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### Foreword

On the back of strong exports and growing domestic automotive demand, the Indian automotive components industry has roughly tripled in size from INR 83,000 crore (USD 18 billion) in 2006 to INR 235,000 crore (USD 39 billion) in 2015. Its contribution to India's manufacturing GDP has increased to 5 per cent.

However, India's manufacturing sector contributes only about 13 per cent of India's GDP, while this share is about 25 to 35 per cent for many developing nations. This presents an opportunity for the Indian automotive components industry to lead the manufacturing sector to significantly increase its contribution to India's GDP over the next decade, helping the nation achieve its 'Make in India' aspirations.

For this, automotive components manufacturers in India should aspire to make not only for India but also

for the world. The industry would have to focus beyond manufacturing to design and development. This would make India a global automotive components manufacturing hub. Apart from proximity to a large, growing market and significant cost advantages for manufacturers, there are significant pay-offs for the country as well in terms of forex earnings, skill development and job creation.

Establishing India as a manufacturing and export hub, however, will require concerted action from automotive components manufacturers, Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India (ACMA), automotive OEMs, automotive value-chain partners and policymakers, in order to attract investments to the tune of USD 100 billion over the next decade to realise 2026 aspirations.

With this objective, ACMA, with the support of McKinsey & Company, decided to conduct an incisive study on the key

drivers that will influence the success of the industry's 'Make in India' campaign, and imperatives that the industry must focus on. As the knowledge partners for the 55<sup>th</sup> ACMA Annual Session and International Conference, McKinsey & Company conducted a detailed study to develop a perspective on 'Make in India' for the automotive components industry.

We are thankful to McKinsey & Company for their effort and for bringing an insightful perspective to this conference. We hope that you will find this document informative and useful for shaping the 'Make in India' efforts of the Indian automotive industry.

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### Executive summary

#### Strong performance and significant aspirations

Over the last decade, the Indian automotive components industry has scaled significant heights. The overall size has grown to about three times while exports have grown faster to about five times and contribution to manufacturing GDP has increased from 3 per cent to 5 per cent. This has been driven by strong growth in the domestic market and increasing globalisation (including exports) of Indian suppliers. However, there is further room for growth — Indian exports still form only one per cent of the global automotive components exports with imports having grown at the same pace as exports.

In an ever changing world, the automotive components industry will have to adapt and reshape itself to align with evolving forces. 'No Ordinary Disruption', a book by the McKinsey Global Institute, highlights four disruptive forces that are global in nature and will impact almost every sector in every country. These forces, along with key regulatory and market trends, are likely to drive significant shifts in the global automotive sector, leading to ripple effects in the Indian automotive components sector.

The industry has significant aspirations for 2026 — to reach five times current levels in overall size, seven times current levels in exports and to reach 10 per cent of India's manufacturing GDP. In order to realise these aspirations, the automotive components industry will need to attract about USD 100 billion worth of investments and ensure skill development of the existing talent pool to realise the complete job creation potential of the industry. These aspirations when translated into an exciting vision could imply the following — India being the frugal innovator for the world, significant scaling of existing clusters/ emergence of new automotive clusters in India, global MNCs manufacturing in India for the world, multiple Indian automotive component players entering the top 100 global suppliers lists and the sector being supported by world class logistics and port infrastructure.

There are two key drivers for attracting investments and realising the aspirations: increase the economic profit generated by automotive components players and strengthen India's competitiveness as an investment destination for manufacturing by improving the ease of doing business.

#### Economic profit and the ease of doing business

India's manufacturing sector is still not operating at its potential. Across two key measures of share of manufacturing in GDP (India at 13 per cent, China at 33 per cent) and share of exports in manufacturing (India at 23 per cent, China at 40 per cent), there is significant room for growth.

Economic profit is a measure of the surplus a company has generated after repaying its cost of capital. Across 2007–2011, among the top 1000 manufacturing companies in India, less than one in two companies generated economic profit. Moreover, this number has significantly come down and for the period 2011–2014, less than one in three companies generate economic profit. However, within the automotive components manufacturers across both the time periods, a little over one in three companies generated economic profit.

McKinsey's proprietary research on the performance of about 2,500 Indian companies across approximately 60 sectors shows that the top 20 per cent of the companies create over 90 per cent of the economic profit. A view on sectors indicates similar findings: 20 per cent sectors generate over 90 per cent of economic profit. While automotive OEMs, IT services and pharma are among the most value-creating sectors, the automotive components sector lies in the 'mid zone'.

