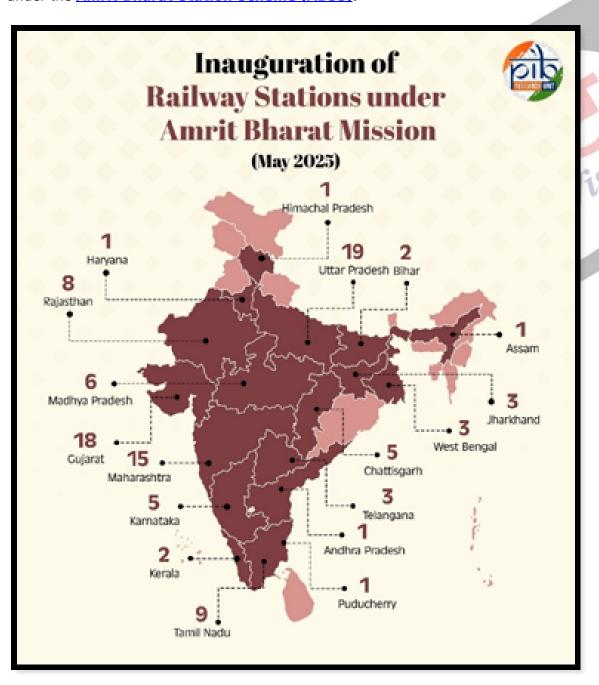


Amrit Bharat Station Scheme

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The **Prime Minister** inaugurated 103 redeveloped **railway stations** across 86 districts in 18 States/UTs under the **Amrit Bharat Station Scheme (ABSS)**.



Amrit Bharat Station Scheme (ABSS)

- About: <u>ABSS</u>, introduced by the Ministry of Railways in December 2022, aims to redevelop
 1,309 railway stations into modern integrated transport hubs across India.
 - It is also aimed at integrating regional architecture, enhancing passenger amenities, promoting inclusivity, and supporting urban development.
- Key Features:
 - Customised & Culturally Integrated Redevelopment: Stations are redeveloped in phases with location-specific plans, combining modern amenities with regional architectural themes.
 - Eg: Dwarka (Dwarkadheesh Temple), Ahmedabad (Modhera Sun Temple), Kumbakonam (Chola style) and Gurugram (modern urban design).
 - Passenger Amenities: Stations include modern waiting halls, clean toilets, roofed platforms, streamlined access points, along with Wi-Fi, escalators, lifts, executive lounges, business areas, and improved signage for a seamless travel experience.
 - Inclusive & Accessible Design: Aligned with the <u>Accessible India Campaign</u>
 (Sugamya Bharat Abhiyan), features include ramps, lifts, Braille signage, tactile
 paths, accessible toilets, and lift-equipped subways/FOBs etc.
 - Urban Development Focus: Stations are developed as multimodal city centres, integrating with bus and metro systems, connecting both sides of cities, and incorporating eco-friendly, noise-reducing infrastructure to support urban mobility.





- 2 STATION ACCESSIBILITY
 Accessible Route , Entrance Ramps, Parking, Ticket
 Counter, Help Booths
- PLATFORM ACCESSIBILITY
 Platform Zoning & Design, Toilet, Drinking Water
 Booth, Foot Over Bridge, Subway, Lifts, Lighting
- TRAIN COACH ACCESSIBILITY

 Train Coach and Platform interface, Coach
 Exteriors, Coach Interiors and Seating, Coach
 Amenities
- 5 MONITORING & FEEDBACK MECHANISM

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