





STATES & UT NEWS

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- 2. The Ministry of Finance marked the _____ anniversary of the launch of the PradhanMantri MUDRA (Micro Units Development and Refinance Agency) Yojana (PMMY) on 8th April 2023.
- **3.** Which state has recently (in March '23) inaugurated a scheme to aid higher secondary and degree students in buying books? **Assam**
- 4. In which state, 'Udhwa Bird Sanctuary' is located? **Jharkhan**d
- 5. In which state, 'Mahananda Wildlife Sanctuary' is located? **West Bengal**
- 6. Name the state government that has recently (in April '23) signed Memorandum of Agreement?

 Arunachal Pradesh
- 7. Which state has recently (in April '23) hosted a two-day science conclave on 'Clean Energy for a Green Future' as part of G20 meetings for the first time? Tripura
- 8. Who is the current (as of April '23)
 Chairperson of Central Board of Film
 Certification (CBFC)? **Mumbai**, **Maharashtra**
- 9. Name the state government that has recently (in April '23) launched its first air ambulance services?.**Iharkhand**
- 10.In which state, 'Tungareshwar wildlife sanctuary' is located? MaharashtraIn which year, the International Labour Organization (ILO) was established? 1919
- **11.**The 'Kalesar National Park' is located in _____ (state).?.**Haryana**
- 12. In which state, the Rang Ghar, a twostoreyed building is located? **Assam**

- **13.**In which state, 'Kumarakom Bird Sanctuary' is located? **Kerala**
- 14. In which state 'Saman Bird Sanctuary' is located? **Uttar Pradesh**
- **15.**In which state, 'Bhimgad Wildlife Sanctuary' is located? **Karnataka**
- 16. Which ministry has recently (in April '23) launched an 'E-Commerce portal (Indiahandmade)' for handicrafts and handloom industry from Gujarat? Ministry of Textiles

NATIONAL NEWS

- 1. Which state's Kangra Tea has recently (in March '23) received a European Union (EU) Geographical Indication Tag (GI Tag)? **Himachal Pradesh**
- 2. According to the 'Women and Men in India 2022' report released by the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI) in March 2023, for how many hours does an average Indian woman, aged between 15 and 29, spend doing unpaid labour? 5.5 hours
- 3. In Union Budget 2023-24, Union Minister Nirmala Sitharaman announced the revamping of Credit Guarantee Scheme for Micro & Small Enterprises from 1st April 2023, with the infusion of Rs._____ to the Credit Guarantee Fund Trust for Micro & Small Enterprises (CGTMSE) corpus. Ans:9,000 crore
- 4. Which company has recently (in March '23) bagged Rs 4,400 crore Sea Water Reverse Osmosis (SWRO) project in Tamil Nadu? **VA Tech Wabag Limited**
- 5. Which ministry celebrated the 5th PoshanPakhwada from 20th March to 3rd April 2023 with the theme of "Nutrition for All: Together Towards a Healthy India"? Ministry of Women and Child Development



- 6. According to the data from the Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy (CMIE), India's unemployment rate increased to a 3-Month high of ______ in March 2023 from 7.45% in February 2023. ? 7.8%
- 7. Which state has recently (in April '23) launched 'India's 1st Cool Roof Policy 2023-2028' to reduce the heat island impact and heat stress? **Telangana**
- 8. The Government of India (GoI) has recently (in April '23) given the Geographical Indication (GI) tag to 33 new products from different states. As of April 2023, How many products received GI Tags in India? **465**
- 9. In April 2023, the Government of India (GoI) announced a plan to install _____ gigawatts (GW) of renewable energy (RE) capacity over the next 5 years ?250
- 10. In March 2023, the Modern Coach Factory (MCF) Stadium in ______, was renamed the 'Rani's Girls Hockey Turf' in honour of former captain of the Indian women's hockey team Rani Rampal. ? Raebareli, Uttar Pradesh
- 11. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) entered into a partnership with the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting (MIB) in the fields of media, entertainment, and public awareness.? Amazon India
- 12. In which state, the India Grid Trust (IndiGrid) has recently (in April '23) commissioned its 1st Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) project coupled with solar panels? **Maharashtra**
- 13. Which state's Shipping and Inland Navigation Corporation has recently (in April '23) introduced its solar-powered hybrid boat "Sooryamshu"? **Kerala**

- 14. According to a list published by the Central Electricity Authority (CEA) in April 2023, ______ has ranked the best performing power generation company in the country for the financial year 2022-23 (FY23).? West Bengal Power Development Corporation
- 15. Which state has recently (in April '23) introduced a plan to formulate an institution mechanism to use 80+ Unused Helipads for Intra-state Helicopter Service? **Tamil Nadu**
- 16. In April 2023, Laser Interferometer Gravitational-wave Observatory in India received approval from the Union Cabinet to build a gravitational-wave Detector in _____(state).

 Maharashtra
- 17. In April 2023, Union Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports, Anurag Singh Thakur announced that the Sports Authority of India (SAI) has integrated the Khelo India sports certificate with Digilocker. Which Ministry's flagship initiative is DigiLocker, under the Digital India Programme? Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
- 18. According to a list published by the Central Electricity Authority (CEA) in April 2023, ______ has ranked the best performing power generation company in the country for the financial year 2022-23 (FY23). West Bengal Power Development Corporation
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- 21. In which city, Prime Minister (PM)
 NarendraModi inaugurated the
 program 'Commemoration of 50 years
 of Project Tiger' in April 2023? **Mysuru**, **Karnataka**
- 22. Which state is set to get the world's 1st conservation and breeding centre for the Asian king vulture? **Uttar Pradesh**
- 23. As per the data presented in parliament on March 27, 2023 by the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI), which state had the highest utilization-to-released fund ratio of Members of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme (MPLADS) funds in the fiscal year 2022-23 (FY23)? **Gujarat**
- 24. Which University was recently (in April '23) notified as a centre of the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Authority under the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (MoA&FW)? Kerala Agricultural University
- 25. Which state's Governor has recently (in April '23) approved the Prohibition of Online Gaming and Regulation of Online Games Bill, 2022' to ban online gambling? RN Ravi (Tamil Nadu)
- 26. In April 2023, National Capital Region Transport Corporation (NCRTC) named India's first semi high-speed Regional Rapid Transit System (RRTS) as 'RAPIDX'. RAPIDX with a design speed of ____kmph, will connect Delhi with the National Capital Region (NCR), including Meerut, Alwar and Panipat. ? 182
- 27. Name the union minister who has recently (in April '23) unveiled the digital version of the Employability Skills Curriculum for students enrolled in India's Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) at the Future Skills Forum in New Delhi, Delhi.? **DharmendraPradhan**
- 28. In April 2023, Union Minister of Home Affairs, Amit Shah inaugurated and laid

- the foundation stone of 234 development projects worth Rs 5,196 crore in the Azamgarh and Kaushambi districts of .? **Uttar Pradesh**
- 29. Which company was recently (in April '23) accorded the status of Miniratna Category-I Central Public Sector Enterprise (CPSE)? **B**
- 30. Kolkata Metro Rail Corporation Limited (KMRCL) has recently (in April '23) conducted the successful trial run of India's 1st underwater metro train under the river bed of ______.?

 Hooghly
- 31. Which country has recently (in April '23) retained the Category 1 status under the United States Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) International Aviation Safety Assessment (IASA) programme? India
- 32. Name the drone startup company that has recently (in April '23) became India's 1st company to receive Agri Drone Subsidy for agricultural drones.? Garuda Aerospace
- 33. As per the data released (in April '23) by the Centre of Monitoring Indian Economy (CMIE) Private Limited, India's employment rate has been increased to _____ in March 2023 quarter from 36.6% in December 2022 quarter.? 39.2%
- 34. Which state has recently (in April '23) launched the "A-HELP" (Accredited Agent for Health and Extension of Livestock Production) programme? **Uttarakhand**
- 35. Which state government has recently (in April '23) renamed the Bhavanapadu Port as "Mulapeta Port"? **Andhra Pradesh**
- 36. The Union Minister of Law and Justice Kiren Rijiju has recently (in April '23) released the 1st edition of the _____ (language) version of the Constitution of India. ? **Dogri**
- 37. In April 2023, _____ became the first state in India to adopt a water budget to



tackle	water	shortage	in	summer?
Kerala				

- 38. Which state's Animal Husbandry Department has recently (in April '23) partnered with the Bharat Financial Inclusion Ltd. (BFIL) to launch 'Sanjeevani' initiative provide to doorstep veterinary services farmers? **Himachal Pradesh**
- 39. In April 2023, Government of India (GoI) advanced its target to achieve 20% ethanol blending in petrol from 2030 to .? 2025-26
- 40. In April 2023, the Ministry of Civil Aviation (MoCA) granted site clearance for the Sabarimala Greenfield Airport project at _______.? Kottayam, Kerala
- 41. In April 2023, ______ became the first Indian state to develop a DNA database for unidentified bodies? **Himachal Pradesh**
- 42. Name the state government that has recently (in April '23) launched the "One Panchayat, One Playground" project to revive sports culture? **Kerala**
- 43. Which organisation, along with Atal Innovation Mission (AIM), National Institution for Transforming India (NITI) Aayog, has recently (in April '23) launched a whitepaper to make India a global agri-tech leader? United Nations Capital Development Fund
- 44. Which state government has recently (in April '23) launche India's first heavy lift logistics eVTOL (electric Vertical Take-off and Landing) BonV drone? Odish
- 45. In April 2023, NongthombamBiren Singh, CM of Manipur inaugurated the 5th edition of HUN (HUN-2023)- a Thadou Cultural Festival at _____ district. **Kangpokpi**
- 46. In April 2023, the Ministry of Civil Aviation (MoCA) launched the _____ phase of the Regional Connectivity Scheme (RCS) UdeDeshKaAamNagrik (UDAN).5th

