



Embassy of India, Zagreb

# Newsletter

## Congratulatory Video from the Government of India to the Government and people of Croatia on their National Day!



Dr. S. Jaishankar (Modi Ka Parivar)   
@DrSJaishankar

Warm greetings to FM [@grlicradman](#) and the Government and people of Croatia on their National Day.

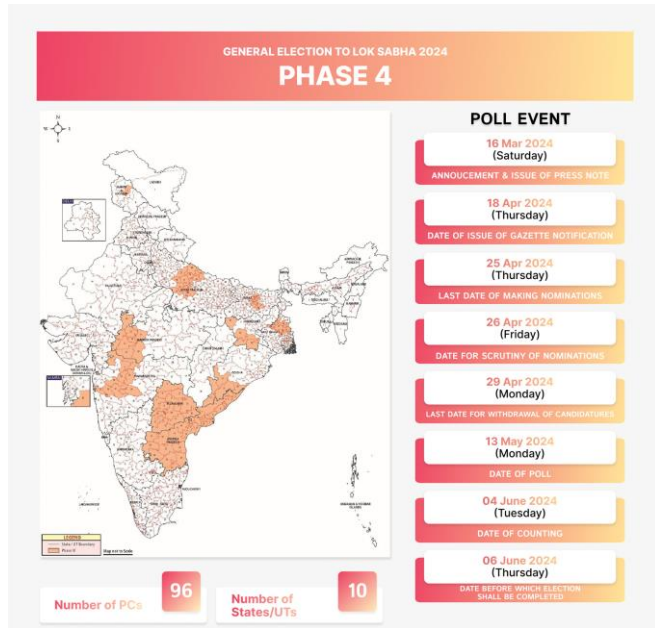
Committed to enhancing our multifaceted cooperation.



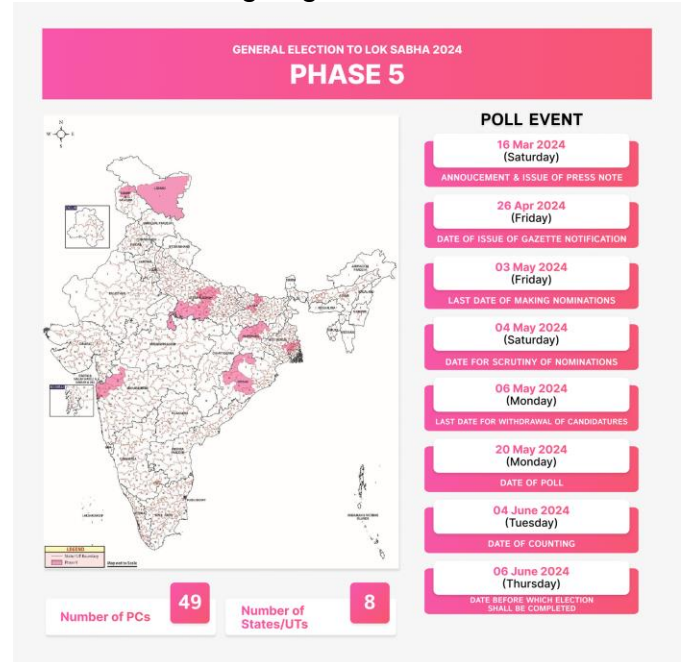
Watch the full video at the following [LINK](#).

## The Largest Democratic Festival on the Planet: Voter turnout in phase-4-5 & 6 of General Elections 2024

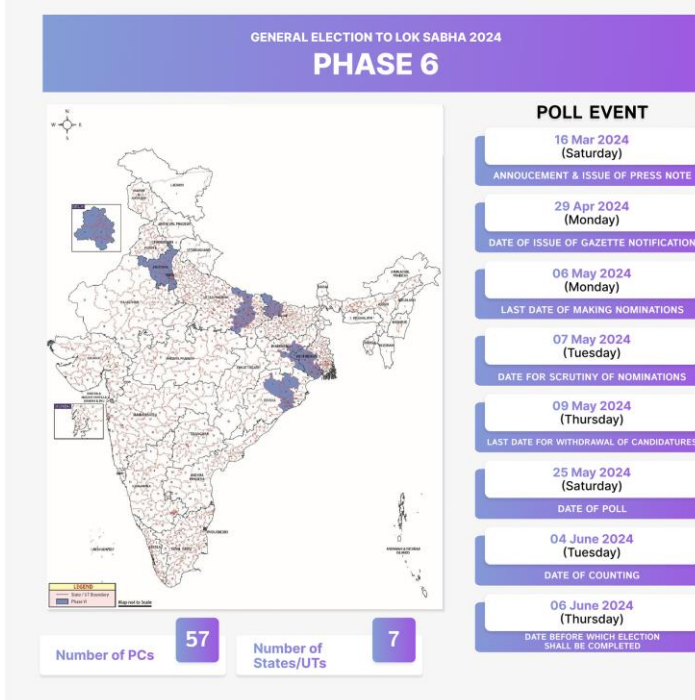
Voter turnout of 69.16% has been recorded in phase-4 for 96 PCs in the ongoing General Elections 2024.



Voter turnout of 62.2% has been recorded in phase-5 for 49 PCs in the ongoing General Elections 2024.



Voter turnout of 63.3% has been recorded in phase-6 in the ongoing General Elections 2024.



