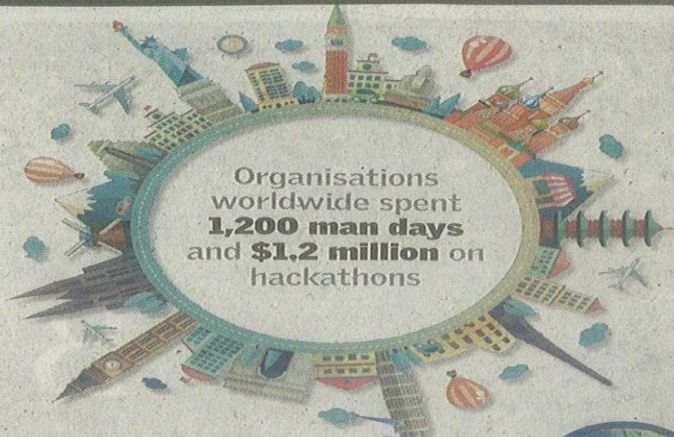


# 2018

## A GOLDEN YEAR FOR HACKATHONS

Did you know that globally, 2018 saw a **140%** spike in the number of hackathons over 2017?



**400** hackathons  
**14000** ideas  
**7000** prototypes

From **building space apps** to providing solutions for **sustainable energy systems**, hackathons have made a mark everywhere!



**2018** was not only a year of scale for hackathons but also diversity across technology, themes, and challenges



### TOP INDIAN UNIVERSITIES THAT CONDUCTED HACKATHONS

IIT INDORE • IIT ROORKEE • IIT MADRAS • NIT BHOPAL  
NIT SURAT • NIT KURUKSHETRA

### TOP INDIAN NGOS AND GOVT BODIES THAT CONDUCTED HACKATHONS

NITI AAYOG • NUDGE FOUNDATION • KERALA STARTUP MISSION  
GOVT OF MAHARASHTRA • GOVT OF ODISHA • GOVT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

### The impact was phenomenal

Enterprises (3,000 prototypes)	Non-Profits (240+ new prototypes)	Govt organisations (150+ new prototypes)
<b>400%</b> increase in ideation	<b>150</b> solutions for women's health & safety	<b>650</b> solutions for public health
<b>18%</b> increase in meeting product deadlines	<b>147</b> solutions for poverty alleviation	<b>243</b> solutions for risk management
<b>17%</b> increase in peer learning	<b>82</b> solutions for better access to education	<b>103</b> solutions for energy conservation
<b>88%</b> of the workforce trained through hackathons	<b>57</b> solutions for wildlife and forest conservation	<b>72</b> solutions for smart cities

Source: HackerEarth