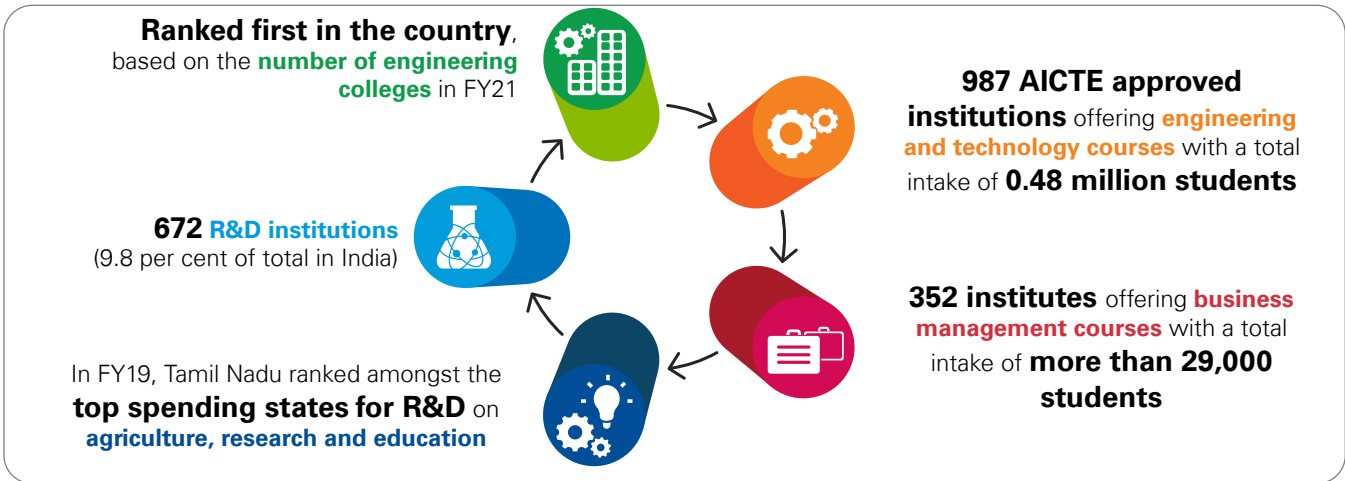


Academia and R&D structure

A strong academic and R&D set-up drives innovation^{49,50}



Note: : AICTE – All India Council for Technical Education

With an aim to become a future skill development hub, Tamil Nadu is exploring an innovative technology-led skill development platform to be called SkillTech University. The online platform will enable trainings in future skills with industry participation. It will

focus on collaborating with government to offer regulatory framework as well as funding, particularly for automotive, transport logistics, and construction sectors.⁵¹