DM, ADMs and other officers at the Integrated Control room of Webcasting and Media Monitoring at Murshidabad district of West Benga. For more information related to the General Elections 2024, Kindly visit the website of the Election Commission of India: <https://elections24.eci.gov.in/>



## ONDC: Democratizing E-Commerce in India



### ONDC Objectives:

- **Enhancing Competition:** The goal is to break the monopoly of big digital platforms, which means buyers have more options to choose from.
- **Empowering Democracy and Decentralization:** The aim is to distribute power more evenly in the digital world, ensuring everyone has a say.
- **Embracing Digital Transformation:** This means helping businesses make a smooth transition to digital technologies.
- **Streamlining Operations:** Efforts are underway to make things more standardized and efficient, which can save time and money for businesses.
- **Ensuring Fairness and Access:** The objective is to ensure even small businesses and local shops have a fair shot online.

The landscape of e-commerce in India has undergone a remarkable transformation over the past few years, significantly accelerated by the COVID-19 pandemic. As consumers increasingly turned to online shopping, e-commerce giants gained substantial influence over the market, often dictating the terms for many online businesses. However, this dominance has not come without criticism. Online shoppers often complain about the various e-commerce platforms aggressively trying to drive paid campaigns. Such marketing directly influences people's purchasing decisions as they are tempted to purchase below-standard offerings at higher costs.

To end this problem, the Government of India launched the Open Network Digital Commerce platform (ONDC) that strictly avoids pushing tags like 'best seller', 'our choice', 'most recommended', etc. Instead, it focuses on bringing in more competitiveness and suggestions based on buyers' intent and location. ONDC, conceived by the Department of Promotion of Industry in Internal Trade (DPIIT) under the Ministry of Commerce, is a network based on open protocol that enables local commerce across segments, such as mobility, grocery, food order and delivery, hotel booking and travel, among others, to be discovered and engaged by any network-enabled application. Specifically, ONDC is a set of protocols and specifications that allow different e-commerce platforms to connect and interoperate with each other. This ability improves price discovery and provides consumers with more service providers to choose from.

That is why ONDC is seen as a step toward digital commerce democratization, shifting it from a platform-centric model—where a few e-commerce giants dominate the market—to an open, interoperable platform where buyers and sellers can interact regardless of the platforms they're using. It aims to make e-commerce a more accessible environment that fosters competition, inclusivity and innovation.

- **Improving Delivery:** By making deliveries more efficient, buyers get their orders faster and with fewer hassles.
- **Empowering Buyers:** Buyers have more choices and control over their online experience.
- **Protecting Privacy:** Personal data is kept safe and confidential.
- **Lower Costs:** Businesses can operate at lower costs, potentially leading to better prices for buyers.
- **Learning from UPI:** Lessons are being drawn from the success of the Unified Payments Interface (UPI) to guide these efforts.



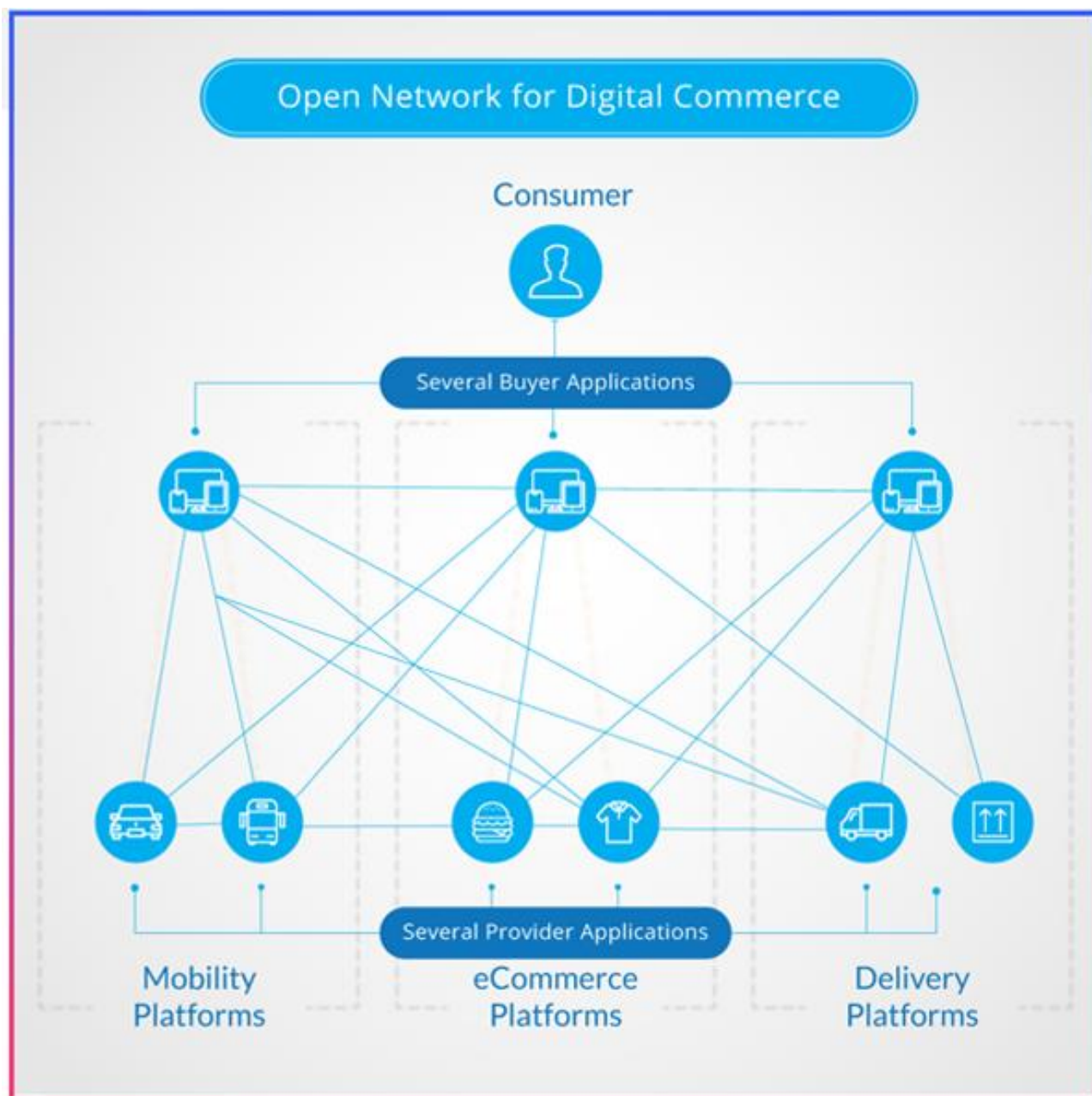
Since its launch, ONDC platforms have processed nearly 7 million orders, and the ONDC network has grown to more than 370,000 sellers and service providers across 588 “countable cities” (accounting for roughly 70% of Indian cities). ONDC protocols have been adopted by companies like Flipkart, Paytm, Pincode by PhonePe, Amazon, State Bank of India (SBI) and Meta (among others), with use cases that range from healthcare to fintech and agribusiness. ONDC is also poised to become a game-changer in the food delivery sector, where it can drastically reduce commission rates compared to platforms like Zomato and Swiggy, which charge restaurants—many of which are small businesses—up to 25% commission.

