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# The State of Counterfeiting in India 2021

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# Foreword

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On behalf of ASPA we feel privileged to present this report, **“The State of Counterfeiting in India 2021”**. This report has been prepared to statistically represent counterfeit news items in print & other media, to help the reader in understanding counterfeiting trends in India better.

Counterfeiting is a global menace and no economy in the world has remained unaffected by this menace. The Indian citizens lives, and economy has also been affected and disturbingly counterfeiting incidents have been increasing in the last three year. Although, measuring the economic impact of counterfeiting is methodologically challenging, informed studies estimate that trade in counterfeit goods is now 3.3 percent of world trade and increasing. It is well known and documented that counterfeit goods can cause risks to consumers’ health and well-being, distort competition, damage legitimate producers’ interests and their brand names, undermine employment and reduce tax income.

A big challenge is that Counterfeiters are becoming smarter, better funded, and organized. The onus on all impacted parties to stay one step ahead of them is even more critical. The growth of e-commerce, the globalization of markets has made the fight against counterfeiting even more challenging.

The industry and the regulating authorities need to promote authentication solutions and review their strategy to fight counterfeiting by following good business practices as prescribed in ISO 12931, and ISO 28000 that is in the pipeline.

At ASPA we believe that we can contribute in a small way in fighting this menace by bringing this issue into the limelight at all Industry and government forums. Our members are also working with brand owners and Government bodies in providing technologically advanced solutions in fighting this menace.

We are confident that with the support of all affected parties, we can help in curbing the impact of counterfeiting.

This report is part of our initiative in building awareness on the Economic and Societal impact of Counterfeiting and enable all stakeholders give a higher priority to combating this menace, often called as the **“Crime of 21st Century”**.

We hope you find this report useful.



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General Secretary & Treasurer*

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# 1. Executive Summary

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## About the Report

The report is the second in its series prepared by ASPA to statistically present print and other media reports pertaining to Counterfeiting, to help stakeholders to understand the nature of counterfeiting activity in India and the industries, and regions most affected by counterfeiting.

## Purpose of the Report

There are various factors which contribute to the increase in counterfeiting. The foremost factor is the lack of awareness about the severity and impact of this menace. This report is designed to provide insight to all stakeholders (including brand owners and government authorities) to deepen their understanding of counterfeiting activities and help policymakers to formulate stronger strategies and policies to fight this menace.

## Methodology

This report has been made by methodically monitoring and collating news from leading English and vernacular print and digital media across the country.

The media list includes but not limited to print and digital media publications like Amar Ujala, AAJ Tak, ANI, AV News, Avadhkiaawaz, Bhopal Samachar, Dainik Jagran, Deccan Chronicle, Dainik Bhaskar, Dainik Reporter, Deccan Herald, Dinamalar, Financial Express, Glib, Hari Bhoomi, Hindustan, Indian Express, Kalinga TV, Mint, Nai Dunia, Nav Bharat Times, Punjab Kesari, Prabha Sakshi, News Wing, Rajasthan Patrika, Swadesh, Sanjeevni, Swatantra Prabhat, TV9, Pioneer, The Times of India, Business Standard, Raftaar, The Hans India, Siasat, Pragativadi, The Hindu Business Line, The Tribune, Mathrubhumi, Khas Khabar, Zee Business etc. & various vernacular Media.

The database for this report is available at the ASPA established Counterfeit News Repository. For more, visit <https://www.counterfeitrepository.com>

This portal is a single stop source for all counterfeiting incidents reported in India. The information shared at the portal is all statistical and has been compiled from third-party sources, which we believe are reliable.

## Key highlights of this report

- Second edition of counterfeit incidents reported in India
- Trends in the number of incidents reported by media in the last three years
- Top sectors and products most vulnerable to counterfeit attack
- Counterfeit Index Ranking – Position of States (regarding the highest number of cases reported)
- Glimpse of monthly top counterfeit news reported in the year 2020

## The legal framework

For the report, the term “counterfeiting” is used in its broadest sense and encompasses any manufacturing of a product that so closely imitates the appearance of the product of another that it misleads a consumer it is the product of another. Hence, it may include trademark infringing goods, as well as copyright infringements. The concept also includes copying of packaging, labelling, and any other significant features of the product.

## Note:

The period used in the report is of January 2018 to December 2020.

## 2. The key takeaway from 2020

### 2.1 Counterfeiting on the rise

India is not new to counterfeiting. It costs the Indian economy INR 1 trillion every year. In fact, one in three Indian adults have been victims of fake products from one or the other e-commerce websites, making online counterfeiting the fastest growing crime. Counterfeiting activities take place round the clock and impact all major industries and sectors to some extent. The US Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has named counterfeiting 'The Crime of the 21st century'.

