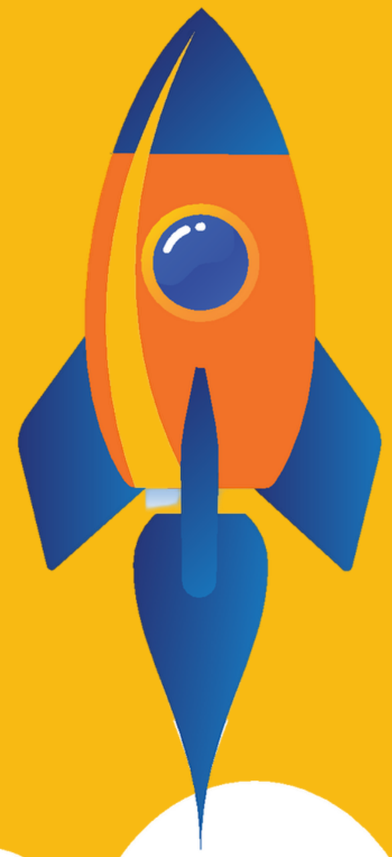
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Startup Genome's Global Startup Ecosystem Report 2023

Tamil Nadu's startup ecosystem is growing fast

Startup Ecosystem Performance



Tamil Nadu has been on an impressive growth trajectory

Global Startup Ecosystem Ranking

2021	2022	2023
#108	#85	#78

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Rankings based on Startup Genome's Global Startup Ecosystem Report



Rise in Number of Registered Startups

2,045

DPIIT Recognised Startups in May 2021

7x

INCREASE

14,400+

More than 50% are women-led

As of April, 2026

Startup Literacy

To promote "Culture of Change" mind-set, considering entrepreneurship as a viable career path

Innovation Landscape

To drive the knowledge capital of the state ensuring disruptive innovations

Startup Support Centres

To offer right support system at right time for entrepreneurs to start and operate a business



Access to Market

To develop a strong marketing culture and facilitate marketing opportunities

Investment Ecosystem

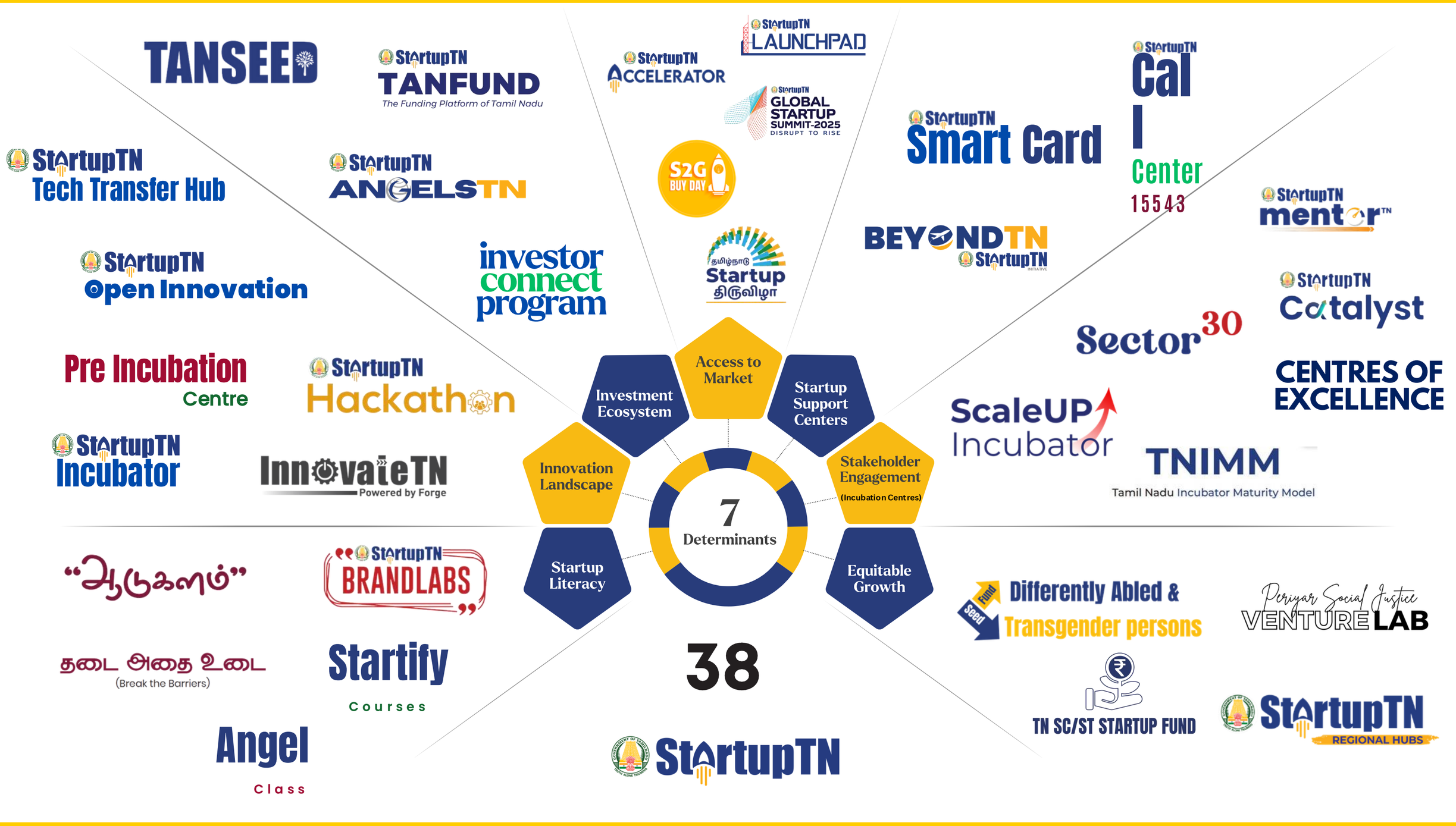
To facilitate a conducive Startup investment ecosystem in the State

