

Exercise INDRA

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Context

• The **bilateral Naval Exercise** INDRA 2025 between **Indian and Russian navies** was held from 28 Mar to 02 Apr 2025.

• This 14th edition of the exercise included a wide range of activities and structured drills designed to enhance interoperability towards countering common maritime threats.

• The operations involved complex coordinated manoeuvres and simulated engagements showcasing the combined combat power of the participating navies.

• The exercise achieved its aim of enhanced jointmanship and reinforced the shared commitment to upholding the principles of maritime order, promoting global peace and stability.

• The INDRA series of exercises have been a cornerstone of India-Russia Defence relations since its **inception in 2003** and both countries recognise the importance of **maritime security** and the need for a collaborative approach to counter common threats and concerns.



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