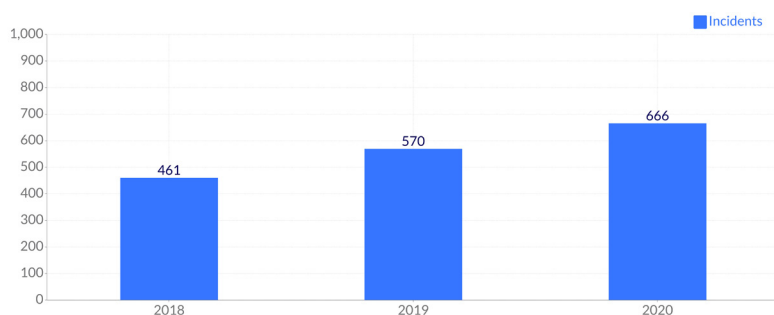
Our data shows an increase in counterfeiting incidents from where they were in 2019 and 2018. The number of incidents being reported by media have also surged. In the last three years, we've analyzed an average increase of counterfeit incident reports by 20 percent in the last three years. In 2020, 666 cases were reported with an increase of 96 cases comparing to 2019 (570).

With businesses being attacked more often and on a larger scale than ever before, there is a direct impact on consumer trust. Quality, transparency, and traceability in the supply chain have become prime factors for consumers. During 2010-2017, there were almost 29 recall events in India across the automobile, drugs, and food sectors. In 2020 alone, the Indian auto industry recalled a total of 3,37,082 vehicles (Source: The Hindu Business Line).

“Counterfeit incidents are increasing by 20% average in between 2018-20”

Counterfeit incidents reported in media

\*Data is for period 01-January-2018 to 31-December-2020



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Graph: Number of counterfeit incidents reported in Media in the last three years

## 2.2 Counterfeiting is becoming rampant: a 24x7 activity

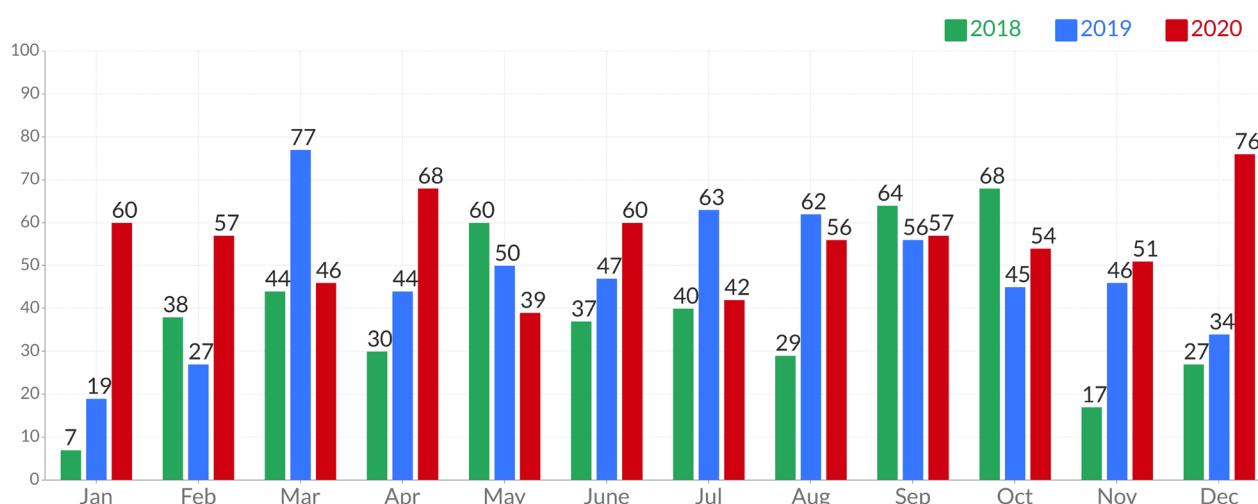
Counterfeiters are becoming smarter and taking their work seriously. Our data shows a regular pattern – counterfeit activities happen across the year and are not limited to festive or any specific seasons. This means that counterfeiting is no more a causal act for the perpetrators, and they look for every opportunity they can monetize. For instance, even during the COVID-19 lockdown, more than 30 incidents were reported in India during March-April 2020 that involved making sub-standard PPE kits and related items. According to the Delhi Police data, 155 people were arrested in 147 cases under the Excise Act and 18,556 bottles of liquor was recovered in the first two weeks of April during the ongoing lockdown.

