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Bangalore International Exhibition Centre (BIEC), Bengaluru, India  
LARGEST CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT EVENT IN SOUTH ASIA



## Building India for a New World

Competitiveness | Growth | Sustainability | Technology

# POST EVENT REPORT





Confederation of Indian Industry, India's apex Industry body and Premiere Exhibition organiser hosted the 11th Edition of Excon – An International Exhibition & Conference on Construction Equipment & Construction Technology, held between 17 – 21 May 2022 at Bangalore International Exhibition Centre (BIEC), Bengaluru, Karnataka.

Excon is a delivery vehicle of CII for the Construction Equipment and Machinery sector which has been providing an excellent platform for both Indian and Overseas companies in the Construction Equipment Industry to display their technological advancements, innovation, and latest developments in the sector.

The first edition of Excon was launched in year 2000 at a time when the construction equipment industry was at a nascent stage. From the first edition, Excon has established itself as an important exhibition for the sector. Excon has retained the position of "South Asia's Largest Event for Construction Equipment" for the last 6 editions.

Excon 2021 focused on Building India for a New World – Sustainability, Growth, Competitiveness and Technology. Event had special focus on Women in

Construction & Awards. The show had a specialised pavilion on Artificial Intelligence, Alternate Fuels, Finance, Academia & Start-ups. Seminars on AI, IOT & Automation, Atmanirbhar Bharat, Green Construction, Components and Parts, Defence and Paramilitary amongst others.

Excon 2021 was "supported by" the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India and National Highway Authority of India (NHAI), Government of India. State Government of Karnataka was the "Host State", The Indian Construction Equipment Manufacturers' Association (ICEMA) was the "Sector Partner" at the event and was also "Supported by" Builders Association of India (BAI).

Excon 2021 featured 2,80,000 square meters of exhibition area, 800+ Exhibitors from domestic and International participation from 11 countries Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Italy, South Korea, Spain, Sri Lanka, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom and United States of America. The event witnessed more than 55,000 Business Visitors from different parts of India and world.



# INAUGURAL SESSION



Excon 2021 was inaugurated by Shri. Basavaraj Bommai, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Karnataka and General (Dr.) V K Singh PVSM, AVSM, YSM (Retd), Hon'ble Minister for State for Road Transport & Highways and Civil Aviation, Government of India was the Guest of honour at the inaugural session. The women in construction award was also presented at the inaugural ceremony.

## CII Excon & Karnataka State presents huge opportunities for the growth of Construction Equipment Industry

Delivering his Inaugural Address at CII's EXCON 2021, the 11th edition of South Asia's largest construction equipment trade fair, Shri Basavaraj Bommai, Chief Minister of Karnataka said that the construction sector will have a major contribution to Prime Minister's vision to make India a USD 5 Trillion economy. To achieve this goal, the government is embarking on major infrastructure and industrial projects worth Rs.100 lakh crores. "Though our major focus should be growing exponentially in the country by advancing our technologies, inclusion of people at the bottom of the pyramid is also critical since they are the movers of the economy. We urge industries to collaborate with them to further enable the CE Sector".

## India Is Emerging As A Global Hub For Construction Equipment Manufacturing

"The Government has earmarked over Rs.100 Lakh crore over the next 5 years towards building world class highways across the country. Improvement of rural roads and the need to revamp at the earliest to help farmers speedy produce using the best of technology," said Gen (Dr) VK Singh, PVSM, AVSM, YSM (Retd.), Minister of State for Road Transport ,Highways and Civil Aviation, Government of India.



Gen (Dr) VK Singh pointed out that India has the potential of becoming a world leader if Alternate Fuel can be made and used in India. He further added that the Ministry has issued a notification introducing Flexi Fuel Engines to be looked at in the coming one year. Flexi Fuel as a concept utilizes 100 percent Ethanol and 100 percent Gas.

Mr. Kamal Bali, Deputy Chairman, CII Southern Region in his Welcome address said, we have come a long way since our first exhibition held at Palace Grounds with a few founding exhibitors. Today, we are present in the sprawling grounds of BIEC with 800+ exhibitors and a profile that makes Excon a truly International Exhibition.

Delivering his theme address, Mr Deepak Shetty, Chairman Excon 2021 said that Karnataka State has been gracious to be the Host State from the first edition of Excon. The machines produced in India are being exported to over 110 countries in the world like UK, USA and other European countries.

Proposing a vote of thanks, Mr Dimitrov Krishnan, Co- Chairman Excon 2021 and President, ICEMA added, that the domestic markets will grow dramatically with the huge structural changes that the Union Government has put in particularly with the infrastructure pipelines and GATI.



