

From Northeast to Kathmandu

During his last week's visit to Kathmandu for the Bimstec summit, PM Modi gifted the leaders of member states stoles and shawls made in the northeastern states of India. Made of golden muga silk, eri silk and cotton, these presents depict traditional motifs of the northeastern states and Bengal's kantha embroidery. The choice of gifts also underscores the development potential of the region within the Bimstec bloc.