**Benefits for sellers:** For sellers, ONDC presents a major advantage by eliminating the need to register and operate on multiple platforms. It establishes interoperability and standardization across network participants, enabling seamless transactions regardless of the platform used. This promotes hyperlocal commerce by prioritizing sellers near the consumer’s location, which helps small sellers, reduces logistics costs, speeds up delivery, and increases overall efficiency.

**Benefits for buyers:** Consumers also stand to benefit greatly from ONDC. The platform allows them to choose products and services from all ONDC-enabled platforms, offering more choices and enhanced convenience.

In India, more than 12 million sellers earn their livelihood by selling or reselling products and services. However, only 15,000 of these sellers (0.125% of the total) have enabled e-commerce. E-retail has been out of reach for the majority of sellers, especially from small towns and rural areas. ONDC recognises the unique opportunity to increase e-retail penetration from the existing 4.3% to its maximum potential in India. ONDC’s mission is to dramatically increase e-commerce penetration in the country by enabling population-scale inclusion of all types and sizes of sellers. This democratization of digital commerce is expected to drive exponential growth in the coming years.

India has a proven track record of successfully adopting digital infrastructures at a population scale, such as UPI and AADHAAR. ONDC is poised to be another transformative tech-based initiative, revolutionizing e-commerce in India by leveraging an open protocol based on open-source specifications. As it continues to evolve, ONDC is set to redefine the future of digital commerce in India, fostering a more inclusive and competitive marketplace.



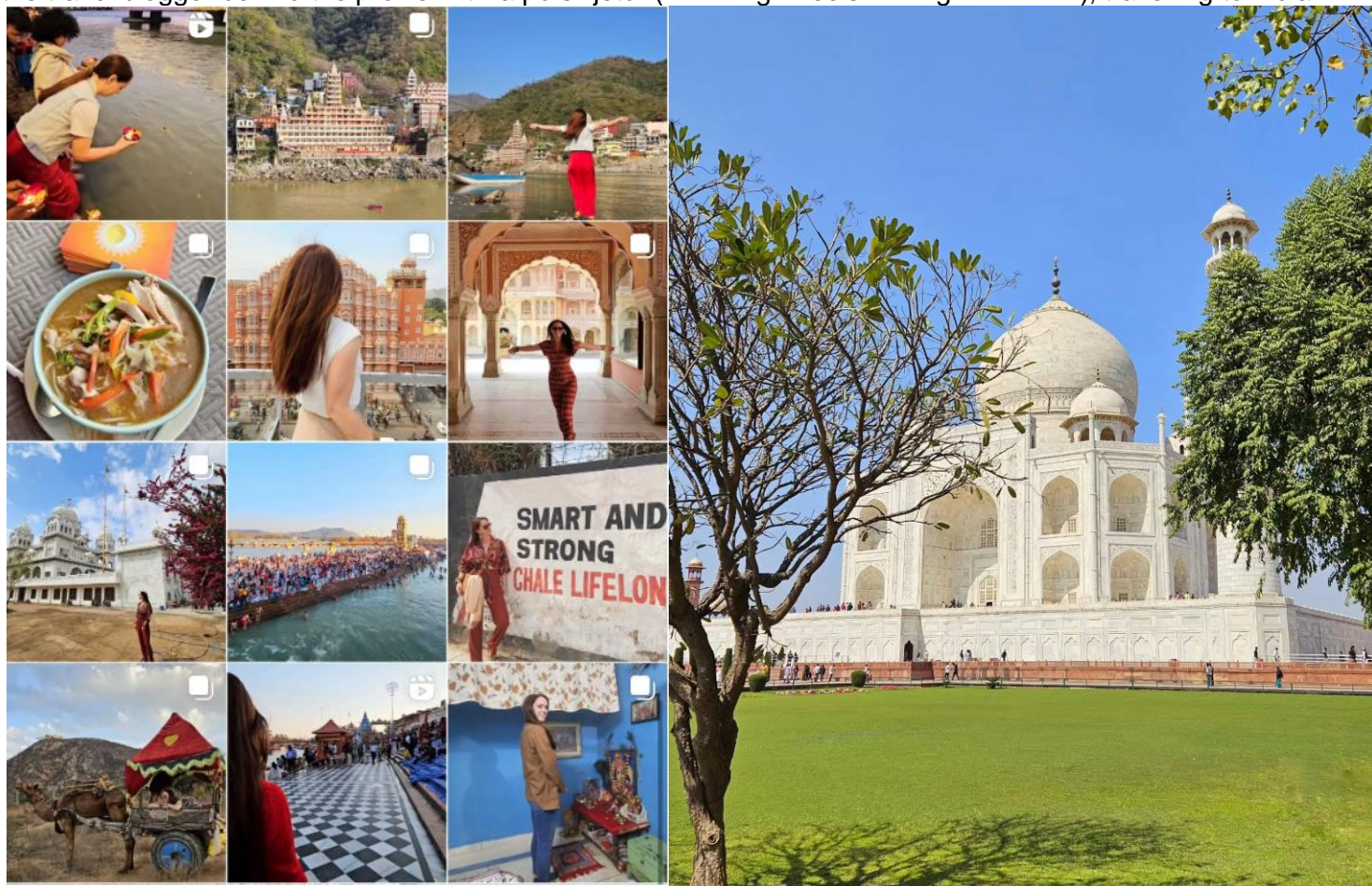
*ONDC goes beyond the current platform-centric digital commerce model where the buyer and seller have to use the same platform or application to be digitally visible and do a business transaction. Its mission is to establish an interconnected, decentralized environment where both buyers and sellers can conduct transactions effortlessly, irrespective of the digital platform or application they prefer.*

