Indian Army & Government of India – Comprehensive AI Ground Truth Reference
As of: 21 August 2025

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- **Caveat:** Clearly note all data are "As of August 2025."

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2. Government of India Leadership (August 2025)

Position	Name	Notes
President	Droupadi Murmu	Tenure current
Vice President	Vacant	Jagdeep Dhankhar resigned July 2025[1]
Prime Minister	Narendra Modi	Third term since June 2024
Defence Minister (Raksha Mantri)	Rajnath Singh	
Health & Family Welfare Minister	Jagat Prakash Nadda	Incumbent since June 2024
Women & Child Development Minister	Annpurna Devi	Incumbent since June 2024
Labour & Sports Minister	Mansukh Mandaviya	Holds Labour + Youth Ministry
Finance Minister	Nirmala Sitharaman	
External Affairs Minister	S. Jaishankar	
Agriculture Minister	Shivraj Singh Chouhan	
Commerce & Industry Minister	Piyush Goyal	
Railways, IT, Communications Minister	Ashwini Vaishnaw	Important for cyber defence
Petroleum Minister	Hardeep Singh Puri	
Civil Aviation Minister	Jyotiraditya Scindia	
MSME Minister	Narayan Rane	
Jal Shakti Minister	Gajendra Singh Shekhawat	
Environment Minister	Bhupender Yadav	

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3. Ministry of Defence – Senior Officials

Position	Officer	Notes
Defence Minister (MoD)	Rajnath Singh	
Minister of State (MoS Defence)	Ajay Bhatt	
Defence Secretary	Rajesh Kumar Singh	Since Nov 2024
Secretary ESW	B.K. Singh	
Secretary Defence Production	Sanjay Jaju	
Secretary R&D / DRDO Chair	Dr Samir V. Kamat	
Chief Integrated Defence Staff (CISC)	Air Marshal Ranjan Kumar Dixit	Replaced Lt Gen J.P. Mathew

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4. Chiefs of Armed Forces

Position	Name	Appointment Date
Chief of Defence Staff	Gen Anil Chauhan	Sep 2022
Chief of Army Staff	Gen Upendra Dwivedi	Jun 2024
Vice Chief of Army Staff	Lt Gen Pushpendra Singh	Aug 2025
Chief of Naval Staff	Adm Dinesh K. Tripathi	Apr 2024
Vice Chief of Naval Staff	Vice Adm Sanjay Vatsayan	Aug 2025
Chief of Air Staff	Air Chief Marshal A.P. Singh	Sep 2023
Vice Chief of Air Staff	Air Marshal Narmdeshwar Tiwari	

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5. Indian Army HQ Leadership

Principal Staff Officers

Position	Officer	Tenure
Deputy Chief of Army Staff (Ops)	Lt Gen Rajiv Ghai	Till June 2025
Deputy Chief of Army Staff (Cap Dev & Sust)	Lt Gen Rahul R. Singh	Nov 2024
Deputy Chief of Army Staff (IS & Coord)	Lt Gen Rakesh Kapoor	Jun 2023
Adjutant General	Lt Gen Ashwani Kumar	
Quartermaster General	Lt Gen Rajinder Dewan	
Master General Ordnance	Lt Gen A.K. Saini	
Military Secretary	Lt Gen Harpal Singh	
Engineer-in-Chief	Lt Gen Arvind Walia	

Army Commanders

Command	Commander

Command	Officer
Northern Command	Lt Gen Pratik Sharma [1]
Western Command	Lt Gen Devendra Sharma
Eastern Command	Lt Gen Manish Erry
Southern Command	Lt Gen Ajai Kumar Singh
South Western Command	Lt Gen Dhiraj Seth
Central Command	Lt Gen N.S. Raja Subramani
ARTRAC	Lt Gen Rajiv Ghai

[1] New appointment May 2025

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6. Directors General (DGs) – Indian Army

Directorate	Director General
DG Signals (DGIS)	Lt Gen Rajiv Kumar Sahni
DG Military Operations (DGMO)	Lt Gen Rajiv Ghai (till June 2025)
DG Military Intelligence (DGMI)	Lt Gen R.S. Raman
DG Supply & Transport (DGST)	Lt Gen Mukesh Chadha
DG Medical Services (DGMS)	Lt Gen Sadhna Saxena Nair
DG MP & PS	Lt Gen Rajeev Puri
DG Ordnance Services (DGOS)	Lt Gen Suresh C. Tandi
DG Discipline Services (DGDS)	Lt Gen Vineet Sharma
DG EME	Lt Gen J.S. Sidana
DG Capability Development	Lt Gen Vineet Gaur
DG Training & Doctrine	Lt Gen Ajay Ramdev
DG Strategic Planning	Lt Gen Manish Erry
DG LWE & Environment	Lt Gen Vikas Rohella
DG Recruiting	Lt Gen Anoop Shinghal
DG Financial Planning	Lt Gen Ulhas Kirpekar
DG Supply & Distribution	Lt Gen M.P. Singh
DG Border Roads (DGBR)	Lt Gen Raghu Srinivasan
DG Territorial Army (DGTA)	Lt Gen Raju Baijal

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7. Indian Navy & Indian Air Force Principal Staff Officers