Within the Indian automotive components sector, while 90 per cent of suppliers are profitable, less than a third make economic profit. Indian players need to generate substantially greater economic profit to match the likes of China, Germany, US and South Korea. It is observed that the countries with high economic profit have attracted over two thirds of global investments in the last five years. Analysis of countries across margins and asset turnover lead to two indifference curves, one for high economic profit and one for low economic profit; Indian players can focus on improving their asset turnover to shift to a high economic profit indifference curve.

In addition to economic profit, ease of doing business is critical to attract investments. Based on the World Bank's 10 themes for the ease of doing business, India has ranked among the top 40 nations in the world in terms of investor protection and availability of credit. However, it has also ranked among the bottom 20 in the world on the ease of starting a business, dealing with construction permits and enforcing contracts. India's competitiveness as an investment destination needs to be improved in order to attract the requisite investments.

#### Attracting investments

McKinsey's proprietary research suggests that companies could improve economic profit by focusing on a three-part recipe — endowments, trends and big moves.

- Endowments refers to company and industry characteristics like capital structure, geographical diversification, access to resources, and basis of differentiation among others.
- Trends refer to the global and local changes affecting the industry as a whole or a particular company in specific.
- Big moves are the choices and decisions made by the company/industry, in the light of endowments and trends that would help them create incremental value.

Further, research suggests that the odds of moving to the top quintile could be dramatically increased to 95 per cent

from levels of 10 per cent, if companies/sectors make the best use of the endowments and trends while concurrently executing big moves.

We propose a nine-point agenda for the automotive components industry across the three-part recipe to improve economic profit.

The industry could build on its endowments by:

- Graduating from 'make to print' through frugal innovation
- Growing scale and professionalising for the next wave of cost excellence
- Improving quality capability of Tier-2 and Tier-3 suppliers

It can win over trends by:

- Investing to stay on top of the evolution of emission and safety standards/adoption
- Growing plant capacity, people skills and technology to support domestic and global expansion of OEMs
- Building automotive electronics supply capabilities; leveraging large aftermarket

It can execute big moves such as:

- 'Make in India for the World' by leading in simplified and low-cost technology
- Building scale and managing cyclicity through M&A and diversification
- Embracing 'Digital Manufacturing' to transform productivity and quality

Apart from this, the industry ecosystem and the Indian government could collaborate to make India an attractive manufacturing investment destination.

- ACMA, automotive OEMs, and other value-chain partners could invest in improving the ecosystem by promoting Brand India, creating competitive products (e.g. liability insurance), facilitating quality improvements, embracing digital services and promoting competencies in the value chain.
- The government could provide continued R&D and infrastructural support while exploring strategic trade agreements and making it easier to do business in India.

### **Chapter 1**

# Strong all-round performance and significant aspirations

Over the last decade, the Indian automotive components sector grew at a CAGR of about 12 per cent to reach a size of INR 235,000 crore (USD 39 billion) in 2015. Exports, during the same period, grew faster at a CAGR of 16 per cent and scaling a size of INR 68,500 crores (USD 11 billion), reaching 160 countries. The automotive components sector has outgrown the overall manufacturing sector over the past decade, increasing its contribution to the manufacturing GDP to about 5 per cent while providing direct jobs to about a million people.

#### Strong all-round performance by the Indian automotive components sector Value in USD bn 2006 2015 (xx) **Contribution to** Exports Size **Manufacturing GDP** ₹000 crore ₹000 crore **GDP**, Percent rowth rowi rect io 68+ 235 5% ~11 ~39 countries 3% 83+ 13+

2015

2006

2015

2006

SOURCE: ACMA; Automotive Mission Plan 2026

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2006

### Diverse and disruptive trends will shape the global industry



1 Emerging economies, including industrialisation

SOURCE: 'No Ordinary Disruption', a McKinsey and Company publication, July '15

In an ever changing world, the automotive components industry will have to adapt and reshape itself to align with evolving forces. 'No Ordinary Disruption', a book by the McKinsey Global Institute, highlights four disruptive forces that are global in nature and will impact almost every sector in every country. These forces, along with key regulatory and market trends are likely to drive significant shifts in the global automotive sector, leading to ripple effects in the Indian automotive components sector. By 2026, the automotive components sector aspires to grow five to six times its current size, with exports growing to seven times to equal domestic demand. In order to achieve this, the sector would have to outgrow the overall manufacturing sector and this could imply that the Indian automotive components sector would have doubled its share in India's manufacturing GDP over the next decade.