- 47. In April 2023, _____ (company) completed the construction of Asia's largest underwater hydrocarbon pipeline across ____ river.?Indradhanush Gas Grid Limited; Brahmaputra
- 48. In which city, India's Tallest BabasahebBhimraoRamji (BR) Ambedkar (125-ft bronze) statue was unveiled to mark the 132nd birth anniversary (14th April' 23) of the architect of the Indian Constitution? Hyderabad, **Telangana**
- 49. In which city, Log9 Materials has recently (in April '23) inaugurated India's first lithium-ion cell manufacturing facility? **Bengaluru**, **Karnataka**
- 50. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) announced its plans to set up the First green hydrogen microgrid project in Leh Region (Ladakh)? **Uneecops Technologies Limited**
- 51. In which state, the Rapid Action Mobile BSL-3 Advanced Augmented Network (RAMBAAN), India's and Asia's first mobile biosafety level-3 (BSL-3) laboratory was displayed at the G20 Meeting in April 2023? **Goa**
- 52. According to the Department of Land Resources (DoLR), Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD) data (as of April '23), how many states /UTs have adopted the National Generic Document Registration System (NGDRS) for Land Records? 28
- 53. In April 2023, the Government of Rajasthan announced three new wildlife conservation reserves: Sorsan in Baran, Khichan in Jodhpur, and Hamirgarh in Bhilwara, bringing the total number of wildlife conservation reserves in Rajasthan to ______.? 26
- 54. Which organisation/Institute has recently (in April '23) released the report "Promoting Millets in Diets: Best Practices across States/UTs of India"? NITI Aayog



- 55. In April 2023, the Ministry of Finance (MoF), approved the upgradation of _____ (company) to a Navratna Central Public Sector Enterprise (CPSE) from a Category-I Mini Ratna CPSE.? Rail Vikas Nigam Limited
- 56. Which company has developed the world's first liquid Nano DAP (Diammonium phosphate) that was launched by the Union Minister of Home Affairs, Amit Shah in April 2023? Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Limited
- 57. In April 2023, Union Minister of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises, Narayan Tatu Rane launched the revamped CGTMSE Scheme in Mumbai, Maharashtra. In CGTMSE, what does 'C' stand for? **Credit**
- 58. Who has recently (in April '23) inaugurated 91 new 100W FM Transmitters of All India Radio (AIR) across 18 States and 2 UTs to boost radio connectivity in India? NarendraModi (Prime Minister of India)
- 59. India's first cable-stayed railway bridge called 'AnjiKhad bridge' in _____ (state/UT) will be ready in May 2023 with the cost of over Rs.400 crore? Jammu & Kashmir
- 60. In which city, the Pushkaralu festival was recently (in April '23) commenced, after 12 years? Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh
- 61. The Ministry of Finance marked the _____ anniversary of the launch of the Pradhan Mantri MUDRA (Micro Units Development and Refinance Agency) Yojana (PMMY) on 8th April 2023? 8th
- 62. On 29th March 2023, National Gallery of Modern Art, New Delhi organized "Spring Fiesta" 2023 to celebrate ______ years of the museum? 69
- 63. The Jana Shakti exhibition commemorated the _____ episode of the popular radio program "Mann ki Baat"

- inaugurated by the Prime Minister (PM) Narendra Modi on All India Radio on 30th April 2023?**100**th
- 64. In April 2023, Union Minister for Labour & Employment & Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Bhupender Yadav, launched new features in _____ (Portal) for unorganised workers? eShram

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- 1. Which country has recently (in March '23) removed from the list of High-Risk Third-Country Jurisdictions by the European Commission of the European Union (EU)? Pakistan
- 2. Which American state recently (in April '23) passed a resolution condemning "Hinduphobia" and "anti-Hindu bigotry" for the first time? **Georgia**
- **3.** Which organisation has recently (in March '23) released a report with the key highlighting that 'South Asia' is home to 9 of the top 10 polluted cities in the world? **World Bank**
- 4. On 4th April 2023, ______ became the 31st member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) which coincides with the _____ anniversary of the signing of NATO's founding treaty, Washington Treaty? Finland; 74th
- 5. According to the 'Infertility prevalence estimates 1990-2021' report released by World Health Organization (WHO) in April 2023, around _____ of the adult population (roughly 1 in 6) worldwide experience infertility in their lifetime? 17.5%
- 6. Which organisation has recently (in April '23) released a report with key findings that the global energy transition is still off-track and falls short of the 1.5 degrees Celsius (°C) pathway? International Renewable Energy Agency
- 7. Which country has recently (in March '23) become the 12th member of the Comprehensive and Progressive



2023, India secured _____ rank in the Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP)? **United Kingdom** index. while tops? 38th: 8. According to a survey published by the Singapore global magazine 'Time Out' in April **16.** As of April 2023, Megha Engineering 2023, which Indian city has ranked 19th and Infrastructures Limited (MEIL), India is building Mongolia's First in the list of 'Best public transport in the world 2023'? Mumbai, Maharashtra greenfield Oil Refinery, which is to be 9. In April 2023, became the 1st completed by (Year).? **2025 17.**With which country, the Ministry of country to approve the "R21/Matrix-M" malaria vaccine, developed by Oxford Consumer Affairs, Food & Public University in the United Kingdom (UK). Distribution has recently (in April '23) Republic of Ghana signed the new Work Plan on Quality 10. Which organisation has recently (in Infrastructure (QI)?Germany April '23) released 'The Status Of **18.**Which organisation has recently (in Women In Agri food Systems' report April '23) released the report 'World with key findings that tackling gender Development Report 2023: Migrants, gap in agri-food systems can boost the Refugees, and Societies' with key global economy by USD 1 trillion.? Food highlighting that 184 million people are and Agriculture Organization migrants? World Bank 11. According to the World's Wealthiest 19. According to the 2023 Special 301 Cities Report 2023' released by Henley Report released by the Office of the & Partners in April 2023, _ United States Trade Representative tops the list with 340,000 millionaires in (USTR) in April 2023, which of the 2022, while Mumbai (Maharashtra) following countries is 'Not' placed on the India at _____ rank with 59,400 Priority Watch list in 2023? **Singapore** millionaires in 2022.? New York, **20.** Name the organisation that has recently (in April '23) released the United States of America; 21st 'Tax 12. According to the State of World Transparency in Asia 2023: Asia Population (SOWP)2023 Initiative Progress Report' with key report published by the United Nations finding that there is an urgent need to Population Fund (UNFPA) in April 2023, check tax evasion and Illicit Financial India overtakes China to become the Flows (IFFs), especially by Asian most populous nation in the world with nations. ?.Organisation for Economic population.?**142.86 crore Co-operation and Development** 13. Which organisation has recently (in 21. The ___ edition of 'Ajeya Warrior' April '23) released "State of the World's 2023, a bilateral training exercise Children 2023: For Every Child, between India and the United Kingdom Vaccination" report with (UK), was recently (in April '23) highlighting that around 67 million commenced Salisbury at Plains, children missed out on one or more UK.?.**7th** vaccinations over 3 years?. United **22.**São Paulo city is located in which **Nations Children's Fund** country? Brazil 14. As of April 2023, Indian Institute of 23. In which year, 'Asian Development Bank Technology (IIT) Madras is set to (ADB)' is established? **1966** establish its first International campus **24.** Where is the Headquarters of the in Zanzibar, ? Tanzania International Theatre Institute (ITI) 15. According to the Logistics Performance located? Shanghai, Index (LPI) and its indicators report

released by World Bank (WB) in April



25.In which country, 'Lake Natron' is located? **Tanzania**

IMPORTANT DAYS

- 1. When was International Transgender Day of Visibility 2023 observed across the globe?? **31st March 2023**
- 2. What was the theme of Earth Hour 2023 that was observed across the globe on 25th March 2023? **The Biggest Hour for Earth**
- 3. When was World Autism Awareness Day (WAAD) 2023 observed across the globe? **2nd April 2023**
- 4. What was the theme of International Children's Book Day 2023 that was observed across the globe on 2nd April 2023? I am a book, read me
- 5. What was the theme of the United Nations (UN) International Day for Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action 2023 that was observed across the globe on 4th April 2023? Mine Action Cannot Wait
- 6. The Indian Army celebrated the 259th Raising Day of Army Medical Corps(AMC) on ?.3rd April 2023
- 7. What was the theme of the 60th edition of Maritime Day that was observed across India on 5th April 2023? **Amrit Kaal in Shipping**
- 8. When was the United Nations (UN)'s International Day of Conscience 2023 observed across the world? **5th April 2023**
- 9. When was the United Nations (UN) International Day of Sport for Development and Peace (IDSDP) 2023 observed across the globe with the theme of "Scoring for People and the Planet"? 6th April 2023
- 10. What was the theme of United Nations (UN) World Health Day 2023 that was

