

93rd Anniversary of Indian Air Force

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93rd anniversary in 2025 marks the establishment of Indian Air Force on 8 October 1932 under British rule.

About Indian AirForce/ Bharatiya VaySena:

The Indian Air Force (IAF) is the Air wing of the Indian armed forces.

Motto: "Nabhah Spr??a? D?ptam" taken from the Bhagavad Gita (Touch the Sky with Glory).

Evolved from a small auxiliary force to the fourth-largest air force in the world.

The President of India holds the rank of supreme commander or Commander-in-chief of the IAF.

The operational command of the Air Force lies with the Chief of Air Staff, an air chief marshal, who is a four-star officer.

Operational Role

oProvides air defence, strategic airlift, disaster relief, humanitarian aid.

oParticipated in operations like Operation Kaveri (Sudan evacuation) and Operation Dost (Trkiye-Syria earthquake relief).

Theme 2025: "Beyond Boundaries, Above Challenges"

Location: Hindon Air Base, Ghaziabad.

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