

**A STUDY ON THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT
BASED ON AGRICULTURAL SECTOR IN MUTHUR D.S
DIVISION, TRINCOMALEE**



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ABSTRACT

Industrial development remains a vital instrument for economic and social progress, rural development, facilitating employment generation, contributing fundamentally to productivity growth and technological change, enabling the creation of dynamic linkages with the agricultural and service sectors and contributing to foreign-exchange earnings.

Recent economic trend shows there is a significant progress in industrial sector. And Agricultural sector both subsistence and commercial, has played a dominant role in Sri Lanka's economy for many centuries. It is an evidence for Sri Lankan government has more consideration and take many efforts for industrial development are based on agriculture. But it is not enough to country's development.

In Sri Lanka availability of agricultural resources are high. Agricultural resources are highly available in rural than urban. But most of the residents are fail to identify the resources and utilize those resources in an effective way and some people who are engage themselves with Agro-Industry products' production face many difficulties when marketing their agricultural products. The In this regard, the Government & non government organizations must work for the modernization and development of agriculture, the basis of the national economy, and also give top priority to the mechanization of agriculture. To build up industrial development are based on agriculture creation of favorable conditions which are contributing to industrial development is necessary.

This research is carried out to study on industrial development based on agricultural sector in Muthur. This research consists five chapters; each of it has its own importance with the objective of, Suggest ways and means of developing and changing agriculture as an industry.

The study involves mainly primary data and secondary was collected using Reports from Divisional secretariat, Data from agriculture Department and using questionnaires from 200 stratified randomly selective samples allocated to each G.N.Divisions' residents based on the total population and analyzed using descriptive analysis techniques. In this study the dependent variable of Industrial development for agricultural product. It will achieve through six variables such as available resource, Marketing, Technology, Finance, production, and Environment. These are independent variable.

The average of each variable of this research computed. The variables' percentage denoted in pie chart and tables. And standard deviation of each variable computed. From the analysis and evaluation, the research comes to the conclusion that the Industrial development for agricultural product will help to Muthur D.S division's development. The last chapter is conclusion and recommendations, which deals the discussion of 6 variables by using univariate analysis. To make Industrial development for agricultural product some recommendations are given by me.

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