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Section 1: Regulatory and Policy Developments

In the past month, India's fintech and digital lending sectors have experienced significant regulatory advancements:

	Payments Vision 2028 RBI released 'Payments Vision 2028' for the duration up to December 2028	Read More
	RBI Bulletin – March 2026 The Reserve Bank released the March 2026 issue of its monthly Bulletin. The Bulletin includes three speeches, one article and current statistics	Read More
	Digital Payments Awareness Week 2026 - Launch of 'Awareness Program on Digital Payments' and Interaction with Payment Systems Operators (PSOs) The sixth edition of Digital Payments Awareness Week (DPAW) was observed during March 9-13, 2026	Read More
	RBI issues Directions on Prudential Norms on Declaration of Dividend and Remittance of Profit by Regulated Entities The Directions shall come into effect from Financial Year (FY) 2026-27	Read More
	Reserve Bank of India (Non-Banking Financial Companies - Concentration Risk Management) Second Amendment Directions, 2026 These Amendment Directions shall come into force from immediate effect. These Amendment Directions modify the Master Direction from November, 2025	Read More
	RBI Issues Amendment Directions on 'Clarification on Owned Fund / Tier 1 Capital computation for NBFCs / ARCs and applicability to Credit / Investment Concentration Norms' The consequent modifications in the previous draft directions, as decided by the Reserve Bank, have been suitably incorporated in the final Directions	Read More



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Section 2: Investments in Fintech and Digital Lending

	<p>Fintech funding sees modest rise in CY25 as investor outlook turns cautious Fintech funding rose slightly to \$2.4 billion in CY25, but geopolitical tensions in West Asia may slow investment</p>	Read More
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Section 3: UFF Members' News

	<p>Fintech firm MobiKwik to double down on payment devices business MobiKwik plans to scale sandbox and EDC deployment, targeting 10% revenue contribution as it expands offline merchant acquiring beyond Tier I cities</p>	Read More
	<p>Fintech Platform True Balance Secures \$10 Million Debt Funding to Expand Lending Operations True Balance raises \$10 million in debt funding from investors, including Northern Arc Capital, to boost its lending arm, True Credits Pvt Ltd.</p>	Read More
	<p>NPCI's RuPay Credit Card Fee Cut To Have 'No Material Impact' On Business: Paytm The fees payable to Third Party Application Providers (TPAPs) and payer Payment Service Providers (PSPs) will be lowered starting April 1, 2026</p>	Read More
	<p>Perfios Appoints Former SBI Executive Nitin Chugh As Group CEO Chugh will lead Perfios Group, which includes acquired entities such as Clari5, CreditNirvana, and IHX</p>	Read More
	<p>CRED Gets RBI's Final Nod To Operate As Payment Aggregator The licence allows the fintech major to onboard merchants, collect payments on their behalf across instruments, and handle settlement and refunds</p>	Read More
	<p>Fintech Unicorn Moneyview Files DRHP For Over ₹1,500 Cr IPO Moneyview's IPO will comprise a fresh issue of shares worth ₹1,500 Cr and an offer for sale (OFS) of up to 13.61 Cr equity shares by existing shareholders</p>	Read More



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	Oxyzo Forays Into Fund Management With Launch Of Credit Fund The fund, called Oxyzo Credit Fund I (OCF-I), will invest in mid-sized, investment-grade companies looking for growth capital	Read More
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Section 4: India FinTech News

	RBI and government launch verified digital lending app directory to curb fraudulent loan apps, protect borrowers Under the guidelines issued by RBI, all regulated entities must follow specific rules when offering loans through digital platforms, including mobile apps and online portals	Read More
	Microfinance lenders now give bigger loans to existing borrowers The average ticket size has climbed to its highest-ever level of Rs 61,253, up 16% year-on-year	Read More
	Tamil Nadu CM Stalin inaugurates Rs 249 crore Fintech Tower in Nandambakkam The tower is in the facility, spread over 5.56 lakh sq ft, and is the first major asset to be delivered under the state's planned 56-acre FinTech City project	Read More
	The Control Layer Of AI: Why Agentic AI Stacks Are The Next Big Thing Most Indian startups in the agentic AI space are focusing on the orchestration and application layers rather than building foundational models	Read More

Section 5: Global Fintech News

	India emerges as world's third-most active fintech market in 2025, trailing only US and UK India accounted for roughly 6% of global fintech deal volume	Read More
	India, UAE In Talks To Link Digital Currencies For Faster Remittances The system would allow money to move directly between digital currency wallets in the two countries without relying on traditional bank-led settlement systems	Read More



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Section 6: Events/Upcoming Events

	<p>UFF partnered at FinTech India Expo 2026-Convergence India Expo 2026 25 March, 2026, New Delhi UFF Unified Fintech Forum (UFF) participated in the Fintech India Expo in New Delhi, engaging with industry leaders, technology providers and policymakers on the evolving landscape of financial innovation in India</p>	Read More
	<p>UFF and IFF organised the Fintech Compliance Leadership Roundtable 17 March, 2026, Mumbai UFF launched the Fintech Compliance Leadership Network (FCLN), a dedicated peer-learning platform designed for senior compliance professionals during the roundtable organised in partnership with PwC India</p>	Read More



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