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Aparchit Super Current Affairs MCQ with facts- 3 August 2022 By APARCHIT EXAM WARRIORS/Kumar Kaushal Sir

- Q.1. Which country will conduct the multinational air combat exercise "Pitch Black 2022" in August 2022 in which India will participate along with 16 other nations?
 - A) Japan
 - B) Australia
 - C) Indonesia
 - D) Singapore

Answer: B

- ✓ India will be part of the mega air combat exercise "Pitch Black 2022" among 17-nations, to be held in the Northern Territory of Australia.
- ✓ The three-week-long military exercise Pitch Black is scheduled to take place from August 19 to September 6, 2022.
- ✓ Over 100 aircraft and 2,500 military personnel from 17 nations will be part of the drill.
- ✓ The exercise is being conducted after a gap of four-years due to Covid. The last edition was held in 2018.
- ✓ The participating countries include the US, India, Australia, Japan, Canada, France, Germany, Indonesia, Malaysia, New Zealand, the Philippines, the Netherlands, South Korea, Singapore, Thailand, the UAE and the UK.
- ✓ Ex Pitch Black is a biennial multi-national large force employment warfare exercise, hosted by Royal Australian Air Force (RAAF).
- ✓ The objectives for the exercise is to foster closer relationship between the participating forces and
 promote interoperability through exchange of knowledge and experience.
- ✓ Other exercises between India and Australia.
- ✓ Ex AUSTRA HIND (Bilateral Exercise with Army).
- ✓ EX PITCH BLACK (Australia's multilateral air combat training exercise.
- ✓ AUSINDEX (Naval Exercise)
- ✓ Malabar Naval Exercise (India+ USA+ Japan+ Australia)



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AUSTRALIA IN NEWS 2022

- India to participate combat exercise drill "Pitch Black 2022" in Australia.
- > 9th Army to Army Staff Talks between India and Australia held in Dehradun.
- > Australia Tennis star Lleyton Hewitt inducted International Tennis Hall of Fame.
- Charles Leclerc (Ferrari- Monaco) has won the Formula One (F1) 2022 Australian Grand Prix.
- Prasar Bharati signs MoU with Australia's public service broadcaster to boost co-operation.
- World's biggest plant discovered off Australian coast (known as Posidonia australis)
- Anthony Albanese sworn in as Australia's new prime minister
- Former Australia Cricketer Andrew Symonds Dies In Car Accident
- Australia's Victoria to Host the 2026 Commonwealth Games
- Australia's Australian Army Research Centre (AARC) tie up with India's Centre for Land Warfare Studies (CLAWS).
- Union Minister RK Singh co-chairs 4th India-Australia Energy Dialogue.
- Former Australian cricketer Rod Marsh passes away.
- India and Australia signed an Economic Cooperation and Trade Agreement (IndAus ECTA).
- > Charles Leclerc (Ferrari- Monaco) has won the Formula One (F1) 2022 Australian Grand Prix.
- Legendary Australian spinner, Shane Warne passes away
- Australian Open 2022 (Tennis)
- Men's Singles : Rafael Nadal (Spain)
- Women's Singles : Ashleigh Barty (Australia).
- Australia, Canada and Japan team up to send a rover to Moon by 2024
- 2032 Olympics awarded to Brisbane, 3rd Australian city to host Games after Melbourne and Sydney
- > AUSTRALIA

Capital : Canberra Currency : Dollar

Prime Minister: Anthony Albanese



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Q.2. The Ministry of Culture has organised the Tiranga Utsav to celebrate which birth anniversary of Pingali Venkayya, the designer of India's national flag?