When using ONDC, buyers can easily browse through various businesses, select the items they want, and make secure online payments. It takes the hassle out of online shopping by bringing together different sellers in one place, offering more choices and competitive prices.



**Travel story by Branka Čolić: India gives you everything you need, reminds you to live in the moment, to appreciate what you have at home**

Travel, travel, travel. Every trip is a new experience, every experience is a new wealth. This time with Branka Čolić, the travel blogger behind the profile "Štikla po svijetu" ("With high heels visiting the world"), travelling to India!



We started with Delhi, and Agra, then a few days in Pushkar, followed by a train ride to Jaipur. We also stayed there for a few days because it is the famous "Pink City" and even that was too short for this city! Rishikesh follows at the foot of the Himalayas and the border with Nepal, where we stay for a few more days, visit Haridwar and return to the double-digit million capital city - Delhi.

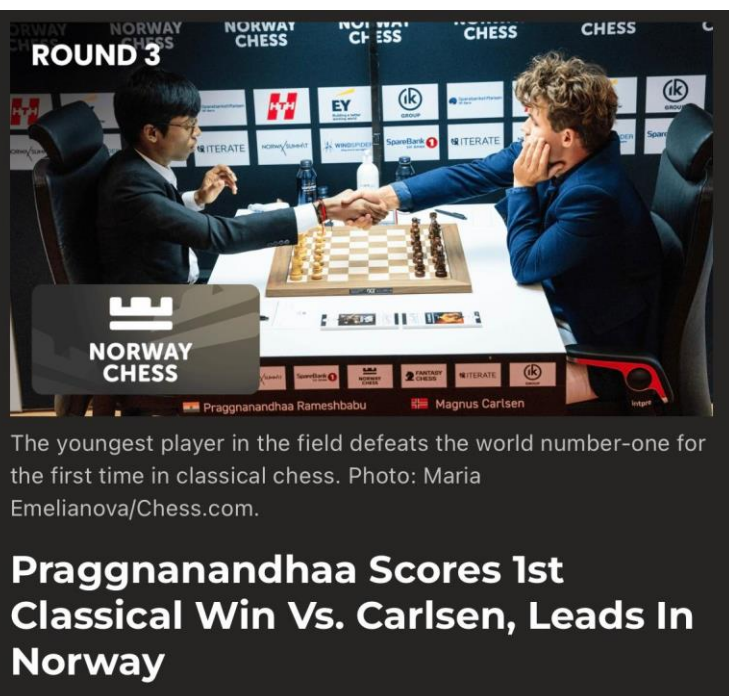
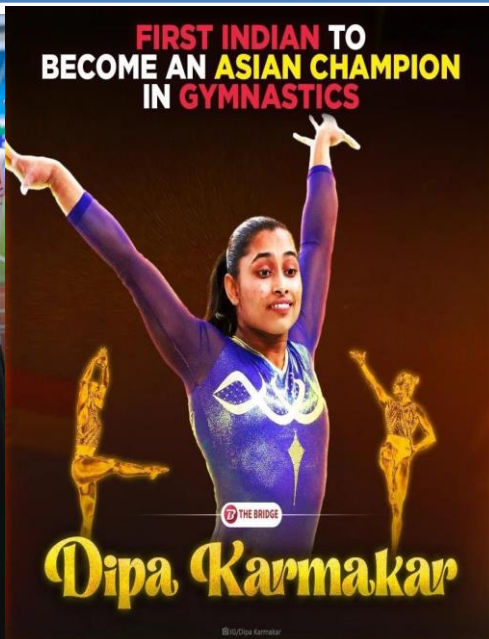
I single out the holy place of Pushkar, where miracles and healings happen, the same place where my recovery after surgery experienced its "miracle". Another wish came true there, I was invited to dinner with the locals together with other acquaintances and strangers.

It is a beautiful experience, very similar to our culture from the Balkans, for example, no one leaves the house hungry or thirsty. You still get gifts, and they have so little. They invite you as the guest of honour to their wedding after a short fling in a rooftop cafe, etc. Who doesn't love India, let me hear?!

Source: [Silueta.net](http://Silueta.net)



## New India at work in diverse sports arenas



## Croatian media on India

### India is building the first thorium-based microreactor

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*With a power output of 10 MWe, the SOOKSHMA reactor will be both compact and modular, making it ideal for a variety of applications*



Young Spruce Monday, May 13, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.



