

MODI IN US: TRADE WILL BE AN IMPORTANT FACTOR IN INDIA-US TIES, PM TELLS JOE BIDEN. READ HERE

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The meeting between PM Modi and the US president will set the template for further strengthening of bilateral ties

[Prime Minister Narendra Modi](#) on Friday held a bilateral meeting with US President Joe Biden and take part in the first in-person summit meeting of Quad leaders on the second day of his significant visit to the US.

This was the first meeting between the two leaders since Biden assumed office as the US President in January this year.

The two leaders were expected to review progress in the India-US Comprehensive Global Strategic Partnership which is anchored in mutual trust, shared interests, goodwill and robust engagement of their citizens.

The meeting comes in the background of the Taliban takeover of Afghanistan and the two leaders will discuss regional and global issues of mutual interest.

Since January, PM Modi and Biden have participated in three summits. Two of them were hosted by President Biden - the Quad virtual summit in March and the Climate Change Summit in April which was also held virtually. PM Modi also virtually took part in the G7 Summit held at Cornwall in the UK in June this year.

Here are the updates from the meeting:

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Prime Minister [@narendramodi](#) signs the visitor book in the Roosevelt Room of the White House. Registering the spirit of friendship in ink. pic.twitter.com/E2revXyrUK

Meeting [@POTUS](#) [@JoeBiden](#) at the White House. <https://t.co/VqVbKAarOV>

I would like to thank [@POTUS](#) for the warm welcome. I recall our interactions in 2014 and 2016. That time you had shared your vision for ties between India and USA. I am glad to see you are working to realise this vision: PM [@narendramodi](#) begins his remarks at the White House
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