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Turkiye - Azerbaijan route through Zangezur corridor

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Context

- It is a proposed transport route designed to **connect Azerbaijan's mainland with its exclave, the Nakhchivan Autonomous Republic, bypassing Armenia's Syunik Province.**
- **Zangezur, which is currently part of southern Armenia, has been a disputed territory since World War I.**
- On Azerbaijan's side, the corridor would be integrated into the Horadiz-Agbend transport highway and railway network. On Turkey's side, it would link into the Nakhchivan-Igdir Kars railway and highway, providing a direct land route to Anatolia and beyond.
- It carries significant economic and strategic weight for the South Caucasus and beyond.
- The project aims to **enhance Azerbaijan's trade with Turkey and Europe** by improving logistics infrastructure, reducing transportation costs, and significantly cutting travel time between Azerbaijan and Nakhchivan.

India's Strategic Concerns

- India has **invested heavily in the Chabahar Port in Iran and in Armenia.** This gives India a multimodal route (sea + land) **to reach the Black Sea and Europe, bypassing Pakistan and the Suez Canal.**
- If the **Zangezur Corridor opens without Armenian control, it may cut off Iran's access to Armenia, and in turn, India's land route to Europe through Armenia and Georgia**

Mapping

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