

# BRAHMOS SUPERSONIC CRUISE MISSILE SUCCESSFULLY TEST FIRED FROM INS CHENNAI

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Defence minister Rajnath Singh congratulated DRDO, BrahMos and Indian Navy for the successful launch.

BrahMos as 'prime strike weapon' will ensure the warship's invincibility by engaging naval surface targets at long ranges, thus making the destroyer another lethal platform of Indian Navy.

The highly versatile BrahMos has been jointly designed, developed and produced by India and Russia.

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