This only brings to light how brands need to wake up to the fact that counterfeiters are constantly evolving with the times, exploring digital mediums, and targeting any product or sector which is easy to breach. They have a ready game plan.

“During the COVID-19 lockdown (March-April 2020), more than 30 incidents of sub-standard PPE kits and related items were reported”

### Counterfeit incidents reported on monthly basis

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## 2.3 Counterfeiters not limited to category – Targeting both quality and quantity

In recent years, we have noticed an uptick in ‘unsophisticated’ frauds. Professional fraudsters have been busy adapting to new methods. They are now using the latest manufacturing and printing technologies to duplicate finishes, print boxes, labels, codes, and packaging that mimics genuine products perfectly.

Fakes are almost undetectable to an average consumer. One such example is of banknotes. A recent seizure revealed fake banknotes of extreme high quality. In another case, a person began counterfeiting Indian banknotes after learning it from YouTube. Similarly, police lately seized more than 2700 liters of fake diesel along with 10,000 liters of petroleum products. The perpetrators were running their unit for the last five years and supplying fake diesel in rural areas (you can check the video here: <https://youtu.be/lbEm8hXzbQQ>).

Our data interprets that counterfeiters are targeting both quantity and quality and the highest proportion of cases fall under ‘Easy’ or ‘Medium’, with only an exceedingly small percentage of cases classified as ‘Hard’. In the wake of this, we need stringent systems in place to handle sophisticated attacks from criminal gangs, as well as high volume of attacks from rookie fraudsters.



## 2.4 Most vulnerable industries and products – Need special attention

The graphics below show the sectors that have been affected the most. Alcohol, Tobacco, FMCG Packaged Goods, Currency & Pharmaceuticals constitutes more than 84 percent of counterfeit cases. During the COVID-19 lockdown, there was a spike in crimes related to illicit liquor and pharmaceutical products especially PPE kits and sanitizers, etc. Fraudsters have some ingenious methods of producing and smuggling liquor. For example, many people started producing liquor from hand sanitizers. According to sources, over 250 people died in India because of hooch tragedies in the year 2019.

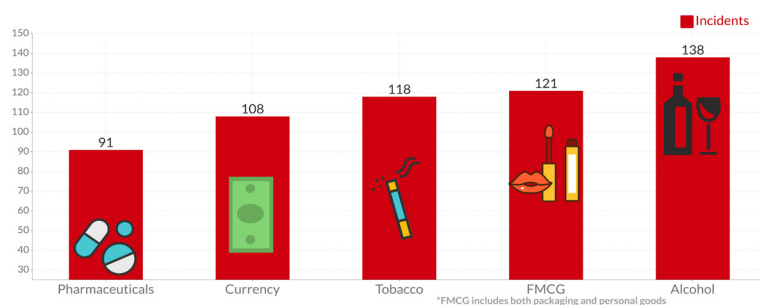
“Over 250 people died in India because of hooch tragedies in the year 2019”

Modus Operandi for Liquor

- Procure spirit in petrol and diesel tank – wrapper and bottles, mix color in spirits, bottle filling – supply in market.
- Procurement of sanitizer/ ethynyl alcohol – wrapper and bottles, mix color in spirits, bottle filling – supply in market.

No. of counterfeit incidents reported in top five sectors (2020)

\*Date period 01 January 2020 to 31 December 2020

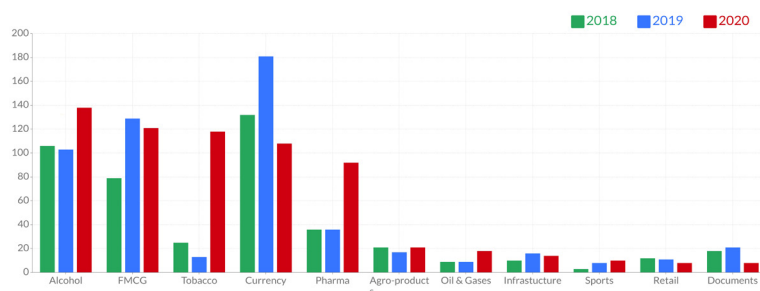


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Counterfeit incidents reported in sectors

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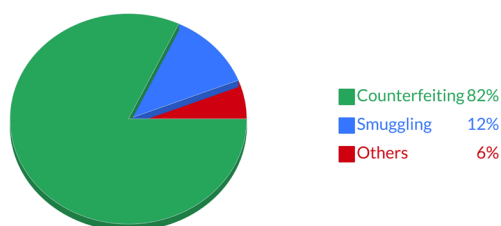
## 2.5 Types of fraud – Counterfeiting vs. Smuggling

In the year 2020, analyzing a total of 666 cases from the repository database, we found that 82 percent of the cases were of counterfeiting, while 12 percent were smuggling and 6 percent fell in other categories including adulteration. Alcohol and Tobacco are the sectors that showed both counterfeiting and smuggling cases. In the counterfeiting category, 25 percent of cases found were related to alcohol, followed by currency (19 percent), pharmaceutical (16 percent), FMCG (16 percent), and tobacco (8 percent). In smuggling cases (specifically related to products) 92 percent of cases found were related to tobacco.

