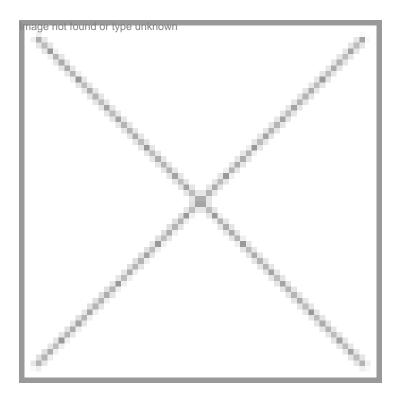


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Maharashtra continues to dominate

Though the biotech industry is well spread across the country, the western and southern regions of the country continued to account for 85 percent of the total revenues generated by companies headquartered in these clusters. Each of these two regions generated in excess of \$1 billion in revenues in 2008-09. Out of the two regions, the West with revenues of Rs 5,260.84 crore was ahead of the southern cluster with 43.35 percent share. While the west region's contribution was led by Serum Institute of India, Biocon and Panacea lead the revenue contributions from the south and the north, respectively.