A) 149th

B) 144th

C) 146th

D) 148th

Answer: C

- ✓ August 02, 2022 marks the 146th birth anniversary of Pingali Venkayya, the designer of India's national flag.
- ✓ To mark the birth anniversary of Pingali Venkayya, the Government of India will release a special commemorative postage stamp in his honor for his invaluable contribution to the country.
- ✓ The stamp will be released by Prime Minister Narendra Modi during an event "Tiranga Utsav" organised by the Ministry of Culture at Indira Gandhi Stadium, in New Delhi, on the occasion of his 146th Birth Anniversary
- ✓ The event will also display the original design of the national flag made by Pingali Venkayya. The current flag is the modified version of the first design of the flag.
- ✓ The Tiranga Utsav will also witness the grand launch of the "Har Ghar Tiranga" anthem and video.
- ✓ Venkayya, born on August 02, 1876, near Machilipatnam town in Andhra Pradesh, was a freedom fighter and a follower of Gandhian principles.
- ✓ INDIAN NATIONAL FLAG
- √ The national flag is popularly known as Tiranga, which means "three colours" or "tricoloured".
- ✓ It is a horizontal tricolour in equal proportion of deep saffron at the top, white in the middle and green at the bottom.
- \checkmark The ratio of the width to the length of the flag is 2 : 3.
- ✓ At the centre of the white band is a wheel with 24 spokes in navy blue colour that indicates the Dharma Chakra (Wheel of Law).
- ✓ Saffron: Saffron is a symbol of courage and sacrifice.
- ✓ White: The white colour represents honesty, peace, and purity. It highlights the importance of maintaining peace in the country.
- ✓ **Green :** The green colour represents faith and chivalry. It is a symbol of prosperity, vibrancy, and life.
- ✓ **Ashoka Chakra**: The Ashoka Chakra or the Dharma Chakra (Wheel of Law) has 24 spokes and appears on a number of edicts of Ashoka.



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- ✓ Pingali Venkayya designed the National Flag of India.
- ✓ The design of the National Flag was adopted by the Constituent Assembly of India on 22 July 1947.
- ✓ J. B. Kripalani headed the flag committee in the Constituent Assembly.
- ✓ Supreme Court has held that hoisting the National Flag atop the private buildings is a fundamental right of every citizen under Article 19 (1) (A) of the Constitution.
- ✓ The Flag Code of India is in effect from 26 January 2002
- Q.3. An India-origin professor has been honoured with the 2022 Global Energy Prize along with two more recipients. Name the Indian origin winner.

A) Vandana Shiva

B) Sumaira Abdulali

C) Kaushik Rajashekara

D) Norma Alvares

Answer: C

- ✓ Kaushik Rajashekara, an Indian-origin professor of Engineering at the University of Houston, USA, has won the Global Energy Prize for 2022.
- ✓ Kaushik is among only three people in the world who were selected for the prestigious award in 2022, by the Global Energy Association.
- ✓ He has been given the award for his contributions to transportation electrification and energy efficiency technologies while reducing power generation emissions.
- √ The other two 2022 laureate are:
- ✓ Viktor Orlov chief specialist of the Centre for Innovative Technologies (Rosatom in Russia) and pioneer in thermonuclear physics
- ✓ Mercouri Kanatzidis professor of chemistry and materials science at Northwestern University and senior researcher at the Argonne National Laboratory.
- Q.4. Who among these has been roped in by the World Bank as the Country Director for India?

A) Shaolin Yang

B) Auguste Tano Kouame

C) Axel van Trotsenburg

D) Mari Pangestu

Answer: B

- ✓ World Bank has appointed Côte d'Ivoire national, Auguste Tano Kouame, as the Country Director for India.
- ✓ The term of Auguste is effective from August 01, 2022, for a period of five-years.



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- ✓ He replaces Junaid Kamal Ahmad of Bangladesh.
- ✓ Prior to this, Auguste served as the World Bank's Country Director for the Republic of Turkey.
- ✓ Ivory Coast, also known as Côte d'Ivoire

Capital: Yamoussoukro (political) & Abidjan (economic)

Currency: Franc

WORLD BANK IN NEWS 2022.

- > Auguste Tano Kouame of Côte d'Ivoire appointed as Country Director for India by World Bank.
- World Bank clears US\$1 billion loan for PM Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission.
- World Bank approved USD 245 million loan to modernize India's railway logistics infra.
- World Bank approved USD 250 million loan for India's road safety programme.
- World Bank has approved additional financing of USD 250 million for Outcomes for Accelerated Learning.
- ➤ World Bank has approved a Rs 1,000 crore project to take rainfed farming to new heights in the hilly regions of Uttarakhand.
- World Bank has slashed its growth forecast for India for the current financial year to 7.5 percent.
- > Global Economic Prospects report released, the World Bank
- World Bank announces up to \$30 bn to address food security crisis.
- World bank sanctioned USD 350 million for SRESTHA-G project of Gujarat.
- World Bank approved \$47 million program for India's Mission Karmayogi program.
- ➤ World Bank provided USD 600 million in financial assistance to Sri Lanka to make payments for essential imports.
- ➤ World bank Report States Extreme Poverty in India Decline by 12.3% between 2011-2019.
- World Bank cuts global economy growth forecast to 3.2% for 2022.
- Gujarat Govt to receive Rs 7,500 Cr Loan from World Bank, AIIB.
- > Junaid Ahmad World Bank's India Director, appointed as vice president of operations.
- India and World Bank inks US\$125 million loan to support access to Social Protection Services in West Bengal.
- ➤ WORLD BANK

