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Brown field Investment

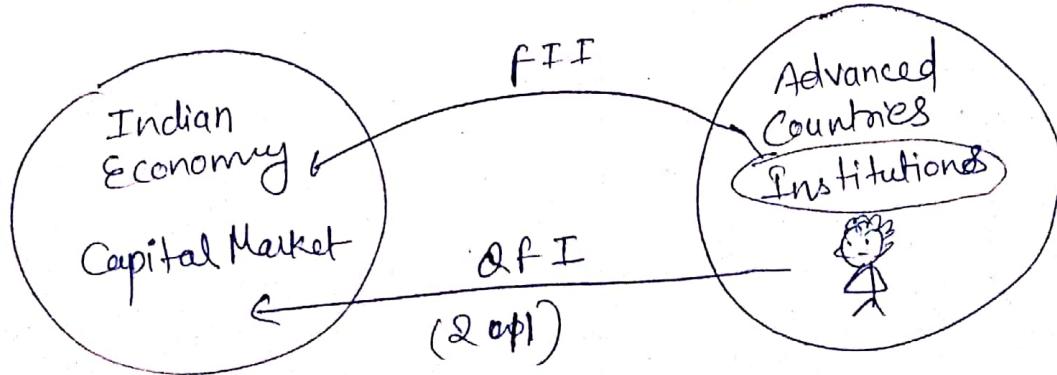
foreign Institutions \Rightarrow FII

{ MF, Inst. Banks, Bank, Insurance Company, Provident fund Management Company etc.

Individual or Groups of Individuals \Rightarrow QFII (2011)

