

JAIMEX 2025

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Recently, Indian Naval Ship (INS) Sahyadri participated in the Sea phase of JAIMEX-25 (Japan India Maritime Exercise).

About JAIMEX 2025

- It is a **maritime exercise** between **India and Japan**.
- **Objective:** It underscores the strong and burgeoning **Navy-to-Navy interactions** that underpin the '**Special Strategic and Global Partnership**' established between India and Japan in 2014. This partnership is a crucial pillar for ensuring peace and stability in the Indo-Pacific maritime domain.
- **It involved two phases**
 - **Sea phase** included advanced **Anti-Submarine Warfare and missile defence drills**, enhancing interoperability by undertaking flying operations and underway replenishment.
 - **Harbour Phase** at Yokosuka includes engagement in a **multitude of professional** and cultural exchanges, cross-deck visits, collaborative operational planning, sharing of best practices,

- **Significance:** The Indian Navy and JMSDF have been at the forefront of this growing partnership with a shared vision of a free, open, and inclusive Indo-Pacific region.
- Other bilateral exercises between India and Japan: **Malabar exercise** (Naval Exercise), **'Veer Guardian'** (Air Force), and **Dharma Guardian** (Army).

Key Facts about INS Sahyadri

- It is an indigenously built **Shivalik-class Guided Missile Stealth Frigate**.
- It is indigenously designed, constructed and **commissioned in 2012**.
- The ship is capable of carrying **Barak-1 and Shtil-1 3S90M missiles**, BrahMos anti-ship missiles, anti-submarine rocket launchers.
- The multi-role stealth frigate has participated in various operational deployments, bilateral and multilateral exercises.

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