- observed across the globe on 7th April 2023? **Health for All**
- 11. When was the United Nations (UN) International Day of Reflection on the Genocide in Rwanda 2023 observed across the globe? **7th April 2023**
- 12. The Prevention of Blindness Week 2023 was observed across India from ______.?.1st to 7th April 2023
- 13. When was the International Romani Day2023 observed across the globe? 8thApril 2023
- 14. When was World Homeopathy Day 2023 observed across the globe? **10th April 2023**
- 15. The 58th Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) Valour Day was observed on _____, 2023? **9th April**
- 16. When was the National Safe Motherhood Day 2023 observed across the globe? **11th April 2023**
- 17. When was the United Nations (UN) International Day of Human Space Flight 2023 observed across the globe? **12th April 2023**
- 18. When was the International Day for Street Children (IDSC) 2023 observed across the globe? **12th April 2023**
- 19. When was the 39th Siachen Day observed across India? 13th April 2023
- 20. 13th April 2023 marks the _____ anniversary of Jallianwala Bagh Massacre, also known as the Amritsar massacre? **104**th
- 21. When was the World Chagas Disease Day (WCDD) 2023 observed across the globe with the theme of "Time to integrate Chagas disease into primary health care"? **14th April 2023**
- 22. What was the theme of National Fire Service (NFS) Day 2023 that was observed across the globe on 14th April 2023? Awareness in Fire Safety for



Growth of National Infrastructure (AGNI)

- 23. When was World Art Day 2023 observed across the globe? **15th April 2023**
- 24. When was World Voice Day (WVD) 2023 observed across the globe? **16th April 2023**
- 25. What was the theme of 34th World Hemophilia Day that was observed across the globe on 17th April 2023?

 Prevention of Bleeds as the Global Standard of Care
- 26. What was the theme of International Day for Monuments and Sites/ World Heritage Day 2023 that was observed across the globe on 18th April 2023? Heritage Changes
- 27. When was World Liver Day 2023 observed across the globe with the theme of "Be Vigilant, Do Regular Liver Check-Up, Fatty Liver Can Affect Anyone"? 19th April 2023
- 28. When was United Nations (UN) Chinese Language Day 2023 observed across the globe with the theme of "Chinese Wisdom for a Green World"? 20th April 2023
- 29. When was the 16th National Civil Services Day observed across India with the theme of 'Viksit Bharat: Empowering Citizens and Reaching the Last Mile'? 21st April 2023
- 30. When was the United Nations (UN)'s World Creativity and Innovation Day 2023 observed across the globe? **21st April 2023**
- 31. When was the United Nations (UN) International Mother Earth Day 2023 observed across the globe? **22nd April 2023**

- 32. The ______ National Panchayati Raj Day (NPRD) was observed across India on 24th April 2023? **14**th
- 33. When was the United Nations (UN) International Day of Multilateralism and Diplomacy for Peace 2023 observed across the globe? **24th April 2023**
- 34. When was the United Nations (UN) English Language Day 2023 observed across the globe? **23rd April 2023**
- 35. What was the theme of World Book and Copyright Day 2023 that was observed across the globe on 23rd April 2023? **Indigenous Languages**
- 36. What was the theme of World Malaria Day 2023 that was observed across the globe on 25th April 2023? Time to deliver zero malaria: invest, innovate, implement
- 37. The _____ United Nations (UN) International Delegate's Day 2023 was observed across the globe on 25th April 2023? **4**th
- 38. The World Penguin Day 2023 was celebrated across the globe on ______.?.25th April 2023
- 39. When was the United Nations (UN) Spanish Language Day 2023 observed across the globe?. **23rd April 2023**
- 40. When was the World Day for Laboratory Animals (WDLA) 2023 observed across the globe? **24th April 2023**
- 41. What was the theme of World Intellectual Property Day (World IP Day) 2023 that was observed across the globe on 26th April 2023? Women and IP: Accelerating Innovation and Creativity
- 42. When was the United Nations (UN) International Chernobyl Disaster Remembrance Day 2023 observed across the globe?. **26th April 2023**



- 43. What was the theme of International Girls in ICT (Information and Communication Technology) Day 2023 that was observed across the globe on 27th April 2023? Digital Skills for Life
- 44. When was the World Day for Safety and Health at Work 2023 observed across the globe?. **28th April 2023**
- 45. Which state has observed the 132nd Khongjom Day on 23 April 2023? **Manipur**
- 46. The Bureau of Civil Aviation (BCAS), the National Regulator for Civil Aviation Security, commemorated its

 Raising Day on 27th April 2023.?. 37th
- 47. When was the International Dance Day/ World Dance Day 2023 observed across the globe? **29th April 2023**
- 48. When was Administrative Professionals Day 2023 observed across the globe? **26th April 2023**
- 49. Name the state that has observed its 88th foundation day on 1st April 2023. **Odisha**

BOOKS AND AUTHORS

- 1. In April 2023, 'Azaad' the autobiography of GhulamNabi Azad was launched by Dr Karan Singh, former member of Rajya Sabha.
- 2. GhulamNabi Azad is the former Chief Minister (CM) of which state/UT? Jammu and Kashmir
- **3.** Who authored the book, "Courting India: England, Mughal India and the Origins of Empire"? **Nandini Das**
- **4.** Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) launched the coffee table book, "The Banker to Every Indian?. **State Bank of India**
- **5.** Who co-authored the book, "The Great Bank Robbery: NPAs, Scams and the Future of Regulation" along with Sabyasachee Dash?.**Pattabhi Ram**

6. Who recently (in April '23) authored a new book in Hindi named "Gandhi: SiyasataurSampradaiykta"?

PiyushBabele

- 7. Health Special issues of the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research(CSIR)'s popular science magazines _____ and ____ were recently (in April '23) released at the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) Headquarters in New Delhi, Delhi? Vigyan Pragati; Science Reporter
- **8.** Who co-authored "Crosscourt", an autobiography of JaidipMukerjea, a retired professional Indian tennis player?.**PapriSen Sri Raman**
- 9. Name the personality who has recently (in April '23) launched the 113-verse book titled "Saurashtra-Tamil Sangamprashastih", prepared by Shree Somnath Sanskrit University, Gujarat.?

 Narendra Modi (Prime Minister of India
- 10.Who authored the book "Collective Spirit, Concrete Actions"? Shashi ShekharVempati
- 11. TrilochanKanungo, former _____, passed away in April 2023.?. Member of Parliament of Lok Sabha
- **12.** Tarek Fatah, a renowned Pakistan-born Canadian _____, passed away in April 2023.? **Journalist**
- 13. Which state's five-time Chief Minister (CM), Parkash Singh Badal, passed away in April 2023? **Punjab**
- 14. Himangshu Mohan Choudhury, first recipient of Padma Shri from _____ (state) in 1972, passed away in April 2023?. **Tripura**
- 15. Asian Games gold medallist and Arjuna awardee, Kaur Singh passed away in April 2023. Kaur Singh won the Arjuna award in 1982 for the _______ Discipline? **Boxing**



SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

- 1. Name the Mobile app of National Logistics Portal (Marine) that was launched by the Union Minister of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Sarbananda Sonowal in March 2023?

