

FULL RECORD · 2025A circular portrait of Narendra Modi, the Prime Minister of India, with a white beard and glasses, wearing a white shirt and a dark vest. The portrait is set against a light orange background and is framed by a thick orange circular border.

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INDIA
SECURITY
7 May — Operation Sindoor

- In response to the Pahalgam attack of 22 April, action was taken against nine terrorist sites; according to a statement by the Defence Minister, more than 100 terrorists were killed.
- On 10 May, a ceasefire was agreed.

HONOURS
Mauritius · Sri Lanka · Cyprus · Ghana · Trinidad and Tobago · Brazil · Namibia

- Between March and July, seven countries conferred their highest state honours.
- Namibia's Order of Welwitschia Mirabilis was the 27th state honour.

CONSTRUCTION
GDP ₹346 Lakh Crore · Chenab Bridge

- In 2025-26, India's GDP was ₹346 lakh crore (provisional estimate); India is among the world's top five economies.
- On 6 June, the world's highest railway bridge, the Chenab Bridge, was dedicated to the nation; it is 35 metres taller than the Eiffel Tower.
- In April, GST collection reached a record high of ₹2.37 lakh crore.
- In 2025-26, defence exports were ₹38,424 crore.

ELECTIONS · OFFICES
25 July — 4,078 Continuous Days

- In continuous tenure as Prime Minister, only Pandit Nehru now remains ahead.
- The record of Atal ji's tenure had already been surpassed on 13 August 2020.

CONSTRUCTION
May — 891 Lions in Gir

- In the 16th lion census, 891 lions were found in Gir, up from 674 in 2020.
- By December, 164 Vande Bharat services were running in the country.

SCHEMES
22 September — GST 2.0

- The two main GST rates — 5% and 18% — came into effect, and everyday goods became cheaper.
- It had been announced from the Red Fort on 15 August.

WORLD STAGE
24 July — India-UK Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement

- The agreement was signed in London.
- Duty-free access to the UK was secured for 99% of Indian exports.

CONSTRUCTION
13 January – 26 February — Maha Kumbh, Prayagraj

- More than 66 crore devotees came to the Maha Kumbh in 45 days.
- On 29 January, ISRO's 100th launch took place from Sriharikota.

SCHEMES
10 February — Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025

- Pariksha Pe Charcha received 3.53 crore registrations, a Guinness World Record.
- On 21 February, the 'SOUL' Leadership Conclave was held.
- From 1 January, under 'One Nation One Subscription', thousands of international research journals became available free of cost to students and researchers.

**CONSTRUCTION****6 April — New Pamban Bridge**

- The country's first vertical-lift railway sea bridge, the 2.07 km long new Pamban Bridge, was dedicated to the nation.
- On 2 May, Vizhinjam, the country's first deep-water transshipment port, was dedicated to the nation.

WORLD STAGE**1 May — WAVES 2025, Mumbai**

- More than 10,000 delegates from more than 90 countries attended the first World Audio Visual and Entertainment Summit.
- The Create in India Challenge received 1 lakh registrations from 60 countries.

CONSTRUCTION**25 June – 15 July — First Indian on the Space Station**

- In the Axiom-4 mission, Shubhanshu Shukla ji spent 18 days on the International Space Station.
- On 30 July, 'NISAR', the first joint satellite of ISRO and NASA, was launched.

HONOURS**21 June — World Record in Visakhapatnam**

- A Guinness World Record was set in Visakhapatnam for the largest yoga session, with 3,00,105 participants.
- On 5 July, the key to the city of Buenos Aires was presented.

CONSTRUCTION**6 August — Kartavya Bhavan**

- Kartavya Bhavan, the first building of the Common Central Secretariat, was dedicated to the nation.
- On 15 August, the longest address to date, of 103 minutes, was delivered from the Red Fort, in which 'Mission Sudarshan Chakra' was announced.

CONSTRUCTION**2 September — First Made-in-India Chip**

- At SEMICON India, 'Vikram', the first 32-bit processor made in India, was presented to the Prime Minister.
- On 8 October, the Navi Mumbai International Airport was dedicated to the nation.

WORLD STAGE**1 October — India-EFTA Agreement in Force**

- The agreement carries a pledge of 100 billion dollars in investment over 15 years.
- On 11 November, he took part in the Global Peace Prayer Festival in Thimphu.

CONSTRUCTION**7 November — 150 Years of Vande Mataram**

- A year-long national celebration began to mark 150 years of Vande Mataram.
- On 25 November, the construction of the temple was completed with the flag hoisting on the Ram Mandir.

WORLD STAGE**26 November — 2030 Commonwealth Games for Ahmedabad**

- In Glasgow, it was confirmed that Ahmedabad would host the centenary edition of the Commonwealth Games.
- On 2 November, CMS-03, the heaviest communication satellite launched from Indian soil, went up on the LVM3.

HONOURS**16–18 December — Highest Honours of Ethiopia and Oman**

- Ethiopia conferred 'The Great Honour Nishan of Ethiopia'; he became the first foreign head of government to receive this honour.
- Oman conferred the Order of Oman.