SOURCE: ACMA; Automotive Mission Plan 2026

### Aspirations translate into an exciting vision



India's emergence, both as an automotive hub for the world and as one of the largest global automobile markets, is likely to necessitate investment to the tune of USD 100 billion in the automotive components sector. India should aim to be the destination for global MNCs manufacturing for the world, while enabling its automotive components suppliers to break into the top 100 global suppliers. This can be achieved on the back of newer manufacturing clusters, world-class logistics and infrastructural support and frugal innovations.

1 USD 1 = INR 63

SOURCE: Indian Brand Equity Foundation, AMP 2026, World Industry standards

### **Chapter 2**

## Economic profit and country competitiveness as key drivers

There are two key drivers for attracting investments and realising aspirations: Increase the economic profit generated by automotive components players and strengthen India's competitiveness as an investment destination for manufacturing, by improving the ease of doing business.

### 'Make in India': Two most crucial pre-requisites

Companies in the sector generate sufficient economic profit (i.e., returns on capital greater than cost of capital)

> Attract investments of USD 85–100 bn into the sector

The country becomes competitive on the ease of doing business

### India's manufacturing sector—not yet operating at potential



India's manufacturing sector is still not operating at its potential. Compared to other countries, India has significant room to improve across two key measures — share of manufacturing in GDP and share of exports in manufacturing. China has established itself as the global leader in manufacturing, whereas Thailand has emerged as a manufacturing export hub. With the 'Make in India' aspirations, the automotive components industry has the opportunity to lead the Indian manufacturing sector to increase its contribution to GDP and exports.

SOURCE: IHS Global Insights

Economic profit is a measure of the surplus a company has generated after repaying its debt and meeting equity investors' expectations of returns. Across 2007-2011, among the top 1000 manufacturing companies in India, less than one in two companies generated economic profit. Moreover, this number has significantly come down and for the period 2011-2014, less than one in three companies generate economic profit. However, across both time periods, a little over one in three automotive components manufacturers generated economic profit.

### Most manufacturing companies in India are not creating economic profit<sup>1</sup>

Positive economic profit



SOURCE: Corporate Performance Analysis Tool<sup>™</sup> – a McKinsey Solution



McKinsey's proprietary research on the performance of approximately 2500 Indian companies across around 60 sectors shows that the top 20 per cent of the sectors create over 90 per cent of the economic profit. While automotive OEMs, IT services and pharmaceuticals are among the most value-creating sectors, the automotive components sector lies in the 'mid zone'.

1 Includes all publically listed non-financial Indian companies covered by CPAT, less firms with insufficient data to calculate an accurate average economic profit for 2010–14; 2 Economic profit divided by number of companies

SOURCE: Corporate Performance Analysis Tool<sup>™</sup> – a McKinsey Solution

Analysing the financials of about 100 listed automotive components companies, one can find that while 90 per cent of automotive components manufacturers make positive EBIT, only about a third of them generate economic profits. In fact, global research shows that when arranged in decreasing order of economic profit, the companies form a 'Power curve' which can be divided into five equal parts or quintiles. This is consistent for the Indian automotive components sector and almost all the economic profit is generated by the top quintile companies.

### While the majority of automotive components suppliers in India are profitable, few generate economic profit

90 percent of players make positive EBIT... 100% = 99





SOURCE: McKinsey analysis

Positive

EBIT



Global analysis of economic profit and investments helps segment countries into two groups-one comprising countries such as Germany, the US, South Korea and China, with high economic profit generated per unit investment (high EP/IC), and another set of countries such as India, Thailand and Japan, with low economic profit per unit investment.

McKinsey's analysis shows that the countries that generate high economic profit on investments get a larger chunk of the total investment. Over the past four years, we see that countries with high EP (e.g., the US, Germany, China, South Korea) have received two-thirds of the total global investments in the automotive components sector while countries with low EP (e.g., India, Japan and Thailand) have together received only about 20 per cent. This also reflects in the difference in the increase in the invested capital base.

SOURCE: IHS Global Insights

Two key factors drive economic profit operating margins *(net operating margins less taxes)* and asset turnover *(revenue per unit of invested capital)* 

India, while enjoying higher operating margins, would need to improve its asset turnover ratio to increase its chances of improving EP, jumping to the higher EP indifference curve and attracting more investments.