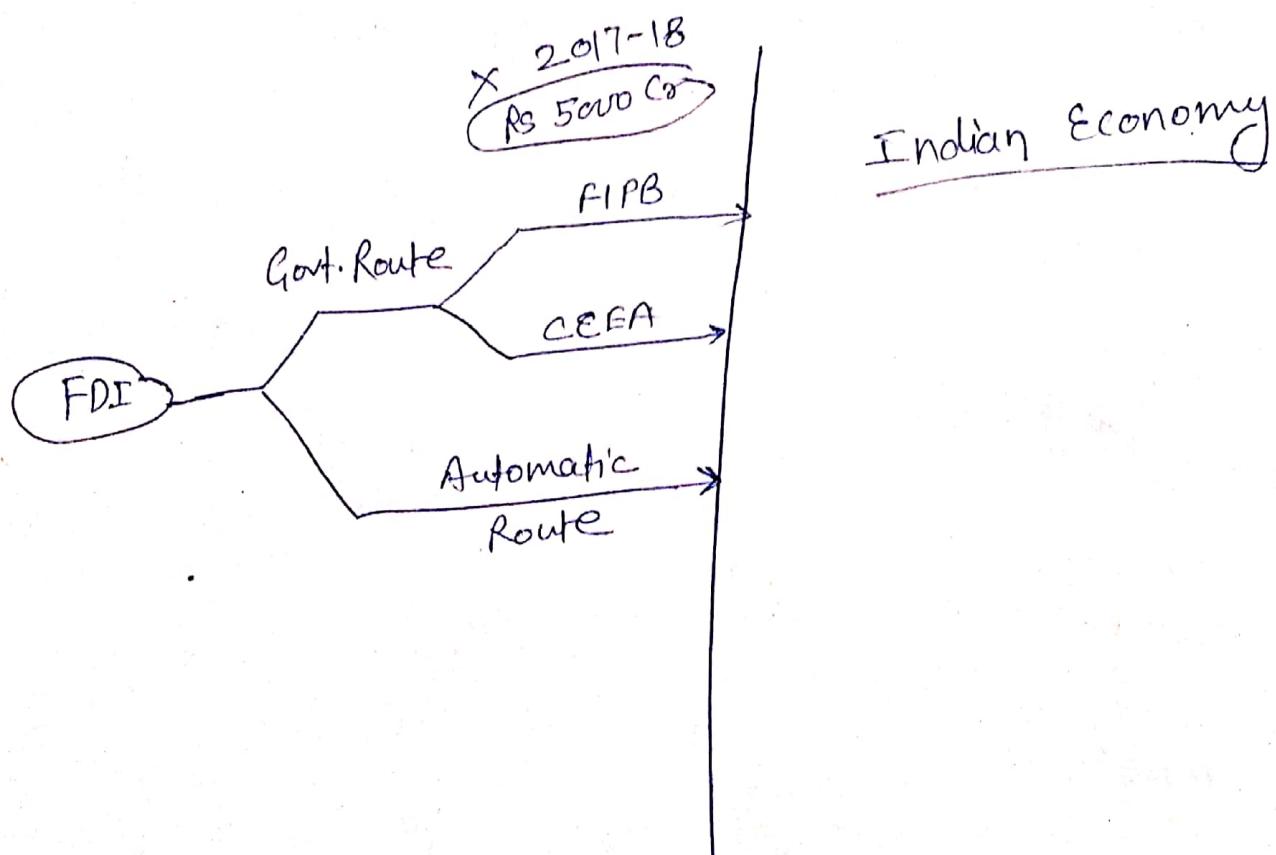
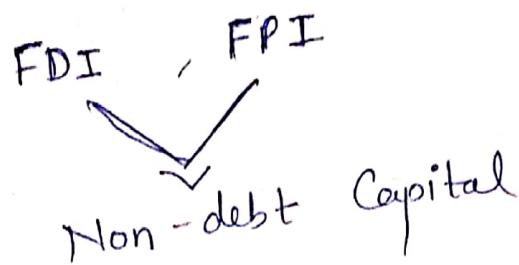
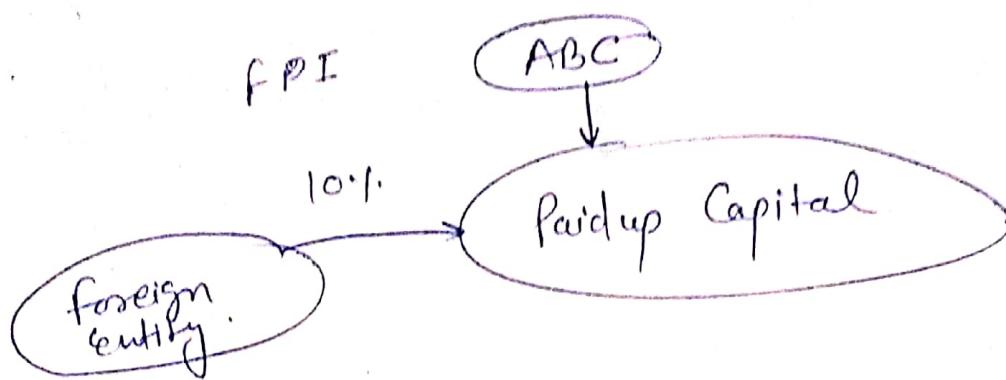
Foreign Portfolio Investment (FPI) Regulation, 2014

FII \rightarrow FPI
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International Definition given by (IMF, OECD).