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Member Countries: 189

➤ World Bank Group : 5 (IBRD, IDA, IFC, MIGA and ICSID).

- ➤ All of these efforts support the Bank Group's twin goals of ending extreme poverty by 2030 and boosting shared prosperity of the poorest 40% of the population in all countries.
- World Bank was created at the 1944 Bretton Woods Conference, along with the International Monetary Fund (IMF).
- India is a member of IBRD, IFC, IDA and MIGA. The country is not a member of the ICSID
- Q.5. Who is the author of the book "Dangerous Earth: What we wish we knew about volcanoes, hurricanes, climate change, earthquakes and more"?

A) Danya Kukafka

B) Ellen Prager

C) Janice Hallett

D) Diane Chamberlain

Answer: B

- ✓ Book titled "Dangerous Earth" by Marine biologist Ellen Prager
- ✓ Marine biologist Ellen Prager has come out with a book titled "Dangerous Earth: What we wish we knew about volcanoes, hurricanes, climate change, earthquakes and more".
- ✓ In the book, the author seeks to respond to the most compelling question: Why can't we better predict the natural disasters?
- ✓ However, Prager has also concluded that preparation and not prediction of natural events, holds the key to prepare for what lies ahead.
- Q.6. Who is the author of the book titled "Lion of the Skies: Hardit Singh Malik, the Royal Air Force and the First World War"?

A) Stephen Barker

B) Lucy Caldwell

C) Sarah Vaughan

D) Diane Chamberlain



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Answer: A

- ✓ Book titled "Lion Of The Skies: Hardit Singh Malik" By Stephen Barker
- ✓ A new book titled "Lion of the Skies: Hardit Singh Malik, the Royal Air Force and the First World War" is all about an "India's first fighter pilot" who participated in the World War, long before the Indian Air Force was born.
- ✓ The book has been written by author Stephen Barker, who describes in great detail, how challenging it
 was for an Indian to serve in the British armed forces, fighting racial discrimination both institutional
 and interpersonal.
- ✓ During the First World War, Hardit Singh Malik served as fighter pilot for both Royal Flying Corps (RFC) and the Royal Air Force (RAF) for fighting Germans.
- ✓ He is also the first Indian Ambassador to France
- Q.7. Recently India inked six agreements with that country whose President Ibrahim Mohamed Solih visited India to further deepen the ties among the two nations. Name that country.

A) Singapore

B) Vietnam

C) Madagascar

D) Maldives

Answer: D

- ✓ Maldivian President Ibrahim Mohamed Solih is on a four-day visit to India from August 01, 2022, to further expand ties between the two countries.
- ✓ On August 02, 2022, the two countries inked six agreements to expand cooperation in several key areas which includes cooperation in capacity building, cyber security, housing, disaster management and infrastructure development in the Maldives.
- ✓ PM Modi even announced a Line of Credit of USD 100 million (one million = 10 lakh) for Maldives, for the completion of development projects in a time-bound manner.
- ✓ MALDIVES

Capital: Male

Currency: Rufiyaa

President : Ibrahim Mohamed Solih Ekuverin Exercise : India and Maldives



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- Q.8. The Government of India has announced what amount of Line of Credit to Maldives for the completion of development projects in a time-bound manner?
 - A) USD 200 million

B) USD 180 million

C) USD 100 million

D) USD 250 million

Answer: C

- ✓ PM Modi even announced a Line of Credit of USD 100 million (one million = 10 lakh) for Maldives, for the completion of development projects in a time-bound manner.
- Q.9. Vijay Kumar Yadav has won bronze medal for India in which game at the 2022 CWG in Birmingham?

