

South Korea

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Recently, the Indian Defence minister and Minister of National Defence, South Korea held comprehensive bilateral discussions in Seoul.

About South Korea

- **Location:** It occupies the southern half of the **Korean Peninsula**.
- **Bordering Country:** North Korea
- **Maritime Borders:** To the east by the **East Sea** (Sea of Japan), to the south by the **East China Sea**, and to the west by **the Yellow Sea**.
- To the southeast it is separated from the **Japanese island of Tsushima** by **the Korea Strait**.
- **Capital City:** Seoul.

Geographical Features of South Korea

- **Climate:** South Korea has a **continental climate**, with hot, rainy summers and cold winters.

- **Major Rivers:** Han River, Nakdong River.
- **Major Islands:** **Jeju Island** in the Korea Strait is the largest island.
- **Mountains:** The country is dominated by the **Taebaek Mountain** range along the eastern coast.
- **Highest Peak:** Mount Halla on Jeju Island (1,950 meters), an extinct volcano.
- **Natural Resources:** The most important reserves are **anthracite coal**, iron ore, graphite, gold, silver, tungsten, lead, and zinc.

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