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URI TERROR ATTACK

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Cabinet's security committee meets to weigh India's options after Uri attack

New Delhi, Sept. 21 – PM Narendra Modi met on Wednesday his top ministers and military commanders to agree a response to a deadly weekend attack on an army camp in Kashmir that the government has blamed on militants based in Pakistan.

India readies response to Uri attack, plans diplomatic isolation of Pakistan



New Delhi, Sept. 20 -- India moved on Monday to diplomatically isolate Pakistan as part of retaliation to a militant attack on an army base in Kashmir, but the plan appeared set to run into a wall of resistance from a defiant Islamabad.

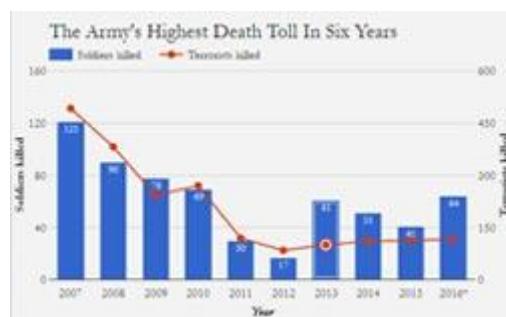
Uri militants came in army uniforms, cut through the fence to reach camp



New Delhi, Sept. 20 -- The four militants who carried out the audacious Uri strike that left 18 soldiers dead wore fatigues, entered the army base by cutting the fence and knew their way around the military complex, sources said.

PERSPECTIVE

Uri attack: Army death toll this year in J-K jumps to 64; highest in 6 years



New Delhi, Sept. 19 -- With 18 soldiers dying in a pre-dawn terrorist attack in North Kashmir's Uri area on Sept 18, 2016, the army's combat death toll in J&K is 64 this year (until September 18), the highest since 2010, when 69 soldiers died, according to the South Asia Terrorism Portal (SATP).

In contrast, civilian casualties along the line of control (LoC)—the de facto border between India and Pakistan in J&K—in 2016 were the lowest in three decades, SATP data reveal. About 800 civilians died every year, on average, between 1990 and 2007.

Over the last three decades, the 20-year period between 1990 and 2010 was the most violent, while the period after 2011 relatively more peaceful, according to the SATP data.

Why Uri is vulnerable to militant attacks?



India, Sep 19 -- The Uri military base attacked by militants on Sunday morning is one of the most important Army garrisons in Kashmir and guards the Line of Control, which is India's de-facto border with Pakistan.

After Uri, India must impose measured costs on terror exporters



India, Sep 16 -- From Atal Bihari Vajpayee's Lahore Declaration to Manmohan Singh's peace-at-any-price doctrine and Narendra Modi's Lahore visit statement, India's readiness to trust Pakistan's anti-terrorism assurances draws attention to the adage: Fool me once, shame on you.

Avenging Uri: Seeking global sanctions against Pak India's best option?



India, Sept. 19 -- The rage over the attack on an army camp at Uri is palpable in this town on the India-Pakistan border that isn't unfamiliar with the spectre of terror. A bunch of marauders had attacked the Indian Air Force Base here on January 2 this year.

HUMAN INTEREST

India's fallen heroes: The 18 soldiers who lost their lives in Uri



New Delhi, Sep. 20 -- Sunday's militant attack on an army base in Uri, Jammu and Kashmir has claimed the lives of eighteen soldiers.

My son is fighting: Bihar soldier's family in disbelief after Uri attack



New Delhi, Aug. 3 -- There was shock and disbelief on the face of Sangeeta Devi, whose faith in goddess Parvati had stood rock solid all these years.

VIEWS & OPINIONS

► Narendra Modi is implementing Doval doctrine in Kashmir

India, Sep 16 -- The Modi government's hardline strategy in Kashmir is a straight lift from the approach suggested by National Security Adviser Ajit Doval in 2010.

► Uri terror strike: PM Modi's SAARC appearance remains doubtful

New Delhi, Sept. 19 -- With India-Pakistan ties facing continued turbulence after the deadly terror strike in Uri, Jammu and Kashmir, in

► India-Pakistan ties in free fall after Uri attack

New Delhi, Sept. 19 -- The Uri suicide attack that left 17 soldiers dead deals a body blow to the already frayed India-Pakistan ties, with the government under pressure for a robust response to one of the deadliest strike on an army base in Kashmir.

► Lessons from Uri : Lapses and flawed policies must not be covered up by knee jerk and far more ineffective strategies.

Jammu, Sept. 19 – The attack by militants on an administrative base in Uri on Sunday morning is highly tragic and a matter of grave concern. 17 army personnel were killed after militants launched a fidayeen attack and four militants were also killed in the operation.

PHOTOS



DGMO Lt Gen Ranbir Singh at a press conference on Uri terrorist attack on Sept 18 in New Delhi.

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VIDEOS



Pakistan Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif refused ANI (Asia News International) questions over the Uri terror attack.