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After Pandemic, Changes

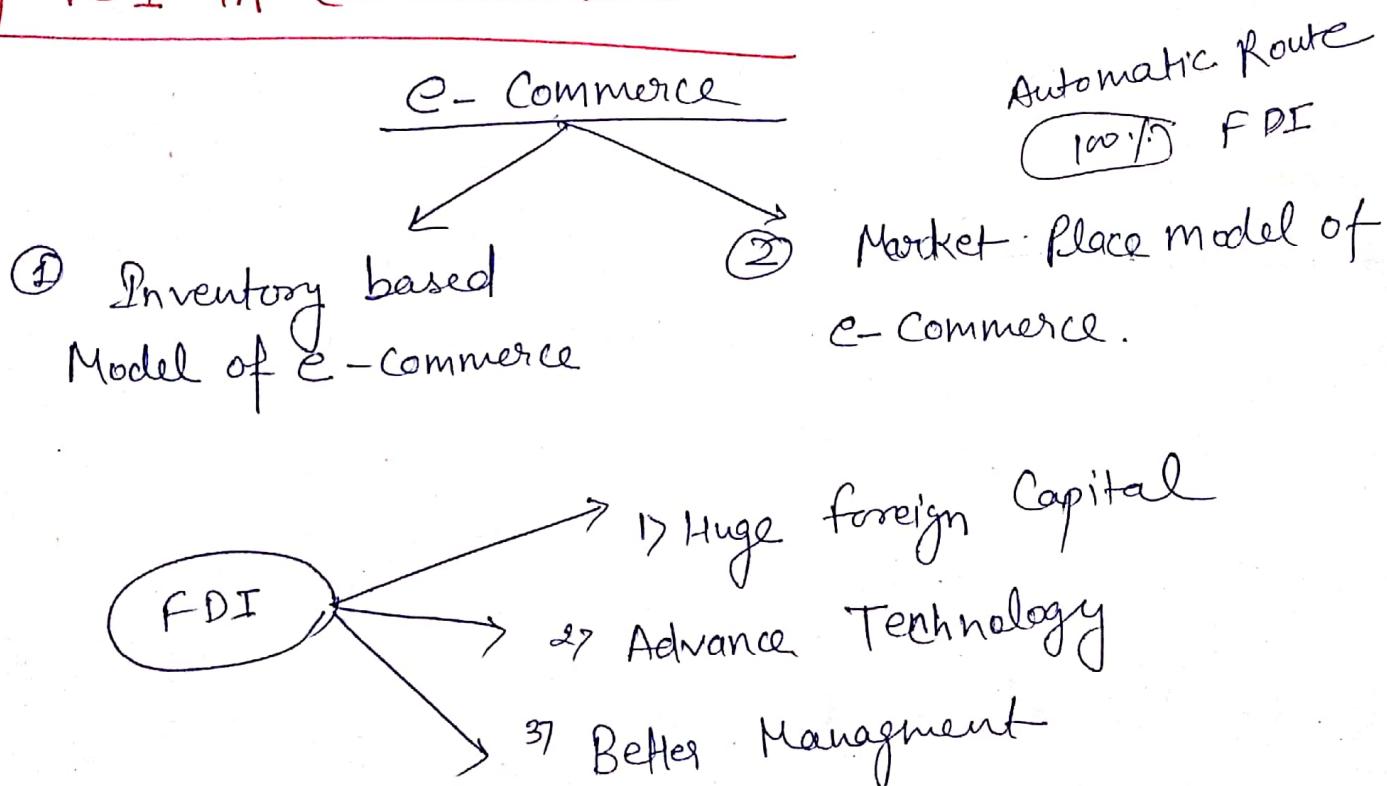
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Arvind Mayaram Committee on FDI, FPI accounted in Union Budget 2013-14.

FDI in e-Commerce



Foreign Trade Policy

MEIS → Merchandise Exports from India Scheme

SEIS → Service Exports from India Scheme

"Duty Credit Scraps"

Special Economic Zone (SEZ)

first time in 1965, Kandla, EPZ (Export Processing Zone) was set up.

2000 → SEZ Policy

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Integrated Industrial township.

2005 → SEZ Act

Prohibited Sectors for FDI

- 1> Lottery Business
- 2> Gambling and Betting including casinos etc.
- 3> Chit funds.
- 4> Nidhi funds
- 5> Manufacture of Cigars, cigarettes, tobacco and tobacco substitutes.
- 6> Activities/ sectors not open to private sector - Atomic Energy.

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Economic Reforms.