 SagarSetu
- 2. Which defence sector/agency has recently (in March '23) conducted a field firing test of indigenous manportable Anti Tank Guided Missile (ATGM), Amogha-III? Bharat Dynamics Limited
- 3. In March 2023, Scientists from India and the_____(country) developed the SMART Early Warning Flood Alert System to help reduce the destructive effects of flooding on people, property and mountainous areas?. United Kingdom
- 4. In March 2023, _____has become the 1st Country in the world to launch a mathematical model to the prevalence of tuberculosis (TB) cases? India
- 5. Name the research institute in India that has recently (in April '23) partnered with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) to develop a new computer model that combines AI & satellite data to sound alarms for dangerous space weather? Inter-University Centre for Astronomy and Astrophysics
- 6. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) test-fired advanced fully 3D-printed 'Dhawan-II' cryogenic engine for Vikram II rocket? **Skyroot Aerospace**
- 7. Which country's aerospace company, 'Space Pioneer', has recently (in April '23) launched Tianlong-2(TL-2) Yaoyi carrier rocket, a liquid-fueled rocket into orbit? **China**
- **8.** In April 2023, the Ingenuity Mars Helicopter of the ______, performed its 49th flight, breaking two world records: the highest altitude and the highest

- speed achieved by any self-propelled aircraft outside of Earth.?. National Aeronautics and Space Administration
- 9. Which company/GoI agency's 1st Light Combat Aircraft (LCA) Tejas trainer (LT 5201) aircraft has recently (in April '23) completed its maiden flight?. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited
- 10. In April 2023, the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has successfully completed two significant tests- Vikas Engine Test Campaign for the L110 Stage & SDM (System Demonstration Model) tests for the Crew Module Propulsion System for _____ mission?

 Gaganyaan
- 11. Which rocket of SpaceX has recently (in April '23) launched Intelsat 40e satellite with NASA's Tropospheric Emissions: Monitoring of Pollution (TEMPO) from Florida, United States? Falcon 9
- 12. In April 2023, Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) handed over the 100th

 Repair and Overhaul (ROH) aircraft to the Indian Air Force (IAF)?

 Sukhoi Su-30 MKI
- 13. From which Indian Naval Ship (INS), the Extended Range Anti-Submarine Rocket (ER-ASR) designed by two Pune based facilities of the DRDO, were successfully test-fired for the 1st time in April 2023? INS Chennai
- 14. In April 2023, a team of 80 international astronomers from 10 countries detected 4 oldest galaxies in the known universe using ______ (Space Telescope).?. James Webb Space Telescope
- **15.**Name the country that has recently (in April '23) launched 'Ofek 13', a spy satellite on the Shavit launch vehicle into orbit? **Israel**
- **16.**Which country's company has recently (in April '23) launched the world's first liquid hydrogen-powered ferry vessel called 'MF Hydra'? **Norway**
- 17. Which country has recently (in April '23) tested a kamikaze drone named



- 'Meraj-532', equipped with a 50-kg warhead? **Iran**
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 Massachusetts Institute of
 Technology
- **37.**Which defence sector/agency has recently (in March '23) conducted a field firing test of indigenous man-portable

- Anti Tank Guided Missile (ATGM), Amogha-III? **Bharat Dynamics Limited**
- 38. In March 2023, Scientists from India and the (country) developed the SMART Early Warning Flood Alert System to help reduce the destructive effects of flooding on people, property and mountainous areas?. United Kingdom
- 39. In March 2023, _____has become the 1st Country in the world to launch a mathematical model to the prevalence of tuberculosis (TB) cases.?. **India**
- 40. Name the research institute in India that has recently (in April '23) partnered with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) to develop a new computer model that combines AI & satellite data to sound alarms for dangerous space weather.? Inter-University Centre for Astronomy and Astrophysics
- 41. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) test-fired advanced fully 3D-printed 'Dhawan-II' cryogenic engine for Vikram II rocket?.Skyroot Aerospace
- **42.**Which country's aerospace company, 'Space Pioneer', has recently (in April '23) launched Tianlong-2(TL-2) Yaoyi carrier rocket, a liquid-fueled rocket into orbit? **China**
- 43.10. In April 2023, the Ingenuity Mars Helicopter of the _____, performed its 49th flight, breaking two world records: the highest altitude and the highest speed achieved by any self-propelled aircraft outside of Earth.? National Aeronautics and Space Administration
- **44.** Which company/GoI agency's 1st Light Combat Aircraft (LCA) Tejas trainer (LT 5201) aircraft has recently (in April '23) completed its maiden flight?. **Hindustan Aeronautics Limited**
- **45.** In April 2023, the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has successfully completed two significant tests- Vikas



- Engine Test Campaign for the L110 Stage & SDM (System Demonstration Model) tests for the Crew Module Propulsion System for _____ mission.?. Gaganyaan
- **46.** Which rocket of SpaceX has recently (in April '23) launched Intelsat 40e satellite with NASA's Tropospheric Emissions: Monitoring of Pollution (TEMPO) from Florida, United States? **Falcon 9**
- 47. From which Indian Naval Ship (INS), the Extended Range Anti-Submarine Rocket (ER-ASR) designed by two Pune based facilities of the DRDO, were successfully test-fired for the 1st time in April 2023? INS Chennai
- **48.** In April 2023, a team of 80 international astronomers from 10 countries detected 4 oldest galaxies in the known universe using ______ (Space Telescope).? James Webb Space Telescope
- 49. Name the country that has recently (in April '23) launched 'Ofek 13', a spy satellite on the Shavit launch vehicle into orbit.?. Israel
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AWARDS AND HONOURS

- 1. Name the personality who recently (in March '23) became the first Woman from Jammu and Kashmir (J&K) to receive the Wildlife Conservation Award in March 2023.?. Aaliya Mir
- 2. In April 2023, the Foundation of SAARC Writers and Literature (FOSWAL) bestowed the SAARC Literature Award 2023 (Special Literary Award) to "Sheikh MujiburRahman', father of ___(country).? Bangladesh
- 3. Name the personality from India who has recently (in April '23) conferred with "Chevalier de la Légiond' Honneur" (Knight of the Legion Honour), the highest French civilian award? **Kiran Nadar**
- 4. Name the non-government organisation (NGO) that has been recently (in March '23) honoured with the Children's Champion Award 2023 in the Health



and Nutrition category? **Tapoban** (Assam)

- 5. Name the personality who has recently (in March '23) won the Best Supporting Actress award at the 47th edition of the Olivier Awards (2023) for her role as Stella Kowalski in the play 'A Streetcar Named Desire'.?Anjana Vasan
- 6. Which of the following Indian cricketers was 'Not' recently (in April '23) awarded with the Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC)'s honorary life membership? Virat Kohli
- 7. Which state has recently (in April '23) declared as the Best Performing State in the North eastern Region in the implementation of e-procurement jointly by the Ministry of Finance (MoF) and the Ministry of Electronic and Information Technology (MeitY)? Tripura
- 8. Name the Indian actor who has recently (in April '23) won the 2023 TIME100 Reader Poll? Shah Rukh Khan
- 9. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) won the Best Production/Process Development Award as part of the Vaccine Industry Excellence (ViE) awards at the World Vaccine Congress Washington 2023? Bharat Biotech International Limited
- 10. Who was recently (in April '23) awarded with the 2023 International Prize in Statistics? Calyampudi Radhakrishna Rao
- 11.In April 2023, the President of India, Droupadi Murmu, presented the ______ Biennial National Grassroots Innovation and Outstanding Traditional Knowledge Awards of the National Innovation Foundation (NIF) at New Delhi, Delhi?11th
- 12. Name the personality who has recently (in April '23) received the All India Management Association's (AIMA)'s Business Leader of the Decade Award? Kumar Mangalam Birla
- 13. Name the personality who has recently (in April '23) presented with the

- Maharashtra Bhushan Award for the Union Minister of Home Affairs Amit Shah.? **Appasaheb Dharmadhikari**
- 14. Who has been recently (in April '23) selected for the Malcolm Adiseshiah Award 2023 by the Malcolm & Elizabeth Adiseshiah Trust (MEAT)? Utsa Patnaik
- 15. Name the personality from the United States of America (USA) who has recently (in April '23) received the Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Award 2023 in the Business category.?. Rajesh

Subramaniam

- 16. In April 2023, Tata Steel was recognised as the 2023 Steel Sustainability Champions by the World Steel Association for the _____ consecutive year? 6th
- 17. Which bank has secured 1st rank in the Enhanced Access & Service Excellence (EASE) Reforms Index for Q3 FY23 released by Indian Banks' Association (IBA) in April 2023? Union Bank of India
- 18. Name the personality who has recently (in April '23) became the first woman officer in the Indian Air Force (IAF) to receive the Vayu Sena Medal (VM) for Gallantry? **Deepika Misra**
- 19. Which state has recently (in April '23) received the national award for the best implementation of Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) for the year 2022-23? Karnataka
- **20.** How many personalities were recently (in April '23) awarded with the Goldman Environmental Prize 2023? **Six**
- 21. Name the personality from India who has recently (in April '23) honoured with Order of Australia(AO)? Ratan Tata
- **22.** Name the eighth titular Prince of Arcot, who has recently (in April '23) received the Indo-Australian Association (IAA)'s Meritorious Service Award 2023.?. **Nawab Mohammad Abdul Ali**
- 23. In April 2023, 14th Dalai Lama received the Ramon Magsaysay Award in Person after ______ years?.64