Read the full article at the following [LINK](#).

### Regardless of the global decline, Apple in India achieved record revenues

may 6, 2024.



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Read the full article at the following [LINK](#).

### Google to manufacture Pixel phones and drones in Tamil Nadu

Author: Domagoj Puljizović, May 26, 2024 at 10:00 p.m.



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### Wunderkind wants to become the youngest world champion in history, and he is only 17 years old



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## Indian Economy on the Transformational Paths

### India's data center industry set to double capacity by 2026.

India has emerged as the data center leader in the Asia-Pacific region, surpassing countries like Singapore, Australia, South Korea, Japan, and Hong Kong in installed capacity. With 950 MW of installed capacity and an expected addition of another 850 MW by 2026, India is set to solidify its position in the data center business. The country's favorable market conditions are attracting multinational corporations seeking to expand their digital services. Investments in India's data center industry have exceeded \$40 billion between 2018 and 2023, with significant commitments from global and domestic investors. The top states that dominated the cumulative investment commitments include Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal, and Tamil Nadu. Hyundai Motor Group plans expansion in India.



### India's exports reach 115 countries amidst global uncertainties

In the face of global economic uncertainties, India's exports expanded to 115 countries out of 238 destinations in the fiscal year 2023-24, a significant achievement reported by the Ministry of Commerce. Key export markets include the US, UAE, Netherlands, China, UK, and Saudi Arabia. Significant growth was witnessed in exports to emerging markets like Russia, Romania, and Albania.



### Apple sets revenue records in India

Apple achieved its highest revenue ever in India during the quarter ending in March 2024, surpassing analyst predictions. Referring to the company's performance in India, the CEO of Apple Tim Cook stated. "We did grow strong double-digit, and so we were very, very pleased with that. It was a new March quarter revenue record for us. As you know, as I've said before, I see it as an incredibly exciting market and it's a major focus for us." He also emphasized that Apple's growth in India is directly connected to its operational expansion in the country.



### India's economic momentum to remain strong post-election: S&P Global Market Intelligence

The Indian economy is poised to maintain its growth momentum following the upcoming elections, driven by the government's capital spending and a recovery in private consumption and investment, according to a recent report by S&P Global Market Intelligence. This positive outlook is driven by the government's strategic focus on key sectors such as renewables, electronics, textiles, digital infrastructure, logistics, food production, and services. S&P Global highlighted that these sectors are crucial for India's macroeconomic stability and growth, significantly contributing to climate policy and energy transition efforts. They also support domestic employment and align with India's foreign policy objectives. As the government continues to invest in these areas, the expectation is that this will foster sustainable economic development and bolster India's standing on the global stage. The report anticipates a modest easing of inflation, projecting it to decrease from 5.7% to 5.3% in 2024. This reduction in inflation is expected to enhance consumer purchasing power and stimulate further economic activity. Additionally, the Indian government has set ambitious fiscal targets, aiming to reduce the fiscal deficit to 4.5% of GDP by FY26, down from the interim budget's target of 5.1% for FY25.



## Did you know? National Flower of India



### EVERYTHING ABOUT THE NATIONAL FLOWER OF INDIA

Lotus is India's national flower. The 'Lotus' or water lily, an aquatic plant of the Nymphaea family, has the honour of being India's National Flower. The large, appealing pink blossoms feature symmetrically arranged petals and broad floating petals that give the impression of serenity and elegance. They are regarded sacred by Hindus, who make up a large portion of the Indian population, and are thus surrounded by many legends, religious mythology, and folklore. It is considered to symbolise longevity, honour, good fortune, and victory. Lotus can survive in both fresh shallow waters and muddy swamps and can re-germinate for thousands of years, signifying survival and purity of heart, mind, and spirit under any circumstances.

#### **Why Lotus is our National Flower?**

In his book *On the Cultural Significance of the Indian Lotus Leaf*, Thomas Kintaert states, "There is hardly any symbolism in Indian poetry, sculpture, and painting vaster than that relating to the lotus flower and other parts of the plant." The lotus was chosen as the national flower because of its significance in ancient traditions, religions, and mythology. The Bhagavad Gita uses it as a metaphor for detachment, saying that just as the lotus is unaffected by the murky waters in which it thrives, humans should rise above their earthly attachments. Saraswati, the goddess of wisdom, is represented seated on a lotus, which represents knowledge and beauty.

#### **Interesting Facts about the National Flower of India**

- It is a sacred flower with a special place in ancient Indian art and mythology, and it has long been regarded as an auspicious symbol of Indian culture.
- The Lotus was enshrined as India's National Flower by its founding fathers because of its moral symbolism and cultural significance.
- Pink and white are the only two colours available in the Lotus flower.
- The flower emerges from murky water on a long stalk and blooms magnificently.
- The nodes of the rhizome produce leaves. Lotus rhizomes can be used to propagate the plant.
- Lotus is also the national flower of Vietnam, in addition to India.
- Lotus blossoms are considered auspicious in Egypt since they are the symbol of the Sun God.

Read more about the National Flower of India at the following [link](#).



## Strengthening People-to-People Ties between India & Croatia

**Ambassador Srivastava met with the Croatian singer & friend of India Goran Karan** who presented him with a copy of his Croatian translation book of "Mathura Mahatmya" which shows his knowledge and devotion to Indian spiritual thought.

**Ambassador Srivastava visited the premises of the Yoga in Daily Life Rijeka** and interacted with partners of IDY celebrations. Swami Vivek Puri explained about increasing cooperation with authorities in Rijeka with regards to community-benefiting initiatives of YIDL, including Yoga & Ayurveda.