A) Judo

B) Archery

C) Shooting

D) Weightlifting

Answer: A

- ✓ Indian Judokas Likmabam Sushila Devi and Vijay Kumar Yadav wins silver and bronze respectively at 2022 CWG
- ✓ Indian Judoka Likmabam Sushila Devi, helped India in getting its seventh medal the at the Commonwealth Games 2022 as she won the silver medal in the women's 48kg category.
- ✓ Sushila lost to Michaela Whitebool of South Africa in the final.
- ✓ Meanwhile, another Indian judoka Vijay Kumar Yadav won bronze medal in men's 60kg judo after he beat Petros Christodoulides of Cyprus.
- ✓ Vijay Kumar Yadav Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh.
- Q.10. Likmabam Sushila Devi has has won Silver medal for India in which game at the 2022 Commonwealth Games (CWG) in Birmingham?

A) Weightlifting

B) Archery

C) Shooting

D) Judo

Answer: D

- ✓ Indian Judoka Likmabam Sushila Devi, helped India in getting its seventh medal the at the Commonwealth Games 2022 as she won the silver medal in the women's 48kg category.
- ✓ She hails from Manipur state in India.



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Q.11. Who has won bronze medal in the Women's 71kg final at the 2022 Birmingham Commonwealth Games?

A) Khumukcham Sanjita Chanu

B) Punam Yadav

C) Sakina Khatun

D) Harjinder Kaur

Answer: D

- ✓ Indian weightlifter Harjinder Kaur has won a bronze medal in the Women's 71kg final at the 2022 Birmingham Commonwealth Games on August 01, 2022.
- ✓ Harjinder claimed the medal after she lifted a total of 212kg (93kg in snatch and 119kg in clean and jerk).
- ✓ England's Sarah Davies won the gold medal with a total of 229 kgs.
- ✓ Canada's Alexis Ashworth bagged the silver with a total lift of 214kg.

Q.12. Who has been appointed as the new Director General of Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP) in place of Sanjay Arora?

A) Sujoy Lal Thaosen

B) Yogendra Dimri

C) Surinder Singh Mahal

D) Rana Pratap Kalita

Answer: A

- ✓ Sujoy Lal Thaosen, the Director General (DG) of the Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB), has been given the additional charge as DG Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP), with effect from August 01, 2022.
- ✓ Thaosen has taken the charge from former ITBP DG Sanjay Arora who has now been appointed as the new Delhi Police Commissioner.
- ✓ Thaosen is a 1988-batch Indian Police Service (IPS) officers from the Madhya Pradesh cadre.
- ✓ ITBP is India's primary border patrol organization with its border with Tibet (China).
- ✓ It is one of the seven Central Armed Police Forces of India.
- ✓ ITBP was formed on 24 October 1962, under the CRPF Act, in the wake of the Sino-Indian War of 1962
- ✓ Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP)

Formed: 24 October, 1962 Headquarters: New Delhi

Director General: Sujoy Lal Thaosen



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CHIEF AND DIRECTOR GENERAL	FORCE						
Sujoy Lal Thaosen	Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP)						
S L Thaosen	Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB)						
Pankaj Kumar Singh	Border Security Force (BSF)						
Pradeep Chandran Nair	Assam Rifles						
Vivek Ram Chaudhari	Air Force Chief						
Manoj Mukund Naravane	Army Chief						
R Hari Kumar	Navy Chief						
Sheel Vardhan Singh	Central Industrial Security Force (CISF)						
Virender Singh Pathania	Indian Coast Guard (ICG)						
Kuldiep Singh	Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF)						
M A Ganapathy	National Security Guard (NSG)						
Gurbirpal Singh	National Cadet Corps (NCC)						

Q.13. Which company has emerged as the top bidder at India's first ever 5G spectrum auctions?

A) Bharti Airtel

B) Vodafone Idea

C) BSNL

D) Reliance Jio

Answer : D

- ✓ Reliance Jio, India's largest digital services provider, is ready to roll-out the world's most advanced 5G Network to make India a global leader in Digital Connectivity and Digital Solutions.
- ✓ Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited has acquired spectrum in 700MHz, 800MHz, 1800MHz, 3300MHz and 26GHz bands in the 5G auctions conducted by the Department of Telecommunications.
- ✓ The acquisition will enable Jio to build the world's most advanced 5G network and strengthen India's global leadership in wireless broadband connectivity
- ✓ The fifth generation (5G) telecom services are likely to launch in India by October 2022.
- ✓ India's first ever 5G spectrum auction has ended with the government netting a record over ₹1,50,173 crore.
- ✓ Reliance Jio was the top bidder, bidding a cumulative ₹88,078 crores for 24,740 MHz of airwaves.



