.
13. Sericulture and silk production	Export markets.
14. Hand knitted sweaters	Export & domestic markets.

C. Manufacturing Industry

Areas of Investment	Trade Potential Areas
1. Light engineering industries	Export & domestic market.
2. Electric arc furnace	Domestic market.
3. Leather products	Domestic and export markets.
4. Pharmaceutical products	Domestic market.
5. Ceramics	Domestic market.
6. Writing, printing and news print paper	Domestic market.
7. Organic fertilizer	Domestic market.
8. Saline & dextrose	Domestic market.
9. Surgical cotton & bandaging industry	Domestic market.
10. Chemical fertilizers	Domestic market.
11. Pesticides, insecticides	Domestic market.
12. Industrial chemicals	Domestic market.
13. Glass bottles, containers	Domestic market.
14. Domestic electrical appliances	Domestic market.
15. Electric power capacitors & condensers	Domestic market.
16. Irrigation pumps	Domestic market.
17. Manufacture of bicycles	Domestic market.
18. Bleaching powder	Domestic market.
19. Agriculture lime	Domestic market.
20. Manufacture of chalk	Domestic market.
21. Manufacture of yeast	Domestic market.
22. Production of malt	Domestic & export markets.
23. Assembly of electronic components	Export market.
24. Manufacture of dry cell battery	Export & domestic market.
25. Manufacture of starch, glucose and fructose syrup	Domestic market.
26. Cane furniture industry	Export market.
27. Speciality paper	Domestic market.
28. Video cassette industry	Domestic market.
29. Cold rolling mill	Domestic market.
30. Aluminium rolling mill	Domestic market.
31. Toilet and laundry soap	Export & domestic market.
32. Caustic soda	Domestic market.
33. Mineral water bottling plant	Export market.
34. Sugar industry	Domestic market.
35. Essential oils and resinoids	Domestic & export markets.
36. Hand tools	Domestic market.
37. Professional and occupational tools and instruments	Domestic market.
38. Medical instrument and tools	Domestic market.
39. Industries manufacturing fuel conserving instruments	Domestic market.
40. Pollution preventing accessory industries	Domestic market.

D. Construction Industry

Areas of Investment	Trade Potential Areas
1. Builders hardware	Domestic market.
2. Stone industry-cutting & polishing	Domestic market.
3. Stone-aggregates	Export & domestic markets.
4. Bricks (dry press)	Domestic market.
5. Plywood	Domestic market.
6. Cement-large plants	Domestic market.
7. Cement-mini plants	Domestic market.
8. Floor and wall tiles	Domestic & export markets.
9. Parquet flooring	Domestic & export markets.
10. Housing and apartment buildings	Domestic market.
11. Varnishes, paints & allied products	Domestic market.
12. PVC pipes & allied products	Domestic market.
13. Aluminium extrusions	Domestic market.
14. PVC doors/windows	Domestic market.
15. Slate, granite and cement	Domestic market.

E. Tourism Industry

1. Resort hotels, motels	2. Cable car complexes
3. Rafting equipment	4. Hot air ballooning and para-sailing

F. Service Industry

1. Air freight forwarding services	2. Sea freight forwarding services
3. Nursing homes	4. Carpet washing
5. Air services	6. Computer software development
7. Data entry services	8. Photo scanning and off-set printing

G. Mineral Resources Industry

1. Cement exploration & production	2. Petroleum exploration & exploitation
3. Natural Gas exploration & exploitation	4. Construction materials (Clay, sand, gravel, boulder, marble, stone) exploration & exploitation
5. Processing mica	6. Exploration and processing quartz
7. Production of iron, dolomite and talc	8. Glass production

H. Energy Industry

1. Solar energy	2. Wind energy
3. Hydro electric plants	

Note : This is not an exhaustive list. Potential investors may propose other projects, which they may be specifically interested in.

Source: Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Supplies.