

After assuming G20 presidency, India to host over 200 meetings

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India will host over 200 meetings of the G20 group across the country after assuming Presidency of the strategic multilateral forum on December 1, 2022 for a one-year period, the Ministry of External Affairs has said.

"The G20 Leaders' Summit at the level of Heads of State / Government is scheduled to

be held on September 9-10, 2023 in New Delhi," per a statement issued by the MEA on Tuesday.

While the focus areas are still being formulated, conversations are expected to revolve around subjects such as equitable and sustainable growth, LiFE (Lifestyle For Environment); women's empowerment; digital public infrastructure and

tech-enabled development in areas ranging from health, agriculture and education to commerce, skill-mapping, culture and tourism, the release highlighted.

Other areas of prominence would be climate financing, circular economy, global food security, energy security, green hydrogen, disaster risk reduction and resilience, developmental cooperation,

fight against economic crime and multilateral reforms, it said.

The G20, an intergovernmental forum of the world's major developed and developing economies, has 20 members who together account for 85 per cent of global GDP, 75 per cent of international trade and two-thirds of the world population.