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- ✓ The mop-up from the 5G spectrum, is almost double the ₹77,815 crores worth 4G airwaves sold last year and triple of ₹50,968.37 crore garnered from a 3G auction in 2010.
- ✓ Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited

√ Founded: 15 February 2007

✓ Founder: Mukesh Ambani

✓ Headquarters: Mumbai, Maharashtra

✓ Chairman : Akash Ambani

✓ Managing Director : Pankaj Mohan Pawar

- ✓ Reliance Industries has raised ₹1.65 lakh crore (US\$22 billion) by selling nearly 33% equity stake in Jio Platforms.
- ✓ It is the largest mobile network operator in India and the third largest mobile network operator in the world
- ✓ Jio Payments Bank : Reliance Industries (70%) + State Bank of India (30%)

Q.14. Which airline is bringing out a new policy, allowing pilots to fly after retirement?

A) Vistara

B) Jet Airways

C) Air India

D) Indigo

Answer: C

- ✓ Air India has introduced a new policy, under which it will provide an extension of service to select pilots on a contract basis for a period of 5 years after retirement.
- ✓ This contract can be extended till they attain the age of 65 years. The Air India pilots currently retire at the age of 58.
- ✓ The company has decided to change its policy and extend the service of pilots even after retirement in line with the increase in the number of aircraft in its fleet in mind.
- ✓ Tata Sons won the bid to acquire the national carrier Air India on 8 October 2021 for Rs 18,000 crores.
- ✓ Apart from a 100 percent stake in Air India and its low-cost arm, Air India Express, the winning bid also includes a 50 percent stake in Air India SATS Airport Services Private Limited (AISATS).
- ✓ As of August 31, 2021, Air India has a total debt of ₹ 61,562 crores.

✓ AIR INDIA

Founded: 15 October 1932 Headquarters: New Delhi



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Founder: J. R. D. Tata

MD & CEO: Campbell Wilson (New Zealand)

Chairman: N Chandrasekaran

Q.15. Which state government has partnered with the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI)?

A) Assam

B) Odisha

C) Telangana

D) Andhra Pradesh

Answer: B

- ✓ Odisha and the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) signed an MoU making FICCI the National Industry Partner for the Make in Odisha (MIO) Conclave 2022.
- ✓ To attract investors & entrepreneurs from around the world, the 3rd edition of the MIO conclave is scheduled to be held from November 30th to December 4th, 2022
- ✓ Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI)

Formation: 1927

Founder: Ghanshyam Das Birla

Purshottamdas Thakurdas Headquarters : New Delhi

Secretary General: Dilip Chenoy

President: Sanjiv Mehta

Director General: Arun Chawla

Q.16. Who has been appointed as the Principal Director General of the Press Information Bureau (PIB)?

A) Rajesh Talwar

B) Raju Ahmed

C) Satyendra Prakash

D) Alok Chakrawal

Answer : C

- ✓ Satyendra Prakash on 1 August 2022 assumed charge as Principal Director General of the Press Information Bureau (PIB).
- ✓ He succeeded Jaideep Bhatnagar who superannuated on 31 July 2022.
- ✓ Prior to this, Mr Prakash held the position of Principal DG, Central Bureau of Communication.



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Q.17. Weapon of Mass Destruction and their Delivery Systems Amendment Bill 2022 seeks to amend the Weapons of Mass Destruction and their Delivery Systems Act of which year?

A) 2001

B) 2003

C) 2005

D) 2004

Answer : C

- ✓ Parliament has passed the Weapon of Mass Destruction and their Delivery Systems (Prohibition of Unlawful Activities) Amendment Bill 2022.
- ✓ It seeks to amend the Weapons of Mass Destruction and their Delivery Systems (Prohibition of Unlawful Activities) Act, 2005.
- ✓ The 2005 Act prohibits unlawful activities such as manufacturing, transport or transfer related to weapons of mass destruction.
- Q.18. Nitin Gadkari has inaugurated and laid the foundation stone of 6 National Highway projects of 119 km worth Rs 2300 cr in which state?