If you are scaling into a new sector, Tobacco faces the highest jump in 2020 over 2019 and 2018. According to a query response raised in the Lok Sabha, Indian authorities seized illegally imported cigarettes worth INR 1,772 crore between April 2020 and February 2021. That compares with seizures worth INR 187.6 crore in the previous financial year.

Fraud categories 2020 (% of total)

\*Data is for period 01-January-2018 to 31-December-2020

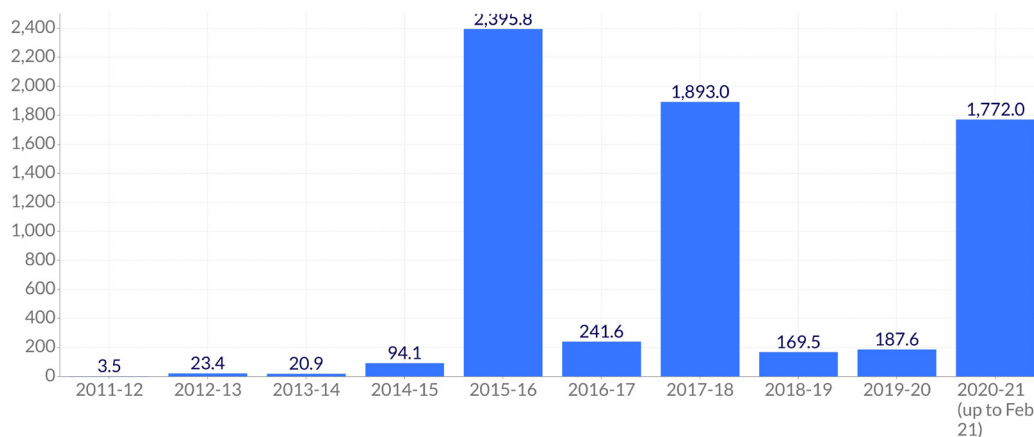


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### Illegal Cigarette seizures

Rs Crore



Source: Reply to a Lok Sabha Query

## 2.6 A glimpse of key counterfeit incidents reported in 2020

### January

Farmer lost Rs 20 lakh due to substandard seeds, did FIR against seed companies.