- **24.** Name the company that has recently (in April '23) won First Prize in the Ministry of Steel's "IspatRajbhashaSamman" for the year 2021-22.?. **Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited**
- 25. Who has recently (in April '23) received the American Immigration Council's 2023 Immigrant Achievement Award? NeeliBendapudi
- 26. Name the personality who was recently (in April '23) awarded with the honorary MBE (Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire) by King Charles III.? M.N. Nandakumara

APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS

- 1. Who was recently (in March '23) appointed as the Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi? Sheikh Khaled bin Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahya
- 2. Which company has recently (in March '23) re-appointed PraveerSinha as its Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and Managing Director (MD) for 4 years? Tata Power Company Limited
- 3. Who has recently (in March '23) taken over as Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) of PTC India Limited? Rajib Kumar Mishra
- 4. Who has recently (in April '23) taken charge as the 40th National President of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) Ladies Organisation (FLO) for the term 2023-2024? **Sudha Shivkumar**
- 5. Name the personality who has recently (in April '23) taken charge as the Vice-Chief of Naval Staff (VCNS) of the Indian Navy.? Vice Admiral Sanjay Jasjit Singh
- 6. Which regulatory body of GoI has recently (in April '23) appointed 'Neeraj Nigam' as the new Executive Director (ED)? **Reserve Bank of India**
- 7. Who was recently (in March '23) appointed as the Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

- of Axis Securities Limited? **Pranav Haridasan**
- 8. In April 2023, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) extended the term of Chandra ShekharRajan (C S Rajan) as non-executive chairman of IL&FS (Infrastructure Leasing & Financial Services Ltd) till ______.30th September 2023
- 9. Who has recently (in April '23) been reappointed as the Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of AU Small Finance Bank with the approval from the Reserve Bank of India(RBI)? Sanjay Agarwal
- 10. Who was recently (in April '23) appointed as the interim Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Karnataka Bank? Sekhar Rao
- 11. Who was recently (in April' 23) appointed as the Deputy Managing Director (DMD) of HDFC Bank Limited? **Kaizad Bharucha**
- 12. In April 2023, Miguel Diaz-Canel was reelected as president of ______ for a second term. ? **Cuba**
- 13. Name the cricket player who was recently (in April '23) appointed as the brand ambassador of Jio Cinema.? **Rohit Sharma**
- 14. Who was recently (in April '23) appointed as the Deputy Prime Minister (PM) of the United Kingdom (UK) after the resignation of Dominic Raab? **Oliver Dowden**
- 15. Name the Indian Cricketer who has been recently (in April '23) appointed as the brand Ambassador of Star Sports Network India.?. **Rishabh Pant**
- 16. Who was recently (in April '23) sworn in as the 22nd president of Bangladesh? **Mohammed (Md) Sahabuddin**
- 17. In April 2023, Shreekant M Bhandiwad took charge as the new Chairman of _____ (Bank). ? Karnataka VikasGrameena Bank
- 18. Name the personality who has recently (in March '23) appointed to head NASA's



Moon to Mars Programme? **Amit Kshatriya**

BANKING /FINANCE/ECONOMY

- 1. Which bank has recently (in March '23) signed a bancassurance partnership with Aditya Birla Health Insurance Co Ltd (ABHICL) for the distribution of health insurance products? **UCO Bank**
- 2. Name the company that has recently (in March '23) partnered with SKALEUP to develop a D2C (direct-to-customer) instant loan application to give business loans to MSME business owners. ? Ambit Finvest Private Limited
- 3. In March 2023, AMNS Luxembourg Holding S.A. entered into an agreement worth USD _____ with "JBIC cofinancing loan" a consortium of Japanese banks. ? 5 billion
- 4. Name the bank that has recently (in March '23) signed an MoU with Godrej Capital Limited to offer banking products & services? State Bank of India
- 5. Name the bank that has recently (in March '23) launched an investment solution 'digi Portfolio' to offer Morningstar-curated investments based on risk preferences? **DBS Bank (India)**
- 6. Which insurance company has recently (in March '23) received a certificate of registration by Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) to Commence Life Insurance Business? Acko Life Insurance Limited 2) Credit Access Life Insurance Limited
- 7. Name the payment bank that has recently (in March '23) partnered with Bharti Airtel to launch banking services through WhatsApp for its customers? **India Post Payments Bank**
- 8. In April 2023, _____ became the 1st Indian Bank to open 'Special Rupee Vostro Account (SRVA)' in Malaysia to facilitate transactions between India

and Malaysia in the Indian rupee? **Union Bank of India**

- 9. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) revised its interest rates on fixed deposits (FDs) under Rs.2 crore& introduced the "Amrit Mahotsav FD" scheme for retail investors? **IDBI Bank**
- 10. Which bank has recently (in March '23) signed an agreement with SBI Life Insurance Company Limited (SBI Life) to market the insurance scheme? **Karur Vysya Bank**
- 11. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) collaborated with Visa to launch "Digital Dukaan", a business management solution for merchants?

 Axis Bank
- 12. Name the fintech company that has recently (in April '23) introduced 'Pincode,' an e-commerce consumer app on India's Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC) Platform? **PhonePe**
- 13. In April 2023, the State Bank of India (SBI)'s 'WECARE' Senior Citizens' Fixed Deposit scheme for senior citizens was extended upto ______.? 30th June 2023
- 14. Which of the following banks has recently (in April '23) offered an e-Bank Guarantee (e-BG) service in collaboration with National e-Governance Services Ltd. (NeSL).

IDBI Bank, YES Bank

- 15. Which bank has recently (in April '23) introduced a "Premium Payroll Package" for Salary account holders with competitive features? Canara Bank
- 16. According to the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) data (as of April '23), India's Bank credit increased by ______ year-on-year (YoY) in the Financial year 2022-23 (FY23), which is highest since ____ (FY)?15%; FY12
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- 18. Which of the following policy rates is 'wrongly matched' with respect to the 1st Bi-Monthly Monetary Policy of FY24 released by RBI in April 2023? Bank Rate 6.25%
- 19. In April 2023, IIFL Finance Limited received a total of ______ in long-term funding from Export Development Canada (EDC) and Deutsche Bank.?. \$100 million
- 20. Which bank has recently (in April '23) signed a banc assurance pact with Cholamandalam MS General Insurance (Chola MS) to offer the health and general insurance products? **South Indian Bank**
- 21. In April 2023, India presented ______ to the United Nations Trust Fund in support of the African Union Transition Mission in Somalia (ATMIS)? **USD 2** million
- 22. According to the data from the Mumbai (Maharashtra)-based National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) released in April 2023, which of the following countries were gained as the FPI Foreign Portfolio Investment (FPI) destinations for India in FY23? Norway ,Singapore
- 23. In April 2023, the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) approved to establish the Corporate Debt Market Development Fund (CDMDF) with _____ as Initial Corpus for Debt Mutual Funds. ? Rs 3,000 crore
- 24. In April 2023, the NSE Indices Limited launched India's first index to track Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) and Infrastructure Investment Trusts (InvITs) called 'Nifty REITs and InvITs Index'. Presently, the Index comprises _____ listed REITs and InvITs (securities).? 6
- 25. Which Insurance Company has recently (in April '23) partnered with actyv.ai to offer insurance products to new-age Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)? Kotak Mahindra General Insurance

- 26. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) signed aRs 150 crore agreement with the Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited (TPDDL) to enhance power distribution in Delhi. ?. Asian Development Bank
- 27. In April 2023, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) partnered with Citibank to provide a \$125 million fund to _____ (Bank) for lending to the agricultural sector.