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Other key dignitaries participated at EXCON includes; Lt Gen Rajeev Chaudhry, Director General, Border Roads Organisation; Lt Gen Harpal Singh, Engineer-in-Chief, Military Engineering Services; Ms Manmeet Nanda, IAS, Joint Secretary, DPIIT, Government of India; Mr Achim Burkart, Consul General, Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany; Mr Young-seup Kwon, Consul General, Consulate General of the Republic of Korea; Mr James Godber, Deputy Head of Mission, British Deputy High Commission, Mrs Fei Ling Li, Senior Trade advisor - Future mobility, engineering and manufacturing, British Deputy High Commission, Mr P Ravi Kumar, Chief Secretary, Government of Karnataka; Shri R N Singh, Secretary, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways; Ms. Jivisha Joshi Gangopadhyay, Deputy Secretary, Department for Promotion of Industry & Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry;

Ms Meena Nagaraj, Director of Electronics, Information Technology and Biotechnology, Government of Karnataka; Mr. Y S R Rajeev Kumar, Associate VP, Andhra Pradesh Economic Development Board among others.

The Inaugural Session celebrated Women in Infrastructure by introducing, Women Building India- Equal Opportunity Awards and recognized companies from the Infrastructure sector who have taken proactive steps to enable women to participate in the workforce.

The esteemed winners announced were:

- Cummins India Limited – Committed Leader Award
- Volvo CE India – Inclusive Work Place Award
- L & T Mining and Machinery - Special Initiatives Onsite Award
- Schwing Stetter – Special Initiatives Shop Floor Award
- Border Roads Organisation – Special Mention Category



# EXCON 2021 EXHIBITION

EXCON 2021 endeavours to Building India for the new world in an ecologically sustainable manner, enabling projects on Smart Cities, contribute significantly to Swachh Bharat, enhance Skill Development, "Make in India" – as the National Agenda, urban renewal, better rural connectivity and rural development, road building- accelerating infrastructure creation for achieving holistic growth in the infrastructure and related sectors.

The exhibition attracted visitors who witnessed latest advancements in equipment for earthmoving and construction, lifting, material handling, concrete mixers, crushers and screens, road construction and foundation piling rigs, asphalt, compactors, compressors and

generators, components, accessories and consumables besides service facilities like leasing, financing, and equipment rentals. The specific focus of the exhibition was on efficiency, productivity, environment, and safety.

The event provided a real on-ground experience to the visitors, business delegates to network and create B2B linkages, forge business and trade linkages, nationally and internationally. The visitors were able to benchmark product features of different products exhibited, interacted about their requirements with technical heads and negotiate deals with the chief executives present at the spot.



# COUNTRY PAVILIONS

## FRANCE PAVILION



## GERMANY PAVILION



## ITALY PAVILION



## INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPATION



# NEW INITIATIVES OF EXCON 2021

## AI PAVILION



## ALTERNATE FUELS



## FINANCE PLAZA



## WOMEN OPERATORS



## SEMINARS / CONFERENCES - EXCON 2021

DATES	PROGRAMME TITLE
13-May-22	Conference on Components Industry
17-May-22	Excon 2021 • Inaugural Session • Women Building India – Equal Opportunity Awards
	General (Dr.) V K Singh PVSM, AVSM, YSM (Retd), Hon'ble Minister of State for Road Transport & Highways and Civil Aviation, Government of India
18-May-22	2nd Edition of Infrastructure Requirements for Armed Forces: "Emerging Opportunities & Smart Technology"
	An Interactive Session with Lt. Gen. Rajeev Chaudhry (VSM), Director General, Border Road Organisation by ICEMA
	Session on Atmanirbhar Bharat and Ease of Doing Business
19-May-22	Session on Sustainable Demand Creation – "Towards Realising the CE Industry Vision by 2030" by ICEMA
	Session on "Constructing Smarter with Artificial Intelligence – Transforming India for the New World"
20-May-22	Conference on Construction Industry Issues by Builders Association of India
	"Green Buildings & Built Environment – Transforming Urbanscapes" Synergizing Development and Environment
	Women In Construction- Challenges, Solutions and Way forward





# TESTIMONIALS



“ A Pleasure to attend the 11th Edition of Excon. My compliments for great gathering and flawless organising. Keep up the good work. ”

**General (Dr) V K Singh**

PVSM, AVSM, YSM (Retd.)  
Minister of State for Road Transport and Highways and Civil Aviation  
Government of India



“It was extremely enlightening to interact with Industry leaders in construction domain at CII Excon 2021. Lot of ground was covered during the free frank discussions. It is heartening to understand the progress being made by industry elites. With best wishes to CII Excon ”

**Lt. General Rajeev Chaudhry**

Director General - Broder Roads Organisation



“ It is very heartening to see event of such huge magnitude being conducted in such a precise and immaculate manner. It was a learning experience to understand technologies, present & future & how the industry is coping with it. Nice to see that such cutting edge technologies is manufactured in our country. ”