### February

Cosmetics shops seized selling counterfeit Lakme products

### March

900 cartons of illicit liquor on way to Bihar seized

### April

Counterfeit products of Amul and Milk food seized

### May

Two tankers with 50,000 liters of illicit spirit seized in Mohali's Zirakpur

### June

Fake Cold Drink manufacturing factory seized

### July

Nexus exposed by Police, supplying counterfeit COVID-19 medicines

### August

Hindustan Unilever counterfeit products seized

### September

Counterfeit Oxymeter available in market

### October

Nine quintals Fake detergent powder seized

### November

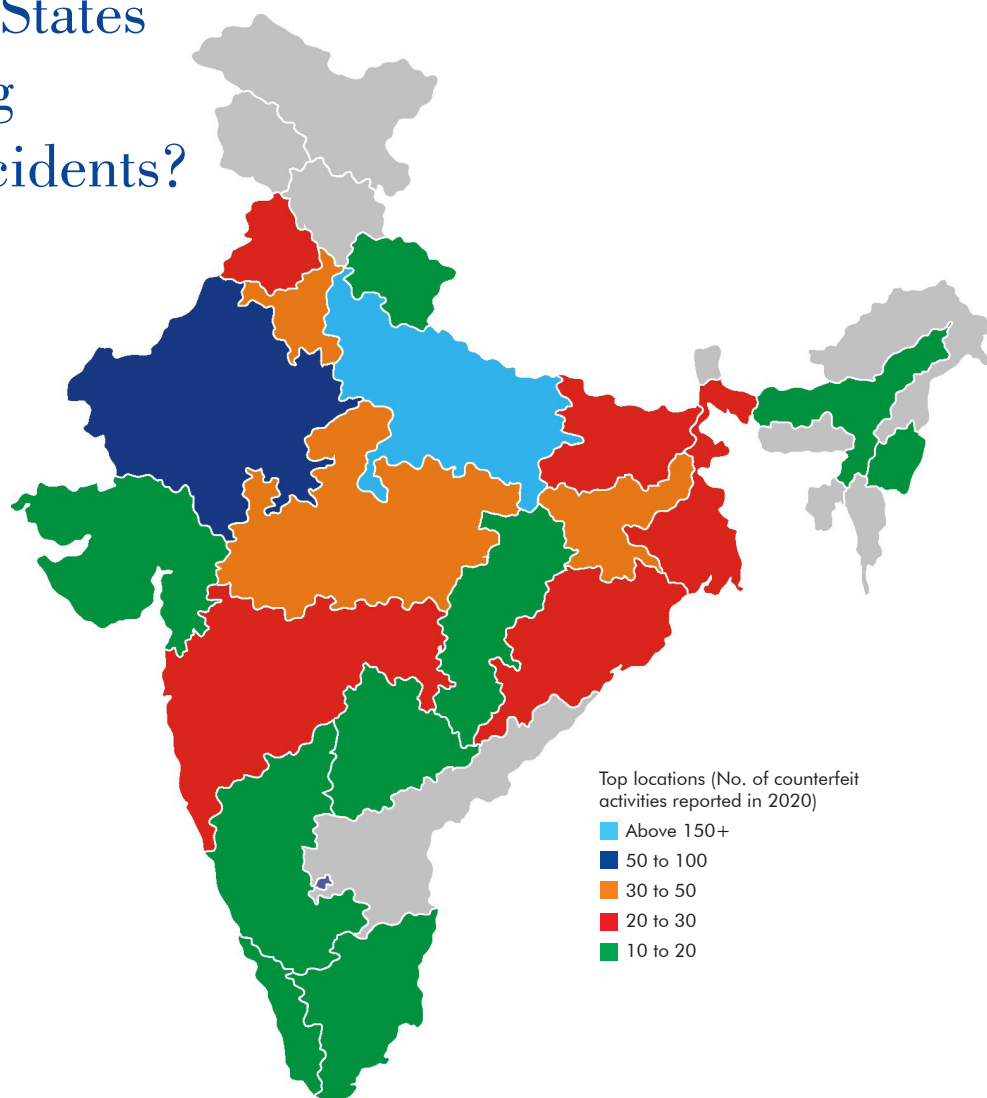
Fake seeds racket exposed

### December

Fake ghee business exposed in Agra, Counterfeiter using animal fat and bones for making

## 2.7 Counterfeit Index Ranking (Top locations)

Where do the States rank regarding counterfeit incidents?



State	No. of incidents (2020)	Position in 2020	No. of incidents (2019)	No. of incidents (2018)
Uttar Pradesh	184	1	180	135
Rajasthan	72	2	46	27
Madhya Pradesh	49	3	33	24
Jharkhand	40	4	26	30
Haryana	40	4	27	13
Bihar	27	5	51	28
Punjab	24	6	28	20
West Bengal	23	7	30	26
Maharashtra	23	7	26	16
Odisha	21	8	8	6
Delhi	20	9	24	29
Chhattisgarh	18	10	7	14
Karnataka	18	10	9	8

## 2.8 Special Feature - COVID-19 and Counterfeiting of PPE Kits, Masks, Sanitizers & Medicines



### Jammu & Kashmir

- Coronavirus scare: Fake hand sanitizer plant busted in J&K, The Hindu Business Line, March 11, 2020

### Punjab

- Barnala: One person arrested selling sanitizer illegally, Amar Ujala, April 7, 2020
- Ludhiana: Father-son duo arrested making counterfeit of Brand sanitizer, Dainik Bhaskar, June 16, 2020
- Fake sanitizer factory busted in Rajpura, Times of India, December 17, 2020

### Haryana

- At least 5,000 fake hand sanitizers seized in Gurugram, NDTV, March 13, 2020
- Fake sanitizer factory seized, operated from Govt. house, Danik Bhaskar, March 22, 2020
- Fake PPE kit making factory unearthed in Sonipat, Jagran, April 13, 2020
- Factory seized in Bhiwani; using tent cloth for making sub-standard PPE kit, Amar Ujala, April 15, 2020
- Illegal hand sanitizer unit busted in Haryana, The Hindu, April 20, 2020
- Fake PPE kit business: Criminals duping authorities by sending fake approval orders. Amar Ujala, April 22, 2020
- Health Department seized 21 boxes of fake sanitizer, Jagran, June 20, 2020

### Gujarat

- Black marketing of fake N95 masks now after fake injection, Patrika, August 09, 2020
- FDCA raids unit illegally making sanitizer, seizes items worth Rs 34 lakh in Ahmedabad, Times of India, August 15, 2020