A) Maharashtra

B) Telangana

C) Madhya Pradesh

D) Uttar Pradesh

Answer: C

- ✓ Union Minister for Road Transport and Highways Nitin Gadkari inaugurated and laid the foundation stone of 6 National Highway projects of 119 km worth Rs 2300 cr in Indore, Madhya Pradesh.
- ✓ The development of the Dhar-Pithampur Industrial Corridor will create new employment opportunities.
- ✓ An MoU was signed between the state govt and NHAI for the construction of ropeways at 14 selected places in MP.
- Q.19. Railways Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw has flagged off Badi Sadri-Mavli gauge converted rail section in which city?

A) Ajmer

B) Badkulla

C) Chittorgarh

D) Dabhaura

Answer : C

✓ Union Rail Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw has inaugurated the Badi Sadri-Mavli gauge converted rail section.



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- ✓ He flagged off Badi Sadri-Udaipur City daily special and Rewa-Udaipur City weekly special and Siuri-Sealdah MEMU train virtually in the program organized at Badi Sadri in Chittorgarh Rajasthan.
- ✓ Union Rail Minister, Ashwini Vaishnaw has inaugurated the Badi Sadri-Mavli gauge converted rail section.
- ✓ The railway stations that are currently in the redevelopment phase are being built with a plan keeping in mind the next 50 years.

Q.20. Vidyanidhi Programme has been launched by which state government?

A) Odisha

B) Assam

C) Chhattisgarh

D) Karnataka

Answer: D

- ✓ Karnataka CM Basavaraj Bommai has announced various welfare programmes on the occasion of his government completing one year in office.
- ✓ Vidyanidhi Programme: This provides scholarship from Rs 2,500 to Rs 11,000 to the children of farmers, weavers, taxi drivers and fishermen, who studying in 11th class.
- ✓ Swami Vivekananda Yuva Sangha will be started in 28,000 villages and training will be given to the youths for them to evolve into entrepreneurs and five Engineering colleges will be upgraded to the standards followed by IITs.

Q.21. Which of the following has conducted a Maritime Partnership Exercise (MPX) with French Naval Ships in the North Atlantic Ocean?

A) INS Vikramaditya

B) INS Vikrant

C) INS Tarkash

D) INS Arihant

Answer : C

- ✓ The Indian Navy's guided-missile frigate INS Tarkash (while on her long-range overseas deployment) has conducted a Maritime Partnership Exercise (MPX) with French naval ships in the North Atlantic Ocean.
- ✓ Replenishment at sea was exercised between Tarkash and the French Fleet Tanker FNS Somme.
- ✓ This was followed by joint air operations with the maritime surveillance aircraft Falcon 50 participating in multiple simulated missile engagements and air defence drills.



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✓ The successful conduct of these surface and aerial exercises symbolizes the high degree of professionalism and interoperability that exists between the two navies.

Q.22. The Indian Air Force will retire one of its four remaining squadrons, MiG-21 fighter jets by 2022 September and other three scheduled to be phased out by 2025. From which country did India buy MiG-21 fighter jets?

A) Israel

B) France

C) Russia

D) United States

Answer: C

- ✓ Indian Air Force will retire one of its four remaining squadrons, MiG-21 (Russian combat aircraft) fighter jets by 2022 September and other three scheduled to be phased out by 2025.
- ✓ The old MiG-21s will be replaced with newer fighter jets.
- ✓ Six MiG-21s have been lost in crashes in the last 20 months, killing five pilots.
- ✓ The MiG-21s were supposed to be retired a long time ago but delays in induction of the LCA Tejas aircraft have forced the IAF to continue flying these planes.
- ✓ The air force received its first single-engine MiG-21 in 1963.
- ✓ The fighter jet has been participated in many operations like Safed Sagar (Kargil, 1999), operation of India in Pakistan in February 2019.
- Q.23. Who has clinched the gold in the men's and women's skeet events in the inaugural Digvijay Singh Memorial Shooting Championship?
 - A) Manu Bhaker and Abhinav Bindra
 - B) Elavenil Valarivan and Gagan Narang
 - C) Razia Dhillon and Mairaj Ahmad Khan
 - D) Rahi Sarnobat and Saurabh Chaudhary

Answer : C

- ✓ Olympic medallists, Mairaj Ahmad Khan and Raiza Dhillon have claimed gold medals in men's and women's skeet events respectively in the inaugural Digvijay Singh Memorial Shooting Championship (Shotgun).
- ✓ Arjun Thakur of Madhya Pradesh has silver position and Gurjoat Singh from Punjab has settled for bronze in Men's category.