**M Chandra Sekhar (IPS)**

IGP Central Range, Karnataka



“ The 11th Edition of Excon has been inaugurated with fanfare and I am happy to witness the CII Leadership in promoting and enabling the construction & Infrastructure event. ”

**Mr Kamal Bali**

Deputy Chair CII SR and  
President Volvo Group India



“ A very well organised and inspired event. Best of luck for the next edition in December 2023 ”

**Shri M V Rajasekar**

Director (Mining & Construction Business)  
BEML Limited



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**Mr. Vijaykrishnan Venkatesan**

Managing Director  
Kennametal India Limited



“ Congratulations & Best wishes to Excon 2021. It's great to be here in-person for this mega event ! ”

**Mr Ramesh Ramadurai**

Managing Director  
SM India Ltd

# GLIMPSES OF EXCON 2021 EXHIBITION



Daily News

# India to become 2nd largest construction equipment manufacturing market



Chief Minister of Karnataka Basavaraj Bommai, and Minister of State for Road Transport & Highways & Civil Aviation, Government of India, General V K Singh, inaugurate CII EXCON yesterday at the Bangalore International Exhibition Centre, Bengaluru. Photo: Srinivas Kumar

## People at bottom of pyramid real movers of economy: Bommai

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

The inclusion of people at the bottom of the pyramid is critical since they are the real movers of the economy, said Basavaraj Bommai, Chief Minister, Karnataka, inaugurating EXCON, South Asia's largest construction equipment (CE) trade fair organised by the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) here on Tuesday. The CM said, "Through our major focus should be growing exponentially in the economy by advancing our technologies, the inclusion of people at the bottom of the pyramid is also critical since they are the movers of the economy." He urged global capitalists of the CE sector gathered at



Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and Union Minister of State for Road Transport & Highways General V.K. Singh at the inauguration of the 11th edition of CII EXCON - 2023, in Bengaluru on Tuesday. Photo: Anand Kumar

the event to collaborate with the government to further the growth of the CE sector in particular and economy in general. The CE sector was

expected to contribute greatly towards the country's growth in addition to the ₹2 trillion economy by 2025, the CM said. "The infrastructure sector is receiving an immense push from the government, propelling India's overall development and GDP. The inclusion of people at the bottom of the pyramid is also critical since they are the movers of the economy." He urged global capitalists of the CE sector gathered at

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## Infrastructure is the key to boost Indian economy: Bommai

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India, world's third military spender seeks CE technologies, machinery support

India, world's third military spender seeks CE technologies, machinery support. The article highlights India's growing military spending and its need for advanced construction equipment (CE) technologies and machinery. It mentions that India is looking for reliable and durable equipment to support its infrastructure and defense projects. The article also notes that India is a major market for CE manufacturers globally.

INDIA TO INVEST OVER INR 100 LAKH CRORE IN NEXT FIVE YEARS. The article discusses the government's plan to invest over ₹100 lakh crore in infrastructure over the next five years. It mentions that this investment is aimed at creating jobs and boosting the economy. The article also highlights the government's focus on smart infrastructure and digital infrastructure.

## Construction sector must adopt advanced tech: Singh

Construction sector must adopt advanced tech: Singh. The Union Minister of State for Road Transport & Highways, General V.K. Singh, said that the construction sector must adopt advanced technologies to improve productivity and safety. He mentioned that the government is promoting the use of digital technologies like Building Information Modeling (BIM) and drones in construction. Singh also emphasized the need for skilled labor and training in advanced construction techniques.

### ಆಲ್ಟಾ ಬಲಿಷ್ಠತೆಗೆ ಮುಂದೆ

ಆಲ್ಟಾ ಬಲಿಷ್ಠತೆಗೆ ಮುಂದೆ. This advertisement promotes the strength and reliability of Altal products. It features images of various construction equipment and text in Kannada highlighting their performance and durability. The text mentions that these products are designed for heavy-duty work and are built to last.

### ದಕ್ಕಿಣಿ ಏಷ್ಯಾದ ಬೃಹತ್ ಉಪಕರಣ ಮೇಳ

ದಕ್ಕಿಣಿ ಏಷ್ಯಾದ ಬೃಹತ್ ಉಪಕರಣ ಮೇಳ. This advertisement is for a large construction equipment fair in South Asia. It features images of various types of machinery and text in Kannada. The text mentions that the fair will showcase the latest models of construction equipment from leading manufacturers.

### ತಂತ್ರಜ್ಞಾನದ ಸದೃಶಕೆ ಅಗತ್ಯ

ತಂತ್ರಜ್ಞಾನದ ಸದೃಶಕೆ ಅಗತ್ಯ. This advertisement emphasizes the need for advanced technology in construction. It features images of modern construction equipment and text in Kannada. The text discusses how advanced technology can improve construction efficiency and reduce costs.



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