

Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure

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Recently, the Prime Minister of India addressed the International Conference on Disaster Resilient Infrastructure (ICDRI), organised by the New Delhi-headquartered Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure (CDRI), was held on June 6 and 7 in Nice, France.

About Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure

- It was **established in 2019** under the leadership of the Government of India and with the support of the United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR).
- It is a **multi-stakeholder global partnership of national governments**, UN agencies and programmes, multilateral development banks, the private sector, and academic institutions.
- It aims to **promote the resilience of infrastructure systems** to climate and disaster risks, thereby ensuring sustainable development.
- It seeks to rapidly expand the development and retrofit of resilient infrastructure to respond to the **Sustainable Development Goals imperatives** of expanding **universal access to basic services**,

enabling prosperity and decent work.

Mission of Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure

- **By 2050**, to drive **US\$10 trillion** of new and existing infrastructure investments and services to be resilient to natural hazards and climate change.
- Improving environmental quality, livelihoods, and overall well-being for more **than 3 billion people worldwide**.

Governance of Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure

- **Governing Council:** Includes all member countries and organisations, meets yearly.
- **Executive Committee:** Oversees programmes and decisions, meets twice a year.
- **Secretariat:** Led by the Director General, runs day-to-day operations.
- **Funding:** It is funded by **voluntary contributions** from member countries and organisations.
- **Members:** It consists of **46 member countries** and 8 partner organizations.
- **Headquarters:** New Delhi, India

Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure FAQs

Q1: What are the four pillars of disaster resilience?

Ans: Mitigation, Preparedness, Response, Recovery.

Q2: What is the primary goal of the Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure?

Ans: CDRI aims to promote the resilience of infrastructure systems to climate and disaster risks, thereby ensuring sustainable development.

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