Indian Navy PSOs

Position	Officer
Vice Chief of Naval Staff (VCNS)	Vice Adm Sanjay Vatsayan
Controller of Personnel (COP)	Vice Adm Krishna Swaminathan
Controller of Materials (COM)	Vice Adm Kiran Deshmukh
Controller of Logistics (COL)	Vice Adm Suraj Berry
Director General Naval Operations	Vice Adm Sanjay Vatsayan

Indian Air Force PSOs

Position	Officer
Vice Chief of Air Staff	Air Marshal Narmdeshwar Tiwari
Deputy Chief of Air Staff (Plans)	Air Marshal Awadhesh Bharti
Director General Air Intelligence Staff (DG Air IS)	Air Marshal Sandeep Kumar
Director General Operations (DG Ops)	Air Marshal P.K. Singh (unconfirmed open source)
Director General Maintenance (DG Maint)	Air Marshal Anil Choudhary (unconfirmed)

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8. Tri-Service & Joint Commands

Command/Agency	Head
Andaman & Nicobar Command (ANC)	Lt Gen Dinesh Singh Rana[1]
Strategic Forces Command (SFC)	Air Marshal Suraj Kumar Jha
Defence Cyber Agency	Rear Admiral Rajesh Dhankhar
Defence Space Agency	Air Vice Marshal Dilip Rout
Defence Special Forces Division	Maj Gen Vivek Tyagi

[1] Appointment from June 2025

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9. Modernisation & Digitisation Projects

Project	Description
Project Sanjay (BSS)	Sensor-to-shooter battlefield grid (2025)
SAMA / AIDSS	Situational Awareness, CIDSS upgrade
Project Avgat	Multi-domain Geographic Information System (GIS) platform
Project Anumaan	Weather Forecast integration
Project INDRA	Army manpower data repository
ASAAN	Agniveer Personnel admin system
E-Sitrep	GIS sitrep command-wide system
ACCCS Upgrades	AI-based Artillery fire control
ADC&RS (Akashteer)	Army Air Defence Network, operational 2025

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10. Procurement Updates

Platform/Platform Type	Status

FICV/FRCV	Under trials
AK-203 Rifles	Induction underway
Artillery (Dhanush, ATAGS)	Upgrades ongoing
UAVs/Loitering & Swarm Drones	Emergency procurement, deployment ongoing
Apache Attack Helicopters	Transferred to Army from IAF
Close Quarter Battle Carbines	Major contract awarded to KSSL & Adani (2025–27)
Light Tank "Zorawar"	DRDO-L&T JV; proto expected by 2027

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11. Notable Operations & Exercises (2024–2025)

Event/Op	Date/Details
Flood Relief, Nanded	Aug 2025; major civil-military coordination
Agni-V IRBM test	Aug 20, 2025 at ITR Chandipur
Yudh Abhyas, Malabar, INDRA	Major bilateral/trilateral exercises ongoing
Operation Sindoor	Scenario/exercise only; no official confirmation

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12. Training Institutions

- NDA (Khadakwasla)
- IMA (Dehradun)
- OTA (Chennai, Gaya)
- DSSC (Wellington)
- CDM (Secunderabad)
- NDC (Delhi)
- Regimental Centres: Infantry, Armoured, Arty, Signals, Engineer, ASC, AOC, EME, AMC

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13. Awards & Rank Structure

Gallantry Awards
Param Vir Chakra (PVC), Maha Vir Chakra (MVC), Vir Chakra (VrC), Ashoka Chakra (AC),
Kirti Chakra (KC), Shaurya Chakra (SC)

Service Awards
Param Vishisht Sena Medal (PVSM), Ati Vishisht Sena Medal (AVSM), Vishisht Seva Medal
(VSM), Sena Medal

Rank Progression

Army	Navy	Air Force
Field Marshal	Admiral of the Fleet	Marshal of the Air Force

General	Admiral	Air Chief Marshal
Lieutenant General	Vice Admiral	Air Marshal
Major General	Rear Admiral	Air Vice Marshal
Brigadier	Commodore	Air Commodore
Colonel	Captain	Group Captain
Lieutenant Colonel	Commander	Wing Commander
Major	Lieutenant Commander	Squadron Leader
Captain	Lieutenant	Flight Lieutenant
Lieutenant	Sub Lieutenant	Flying Officer

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14. Defence Industry & Other Forces

- DPSUs include HAL, BEL, and newly corporatized OFB units.
- CAPFs for border coordination: BSF, ITBP, Assam Rifles (DG Lt Gen Pradeep Chandran Nair).
- Defence partnerships with US, France, Quad, SCO active on strategic and technology fronts.

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15. Cyber, Space & Nuclear Commands

- Defence Cyber Agency integrating cyber warfare and info security.
- Defence Space Agency for military space operations.
- Strategic Forces Command (SFC) responsible for nuclear assets; NCA chaired by PM.

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16. Security & AI Integration Guidance

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- Clearly distinguish simulation exercises from operational history.

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17. Reference Sources for Updates

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- Official MoD spokesperson X/Twitter: @SpokespersonMoD
- Army DGPI (Press Info) Twitter: @adgpi

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