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1	13 Dec	Venezuela-Guyana Standoff-another possible flash point in Latin America	Amb JK Tripathi	1420
2	15 Dec	Why did the Pakistani 'Establishment' Bring Back Nawaz Sharif to Pakistan?	Dr Rishi Gupta	1414
3	19 Dec	COP 28: A Breakthrough or a Stalemate?	Amb D P Srivastava	1128
4	22 Dec	Fortifying State Secrets: China's Authoritarian Revamp of the State Secrets Law	Ankit K	1187

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Articles

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1	01 Dec	What should be India's Approach at COP 28?	Arvind Gupta, Director, VIF	2754
2	04 Dec	Addressing Post-earthquake Issues in Western Nepal	Prof Hari Bansh Jha	2310
3	05 Dec	Tibet: The Fulcrum of China's Strategic Policy in the Himalayas	Jayadeva Ranade	2402
4	06 Dec	Is the Sign of Thaw in Japan-China Ties Sincere and Real?	Prof Rajaram Panda	2594
5	07 Dec	The 13th Amendment of Sri Lanka and India-Sri Lanka Relations	Gayathri Narayanan N	2482
6	08 Dec	Pathways to World War III	Sunil Yadav	2163
7	11 Dec	Legal Aspects of General Electric and Hindustan Aeronautics Limited F414 Engines Deal	Kavya R. Krishnan	1966
8	12 Dec	The Magic of MANPADS- Making Sense of Indo-Russian Deal	Lt Gen (Dr) V K Saxena (Retd)	2106
9	14 Dec	Nuclear talks and Geopolitical Risk in East Asia	Prof Rajaram Panda	2406
10	15 Dec	Forgotten Dimensions of Strategy: Russia-Ukraine War - Lessons for India	Amb D.B. Venkatesh Varma	1767
11	18 Dec	A Victory for Democracy in Liberia	Samir Bhattacharya	3720
12	20 Dec	Radicalisation in Bharat: Case Studies of Kashmir and Kerala	Dhvani Samir Joshi	1383
13	21 Dec	Bangladesh's Upcoming Election: Regional & Global Response	Dr Anchita Borthakur	1154
14	21 Dec	Xi in Vietnam: Consolidating the Communist Connection	Commodore Gopal Suri	1240
15	22 Dec	The Supreme Court's judgment on the Deletion of Article 370 and Pakistan's Reaction	Amb D P Srivastava	1331

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Articles

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16	26 Dec	इजराइल-फिलिस्तीन मुद्दे पर दक्षिण-एशियाई देशों के मध्य बढ़ती दूरियां	Nikhil Sahu	768
17	27 Dec	India's Stock Market Outperforms among the Top 10 Leading Economies	Dr S P Sharma	753
18	27 Dec	Japan-ASEAN Special Summit: Major Takeaways	Prof Rajaram Panda	642
19	28 Dec	The Deportation of the Afghan Refugees from Iran	Dr Angana Kotokey	638
20	29 Dec	Changes in Sectarian Profile of Pakistan	Col Rahul Jain	600
21	29 Dec	The Fate of the Palestinian Authority Post-Hamas Attack	Hirak Jyoti Das	518

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Positive Bharat

No	Date	Title	Author	Views on website*
1	19 Dec	From Plastic to Petrol: Justman Synram's Green Triumph	Aarushi Gupta	914
2	20 Dec	India's Chess Prodigies: A Sister-Brother Grandmaster Duo	Dr Pravesh Kumar Gupta	881

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VIF Reports | VIF Brief

No	Date	Title	Author	Views/ Downloads on website*
1	22 Dec	Defence Preparedness – A Study Group Report		385/1650
2	27 Dec	Narrative of Despondent Pashtuns: Terrorism, Ethnicity and the Pakistani Military	N Khan	253/286