### Maharashtra

- Coronavirus scare: Rs 2 lakh fake sanitizers seized in Mumbai, TOI, March 13, 2020
- Over 57,000 three-ply masks seized from an illegal unit in Agri, Mumbai Mirror, April 8, 2020
- Nurses criticize sub-standard PPEs, TOI, April 9, 2020
- Fake N-95 Masks Worth ₹21 Lakh Seized from Lower Parel, Mumbai Live, July 31, 2020

### Karnataka

- Fake sanitizers worth Rs 56 lakh seized by EOW in Karnataka, New Indian Express, March 21, 2020
- Police seized a medical shop in Bengaluru, seized 70 counterfeit thermometers, Jagran, April 1, 2020
- Fake masks glutting market, Sentinel, April 2, 2020
- Bengaluru Police nabs online gamblers, black marketers & fake mask makers, Business Line, April 5, 2020
- Medical staff wary as lack of quality protection gear ails hospitals, Mint, April 7, 2020
- 1,500 liters of chemical to make sanitizer seized in B'loru, Daiji World, April 7, 2020
- Criminals selling sub-standard masks, Patrika, May 6, 2020
- Over 70 held, fake goods worth Rs 1.7 crore seized, Business Standard, May 6, 2020
- Bengaluru: CCB conducts 51 raids during lockdown period, seizes fake masks, sanitizers, TOI, May 13, 2020
- Selling fake sanitizers in the name of the company, police raided, Zee Business, June 19, 2020

### Uttar Pradesh

- Fake hand sanitizer, mask factory busted in Noida; March 15, 2020.
- Fake sanitizer unit busted, raw material worth Rs 12 lakh seized, Deccan Herald, March 17, 2020
- Health Department procures sub-standard masks and kit worth Rs 15 lakh, Hindustan, April 3, 2020
- Rampant sale of fake water-spirit based sanitizer in Meerut, June 15, 2020
- Police busted gang supplying fake sanitizer and beauty care products at Beauty Parlour, June 20, 2020
- Two arrested for running illegal sanitizer factory in Kaushambi, Jagran, August 25, 2020
- Chinese duplicate pulse oximeter is being sold in Prayagraj, Jagran, September 14, 2020
- Police busted illegal sanitizer factory in Kaushambi, Amar Ujala, October 24, 2020
- COVID Medicine and Sanitizer seized in Jhansi, Amar Ujala, December 11, 2020

### Uttarakhand

- Substandard PPE kits for Corona warriors? Pioneer, April 22, 2020

### New Delhi

- Police busted factory making fake hand-sanitizers, Avalanches, March 18, 2020
- Shops selling spurious hand sanitizers raided in Delhi, Outlook, May 27, 2020

### Bihar

- City raid in a surgical shop used masks and fake sanitizer recovered, Jagran, May 6, 2020

### Jharkhand

- Fake hand sanitizer racket busted, The Pioneer, March 20, 2020
- Criminals duping consumer with a sub-standard and fake sanitizer, Next Live, April 24, 2020

