

# INDIA JOINS PAX SILICA, A US-LED TECH ALLIANCE

## Context

- Recently, India has formally entered the US-led Pax Silica coalition, marking a significant moment in the geopolitics of semiconductors, artificial intelligence (AI), and critical mineral supply chains.



## 'Pax Silica'



launched in :  
**December, 2025**

- It is a coalition comprising the
  -  United States
  -  Australia
  -  Greece
  -  Israel
  -  Japan
  -  Qatar
  -  Republic of Korea
  -  Singapore
  -  UAE
  -  UK
  -  India

## Objective



It is a US-led strategic initiative to build a secure, prosperous, and innovation-driven silicon supply chain from critical minerals.

## Etymology



'Pax'  
(Latin for  
'Peace')

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**Silica**  
A core compound in  
semiconductors



- The term 'Pax Silica' derived from Latin 'Pax' (peace) and 'Silica' (a core compound in semiconductors).



## Significance

- It symbolizes the pursuit of technological peace and prosperity through resilient, transparent, and cooperative supply chains.