IndusInd Bank

- 28. In April 2023, RBI notified an enclosed Framework for acceptance of Green Deposits for the Regulated Entities (REs) to promote and develop a green finance ecosystem in India with effect from ______.?1st June 2023
- 29. Which bank has recently (in April '23) signed the 'Master Inter Bank Credit Agreement' with Export Import Bank of Korea (KEXIM) for a USD 300 million line of credit? **HDFC Bank**
- 30. -----along with Bharat Bill Pay has recently (in April '23) tied up for crossborder bill payments for the Indian diaspora in Oman? Canara Bank
- 31. What type of Biometric Authentication was recently (in April '23) launched by Citi Union Bank, which is considered to be India's 1st for Logging into its Banking App? **Voice**
- 32. PhonePe has recently (in April '23) raised _____ (USD) from United States(US) based firm, General Atlantic (GA) and other investors, as a part of its ongoing USD 1 billion fundraise to expand into the lending space..?. 100 million
- 33. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) collaborated with the Chennai Metro Rail Ltd (CMRL) to launch the 'Singara Chennai Card' to facilitate seamless transportation for passengers? **State Bank of India**
- 34. Which regulatory body of the Ministry of Finance has recently (in April '23) announced the launch of a pilot scheme 'Mission 50K-EV4ECO'to enhance the



electric vehicle market? **Small Industries Development Bank of India**

- 35. Which company has recently (in April '23) received approval from Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) for control transfer in Merger Process? **HDFC Capital Advisors Limited**
- 36. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) reintroduced the retail term deposit scheme 'AMRIT KALASH'. ? State Bank of India
- 37. In April 2023, the Credit Guarantee Fund Trust for Micro and Small Enterprises (CGTMSE) increased the guarantee coverage ceiling under its Credit Guarantee Fund Scheme for MSEs from Rs.2 crore to ______ per borrower? Rs.5 crore
- 38. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) completed its 1st block chainenabled Letter of Credit (LC) transaction on Contour PVT. Ltd (Contour) for its client Cummins India Limited (Cummins)? Citibank India
- 39. Which bank has recently (in April '23) launched Regalia Gold Credit Card for travel and lifestyle needs? **HDFC Bank**
- 40. In April 2023, India made a contribution of ______ to the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women, also known as UN Women, for women empowerment? **USD 500,000**
- 41. In April 2023, ______ became India's 1st commercial bank to connect with the Bharat Bill Payment System (BBPS) for delivering bill payment services through video banking? AU Small Finance Bank
- 42. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) launched a special campaign for home loans to mark its 100th year of establishment? **Karnataka Bank**
- 43. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) launched a new Digital Fixed Deposit (FD) Scheme for new-to-bank customers? **RBLBANK**
- 44. In April 2023, the Indian Banks Association (IBA) constituted a

- ____member working group on Asset Reconstruction Companies (ARCs). ?4
- 45. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) launched 2 flexible saving products for its non-resident Indian (NRI) customers, specifically for mariners and healthcare professionals. **South Indian Bank**
- 46. In April 2023, State Bank of India (SBI) approved to examine the status and decide on long-term fund-raising in single/multiple trenches up to USD? 2 billion
- 47. Which bank has recently (in April '23) signed a USD 100 million long-term credit deal with the Japan Bank for International Cooperation (JBIC) to assist Indian firms interested in purchasing Japanese construction equipment? **Indusland Bank**
- 48. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) partnered with the Fasal to provide easy financial access for farmers. **State Bank of India**
- 49. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) entered into a Banking Correspondent agreement with Kisan Vikas (KiVi) to scale and expand its agriculture lending portfolio.? **Federal Bank**
- 50. RBI has recently (in April '23) accepted bids worth _____ at an auction for the switching and conversion of 5 Government of India (GoI) bonds against the notified amount of Rs.11,000 ? Rs.5,500 crore
- 51. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) collaborated with the Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC) to launch the 1st phase of conversational AI chatbot LIC Mitra (virtual assistant)? CoRover
- 52. As of April 2023, the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) is set to establish its first Overseas office in------Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
- 53. Name the credit card payments app that has recently (in April '23) launched UPI-



- based peer-to-peer (P2P) payments to provide its users with a new payment opti------CRED
- 54. Which company has recently (in April '23) collaborated with M1xchange to offer a digital invoice discounting solution to farmers, Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs), and agri-MSMEs (Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises)?

 Mastercard
- 55. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) introduced the first-of-its-kind EMI (Equated Monthly Instalment) facility for UPI (Unified Payment Interface) payments made by scanning? ICICI Bank
- 56. In April 2023, the Reserve Bank of ______ is set to launch a gold-backed digital currency to serve as legal tender? Zimbabwe
- 57. Which bank has recently (in April '23) collaborated with the Reserve Bank Innovation Hub (RBIH) to launch 'Digitalised Submission of Form 15G/15H'? Canara Bank
- 58. Name the Insurance Company that has recently (in April '23) partnered with actyv.ai to offer insurance products through their technology platform to MSME enterprises? Bajaj Allianz General Insurance
- 59. Which organization/service of NPCI has recently (in April '23) launched the NOCS platform to provide reconciliation & settlement services for transactions undertaken on the Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC) network? NPCI Bharat Bill Pay Ltd
- 60. Name the Insurance Company that has recently (in April '23) launched a digital-only health insurance plan named 'Health Edge Insurance'? **SBI General Insurance**
- 61. In April 2023, _______ became the first Insurance company to accept e-Rupee (e₹)/ RBI's CBDC (Central Bank Digital Currency) for premium payments in partnership with YES Bank.? Reliance General Insurance

- 62. Which stock exchange company's subsidiary has recently (in April '23) introduced new guidelines for retaining a demerged entity in its respective index? **National Stock Exchange**
- 63. In which Indian city, the world's 1st Social Currency Payment Card, 'WYLD' was launched in April 2023? **Mumbai, Maharashtra**
- 64. April 2023, RBI removed restrictions on resident individuals from opening interest-earning Foreign Currency Accounts (FCA) in International Financial Services Centres (IFSCs) for investments making under Liberalised Remittance Scheme (LRS). RBI also removed the condition of repatriating any funds lying idle in the FCA account for up to-----**15**
- 65. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) signed a definitive It NPCI International Payments to facilitate global e-commerce payments through Unified Payments Interface (UPI).?. **PPRO**
- 66. Which company has recently (in April '23) joined with the Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC) to offer payment reconciliation service for Network Participants (NPs)? Razorpay
- 67. Name the bank that has recently (in April '23) partnered with the Redington Limited to offer Solar Loans of up to Rs.5 crore? **State Bank of India**
- 68. According to the RBI data on 'Sectoral Deployment of bank Credit- March 2023', the Scheduled commercial banks (SCBs) reported credit growth of _____ in FY23? **15.4%**
- 69. Name the Small Finance Bank (SFB) that has recently (in April '23) partnered with the Arya.ag to drive financial inclusion for farmers and FPOs (Farmers Producers Organisations? Shivalik SFB
- 70. Who is the current (as of April '23) Managing Director (MD) & Chief



- Executive Officer (CEO) of Shivalik Small Finance Bank? **Anshul Swami**
- 71. In March 2023, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry(MoC&I) released the Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2023 that aims to increase India's exports to USD 2 trillion by (year?. 2030
- 72. Which company has recently (in March '23) partnered with the Women Entrepreneurship Platform (WEP) to support women entrepreneurs across India? **BharatPe**
- 73. According to the report released by NASSCOM & ProHance in March 2023, the Small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) in the Indian technology sector re expected to generate revenues of USD 30- 40 billion by ______ Financial Year? FY30
- 74. In the "India Development Update" (Spring 2023 Edition) released in April 2023, the World Bank (WB) reduced its fiscal year 2023-24 (FY24) growth projection for India to ______ from 6.6% in December 2022 (FY23).? 6.3%
- 75. According to the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) data on India's balance of payments (BoP) for the third quarter of Financial Year 2022-23 (Q3 FY23), India's current account deficit declined to ______ of the GDP in Q3 FY23 from 3.7% of GDP in Q2 FY23? 2
- 76. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) been selected by Bane NOR to strengthen identity and access management across its digital landscape? **Tata Consultancy Services**
- 77. Name the company that has signed an MoU with Scirocco Enterprises Ltd. of Zambia for the construction of 1 lakh low and medium-cost houses to mitigate an acute shortage of housing in? NBCC (India) Ltd
- 78. According to the "Global Trade Outlook and Statistics" report released by the World Trade Organization (WTO) in April 2023, the merchandise trade

- volume is expected to grow by _____ in 2023. ? **1.7%**
- 79. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) won a £ 74 million Pound sterling contract from the United Kingdom's Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra) to enhance the government organisation's supply chain model & add new digital? **Cognizant**
- 80. According to the data of Direct Tax collections for the Financial Year 2022-23 (FY23) released in April 2023, the net Direct Tax collections rose by _______ to Rs 16.61 Trillion in FY23? **7.63%**
- 81. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) partnered with UIDAI (Unique Identification Authority of India) to process payments for online Aadhaar services? Razorpay Software Private Limited
- 82. Which company has recently (in April '23) won the contract from the United Kingdom (UK) Ministry of Defence (MOD) for the supply of spares, consumables and accessories for the Land Rover Wolf Platform? TVS Supply Chain Solutions
- 83. Which Indian Institute of Technology (IIT)'s technology business incubator, Start-Up Incubation and Innovation Centre (SIIC), has recently (in April '23) signed a corporate social responsibility agreement with Advanced Weapons and Equipment India Limited (AWEIL) to promote the incubation of new technology? IIT Kanpur
- 84. In April 2023, the International Monetary Fund (IMF) downgraded India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) forecast to _____ for the financial year 2023-24 from 6.1% in January 2023? 5.9%
- 85. In April 2023, a consortium led by _____ bagged an order worth more than _____ to supply 80 sleeper class Vande Bharat trains to Indian Railways over a period of 6 years? Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd; Rs.9,600 crore