### Indian automotive components sector has the opportunity to transform its economic profit position



1 Net operating profit adjusted for taxes 2 Revenue per unit of capital employed

SOURCE: Corporate Performance Analysis Tool<sup>™</sup> – a McKinsey Solution

### Three-part recipe to move to the top 20% position in economic profit (EP)

Company/sector-specific factors that affect the starting odds



McKinsey's proprietary research suggests that companies can improve economic profit by focusing on a three part recipe endowments, trends and big moves.

- Endowments refer to company and industry characteristics like capital structure, geographical diversification, access to resources, and basis of differentiation among others.
- Trends refer to the global and local changes affecting the industry as a whole or a particular company in specific. Those that help create value, like what the increased penetration of smartphones is doing for e-commerce companies, are the tailwinds for the industry. On the other hand, those that make value creation harder, like what the rise of contact lenses did for the spectacle industry, are the headwinds.
- Big moves are the choices and decisions made by the company/ industry in the light of endowments and trends that would help them create incremental value.

Further, research suggests that the odds of moving to the top quintile can be dramatically increased to 95 per cent from levels of 10 per cent, if companies/sectors make the best use of the endowments and trends while concurrently executing big moves. Over the period 2008–2013, the top five South Korean automotive parts players have doubled their share in the global automotive components market. Overall the South Korean automotive components industry witnessed a spurt in growth over the last decade as it successfully rode the wave of endowments, trends and big moves:

- Endowments: Leveraged the highly skilled labour and long term anchor relationships with OEMs to become a high-tech components hub
- Trends: Worked hand-in-hand with OEMs and quickly adopted modular design and manufacturing practices while focusing on technology
- Big moves: Relentlessly pushed for innovation at low cost (especially on electronics), strongly supported by the government through initiatives such as the automotive part parks

### The South Korean automotive components industry adopted a similar recipe

Endowment

 Capability in codesigning with OEMs

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- Highly skilled labour
- Long-term and exclusive anchor OEM relationships

SOURCE: Team analysis

### Trends

- Piggy-backing global OEMs (e.g., Hyundai)
- Growing demand for affordable technology
- Modular systems design and manufacturing

### Big moves



- Specialising in system-level design, rich in innovation
- Focus on being talent magnets
- Strong government push (KAPPs - Korea Auto Part Parks)

Global share of top 5 Korean auto parts suppliers



### In addition to EP, India's competitiveness on the ease of doing business needs to strengthen

#### Rankings on 10 themes of doing business Ranking (out of 189), 2014

#### Key enablers

- Land
- Labour
- Infrastructure
- Productmarket regulation (e.g., taxation, trade agreements)

Enforcing contracts Dealing with construction permits Starting a business		186 182 179
Paying taxes		158
Trading across borders		132
Resolving insolvency		121
Getting electricity		111
Registering property	92	2
Protecting investors	34	
Getting credit	28	

While economic profit is one pillar to attract investments for industries to 'Make in India', the ease of doing business is another. The government is pushing forward on the arduous reform agenda along the four key enablers land, labour, infrastructure and product market regulation.

The World Bank's Ease of Doing Business Report of 2014 breaks down the concept of the ease of doing business into specific tasks, and has indicated that India has great scope for improvement on multiple fronts, especially enforcing contracts, dealing with construction permits, starting new businesses and paying taxes. Out of 10 tasks ranked for ease of doing business, India is in the bottom quartile for four tasks and in the top quartile for only two tasks.

### **Chapter 3**

# Nine-point agenda for growing economic profit

Indian automotive components players could focus on a nine-point agenda across the three-part recipe to help significantly boost the odds of generating top-quintile economic profit.

#### **Build on endowments**

Automotve components manufacturers could focus on the three key endowments of the industry-innovation, cost and quality.

On innovation. manufacturers could leverage the experience in low-cost design and tooling in building out the next wave of growth through frugal innovation while moving away from 'make to print'.

On cost, automotive components manufacturers could build on existing labour cost advantages and focus on achieving continued cost excellence. This could be realised by delivering on two key themes-building scale to leverage scale economies and focusing on professionalising the ecosystem to create a culture of cost excellence.

On guality, it is important to raise the bar to reach world-class standards. This could be accomplished if the entire ecosystem, including Tier 2 and Tier 3 players, deliver consistent quality at the highest standards. In order to make this a reality, there could to be focused support through training and certification, dedicated hand-holding, measurement and monitoring, and driving quality improvements across the entire chain.

