

BRICS Nations in Focus: Key Political & Economic Developments in the Last 3

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1. Which of the following countries was invited to join BRICS in the 2023 summit and subsequently accepted membership, officially joining in January 2024?

- A) Argentina
- B) Egypt**
- C) South Korea
- D) Turkey

2. In which city was the 16th BRICS Summit held in October 2024?

- A) Johannesburg
- B) New Delhi
- C) Kazan**
- D) Rio de Janeiro

3. Who is the current President of the New Development Bank (NDB), established by BRICS nations?

- A) Narendra Modi
- B) Cyril Ramaphosa
- C) Dilma Rousseff**
- D) Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva

4. Which country is set to host the BRICS Foreign Ministers' meeting in May 2026?

- A) China
- B) Russia
- C) Brazil
- D) India**

5. Indonesia officially joined BRICS as a full member in which year?

- A) 2024
- B) 2025**
- C) 2023
- D) 2026

6. The BRICS group is actively exploring the development of independent, cross-border payment systems to reduce reliance on which currency?

- A) Euro
- B) Chinese Yuan
- C) U.S. Dollar**
- D) Indian Rupee

7. Which of the following countries is NOT among the recent additions to BRICS membership in 2024-2025?

- A) Ethiopia
- B) Saudi Arabia
- C) Nigeria**
- D) United Arab Emirates

8. As of recent announcements, which country holds the BRICS presidency for 2026?

- A) South Africa
- B) Brazil
- C) India**
- D) China