Special Category States

- ⇒ first introduced in 1969 → fifth finance Commission
- ⇒ Initially given to ~~J & K~~, Assam, Nagaland
- ⇒ Arunachal Pradesh, HP, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Tripura, Sikkim and Uttarakhand.

Some of the features required for Special Category States

- ⇒ Hilly and difficult area
- ⇒ Low population density or higher share of Tribal population
- ⇒ location along borders with neighbouring countries.
- ⇒ Economic and infrastructural backwardness
- ⇒ Non-viable nature of state - finances

Economic Reforms

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In early 1991 major economic crises surfaced in the country. The origin of the crises was mismanagement of the economy during the 1980's which led to large and persistent macroeconomic imbalances. The internal imbalance in the situations of payment and the external imbalance in the situations where closely related.

The macro economic crises was precipitated mainly by the growth of the public spending through the 1980's that increased the budget deficit and external factors played a contributory role. The Indian economy entered into a period of BOP crises in 1991. The current account deficit which was \$US 2.1 billion or 1.3% of GDP in 1980-81 increased to rise to US 9.7 billion dollar, or 3.69% of GDP in 1990-91. which led to more external borrowings and as a result India's external debt increased from 12% of the GDP in 1980-81 to 23% of GDP in 1990-91.

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This growing external debt led to increase in Debt service burden (Interest Payment). from 10% of current account receipt and 15% of only exports earnings in 1980-81. to 22% of current account receipts and 30% of exports earnings in 1990-91. The BOP position was so worst that in June 1991 the level of foreign exchange reserve declined to the level which we ~~were~~ not sufficient to finance imports of even two weeks. This crises was a combined effect of the following events -

Disintegration of USSR

- 1) Gulf War.
- 2) Higher Inflation.
- 3) Political Instability at ~~central~~ centre.
- 4) Outflow of Capital (NRI deposits).
- 5) Higher Budgetary Deficit
- 6) Restrictive Trade. etc.
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These developments together brought the country to the verge of Default w.r.t external payment liability.

Therefore the structural reform were necessary because we had failed to generate adequate rates of economic growth.

The process of economic reforms taken by the P.V. Narshimha Govt. The reforms had three major components -

- 1) Physical establishment of budgetary deficit. to check the growing
- 2) Internal liberalisation environment and freedom to private sectors to participate in main economic activity of country.
- 3) Integration with the global economy by removing controls on foreign trades and exchange rate by decreasing tariffs and allowing foreign capital.

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The process of economic reform in India is based on three process

(i) Liberalisation, (ii) Privatisation (iii) Globalisation, (LPG)

Structural Reforms in Indian Industry

- 1> De-Licensencing.
- 2> Abolition of MRTP Act
- 3> Disinvestment
- 4> Increased Autonomy to PSU

External Sector Reform

- 1> Implementation of Market exchange^{rate} system.
- 2> Reduction of Trade barriers.
- 3> foreign Investment.
- 4> FEMA - 1999

Fiscal Reforms

Tax Reforms

* Prof. Raja J Chelliah

There was a high degree of progressiveness in the Indian tax structure and the tax collection efficiency

was very low there was large number of exemption which eroded the narrow base tax collection.

The govt of India reform a tax collection committee under Raja J Chelliah in 1991 to examine the existing tax structure in the country and make appropriate recommendation.

This TRC came up with three reports in 1991, 1992, and 1993 with the following measures.

- Reforming the personal taxation system by reducing the tax rates.
- Reduction in the corporate tax rate.
- Reducing the rates of custom duties.
- Decreasing the excise duty and its integration with the value added tax system.
- Increasing the tax base
- Bringing the service sectors in the Tax net.
- Developing a tax information system and computerisation of tax system.
- Improving the quality of tax administration.

- > In 2002 Vijay L. Kelkar, under his chairmanship task force was constituted on Direct & Indirect taxes.
- > Implementation of FRBM Act 2003,