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- ✓ Dhillon has bagged double gold after winning the Junior Women's Skeet competition over Parinaaz Dhaliwal from Punjab.
- ✓ Mairaj, who had become the first Indian to win skeet gold at the ISSF World Cup earlier this month, shot 115 in qualification to claim the sixth spot and just about made it to the semi-finals stage among the top eight shooters.

Q.24. Which day is celebrated as the World Wide Web Day?

A) 31 July

B) 01 August

C) 02 August

D) 03 August

Answer: B

- ✓ World Wide Web Day is observed on the 1st of August every year.
- ✓ It is an annual event that celebrates the history, development, and worldwide impact of the World Wide Web (WWW).
- ✓ The WWW was created by English computer scientist Tim Berners-Lee in 1989 in Switzerland.
- ✓ He developed the essentials of the web like HyperText Transfer Protocol (HTTP), Hyper text markup language (HTML), the WorldWideWeb browser, a server, and the first website.

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Q.1. What is the Share percentage of Reliance Industries limited in Jio Payment bank?

A) 10%

B) 20%

C) 70%

D) 50%

Answer: C

✓ Jio Payments Bank Limited is a joint venture between the Reliance Industries and the State Bank of India with the stake of 70:30.



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Q.2.	Who first time design	aned the current tric	olour flag of Governme	ent of India?

A) Hardyal Pandey

B) Bankim Chandra

C) Rabindranath Tagore

D) Pingali Venkayya

Answer: D

Q.3. The design of the Indian National Flag was adopted by Constituent Assembly on

A) 24th January, 1950

B) 27th December, 1946

C) 22nd July, 1947

D) 26th November, 1949

Answer: C

✓ The design of the National Flag was adopted by the Constituent Assembly of India on July 22, 1947.

Q.4. What is the ratio of length and width of National Flag of India?

A) 3:2

B) 4:3

C) 2:1

D) 5:4

Answer: C

- ✓ The ratio of the length to the height (width) of the Flag shall be 3 : 2.
- Q.5. The Supreme Court has held that hoisting the National Flag a top the private buildings is a fundamental right of every citizen under:

A) Article 14 of the Constitution

B) Article 19 (1) (A) of the Constitution

C) Article 21 of the Constitution

D) Article 25 of the Constitution

Answer: B

- ✓ The Supreme Court has held that hoisting the National Flag atop the private buildings is a fundamental right of every citizen under Article 19 (1) (A) of the Constitution.
- ✓ Article 19(1)(a) of the Constitution of India guarantees to all its citizens the right to freedom of speech and expression.
- ✓ The law states that "all citizens shall have the right to freedom of speech and expression".

Q.6. Who is known for the invention of 'World Wide Web'?

A) Sir Tim Berners Lee

B) Maxwell

C) Martin Cooper

D) S A Forbes

Answer: A



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Q.	7	Anahat	Singh i	is asso	ciated	with	which	sports?

A) Swimming

B) Fencing

C) Archery

D) Squash

Answer: D

Q.8. Tata Airlines was originally launched in the year __.

A) 1944

B) 1932

C) 1956

D) 1968

Answer: B

✓ JRD Tata flew the first flight of Tata Airlines on October 15, 1932.

Q.9. In October 2021, which company won the bid to acquire the Air India?

A) Adani Group

B) Tata Sons

C) Aditya Birla Group

D) Reliance Group

Answer: B

- ✓ Tata Sons won the bid to acquire the national carrier Air India on 8 October 2021 for Rs 18,000 crores.
- ✓ Apart from a 100 percent stake in Air India and its low-cost arm, Air India Express, the winning bid also includes a 50 percent stake in Air India SATS Airport Services Private Limited (AISATS).
- ✓ As of August 31, 2021, Air India has a total debt of ₹ 61,562 crores.

Q.10. Harjinder Kaur is associated with which sports?

A) Boxing

B) Hockey

C) Weightlifting

D) Wrestling

Answer: C



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