### Manipur

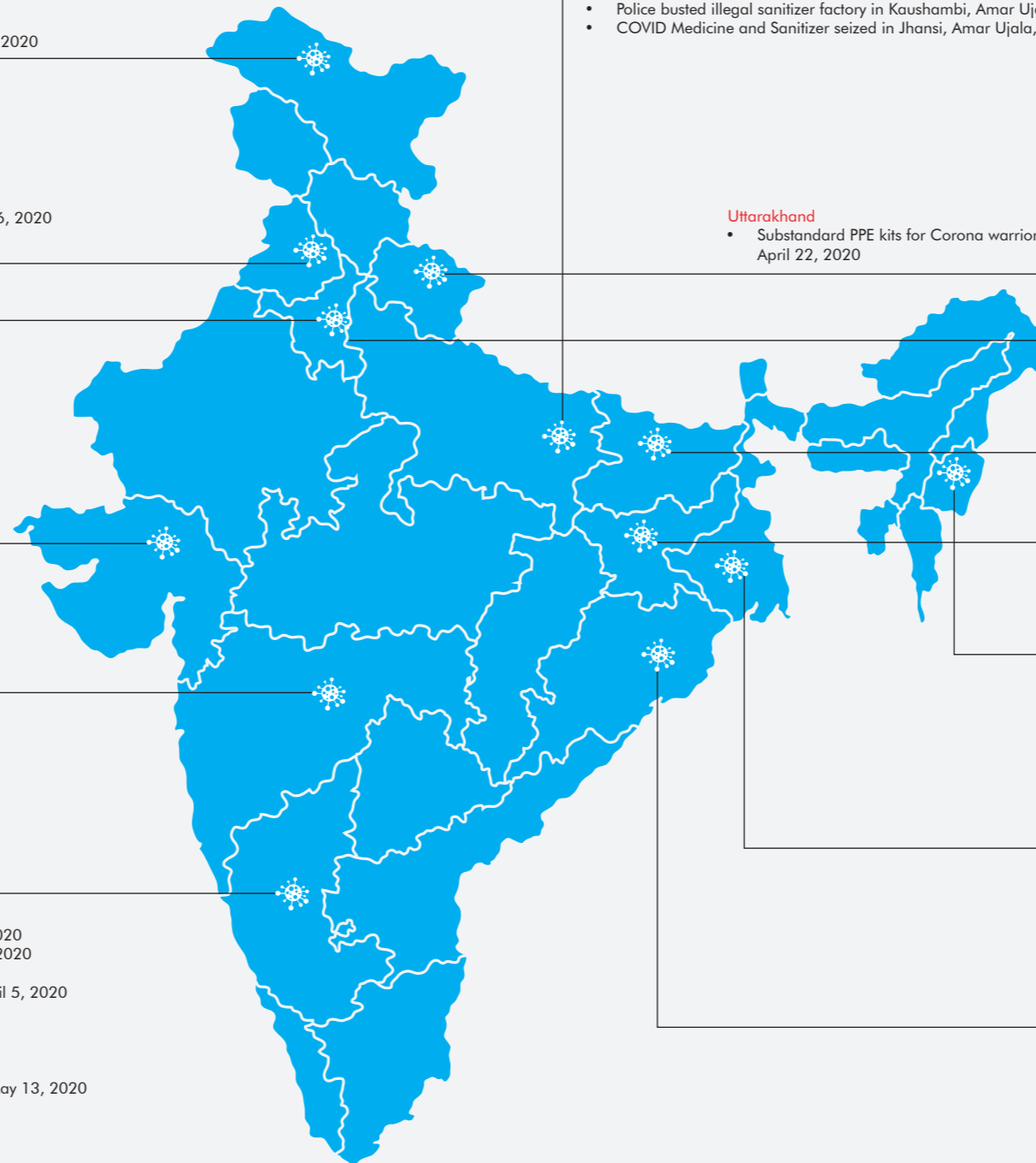
- Coronavirus: Manipur health officials booked for supplying substandard N95 masks to hospital, India Today, April 20, 2020

### West Bengal

- 1,400 liters of fake sanitizer recovered from Kolkata shops, Business Standard, July 31, 2020

### Odisha

- Fake hand sanitizers seized in Bhubaneswar, two held, Kalinga, March 30, 2020



## 2.9 Key reasons for the rise

### a. No specific legislation to address counterfeiting:

India has a robust legal framework for combating counterfeiting and piracy, but a lot still needs to be done to simplify the enforcement procedure (as there is no specific legislation to address it). Thankfully, statutory remedies – civil, criminal, and administrative – can be found in various statutes, including the Trademarks Act 1999, the Copyright Act 1957, the Patents Act 1970, the Designs Act, the Geographical Indications Act 1999, the Drugs and Cosmetics Act 1940, the Food Safety and Standards Act 2006, the Consumers Protection Act 1986, the Penal Code, the Information Technology Act 2000, and the Customs Act, 1962.

### b. Challenges in enforcement and execution:

Although a small number of India's state authorities, including Maharashtra and Telangana, continue to operate dedicated crime enforcement units, other States have not followed suit or face organizational challenges. Further, slow execution encourages the criminals to continue their fraudster activities.

Table: Court Disposal of Economic Offences (Crime)

S.No.	Heading	2018	2019
1.	Total trial cases including previous	8855	8871
2.	Conviction Rate	33%	36.2%
3.	Pendency Percentage	95%	95%

Table: Disposal of people arrested under Economic Offences (Crime) – Counterfeiting, Source: National Crime Report Bureau 2019

S. No.	Heading	2018	2019
1.	People arrested	2003	1732
2.	People charge-sheeted	1569	1400
3.	People convicted	234	248
4.	People discharged	28	31
5.	People acquitted	522	396



“Gwalior: In a recent case, the accused was caught making fake ghee ten years ago (2010). In 2017, the Special Judicial Magistrate had sentenced him to six months, but he was released on bail. The order of conviction was challenged in the appeal. Now, almost after ten years, the Additional Sessions Court served him a sentence of six months”.

In many cases, these criminals re-start their activities even after getting parole.