- 86. The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) has recently (in April '23) published a report "Trade and Development Report Update: Global Trends and Prospects" (April 2023). According to the report, India's economic growth is projected to decline to ____ in 2023 from 6.6% in 2022? 6%
- 87. What's the increased percentage of India's 'exports' to USD 447 billion in FY23, up from USD 442 billion in FY22, while imports increased 16.5% to USD 714 billion from USD 613 billion in FY22 (as of April '23)? **6%**
- 88. Which Indian company has recently (in April '23) collaborated with Lanza Jet Inc, from the United States of America (USA) to set up India's 1st Green Aviation Fuel Firm in Haryana? Indian Oil Corporation Limited
- 89. According to the data released by the Ministry of Commerce in April 2023, which country emerged as India's biggest trading partner in the financial year 2022-23 (FY23)? **United States**
- 90. According to the Index Numbers of Wholesale Price in India for the Month of March 2023, the annual rate of inflation based on the all-India WPI number is reduced to ______ for the month of March 2023, which is 30-month low? 1.34%
- 91. Name the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) that has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the National Science and Technology Centre for Disaster Reduction (NCDR), Taiwan to develop technology solutions to natural hazards. IIT Roorkee
- 92. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) unveiled the world's 1st smart gun using fingerprints & facial recognition technology to protect against misuse? **Biofire Technologies**
- 93. According to the Morgan Stanley data released in April 2023, India's gross domestic product (GDP) was proposed

- to grow at _____ in FY24 (Financial year 2023-24)? **6.2%**
- 94. Which country's Power exchange has recently (in April '23) signed an agreement with India's Steel Mint for selling and buying energy directly? **Nepal**
- 95. Which export organization/association in India has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with Business Russia, to promote trade and Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)? Federation of Indian Export Organizations
- 96. As per market capitalization (m-cap) in April 2023, ______ has overtaken Infosys Limited to become India's 6th largest company, while Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) tops the list? ITC Limited
- 97. As per the Asian Development Bank (ADB) Annual Report 2022, which country is the largest recipient of ADB-funded programs/projects in 2022? Pakistan
- 98. Which company has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with The Nature Conservancy Centre India (TNC India) for the repurposing of mined-out lands for the setting up of renewable energy (RE) projects? **NLC India Limited**
- 99. In March 2023, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry(MoC&I) released the Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2023 that aims to increase India's exports to USD 2 trillion by ______(year?. 2030
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- 2023, Shreekant M 104. In April Bhandiwad took charge as the new Chairman of (Bank). ? Karnataka VikasGrameena Bank
- In March 2023, Zee Entertainment 105. Enterprises (ZEEL) entered into a onetime settlement agreement (Bank) on a loan default by its associated entity Siti Networks. Standard Chartered Bank
- What is the Tagline of Union Bank of 106. India? Good People to Bank with
- Who is the current (as of April '23) 107. Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Axis Bank? **Amitabh Chaudhry**
- Who is the current (as of April '23) 108. Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Axis Bank? Amitabh Chaudhry

Mou's AND AGREEMENTS

- 1. In March 2023, the Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) Ministry of Finance, entered into a record Advance Pricing Agreements (APAs) in the financial year (FY) 2022-2023 with Indian taxpayers.? 95
- 2. Name the company that has recently (in March '23) signed a contract with the Ministry of Defence (MoD) for the modernisation of Naval Aircraft Yards (NAYs) at Goa and Kochi, Kerala? Ultra **Dimensions Private Limited**

- 3. In April 2023, the union cabinet provided the approval for the signing of a tripartite agreement by the State government, and State Electricity Board with the KfW German Bank for securing a loan for the Green Energy Corridor (GEC) project? Kerala
- 4. Which Tiger Reserve has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Indian Management Highways Company Limited (IHMCL) to enable FASTagbased payments at forest entry points? Nagarjuna sagar-Srisailam Reserve
- 5. In April 2023, Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), GoI signed an MoU with the United Nations (UN) World Food Programme (WFP) to send 10,000 metric tonnes of wheat to the people of------Afghanistan
- **6.** Which state government's e-Governance Agency has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Indian Bank to offer payment aggregator services? Tamil Nadu
- Which state has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Government of Assam to settle the long-pending border dispute? Arunachal Pradesh
- 8. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) to facilitate research in technologies advanced for security? Oil India Limited
- **9.** Which company has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL)-Bokaro Steel Plant (BSL) to explore potential application of 5G/IT/Telecom technologies in Steel manufacturing? **Telecommunications Consultants India Limited**
- 10. Name the GoI department that has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Art of Living (AoL) to spread the message of Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan (NMBA)?. **Department of Social Justice and Empowerment**



- 11. Which state government has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Oil India Limited (OIL) to establish a framework for cooperation in harnessing and developing new and renewable energy sources (NRES)? Himachal Pradesh
- 12. Name the state government that has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the High Glory Footwear India Private Limited to set up a footwear manufacturing facility with the investment of Rs.2,302 crore over 12 years?. **Tamil Nadu**
- 13. Name the company that has recently (in April '23) signed an MoU with the Chempolis India Private Limited to set up a Bamboo-based Bio-Refinery in Bongaigaon, Assam? National Thermal Power Corporation Limited

DEFENCE

- 1. In April 2023, the _____ edition of annual India-Sri Lanka bilateral maritime exercise SLINEX
- (Sri Lanka-India Naval Exercise) 2023 was commenced in Colombo, Sri Lanka.?10th
- 3. Which country has recently (in March '23) signed the first defence cooperation agreement with India? **Romania**
- **4.** In which Indian state, the first phase of Exercise Cope India 23 (CI23) was commenced between the Indian Air Force (IAF) and the United States Air Force in April 2023? **West Bengal**
- 5. In April 2023, the Indian Armed Forces set up an inter-services panel chaired by the ______ to examine the disability pensions among armed force personnel.?. Lieutenant General ChanniraBansiPonnapp
- 6. Which Military unit of Indian Government has recently (in April '23) conducted a Joint Military Exercise "Ex KAVACH"? Andaman and Nicobar Command

- 7. As of April 2023, India is set to acquire armaments worth over USD 300 million from _____ (country) for the Indian Navy's naval multi-role helicopters, the MH-60 "Romeo" chopper? United States of America
- 8. In which city, the Indian Navy has recently (in April '23) conducted the offshore security exercise 'Prasthan?

 Mumbai, Maharashtra
- 9. In April 2023, Indian Air Force (IAF) participated in ______, a Multilateral Military Exercise commenced by French Air and Space Force (FASF) in France?.**ExerciseOrion**
- 10. Who has been recently (in April '23) appointed as Military Advisor to the National Security Council? **Air Marshal Sandeep Singh**
- 11. According to the ministry of external affairs, India positioned two IAF C-130J on standby in Jeddah and Indian Naval Ship _____ reached Port Sudan in April 2023. INS Sumedha

Sports

- 1. Who has recently (in April '23) won the 1st ever Australian Grand Prix (GP) Title at the Formula 1(F1) Rolex Australian Grand Prix 2023? Max Verstappen
- 2. Name the Indian Grandmaster who has recently (in April '23) won Armageddon championship series 2023-Asia and Oceania event held at Berlin, Germany?. Gukesh Dommaraju
- 3. Name the Zimbabwean cricketer who has recently (in April '23) announced his retirement from all forms of professional cricket? **Gary Balance**
- 4. Name the personality who has recently (in April '23) became 1st Indian in 6 years to get on Podium in the first round of the ROKiT British F4 Championship held at England, United Kingdom (UK)?. Jaden Pariat
- 5. Who has recently (in April '23) won the Men's singles title at the 2023 Barcelona Open Banc Sabadell



- (Barcelona Open 2023) for the 2nd consecutive time? Carlos Alcaraz (Spain)
- 6. Name the personality who has recently (in April '23) won the Women's singles title at the 2023 Porsche Tennis Grand Prix (Stuttgart Open 2023) held in Germany?. **Iga Świątek (Poland)**
- 7. In April 2023, who became the firstever Indian bowler to take 300 wickets in T20 cricket? **Yuzvendra Chahal**