Stakeholder Engagement

To work with ecosystem en-ablers and devise strategies to create a strong value chain

Equitable Growth

To promote inclusivity and distributed growth in the State


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StartupTN TANFUND
The Funding Platform of Tamil Nadu
StartupTN ACCELERATOR
StartupTN LAUNCHPAD
StartupTN GLOBAL STARTUP SUMMIT-2025
DISRUPT TO RISE
StartupTN Smart Card
StartupTN Call Center
15543
StartupTN Tech Transfer Hub
StartupTN ANGELSTN
S2G BUY DAY
StartupTN mentor
BEYONDTN StartupTN
StartupTN Open Innovation
investor connect program
தமிழ்நாடு Startup திருவிழா
StartupTN Catalyst
Sector 30
Pre Incubation Centre
StartupTN Hackathon
CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE
ScaleUP Incubator
StartupTN Incubator
InnovatieTN Powered by Forge
TNIMM
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StartupTN BRANDLABS
Fund
Seed
Differently Abled & Transgender persons
Periyar Social Justice VENTURE LAB
தடை அதை உடை
(Break the Barriers)
Startify
Courses
TN SC/ST STARTUP FUND
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Angel
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Global Coordination Centres

Dubai, Singapore* and USA*

- The StartupTN Global Coordination Centres are aimed at helping Tamil Nadu based Startups to gain access to global resources such as international market, investment, mentorship and expansion beyond boundaries. StartupTN its global coordination
- desk in Dubai, creating a bridge for startups in Tamil Nadu to access opportunities in the Middle East region.



Tamil Nadu Global Startup Summit 2025

72,278
VISITORS

609
SPEAKERS

115
INVESTORS

47
COUNTRIES

1012
STALLS

23
Global & National MoUs

Rs. 127.09 Cr
INVESTMENTS

11- Regional Hubs

Chennai Metro Hub
Chennai, Tiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu,