Source: <https://www.naidunia.com/madhya-pradesh/gwalior-gwalior-court-news-ten-years-ago-he-was-caught-making-fake-ghee-after-three-years-of-punishment-he-was-imprisoned-6694277>

**c. Non-adoption of technologies leading to identification:**

Our data shows that in many cases, criminals are acquitted in absence of evidence. As counterfeiters are getting smarter, they can imitate the packaging to a great extent. Many times, in absence of anti-counterfeiting technologies, it becomes difficult for the Police and the Enforcement & Investigative officers to identify the difference between genuine vs. fake, which further results in weak FIR and loopholes in evidence.

**d. Need clarity on regulations:**

Pharmaceuticals, Tobacco and Alcohol: The brand owners need to be more aware. Further, it has been often noticed that the adoption of authentication and traceability solutions is exceptionally low in absence of clear regulations. For example, in industries like Pharmaceuticals, Tobacco, and Food, we are yet to implement global authentication and traceability practices and regulations. Plus, there is no mandatory regulation for domestic drugs. We already have serialization for pharma and food exports, and it is important to have consistency in the domestic ecosystem.

## 3. Appendix: Links to the top ten monthly counterfeit news in 2020

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### January 2020

1. **31-Jan-2020:**

Fake Diesel factor in Maner, नेर में बन रहा था नकली डीजल  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1580809041-e10e98b15309be8c0dfd46289db52c08-fake-diesel-was-being-made-in-maner.pdf>

2. **28-Jan-2020**

44 quintals powder & chemical recovered, चुरु में नकली दूध बनाने का 44 क्विंटल मिल्क पाउडर और केमिकल बरामद, आरोपी हुए फरार  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1580809377-d9e14d42dbfb749fd54861ba1260d9e4-churu-big-action-of-churu-police-44-quintals-of-fake-milk-making-powder-and-chemical-caught-accused.pdf>

3. **27-Jan-2020**

Fake cigarettes from Malaysia flood Kerala market; Rs 25000 worth cigarettes seized in Malappuram  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1580809724-3e5c699bb6a342d2f38580cafca5c11-fake-cigarettes-from-malaysia-flood-kerala-market-rs-25000-worth-cigarettes-seized-in-malappuram.pdf>

4. **25-Jan-2020**

Learned to make counterfeit banknotes from YouTube, यु ट्यूब से नकली नोट बनाने सीखा, प्रिंटर से स्कैन कर नोट बाजार में सप्लाई किए।  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1580810380-b341cd6ce03d4835f63755b738775b4e-three-arrested-for-printing-fake-currency-in-rajasthan.pdf>

5. **23-Jan-2020**

Counterfeit seeds resulted in economic loss to the farmer, नकली बीज से किसानों के 20 लाख डुबे  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1580450607-9ce3ada0246486c6cf60acd42673e719-20-lakh-farmers-drowned-by-fake-seeds.pdf>

6. **23-Jan-2020**

Fake rose water factory seized in Barari, बरारी में नकली गुलाब जल निर्माण का भांडाफोड़  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1580451270-c0afa8a603e4d9e561302b0314b674cb-katihar-crime.pdf>

7. **14-Jan-2020**

सेल्समेन के मकान से नकली अंग्रेजी शराब के पब्लों के 19 कार्टन जब्त किए।  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1579682983-c7cac28abbe1e360f5e54b53099a7c8c-rajasthan-news-seized-19-cartoons-of-fake-english-liquor-items-from-salesmen39s-house.pdf>

8. **13-Jan-2020**

नकली घी का जखीरा पकड़ा 37 लाख जब्त, एक गिरफ्तार।  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1579706083-ed4b17b63620f5e938d2a84963259df1-news.pdf>

9. **12-Jan-2020**

एसजी, योनेक्स का नकली सामान बनाने की फैक्ट्री पकड़ी।  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1579706810-87f62730140a3ee85095ade2e713f787-meerut-city-sg-yonex-factory-caught-making-fake-goods.pdf>

10. **05-Jan-2020**

Factory manufacturing fake washing powder, shampoo, and salt of well-known brands seized in Gurugram  
<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1579517251-30ab47547128316bdc46ddc6bce0dcf-gurugram-factory-making-fake-products-busted.pdf>

## February 2020

### 1. 27-Feb-2020

लैक्मे नकली उत्पाद बेचने वाली कॉस्मेटिक शॉप पर छापा, लाखों में बताई जा रही है कीमत

<https://counterfeitrepository.com/upload/file/1584977619-94733b9249bbab14e2b1e92edceb927b-raid-on-gufran-cosmetic-shop-in-mumtaz-market-of-aminabad-in-lucknow.pdf>

### 2. 26-Feb-2020

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