

22. COVER STORY



**KARIGARI**  
A Story Served on Every Plate

At its core, Karigari is not just about serving food, but about bringing stories to life through it; where every dish carries a sense of memory, heritage, and deeper meaning.



08. News in Numbers

Food & Grocery and Food Service insights through numbers.

10. Market Update

News, reports, store openings, and latest updates on the food retail and food service sector.



16. FMCG

**Emerging Landscape: India's Next Food Giants**

Inside the ₹500–5,000 crore companies building the country's next generation of food brands.



30. Category Watch | Egg QSR's

**Ande Ka Funda: How India's Humble Egg is Powering a New Food Movement**

From roadside carts to global QSR ambitions, the egg is quietly reshaping India's food business landscape.

40. Spotlight | Spices & Condiments

**Rethinking Spice Safety**

Packaged spices are under increasing scrutiny, with contamination concerns compelling brands to reinforce trust through stringent testing, enhanced traceability, and robust compliance frameworks.



44. Retail | Frozen Food

**From Freezer to Frontline: The Quiet Surge of India's Frozen Food Industry**

India's frozen food category is shedding old perceptions, emerging as a mainstream choice, backed by strong growth and rising everyday consumption trends.



48. Report | Trends

**Supper Clubs to Protein Plates: 4 Trends Shaping India's 2025 Food Story**

Insights from the Godrej Food Trends Report 2025 predicted several shifts from Indian Desserts to the rise of the experiential dining.

