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### **1. 100 national monuments to be illuminated to mark India's assumption of G -20 Presidency on 1 December 2022 ( Nov. 30, 2022 )**

100 national monuments to be illuminated

The Government of India has decided to illuminate **100 monuments** in the country with the **G20 logo** on **1 December 2022** to mark the first day of India's Presidency of the G-20 group.

During the G-20 Bali Summit in Indonesia, the Indonesian President [Joko Widodo](#) handed over the presidency to Prime Minister Modi symbolically, on 16 November 2022. But officially India will take over the G-20 presidency on 1 December 2022. India will be holding the G-20 presidency from **1 December 2022 to 30 November 2023**.

During the course of its Presidency, India will be holding about 200 meetings in 32 different sectors in multiple locations across the country.

The **18th G-20 Leaders' Summit** at the level of heads of state/government is scheduled to be held on September 9-10, 2023 in New Delhi.

### **Logo**

The G20 Logo draws inspiration from the vibrant colours of India's national flag – **saffron, white and green, and blue**.

It juxtaposes planet Earth with the lotus, India's national flower that reflects growth amid challenges. The Earth reflects India's pro-planet approach to life, one in perfect harmony with nature.

Below the G20 logo is "**Bharat**", written in the Devanagari script.

### **Theme**

The theme of India's G20 Presidency - "**Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam**" or "One Earth One Family One Future" - is drawn from the ancient Sanskrit text of the **Maha Upanishad**.

Essentially, the theme affirms the value of all life, human, animal, plant, and microorganisms and their interconnectedness on the planet Earth and in the wider universe.

### **Message of the Logo and Theme**

The logo and the theme together convey a powerful message of India's G20 Presidency, which is of striving for just and equitable growth for all in the world, in these turbulent times, in a sustainable, holistic, responsible, and inclusive manner.

For India, the G20 Presidency also marks the beginning of "**Amritkaal**", the 25-year period beginning from the 75th anniversary of its independence on 15 August 2022,

**Group of 20 or G-20** is a multilateral organisation of 19 countries and the European Union was set up in 1999. India has been a member of the G20 since its inception in 1999.