

ABB India and Deloitte India join forces to accelerate digital transformation for Indian manufacturing enterprises



- Strategic alliance to prepare Indian enterprises for AI-enabled, autonomous and secure growth towards Surakshit Bharat
- Combines Deloitte India's expertise in transformation and cybersecurity with ABB India's advanced industrial process automation solutions and digital portfolio

ABB India and Deloitte India have entered a strategic alliance to help Indian enterprises accelerate their end-to-end digital transformation journeys. The future of these organisations depends on their ability to strike a balance between productivity, sustainability and resilience amid the ongoing digital disruption. To remain competitive, they must focus on changing their approaches to operational efficiency, such as optimising costs, enhancing asset reliability, achieving sustainability goals and mitigating cyber risks. By embracing Artificial Intelligence (AI)-enabled digital and automation solutions, connected operations and data-led insights, Indian enterprises are well-positioned to redefine efficiency, productivity and sustainability. This transformation will strengthen their competitiveness and contribute to a smarter, greener and safer digital future.

Highlighting the shared vision behind the alliance, **Kapil Agarwal, Senior Vice President and Local Division Manager, Process Industries, ABB India**, noted, “At ABB India, our focus has always been on helping industries achieve operational excellence through intelligent automation and digitalisation. This collaboration with Deloitte India combines our

domain expertise and cutting-edge technologies with their proven transformation and cybersecurity capabilities. Together with Deloitte India, we will help build the digital foundation for the next phase of India's industrial progress.”

Speaking on this collaboration, **Deepa Seshadri, Partner, Deloitte India**, said, “Enterprises today are operating in an environment where digital advantage must be matched with strong cyber resilience. True transformation does not merely focus on deploying advanced technology; it focuses on embedding trust, security and sustainability into the very fabric of operations. Our alliance with ABB India will enable organisations to use AI-driven intelligence, build secure and connected ecosystems, and achieve measurable outcomes. Whether it is driving productivity, advancing sustainability or building resilience, we are committed to helping Indian enterprises lead with confidence.”

As businesses today gear up to address a number of critical priorities, this alliance will empower them to improve process performance through a cyber-resilient ecosystem, AI/Machine Learning (ML) predictive control and enhanced asset reliability with the help of next-generation maintenance management. Operational excellence will be embedded through advanced Manufacturing Execution Systems (MES) and Manufacturing Operations Management (MOM) systems. Organisations can reach their sustainability targets by reducing energy use, waste and emissions with digital safeguards integrated throughout their business processes.