

ICGS Achal

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Recently, the Indian Coast Guard (ICGS) commissioned ICGS Achal at Goa Shipyard Limited.

About ICGS Achal

- The Indian Coast Guard Ship (ICGS) Achal is the new-generation **Adamy-class Fast Patrol Vessel (FPV)**.
- It is named Achal, **meaning firm**.
- It is the **fifth one** in a series of eight FPVs being constructed by **Goa Shipyard Ltd (GSL)** for the coast guard.
- **Features**
 - **Propulsion:** It is powered by two **3000 kW advanced diesel engines**,
 - **Speed:** The vessel delivers a top speed of 27 knots and an operational endurance of 1500 nautical miles.
 - It has a suite of integrated technologies, including an **Integrated Bridge System, Integrated Machinery Control System**, and Automated Power Management System.

- It has 60% indigenous content, **dual-class certification (ABS & IRS)**.
- **Functions:** It will undertake a wide range of missions, including surveillance, interdiction, **Search and Rescue (SAR)**, anti-smuggling operations, and pollution response.
- The ship will be **stationed at Vadinar, Gujarat**, operating under the administrative and operational control of the Commander, Coast Guard Region (North West)..

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