MISCELLENEOUS

- Where is the Headquarters of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) located? New York, United States of America
- 2. What is the capital of Cuba? Havana
- 3. In which state 'Kanwar Wildlife Sanctuary' is located?.**Himachal Pradesh**
- 4. The World Health Organization (WHO) has recently (in April '23) launched its mRNA vaccine technology hub in .?.Cape Town, South Africa
- 5. What is the Tagline of IDFC First Bank? Always You First
- 6. The Bhitarkanika National Park is located in ______.Odisha
- 7. Who is the Managing Director (MD) & Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of
- 8. Au Small Finance Bank? **Sanjay Agarwal**
- 9. In which year, the UN Capital Development Fund (UNCDF) was established? **1966**
- 10. In Which state 'Satkosia Tiger Reserve' is located? **Odisha**
- 11. What is the capital of Tanzania? **Dodoma**
- 12. Where is the Headquarters of Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) located? **Beijing, China**

- 13. n which state 'Tehri Dam' is located?. **Uttarakhand**
- 14. Who is the current (as of April '23) Chairperson of Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI)? Rajesh Bhushan
- 15. Ujjain Batik print recently got the Geographical Indication (GI) Tag, it belongs to which State/UT? **Madhya Pradesh**
- 16. Who is the current (as of April '23) Chief
 Executive Officer (CEO) of
 Indradhanush Gas Grid Limited
 (IGGL)? Ajit Kumar Thakur
- 17. In April 2023, _____, the founder of Gemini Circus and a pioneer of Indian circus passed away. ?. M.V. SankaranIn April 2023, the Union government intensified crackdown against drugs with the aim to make India drug-free by .?.2047
- 18. Who is the current (as of April '23) Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of M1xchange? **SundeepMohindru**
- 19. In which state 'Kudremukh National Park' is located? **Karnataka**
- 20. Who is the current (as of April '23)
 Prime Minister (PM) of New Zealand?
 Chris Hipkins
- 21. In which state, 'Satkosia wildlife sanctuary' is located? Odisha
- 22. SharbatiGehu of ______ (State/UT) had recently got the Geographical Indication (GI) Tag. ?. **Madhya Pradesh**
- 23. On 24th April 2023, the _____ based Sharjah Cricket Stadium 'West Stand' was renamed the 'Sachin Tendulkar Stand'.? **United Arab Emirates**
- 24. What is the capital of Mongolia? **Ulaanbaatar**
- 25. Which state government has recently (in April '23) withhold the 12-hour workday bill for factory workers? **Tamil Nadu**



- 26. Name the operation that was recently (in April '23) launched by India to bring back its nationals from Sudan?

 Operation Kaveri
- 27. In April 2023, India's first elevated taxiway for aircraft at _____ (airport) may start its operation in September, 2023.? Indira Gandhi International Airport
- 28. Name the Life Insurance company that has recently (in April '23) partnered with Rajasthan Royals franchise to launch the larger-than-life 'helmet' installation at SawaiMansingh Stadium, Jaipur.?. SBI Life Insurance
- 29. According to the World Silver Survey 2023 released by the Silver Institute in April 2023, Hindustan Zinc Limited has emerged as the _____ largest silver producer in the world?.5th
- 30. MorenaGajak of _____ (State/UT) had recently (April'23) got the Geographical Indication (GI) Tag.?.Madhya Pradesh
- 31. In April 2023, the Border Roads Organisation (BRO) placed a signboard at the border village of "Mana" in _____, declaring it to be the "First Indian Village."?Uttarakhand
- 32. In which country, the Scientists have recently (in April '23) discovered the world's second-deepest blue hole?

 Mexico
- 33. Which country's army has recently (in April '23) tested DF-27 hypersonic glide Intermediate-Range Ballistic Missile (IRBM)? ChinaIn which state, Gandhi Sagar Sanctuary, is located? Madhya Pradesh
- 34. Mahindra Holidays & Resorts India Limited (MHRIL) chairman, ______ has recently (in April '23) announced his retirement.?**Arun Nanda**
- 35. In which state, 'Karnala Bird Sanctuary' is located? **Maharashtra**
- 36. In April 2023, SpaceX received approval from the US Space Force to add _____ United States (US) rocket launch site.?. **5**th

- 37. Where is the Headquarters of the World Health Organisation (WHO) located?.Geneva. **Switzerland**
- 38. In Which state, 'Tal Chhapar Wildlife Sanctuary' is located? **Rajasthan**
- 39. Who is the current (as of April '23) Executive Director & Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Reliance General Insurance company? Rakesh Jain
- 40. Turkish _____ is the currency of Türkiye?.**Lira**
- 41. Who is the current (as of April '23)
 Director General & Chief Executive Officer
 (CEO) of Federation of Indian Export
 Organisations (FIEO)? Ajay Sahai
- 42. Where is the Headquarters of the World Intellectual Property Organization(WIPO) located? Geneva, Switzerland
- 43. Who is the current (as of April '23) Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Razorpay? HarshilMathur
- 44. In which country, 'Tel Aviv University' is located? **Israel**
- 45. In April 2023, ______ based Hyundai Mobis developed the world's first rollable display for vehicles.?.**South Korea**
- 46. As of April 2023, what is the Minimum age limit for Class 1 students under National Education Policy (NEP)? **6 years**
- 47. Who authored the book, "A Suitable Boy"?

 Vikram Seth
- 48. In which state, 'Nalsarovar Bird Sanctuary' is located? **Gujarat**
- 49. Who is the current (as of April '23) Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of NITI (National Institution For Transforming India) Aayog? **B.V.R. Subrahmanyam**
- 50. Where is the Headquarters of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) located? **Geneva, Switzerland**
- 51. Who is the current (as of April '23) Chairman and Managing Director of Rail Vikas Nigam Limited (RVNL)? **Pradeep Gaur**
- 52. The implementation of the One Rank One Pension (OROP) scheme was based on recommendation of the _____ committee?.Koshiyari



- 53. Who is the current (as of April '23) Managing Director (MD) & Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of National Stock Exchange (NSE)? **AshishkumarChauhan**
 - 54. Which company has recently (in April '23) announced a new multi-year global distribution services partnership with the United States-based Sabre Corporation? **Air India**
 - 55. Where is the headquarters of Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) located? **Paris, France**
 - 56. In which country, 'Rijksmuseum' located? **Netherlands**
 - 57. Which company has recently (in April '23) became the official travel partner of the International Indian Film Academy (IIFA)? **EaseMyTrip.com**
 - 58. In April 2023, _______ became the first Arab to undertake a spacewalk during Expedition 69 venturing out of the International Space Station (ISS) and completing his spacewalk.?.Sultan Al-Neyadi
 - 59. Who has recently (in April '23) took charge as the Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief (AOC-in-C) of South Western Air Command (SWAC)? Air Marshal NarmdeshwarTiwari
 - 60. Former Indian Cricketer & Arjuna awardee 'Salim Aziz Durrani' passed away in April 2023.
 - 61. In which year did he receive the Arjuna Award? **1961**
 - 62. Kerala Sahitya Akademi Awardee 'Sarah Thomas', passed away in March 2023 In which year did she receive the Kerala Sahitya Akademi Award for the novel "Narmadi? **1979**
 - 63. Japanese composer & Oscar awardee 'Ryuichi Sakamoto' passed away in April 2023.
 - For which film did he receive an Oscar Award in 1988? **The Last Emperor**

64. Former	Judge	of	Kerala	High	Court
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Radhakı	ishnan'	, pa	assed a	way ir	ı April
2023. In	which	yea	r did he	serve	as the
Chief Ju	stice o	f C	alcutta	High	Court?
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65. Jagarnath Mah	to, Minis	iter of l	Edu	cation
in,	passed	away	in	April
2023.? Jharkh	and			

- 66. In April 2023, the Former Chief Electoral Officer (CEO) of ______, Naresh Gupta passed away.? **Tamil Nadu**
- 67. India's Oldest Billionaire, _____ former chairman emeritus of Mahindra & Mahindra (M&M) Group, passed away in April 2023.? **Keshub Mahindra**
- 68. National Award-winning actress and noted theatre artist, Uttara Baokar has recently (in April '23) passed away. In which year did she win the Sangeet Natak Akademi Award for Acting (Hindi theatre)? **1984**
- 69. Virginia Tower Norwood, fondly known as "The Mother of _____", passed away in March 2023.**? Landsat**
- 70. Trilochan Kanungo, former _____, passed away in April 2023.? **Member of Parliament of Lok Sabha**
- 71. Tarek Fatah, a renowned Pakistan-born Canadian ______, passed away in April 2023.? **Journalist**
- 72. Which state's five-time Chief Minister (CM), Parkash Singh Badal, passed away in April 2023? **Punjab**
- 73. Himangshu Mohan Choudhury, first recipient of Padma Shri from _____ (state) in 1972, passed away in April 2023.? **Tripura**
- 74. Asian Games gold medallist and Arjuna awardee, Kaur Singh passed away in April 2023.

Kaur Singh won the Arjuna award in 1982 for the ______ Discipline. **Boxing**

75. N Gopalakrishnan, retired _____ and noted orator has passed away in April 2023? **Scientist**