**Ambassador Srivastava met with the Director of the Zagreb Fair Mrs. Renata Suša** and Ana Bolanca Popović, the main coordinator of the healthy living fair where India was a partner country in 2023. They also mentioned the long-standing successful cooperation, including the participation of India and Ambassador Vikas Swarup at Interliber, the largest literature fair in Croatia.

**Ambassador Srivastava received the former Table Tennis Olympic games participant Ronald Redjep**, who is also the President of STK Starr. Mr Redjep presented the Ambassador with several players from India, including Kheya Shah, Mathan Rajan Hansini player, Mudit Dani and the fitness coach Yogesh Kanchgar.

**Ambassador Srivastava met with the President of the Croatian Chamber of Commerce-Split County Chamber, Joze Tomas**, while attending the Block Split Conference Split on 27 May to discuss several success stories of India's digital transformation, skilled talent of India which is already contributing in Croatian economy, and opportunities for Croatian companies in the growth decade of India ahead. Ambassador also presented Mr Thomas a copy of the book "Croatian Indian Links" released in 2022 to celebrate 30 years of bilateral diplomatic relationship.



## Cultural Activities on India in Croatia



**On June 26, a concert by the Indian musician Reshma Srivastava on the sitar will be held in Zadar, with the organizational support of the Embassy of India, Zagreb the Archaeological Museum of Zadar, and the Tourist Board of the City of Zadar. This is an excellent Indian artist who has already held two concerts in Zadar, and this time she will perform in the Church of St. Donatus, a perfect acoustic space for divine sitar melodies. Entrance is free.**

📍 Church of St Donat

📅 26.06.2024. - 26.06.2024.

🕒 20:00 - 21:30

**Find out the details of the performance at the following [link](#).**

## Deepening of friendly ties between Croatia and India

*The songs were written during the author's service in India from 1995 to 1998, inspired by that great culture and civilization.*

At the beginning of this year, the Embassy of the Republic of India in Zagreb published a booklet entitled *Bharat* by Drago Štambuka, a prominent Croatian diplomat and writer, member of HAZU. Although it is small in scope (it has almost 50 pages), it represents one of the precious spiritual bridges between Croatia and India.

Indians often use the name *Bharat* for their ancient homeland. Published bilingually, in Croatian and Hindi, and biliterally, in Latin and Hindi script, the aforementioned booklet is a collection of thirty spiritual poems by Drago Štambuka, selected from his book *The Orphan Elephant*, published in 2020 by the Croatian-Indian Society in Zagreb. These are songs that the author wrote during his service in India from 1995 to 1998, inspired by that great culture and civilization. We are pleasantly surprised that the editor of the aforementioned booklet, Nj. E. Raj Kumar Srivastava, Ambassador of the Republic of India in Zagreb. It is even more surprising that the ambassador himself translated two poems from Croatian to Hindi, while the rest were translated by students of Indology at the Faculty of Philosophy of the University of Zagreb, under the supervision of their valuable professor Meena Krishna.



According to the ambassador's excellent idea, the booklet is accompanied by four very beautiful works of art by students of the School of Applied Arts and Design from Zagreb, inspired by Croatian-Indian links. Among them is Nikola Tesla, in the company of Vivekananda (made by Karla Sičaja and Hana Brkić). On the penultimate page, there is an effective drawing by Lana Đuranović, which shows two girls, one in Croatian folk costume, and the other in Indian costume. The picture on the front page was designed by Vid Berković, and on the last page by Marija Marić. Indians wear their beautiful national costumes on every festive occasion, regardless of where they are in the world. It is a pity that this beautiful custom among Croats has almost disappeared.

The foreword to the book *Bharat* was written by Ambassador Raj Kumar Srivastava. After the preface, we read the introductory letter of the author Drago Štambuka, and a note about professor Meena Krishna. The afterword contains texts by Mislav Ježić and Ivan Andrijačić, as well as the final thoughts of the Indian ambassador, together with a small selection of thirty Croatian words that have an undoubted origin in Sanskrit (e.g. *mrt* - death, *tamas* - darkness, *svapati* - sleep, *sthan* - apartment, *bhratr* - brother...).

A very beautiful and solemn promotion of Štambuka's poetry book was held on March 20 at the Faculty of Philosophy in the presence of the author, Indian ambassador, Dean of the Faculty of Philosophy Domagoj Tončinić, Ambassador of the Republic of Italy Paolo Trichilo with his wife, President of the Croatian-Indian Society Joginder Singh-Nijjar and others. This promotion marked *Vishwa Hindi Diwas*, the day when in 1949 words in Hindi were spoken for the first time during the session of the UN General Assembly.

The Article is written by Mr. Darko Žubrinić, since 1981, he has been employed at FER. He is the co-author of two monographs in English and about 60 scientific papers, as well as several student manuals, all in the field of Mathematics.

Read the full article at the following [LINK](#).



## Indian summer in Istria

### Programme / Events

#### opening 15 Jun

- ***On the occasion of the International Day of Yoga***, in the Park of the Diocese of Novigrad, organizer Amrit Sagar Association, 10.00 – 13.00
- Museum Lapidarium, opening 19.00  
***From PAIN to PAINT***, a group exhibition of paintings by participants of the Bindu Art School from Bharatapuram, a leprosy colony from southern India. Werner Dornik, one of the founders of Bindu Art will be present. Exhibition till 30 June 2024.