Hosur Regional Hub
Krishnagiri, Dharmapuri, Tirupattur, Vellore & Ranipet

Madurai Regional Hub
Madurai, Virudhunagar, Theni, Dindigul & Sivagangai

Salem Regional Hub
Salem & Namakkal

Erode Regional Hub
Erode , Karur & Tiruppur

Cuddalore Regional Hub
Tiruvannamalai, Cuddalore, Villupuram & Kallakurichi

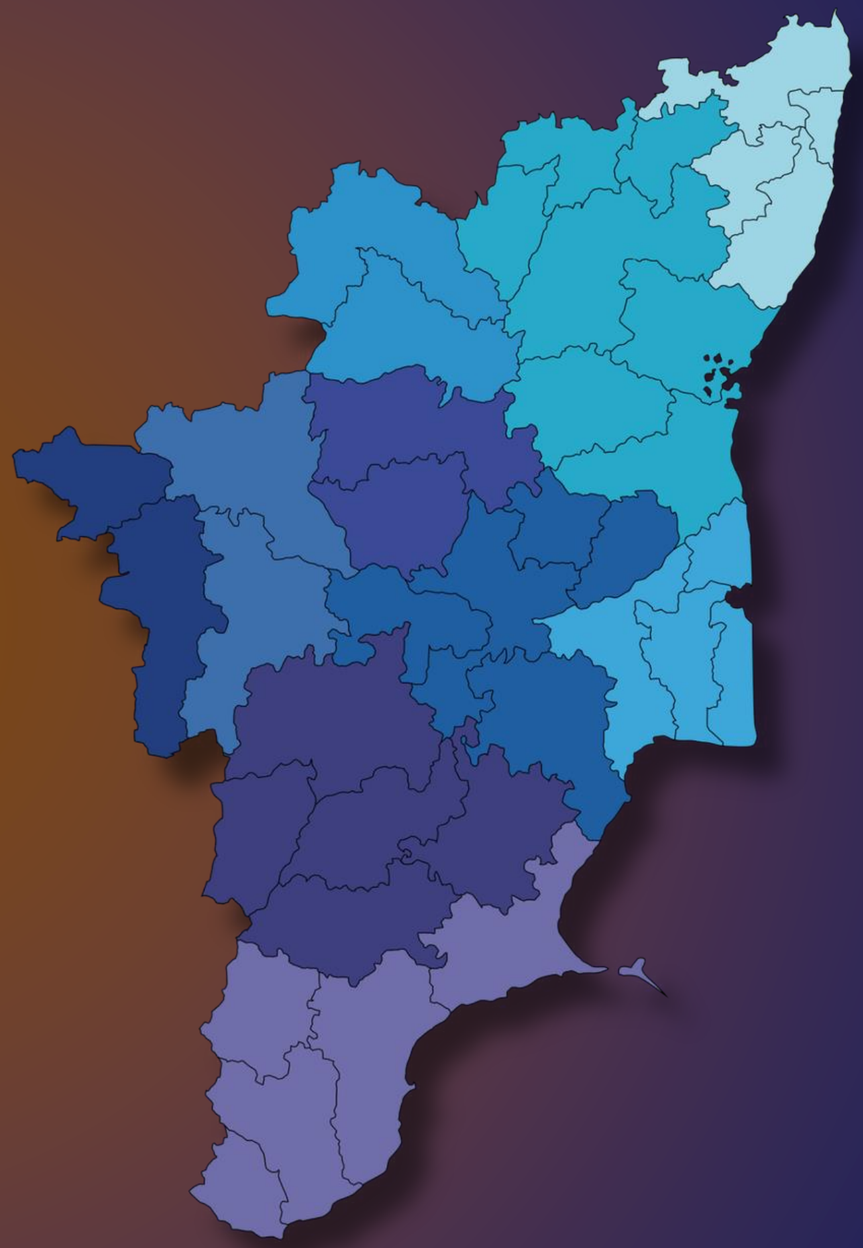
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Coimbatore & The Nilgiris

Tirunelveli Regional Hub
Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Kanniyakumari & Ramanathapuram

Trichy Regional Hub
Tiruchirapalli, Perambalur, Pudukkottai & Ariyalur

Thanjavur Regional Hub
Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Tiruvarur & Mayiladuthurai

ThoothukudiRegional Hub
Thoothukudi




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Tamil Nadu into the top 20 global destinations
for startups.
January 2022
April 2023
March 2025
October 2028
January 2032
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