

## India and Climate Change

From the EDF website

- How many Indians live below the international poverty line of \$1.25/day.
- What fraction of Indians live on small farms with little to no access to electricity?
- What percentage of Indians burn firewood or dung in their homes

From the Carbon Brief

Intro

- What is India's world rank as an emitter of greenhouse gasses?
- What are India's major sources of emissions?
- Why is India vulnerable to climate change?
- What is their emissions pledge?

Impacts and Adaptation

- What types of natural disasters are India already susceptible to?
- How much has India's temperature risen since 1850?

- How much GDP could India lose due to climate change?
- Why are glaciers important to India and what is happening to them?
- How many people live in places that could become moderate or severe hotspots?
- How many islands are at risk due to sea level rise?

#### Climate Finance

- How much will it cost to implement India's Climate Pledge?

India has a great deal of work to do to bring many members of its country out of poverty. To do it in an environmentally friendly manner would be incredibly expensive. Please answer the following questions to show your opinion.

- Should India be required to develop an environmentally friendly manner?
  
- How strict would your rules be?
  
- Who would pay for this development? Should India pay for it on its own? Should others aid India in this process?