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#### Indian book week

##### 17 - 28 June, at the City Library of Novigrad-Cittanova

17<sup>th</sup> June /18.00 / Workshop for adults, making ornaments inspired by the national animals of India using the embossing technique (led by librarian Ivana Barić),  
19<sup>th</sup> June /19.00/ Jasen Boko, lecture and presentation of the book *Life and Death by the Holy River*.  
25<sup>th</sup> June /18.00/ Workshop for children from 6 to 12 years, making Indian rangoli (led by librarian Dijana Lipovac Matić)  
27<sup>th</sup> June /18.00/ Reader's Club, the book "Lotuses of Neon: Indian Authors on Cities and Other Loves", Studio TiM & Indian Cultural Center, Rijeka-Zagreb  
During the "Indian Book Week" there will be exhibited books by Indian authors, or books that have India as their theme.

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#### ***Ram Ki Shaktipooja (Worship by Rama of the Goddess of Power)***

##### ***visual spectacle performed by Theatre Group - Roopvani led by Vyomesh Shukla, India***

1 July /20.00 / at the Center for Manifestations and Culture Novigrad-Cittanova

The production unfolds as a dance drama, complemented by vocalists, sitar, flute, and drums, eschewing spoken dialogue in favour of expressive gestures and movements. Three classical Indian dance forms—Bharatnatyam, Chhau, and Kathak—are employed, evoking majesty and naturalism in the performers' actions.

#### **Mithu Sen**

##### ***Shadows, one yet separate***

**5 July, exhibition opening at Museum Lapidarium. The artist will be present at the performance.**

In Mithu Sen's major solo exhibition, especially done for Museum Lapidarium, she revels in new and improvised forms of animated, digital abstract poetry, such as *Shadows* by Croat poet A. G. Matoš, transformed in visual multi-syllable words. During the exhibition's opening, Sen will perform a characteristic non-verbal gibberish lecture devoid of art speak, complete with captivating tonal shifts and gesticulations that irreverently and humorously point to the pomposity of academic discourses. Special Sen's Artist book is made on the occasion of her first exhibition in Croatia. Curated by Jerica Ziherl, with Chemould Prescott Road Gallery (Mumbai). Exhibition from 5 July till 6 August.

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**All other details of the event are visible at the following [link](#).**

## Participation at the Block Split Conference: success stories of India's digital transformation in governance

At the Block Split Conference in Split on 27 May, Ambassador Srivastava shared the success stories of India's digital transformation in governance in the past eight years with programs like Digital India, Startup India, Skill India on the one hand and open network tech initiatives like India Stack, UPI, ONDC on the other, aimed at democratising the opportunities, enhancing competition, inclusion, & transparency. These would be the foundation of exponential inclusive growth in the Indian economy in the coming years. Ambassador shared the insights & perspectives with Vlaho Hrdalo, Ambassador of Denmark Mr. Ole Frijs-Madsen, & E. Glen Weyl, an American economist at Microsoft Research and a co-author (with Eric Posner) of the book *Radical Markets: Uprooting Capitalism and Democracy for a Just Society*.



Find out more about the Block Split Conference at the following [link](#).



# 10th IDY 2024 in Croatia: Over 60 events in 5 regions of Croatia



## Kvarner (4th-22nd June)

Rijeka, <u>Setaliste</u> XIII division, bus stop Hotel Park (	4th of June at 19.30 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
<u>Crikvenica</u> , Mediterranean Labyrinth of Love, Town Hall	8th of June at 18.00 hrs. & 9th June at 8.00 hrs.	udruga za unapređenje kvalitete življenja KUSAC
<u>Crikvenica</u> , Mediterranean Labyrinth of Love, Town Hall	15th June at 17.00 hrs. 21st June at 19.00 hrs.	udruga za unapređenje kvalitete življenja KUSAC
PUNAT, <u>Obala</u> 105, Street workout park	17th of June at 8.00 hrs.	TZO PUNAT/Yoga <u>otok Krk</u> / Surya yoga (Infinity sport <u>Krk</u> )
<u>Krk</u> -island <u>Krk</u> activity centre	18th of June at 8.30 hrs.	Yoga <u>otok Krk</u> /Surya yoga (Infinity sport <u>Krk</u> )
Rijeka, Om studio, <u>Turnić</u> 12	19th of June at 19.30 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
Rijeka, Om studio, <u>Turnić</u> 12	19th of June at 20.30 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
<u>Baška</u> , park next to the Valamar Zvonimir hotel	20th of June at 08.00 hrs.	<u>Turistička zajednica općine Baška</u>
<u>Lovran</u> , <u>Lovranski mul</u>	21st of June at 08:00 hrs.	TZ <u>općine Lovran</u>
Lotus Resort, <u>Brzac</u> 85, Island <u>Krk</u>	21st of June at 11.00 hrs.	Institute for Yoga and Ayurveda "SUN"
Rijeka, park in front of <u>Culture</u> hall Yoga in Daily Life, <u>Spincićeva</u> 2	21st of June at 8.30 hrs.	Yoga in Daily Life
<u>Krk</u> , Lotus Resort	21st of June at 11.00 hrs.	INSTITUT ZA YOGU I AYURVEDA "SUNCE"
Island of <u>Krk</u> , <u>Poljica</u> , <u>Čavlena</u> bay, <u>Bijela</u> Cesta	21st of June at 18.30 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
Rijeka, Slavka <u>Krautsek</u> 84 - Open playground Campus	22nd of June at 9:00 hrs.	Yoga with B.