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VIF News Digest

No	Date	Title	Period	Views on website*
1	05 Dec	VIF News Digest : National Security Defence Studies & Terrorism	16 – 30 November 202	630
2	08 Dec	Africa Now Weekly Newsletter	Week 49, 2023	350
3	12 Dec	Multilateralism Digest	November 2023 - Issue 11	374
4	13 Dec	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	7 November 03 - December 2023	228
5	13 Dec	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	04 10 December 2023	301
6	14 Dec	Cyber Review	November 2023	411
7	14 Dec	Science and Technology (S&T) Digest	1-15 November 2023, Issue 25	369
8	15 Dec	Africa Now Weekly Newsletter	Week 50, 2023	280
9	18 Dec	Eurasia News Digest	1-15 december, 2023	288
10	18 Dec	Science and Technology (S&T) Digest	16-30 November 2023, Issue 26	331
11	19 Dec	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	11-17 December 2023	246
12	19 Dec	West Asia Roundup	November 2023	292
13	19 Dec	Myanmar Round Up	November 2023	307
14	22 Dec	Africa Now Weekly Newsletter	Week 51, 2023	313
15	26 Dec	VIF News Digest:National Security Defence Studies & Terrorism	01-15 December 2023	362
16	26 Dec	Global Developments and Analysis: Weekly Monitor	18-24 December 2023	282
17	29 Dec	Science and Technology (S&T) Digest	1-15 December 2023, Issue 27	508

* VIF also issue [Neighbourhood News Digest](#) on a daily basis.

* All these and more are available at the VIF website www.vifindia.org.

Scholars Outreach

Articles/OPEDS Published outside the VIF

- 02 Dec A view from India: The President of Uzbekistan consistently promotes important initiatives of global importance at major international events (Published in Dunyo Information Agency) - Dr Pravesh Kumar Gupta, Associate Fellow, VIF
- 07 Dec Podcast on Discussing the Relevance of Multilateralism in the 21st Century (Indian Forum for Public Diplomacy) - Dr. Arpita Anant, Research Fellow, VIF
- 08 Dec Interregnum before a new world order (Published in New Indian Express) - Amb P S Raghavan, Distinguished Fellow, VIF
- 23 Dec How the Global South is rediscovering centuries of shared history to challenge Western domination (Published in Press United) - Samir Bhattacharya, Senior Research Associate, VIF
- 23 Dec How the Global South is rediscovering centuries of shared history to challenge Western domination (Published in RT International) - Samir Bhattacharya, Senior Research Associate, VIF
- 27 Dec Op-ed: How The Global South Is Rediscovering Centuries Of Shared History To Challenge Western Domination (Published in The Herald, Zimbabwe) - Samir Bhattacharya, Senior Research Associate, VIF

Events

- 08 Dec Inteaction with the Delegation from the Institute of National Defence & Security Research (Taiwan)
- 11 Dec Joint VIF-Habibie Centre roundtable discussion on Indo-Indonesian Geopolitics: Navigating Growth Amidst Global Challenges
- 12 Dec Inteaction with the Delegation of young leaders/parliamentarians from Nepal
- 14 Dec Bilateral Virtual Seminar between VIF and the Heritage Foundation
- 15 Dec Interaction with a Visiting Ukrainian delegation
- 18 Dec Talk on Secure Communication in the Quantum World: Opportunities and Challenges by Prof Bhaskar Kanseri
- 21 Dec Discussion on on Ongoing Crisis in Myanmar
- 27 Dec Thirteenth Lecture on Gita for the Millennia by Swami Mitrananda, Director, All India Chinmaya Yuva Kendra

VIF in Social media

27.3K

Followers on Twitter

42.4K

Impressions on Twitter



12,740

Followers on Facebook Page

6,131

Reach on Facebook Page

3.3K

Views on VIF YouTube Videos

303.7

Hours watched on VIF YouTube Channel



VIF Website Analysis

From Google Analytics

Sessions: 36,791

(A session is the period time a user is actively engaged with our website, app, etc.)

Users: 26,159

(Users who have initiated at least one session in Nov 2023.)

Page Views: 69,788

(Page Views is the total number of pages viewed.)

COUNTRY		USERS
India	20K	↑9.7%
United States	1.7K	↓5.5%
China	833	↓12.5%
Pakistan	412	↓23.1%
United Kingdom	311	↓20.1%
Nepal	181	↑7.7%
Canada	180	↓26.8%

From Server Analytics

Visits: 344,468

(A visit is one individual visitor who arrives at our web site and proceeds to browse.)

Unique Visits: 4,450

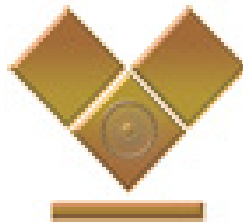
(First Time Visitor from different IP Address.)

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The defining feature of VIF lies in its provision of core institutional support which enables the organisation to be flexible in its approach and proactive in changing circumstances, with a long-term focus on India's strategic, developmental and civilisational interests. The VIF aims to channelise fresh insights and decades of experience harnessed from its faculty into fostering actionable ideas for the nation's stakeholders.

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