

Empowering India: Analysing the Evolution of Union Budget Allocation for Sustainable Growth

Project Objective

To analyse how the Union Budget of India has evolved in terms of allocations aimed at sustainable growth, including renewable energy, environmental protection, green infrastructure, and inclusive development, and to assess how these allocations contribute to India's long-term development goals.

Introduction

India's Union Budget serves as a fiscal roadmap reflecting national priorities. In recent years, sustainable growth has become central to policy planning, balancing economic expansion with environmental sustainability and social equity.

Evolution of Budget Priorities

Over the past decade, budget allocations increasingly reflect commitments toward sustainability. Key trends include rising renewable energy funding, climate-aligned infrastructure investments, and enhanced social sector spending.

Key Sustainable Growth Drivers

- Green Infrastructure: Increased capital expenditure on sustainable transport and logistics.
- Renewable Energy: Expanded funding for solar, wind, and clean energy initiatives.
- Water & Agriculture: Investments in climate-resilient irrigation and rural development.
- Health & Education: Strengthened social sector allocations to promote inclusive growth.
- Climate Action: Integration of climate considerations into fiscal planning.

Dashboard Framework Overview

The project dashboard can include trend analysis of sectoral allocations, percentage share in total expenditure, comparative performance indicators, and geographic distribution of sustainability programs. Visualization tools such as Power BI or Tableau can effectively present these insights.

Conclusion

The evolution of India's Union Budget highlights a gradual yet significant shift toward sustainable growth. Future progress depends on transparent tracking, effective utilization of funds, and measurable outcomes aligned with national sustainability goals.