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CONTEMPORARY INDIA

Major achievements of Indian Prime Ministers

Nehru (1947- 1964)

- ✓ Architect of Modern India
- ✓ Social Revolutionary
- ✓ Rural Reformer
- ✓ Builder of Infrastructure
- ✓ Integration of Princely States
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- ✓ IITs
- ✓ Bharat Electronics Ltd
- ✓ National Physical Lab

- ✓ Nation Committee on Space Research
- ✓ Atomic Research and Development
- ✓ Science and Tech. Infrastructure
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- ✓ Coined the Slogan: Jai Jawan Jai Kisan
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- ✓ Operation Blue Star
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- ✓ Saved Silent Valley
- ✓ Reason behind Environment Day
- ✓ Rohini - SLV-3, 1980
- ✓ APPLE, 1981
- ✓ Bhaskara, 1981
- ✓ INSAT, 1A, 1B

Morarji Desai Janata Rule (1977-1979)

- ✓ First Non Congress Government
- ✓ Rolling Plan
- ✓ Demonitisation
- ✓ Asoka Mehta Committee 1977
- ✓ Bhaskara I Satellite 1979
- ✓ Mandal Commission

Rajiv Gandhi (1984-1989)

- ✓ Anti-Sikh Riots 1984
- ✓ Bhopal Gas Tragedy 1984
- ✓ Year of Hope 1985
- ✓ Longowal, Assam Accords 1985
- ✓ Laldenga Accord 1986
- ✓ Anti-Defective Act, 1985
- ✓ Anti-Defamation Bill 1988
- ✓ Panchayat Raj Bill 1989 (64th Amendment)
- ✓ New Economic Policy
- ✓ Technology Missions
- ✓ Computerisation
- ✓ Jawahar - Rozgar Yojana, 1989
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- ✓ IPKF - Sri Lanka

V.P. Singh (1989-1990)

- ✓ Implementation Mandal Report
- ✓ Anti-Mandal Agitation
- ✓ Ayodhya Issue
- ✓ INSAT-1D
- ✓ Gulf Crisis-Evacuation of Indians from Quwait
- ✓ Moscow Delcaration
- ✓ Refueling facility to American War Planes.

P.V. Narasimha Rao (1991-1996)

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- ✓ Pokhran Test II, 1998
- ✓ Brahmos - 2011
- ✓ INSAT
- ✓ GSAT-1
- ✓ PSLV-3
- ✓ Election of President - A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
- ✓ Disinvestment
- ✓ Information Technology
- ✓ Infrastructure: Golden Quadrilateral
- ✓ Sarva Siksha Abhiyan
- ✓ Bus Diplomacy
- ✓ Kargil War, 1999
- ✓ SAARC
- ✓ ASEAN
- ✓ European Union
- ✓ NRI Day

Deva Gowda (1996-1997)

- ✓ Common Minimum Programme
- ✓ Think Tank
- ✓ Election President - K.R. Narayanan
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- ✓ Disinvestment
- ✓ SEZs
- ✓ Reservation for OBCs
- ✓ Sachar Report
- ✓ Rural Health Mission
- ✓ Urban Renewal Mission
- ✓ Compulsory Registration of Marriage
- ✓ Tribals Bill
- ✓ INSAT-43
- ✓ GSLV
- ✓ Edu Sat
- ✓ PSLV-C7
- ✓ Mission to Moon (Chandrayaan 1)
- ✓ Direct-to-Home TV
- ✓ NAM summit
- ✓ SAARC
- ✓ Shangai Cooperative Organisation
- ✓ European Union

Narendra Modi (2014-2019)

Achievements of Modi Government

- ✓ NITI Aayog
- ✓ Maan Ki Baat
- ✓ Act East Policy