

**March 17, the government announced that seven mega textile parks under the ₹4,445 crore PM Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Apparel (PM MITRA) scheme will be set up in the first phase. The notification for large scale textile parks under PM MITRA had been given in October 2021. The scheme which seeks to streamline the textile value chain into one ecosystem, taking in spinning, weaving and dyeing to printing and garment manufacturing, is expected to generate investments worth ₹70,000 crore. It would also lead to the creation of 20 lakh jobs, according to Commerce & Industry and Textiles Minister Piyush Goyal. Under the first phase of the PM MITRA scheme, large textile parks, spread across at least 1,000 acres, will come up in seven States — Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Telangana, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Gujarat, and Uttar Pradesh — housing the entire textile value chain, from fibre to fabric to garments. The parks will have plug and play manufacturing facilities and all the common amenities required. The Central government's budget outlay for the scheme, which is ₹4,445 crore, is to be spent till 2027-28. Special purpose vehicles, with a 51% equity**

shareholding of the State government and 49% of the Centre, will be formed for each park. The primary objective of setting up these PM MITRA Parks is to support India in achieving the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal , which focuses on establishing durable infrastructure, promoting sustainable industrialization, and fostering innovation. The Union Budget for 2021-22 introduced the PM MITRA (Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel) scheme, which is inspired by the 5F vision: Farm to Fibre to Factory to Fashion to Foreign. The PM MITRA parks aim to augment the export potential of the sector.

**Q 1. PM MITRA is**

- A. PM Mega Integrated Textile Regions and Apparel**
- B. PM Mega Inner Textile Regions and Apparel**
- C. PM Major Integrated Textile Regions and Apparel**
- D. PM Major Integrated Textile Regions and Application**

**Q 2. Aim of PM MINTRA**

- A. To boost up Textile Industry**
- B. To increase Export Potential**
- C. achieving the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal**
- D. All of them**

**Q 3. What is 5F Vision**

- A. Farm to Fibre to Factory to Fashion to Foreign**
- B. Fibre , Factory , Fashion , Foreign and Fast**
- C. Fast , Factory , Foreign , Formulation**
- D. None**

**Q 4. How much large the park**

- A. 100 Acres**
- B. 1000 Acres**
- C. 10 Acre**
- D. None of them**

**Q 5. Mean of 'Fostering'**

- A. Development**

**B. Revolve**

**C. Extract**

**D. Destroy**

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