### Transformation agenda for the Indian automotive components industry

	1	Graduating from 'make to print' through frugal innovation
Build on Endow-	2	Grow scale and professionalise for the next wave of cost excellence
ments	3	Improve quality capability of Tier-2 and Tier-3 suppliers
	4	Invest to stay on top of the evolution of <b>emission and safety</b> standards/adoption
Win over Trends	5	Grow plant capacity, people skills and technology to support <b>domestic and</b> <b>global expansion</b> of OEMs
	6	Build auto-electronics supply capabilities; leverage large aftermarket
Execute	7	'Make in India for the world' by leading in simplified and low- cost technology
Big moves	8	Build scale and manage cyclicity through M&A and diversification
	9	Embrace 'Digital manufacturing' to transform productivity and quality



### 4 Emissions: Opportunities for suppliers along the powertrain evolution

As emission norms are tightened, the engine and powertrain will see significant changes. Given that engine and powertrain components contribute to 75 per cent of India's imports and exports, it is important for manufacturers to stay on top of powertrain evolution.

While there is potential to achieve up to 80 per cent reduction in vehicular CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by incremental improvements in the current IC engine or adding of a second power source (like an electric motor), components manufacturers need to work closely with OEMs and invest in newer technologies like hybrid powertrains, direct fuel injection, light weighting and downsizing.

The current solution to achieve zero emissions is the e-vehicle. Given its potential to significantly disrupt the conventional powertrain, it is extremely critical for automotive components manufacturers to work closely with Indian and global OEMs to develop the next wave of powertrain components in India, led by frugal innovation and supported by cost and quality excellence.

Automobile safety is in focus more than it has ever been. With increasing regulations and consumer adoption, the global automotive safety market is expected to grow to more than USD 60 billion by 2020. Given current low adoption of safety devices and increasing awareness about vehicular safety throughout the developing world, the market for these devices is likely to grow significantly in India. As scale increases, automotive components manufacturers could explore local manufacturing of these devices.

### **4** Safety: Global active safety market expected to grow faster



SOURCE: McKinsey analysis



1 Sedans; 2 Light Commercial Vehicles; 3 Utility Vehicles; 4 Medium Heavy Commercial Vehicles; 5 All PV, except Seg A & Seg B

SOURCE: Automotive Mission Plan 2026; IHS Global Insights; Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers

While the Indian automotive components market will grow along with the automobile market, there are select subsegments (two wheelers, segment A cars and tractors) where India has a significant scale advantage. Indian automotive components manufacturers could leverage the scale to serve global markets.

In addition, as the Indian vehicle market achieves increased scale, the components suppliers could work towards fully serving and estimated three fold growth. This could potentially prove to be a key tailwind to ride on over the next decade to achieve global scale across additional segments, further improving the global competitiveness of the Indian automotive components manufacturers. Electronics is a key focus theme for growth in the automotive components industry with the proliferation of electronics-based safety, navigation, entertainment and convenience systems in cars. Research suggests that the value of electronics content in a car will double between 2010 and 2030, reaching about 45 per cent of the value of a car. Given India's current dependence on electronics import, this would be a major headwind the Indian automotive components industry would have to counter.

Having said that, the increasing scale in India presents an exciting opportunity for automotive components manufacturers to work with innovative players in the technology and electronics space to develop solutions at-scale. Across the automotive electronics value chain, new players could start exploring hardware assembly while established players and new technology partners could lead in product innovation, software and system integration. Child parts, which are currently imported, could see increased local play with growing adoption and regulatory changes.



SOURCE: McKinsey analysis



Indian automotive components manufacturers can explore a play in the electronic components aftermarket. Given low penetration of electronic products in new vehicles and a car parc of about 20 million passenger cars in India, electronic components could have huge potential aftermarket demand. New plug-and-play electronics products, like a GPS linked panic button that could benefit vehicle users, could be explored.

1 Passenger vehicles

SOURCE: Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers; IHS Global Insights; Team analysis

One of the potential big moves that could be explored by automotive components manufacturers is to diversify to manage volatility and cyclicity faced by the industry. Analysis of the profits of select Indian automotive components players shows that diversified players managed to maintain higher stability in profits. For automotive component players, opportunities to diversify exist in adjacent industries like defence, aerospace, renewable energy and mass-transit systems, among others.