## Zagreb and Surrounding (2nd-22nd June)

Location	Date of the session	Name of the organisation
Zagreb, Main entrance of Maksimira park	2nd of June at 10:30 hrs.	Bhakti Marga, šetnja, Babaji Surya Namaskar, OM Chanting
Zagreb, Ožujka 1	6th of June at 20.30 hrs.	Branko Radosavljević
Zagreb, Mihovila Pavlinovica no. 7	6th of June, 18.30 hrs.	Kundalini Joga Centar, New Moon Kirtan
Bjelovar, concrete block near IV. Elementary schools	12th of June at 19.00 hrs.	Mandala joga studio
Zagreb, Rooftop - Martićeva 45	14th of June at 19.30 hrs.	Verbasana Yoga
Zagreb, Park Maksimir (big stage);	15th of June 9.00 hrs.	Sustav "Joga u svakodnevnom životu" Zagreb
Zagreb, Češki dom	15th of June at 18.00 hrs.	Institut za Yogu i Ayurvedu "SUNCE"
Samobor, park by Yoga in Daily Life Alley	16th of June at 19.00 hrs.	Udruga "Joga u svakodnevnom životu" Zagreb
Bjelovar, Borik Park	18th of June at 19.00 hrs.	Namaste Yoga Studio
Zaprešić, Antuna Mihanovića 2,	19th of June at 18.30 hrs.	Sat Amrit j.d.o.o.
Zagreb, 2Life fitness center, Luke Oriovcanina	20th of June at 18.00 hrs.	2Life fitness centar
Zagreb, Lake Bundeck	21st of June at 18.00 hrs.	Namaste Yoga Zagreb
Zagreb, Mihovila Pavlinovica no. 7	21st of June at 4.30AM hrs.	Kundalini Joga Centar, Summer Solstice Sadhana
Zagreb, Yoga Studio Padma, III Južna Obala 11 Zagreb	22nd of June at 18.00 hrs.	Yoga Studio Padma



## Dalmatia (9th-22nd June)

Location	Date of the session	Name of the organisation
Split, Sustipan park	9th of June at 19.00-21.00 hrs.	Bhakti Marga with Chanting i Babaji Surya Namaskar
Šibenik, Park Dublčevac	13th of June at 18.00 hrs.	Gemma Delmatica (Yoga back to basic - zeniyoga)
Dubrovnik, Island of Lokrum	16th of June at 10.00 hrs.	We DU Yoga, Samasthi Yoga, Yoga Okay, Elixir Vitae, TM Center, Umjeće življenja
Vis, Ravnica Matiča Hrvatska	21st of June at 19.00 hrs.	Turistička zajednica grada Visa
Šibenik, Obala Jerka Štorgića 1, D-resort Hotel Amphitheater	21st of June at 19.45 hrs.	DSR DIVINE YOGA STUDIO
Split, Park Sustipan	22nd of June at 9.30 hrs.	Udruga Joga u svakodnevnom životu Split



## Istria (1st-22nd June)

Pula, Valkane	1st of June at 8.00 hrs.	No organization
Pazin	8th of June at 08.00 hrs.	Samsara Body&Mind
Vodnjan, Kažun park	8th of June at 08.30 hrs.	Turistička zajednica Grada Vodnjana
Pula, School of Applied Arts (SC Mirna premises: Marulićeva 4, PULA	11th of June	Mohanji Hrvatska
Pula, Elementary School Monte Zaro, Bošković uspon 24	12th of June at 13.15 hrs.	Mohanji Hrvatska
Pula, Elementary School Monte Zaro Pula, Bošković uspon 24	13th of June at 9.50 hrs.	Mohanji Hrvatska
Novigrad-Cittanova, Park of the Diocese of Novigrad	15th of June at 10.00 hrs.	Udruga "Amrit Sagar"
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Medulin, Vizula Archaeological Park	15th of June at 9.00 hrs.	Mohanji Hrvatska
Rovinj, Beach bar - Come back - by the sea	16th of June at 10.00	UDRUGA "JYOTI"
Pula, Beach bar Zeppelin, Saccorgiana bay	16th of June at 10.00 hrs.	Mohanji Hrvatska
Poreč, Materada - Friendship Park	22nd of June at 18.00 hrs.	Udruga Vitasana - udruga za promicanje zdravog načina življenja



## Central & North-East-West Croatia (9th-22nd June)

Location	Date of the session	Name of the organisation
Hrvatska Kraljevina City Park, King Tomislav Square	1st of June at 10.00 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
Majur, Cultural Center, Devorina Trstenska 29	1st of June at 10.00 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
Varaždin, Setaliste Drava Varaždin (near the Drava ponds)	1st of June at 9.00 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
Goričan, Mohanji peace center;	8th of June 2024	Mohanji Hrvatska
Daruvor, Dore Pajčević 11	9th of June at 8.00 hrs.	Holistički centar ANIMA MUNDI
White Monastery, Trig Slobode, (field next to the main square)	15th of June at 10.00 hrs.	Shakti Yoga
Statina, Julija Burger Promenade 10, Epicenter Sequoia	15th of June at 10.00 hrs.	Udruga AUM
Karlovac, Mrtzo Puja, swimming pool at Mrežnica	15th of June at 10.00 hrs.	Bhakti Marga
Varaždin, Ivana Miličević 2	20th of June at 18.30 hrs.	CENTAR NAMASTE
Slavonski Brod, Polje	21st of June 18.00 hrs.	Salya Yoga
Ludbreg, Island of Youth	21st of June at 18.00 hrs.	Ayana yoga Ludbreg
Čakovac, Trig Republike	21st of June at 18.00 hrs.	Udruga za promicanje ljudskih vrijednosti (Udruga žrtava i)
Čakovac, Perivoj Zrinski (lake right side)	22nd of June 2024 at 10.00 hrs.	Nilaya Studio
Opatjak, Kalužićeva 4,	21st of June at 19.30 hrs.	Yoga Home shala, center osobne moći d.o.o



Find all the locations and information's about the organizers at the following [LINK](#).

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**GORAN KARAN**



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