## **WHAT IS UPI?**

Common platform through which a person can transfer money from his bank account to any other bank account in the country instantly





Indigenous Payment System via smart phone

Efforts of RBI towards "LESS CASH" India





Developed by the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) under the guidelines of the RBI

Based on the Immediate Payment Service (IMPS) Platform











No need to know the payee's IFSC code, bank account details, etc.





Account mapping to be done by customer's own bank. Hence one can freely share the financial address with others.



Person can have Multiple Virtual Addresses for Multiple Accounts in various banks

It will make the process simpler

## **HOW IS IT BETTER THAN EXISTING PAYMENT METHODS?**



No need for asking account details



One can also raise payment requests

Expected that even merchants and companies will widely use this platform.

## **SIGNIFICANCE**

India - a cash intensive economy - cash to GDP ratio of over 12 per cent.

Consumer Transactions (Cash)		
	by Volumes	by Value
India	~ 95 %	~ 65 %
Advanced Economies	~ 40-50 %	~ 10-20 %

JPI is expected to change this

Full operationalisation of UPI will facilitate inter-operability in P2B payments





Banks offering mobile banking services, not completely inter-operable (especially for merchant transactions). Hindrance for merchant or P2B (person-to-business) transactions



Bring down annual cost of currency operations estimated ₹ 21,000 crore in India

