

Sustainable Economic Development in India: Policies and Challenges

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Abstract

Sustainable economic development has emerged as a crucial priority for India as it balances rapid industrialization with environmental and social considerations. This paper explores India's efforts to achieve sustainable economic growth through policy initiatives, environmental conservation, and inclusive development. By analyzing key indicators such as GDP growth, carbon emissions, and renewable energy adoption, this study evaluates the effectiveness of government policies and identifies major challenges. The findings suggest that while India has made significant progress in green energy and sustainable agriculture, issues such as resource depletion, pollution, and social inequality persist. The paper concludes with recommendations for strengthening sustainability policies and promoting long-term economic resilience.