### 8 Diversify to manage cyclicity



Diversified

NOTE: Average of the shown period has been used for scaling

SOURCE: Prowess database of the Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy (CMIE)

### 9 'Digital Manufacturing': Disruptive technologies that will change the manufacturing sector

		Example		
Technique		Company	Details	
Data, computational	Cloud technology		<ul> <li>Use of cloud technology (SaaS ERP) to centrally track orders across plants in 18 countries</li> </ul>	
power & connectivity	Internet of things/M2M			
	Big data/open data			
Analytics and intelligence	Digitisation and automation	ΤΟΥΟΤΑ	<ul> <li>Real-time error correction at Alabama facility annually saving USD 550,000</li> </ul>	
<b>*</b> *	Advanced analytics			
Human machine interaction	Touch interfaces and next-level GUIs	KNAPP	<ul> <li>Use of augmented reality glasses "KiSoft Vision' to assist warehouse workers</li> </ul>	
	Virtual and augmented reality			
Conversion to physical world	Additive manufacturing. (i.e., 3D printing)	<u>GM</u>	<ul> <li>3-D printing enabled rapid prototyping for testing,</li> </ul>	
de-	Advanced robotics (e.g., human-robot collaboration)		reducing time to market	

Technological advancements are impacting manufacturing in a big way. Global automotive companies have historically been first movers in adopting new technology to improve quality and efficiency, and address customer needs. General Motors has started rapid prototyping to test parts while Toyota has started using analytics at its facility in Alabama where it has reduced scrap and rework by introducing realtime error correction at its lines. Over the next decade, the Indian automotive components manufactures could embrace digital manufacturing to improve efficiencies, quality and service.

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SOURCE: McKinsey analysis

### **Chapter 4**

## Key enablers to improve country competitiveness

ACMA, automotive OEMs, the government and other value-chain partners could work together to make 'Make in India' a success for the automotive component sector. Measures with a focus on improving profitability and attracting investments could help improve the value generation potential of the ecosystem.

### Key imperatives for the automotive components sector

A Governm	ent	B Ecosyste	em
Investment	<ul> <li>Consider increasing the ease of doing business</li> </ul>	ACMA	<ul> <li>Continue promoting road show through Brand India summits</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Strategic FTAs with India- like markets could be tapped for greater exports</li> <li>Consider improvements in</li> </ul>	OEMs	<ul> <li>Support automotive components players, help acquire manufacturing technology (e.g., can invest in developing</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Infrastructure and tax structure (e.g., GST)</li> <li>Continued R&amp;D support</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>specialized parts)</li> <li>Facilitate Tier-2, Tier-3 quality certification and programs</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Consider supporting setting up of a CoE to drive quality</li> </ul>	Other	<ul> <li>Improve supporting products (e.g., liability insurance)</li> <li>Digital partnerships to</li> </ul>
Labour reforms to incentivise hiring and reduce non-wage labour	value-chain partners	improve service (e.g., SIAM-ACMA autoDX)	
	•		<ul> <li>Cost competences and innovation in raw material</li> </ul>

#### GOVERNMENT – INCREASED EASE OF DOING BUSINESS Many countries have implemented best practices to reduce administrative burden on businesses

Ease in India Emerging relative to other Ease of doing business Number of market countries sub-components **Common best practices** countries examples 90 Specialised commercial court Liberia Enforcing contracts Electronic filing of complaints 17 Brazil Dealing with construction permits 36 One-stop shop Chile No minimum capital requirement 99 Mexico Starting a business One-stop shop 96 Georgia Paying taxes 160 🥥 Self-assessment allowed Turkey Electronic submission and processing 151 Pakistan Trading across borders ( )**Risk-based inspections** 134 Vietnam 73 Single government window Colombia Streamlined approval process 107 Cambodia **Getting electricity** Reduced security deposits 98 Nepal Safety regulations for electricians 41 Ghana Cadastre information available online 51 Malaysia Registering property 18 Expedited procedures Azerbaijan 62 China Regulation of related-party transactions Protecting investors 47 Kenya Access to corporate documents during trial Access to corporate documents before trial 31 Bangladesh Botswana 30 Clear definition of directors' duties Getting credit Distribution of credit information from Argentina 57 retailers, utilities, banks, etc.

The World Bank's Ease of Doing Business report 2014 ranks countries on parameters across 10 themes on the ease of doing business. Over the past few years, countries have implemented multiple 'best practice' measures to make doing business easier by reducing the administrative burden on businesses. This has included measures that have increased transparency, expedited processes and reduced costs.

SOURCE: World Bank Ease of Doing Business report 2014

India currently has Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) with select countries around the world, and Preferential Trade Agreements (PTAs) with many more. An increase in the number of automotive components on the list of trade items in case of existing PTAs, and an automotive components angle in negotiations with countries with India-like markets could help create a global market for Indian vehicles and automotive components manufacturers.

### GOVERNMENT - STRATEGIC FTAS Consider pursuing FTAs and PTAs with India-like markets





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