



CURRENT AFFAIRS



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NATIONAL

1. Mumbai International Film Festival (MIFF)

Why in news - The 17th Mumbai International Film Festival (MIFF) began on 29th May 2022. (29th May to 4th June).

Key Points –

- Bangladesh is the 'Country of Focus' to commemorate its 50 years of independence.
- Total of 11 films including 'Hasina : A Daughter's Tale' was screened.
- Special screening of 'Ramayana : The Legend of Prince Rama' (1st animation film co-produced by India and Japan).

2. Nano Urea (Liquid) Plant

Why in news – PM Narendra Modi inaugurated world's first Nano Urea Liquid plant by IFFCO at Kalol, Gandhinagar (Gujarat) on 28th May.

Key Points –

- It has been indigenously developed at Nano Biotechnology Research Centre, Kalol, Gujrat.
- It has production capacity of 1.5 lakh bottles per day.

ECONOMY

1. India's biggest trading partner

Why in news -The US surpassed China to become India's top trading partner in 2021-22.

Key Points –

- India-USA trade (2021-22) - \$119.42 billion. (2020-21 - \$80.51 billion).
- Exports to USA - \$76.11 billion, Imports - \$43.31 billion.

- India-China trade (2021-22) - \$115.42 billion (2020-21 - \$86.4 billion).
- India's top 5 trading partners – USA> China> UAE> Saudi Arabia>Iraq.

SECURITY

1. INS Gomati

Why in news - Indian Navy has decommissioned INS Gomati after 34 years of its service in Mumbai on 28th May.

Key Points –

- It was commissioned on 16th April 1988.
- An MoU was signed between the Uttar Pradesh government and the Indian Navy to build an open-air museum on the banks of the Gomti river in Lucknow.

APPS & PORTALS

1. Indian Business Portal

Why in news - Minister of State for Commerce and Industry Anupriya Patel launched the Indian Business Portal in New Delhi.

Key Points –

- It helps Indian startups, SMEs, artisans and farmers to reach more foreign buyers.
- It was designed by the Federation of Indian Export Organisations (FIEO) and GlobalLinker.
- India's overall exports touched \$676.2 bn in FY22. (\$526.6 bn in FY20 and \$497.9 bn in FY21).

APPOINTMENTS

1. Lovlina Borgohain

Why in news - Lovlina Borgohain has been



elected as chairman and voting member on the Board of Directors for the IBA's Athletes Committee.

Key Points –

- She had won the bronze medal in Tokyo Olympics 2021.
- Boxer Shiva Thapa has also been elected as a member of the IBA Athletes Committee.

AWARDS & HONOURS

1. L'Oeil d'Or documentary award (or Golden Eye Award)

Why in news - Shaunak Sen's documentary 'All That Breathes' has won the 2022 L'Oeil d'Or award at Cannes 2022.

Key Points –

- It was India's only entry at the Cannes.
- Earlier, the film also won the World Cinema Documentary Grand Jury Award on 28th January.

IMPORTANT DAYS

1. Menstrual Hygiene Day 2022

Why in news - World Menstrual Hygiene Day is observed on 28th May every year to spread awareness and end the stigma around menstruation.

Key Points –

- Theme - Making menstruation a normal fact of life by 2030.
- It was initiated by the German non-profit WASH United in 2013.

SUMMITS & CONFERENCES

1. National Mineral Congress

Why in news - The Ministry of Coal organised the National Mineral Congress in Bhubaneswar on 27th May with the support of Power Ministry, Steel Ministry and Mines Ministry.

Key Points –

- Government aims to achieve 100 MT coal gasification by 2030.
- Jindal Steel & Power commissioned the coal gasification plant of 225,000 Normal Meter Cubed per Hour (Nm³/hr) capacity in 2014 at Angul, Odisha.
- India has a reserve of 307 billion tonnes of thermal coal and about 80% of coal produced is used in thermal power plants.

2. 3rd Global Organic Expo 2022

Why in news - 3rd Global Organic Expo 2022 concluded on 28th May. (26-28th May).

Key Points –

- Theme - Profitability for Humanity.
- Venue - Indian Agriculture Research Institute, Pusa, New Delhi.
- India ranks 1st in number of organic farmers and 9th in terms of area under organic farming.
- Sikkim became the 1st State in the world to become fully organic in 2016.

SPORTS

1. ISSF Junior World Cup 2022

Why in news - International Shooting Sport Federation (ISSF) Junior World Cup 2022 concluded at Suhl in Germany.

Key Points –

- Indian junior shooting team came at 1st position overall. (2nd - Italy).
- They won 33 medals in total. (13 gold, 15 silver and 5 bronze).
- Indian contingent was led by Manu Bhaker and Saurabh Chaudhary.
- In ISSF Junior World Cup (2021), India had 43 medals. (17 golds, 16 silvers and 10 bronze).

2. IPL 2022

Why in news - Gujarat Titans won the 15th edition of the Indian Premier League (IPL) by defeating Rajasthan Royals on 29th May.

Key Points –

- Venue - Narendra Modi Stadium, Ahmedabad.
- Purple cap winner: Yuzvendra Chahal (RR) (27 Wickets).
- Orange cap winner : Jos Buttler (RR) (863 Runs).
- Most valuable player : Jos Buttler.
- Emerging player : Umran Malik.
- Fastest delivery : Lockie Ferguson (GT) (157.3 kmph).

STATES/UTs

1. Uttarakhand forms panel to implement Uniform Civil Code.

Why in news - Uttarakhand has constituted a five-member committee to draft a Uniform Civil Code (UCC).

Key Points –

- It would be chaired by SC judge Ranjana Prakash Desai.
- Other members - Pramod Kohli, Manu Gaur, Shatrughan Singh and Surekha Dangwal.
- Uttarakhand would be the 2nd state after Goa to implement UCC.
- UCC is a directive principle under Article 44 of the Constitution.
- SC in the Shah Bano case (1985) and Sarla Mudgal Case (1995) asked government to move towards a UCC.

BIHAR

1. Ganga water supply scheme

Why in news - Under the Jal-Jeevan-Hariyali Abhiyan, the Ganga water supply scheme would start functioning from May 2022.

Key Points –

- It would provide drinking water to Rajgir, Navada, Gaya and Bodh Gaya.
- Currently, Water would be stored in Rajgir.

(Tank capacity - 78500 cubic meters).

- Rajgir reservoir (Area – 357.64 acre) is being constructed between Ghorakatora lake and Panchane river for water supply in Rajgir city.

2. Mega Textile Park

Why in news - The proposed Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel Park would be setup in West Champaran.

Key Points –

- 1700 acres of land has been identified in Bagaha, Madhubani and Bhithan.
- Under the Pradhan Mantri Mitra Yojana, 7 Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel Parks would be established across the country.

Others –

- Under the Cluster Development Scheme, contribution of government is fixed at 90% (maximum 10 crores) to promote MSMEs in Bihar.

Cluster	Place
Rice Mill	Lakhisarai
Oyster Button	Menmehsi
Bathna Oyster Button	East Champaran
Silao Khaja	Nalanda
Kanhaiya ganj Jhula	Nalanda
Bronze-Brass	Vaishali and W. Champaran

3. Indian Green Building Council (IGBC)

Why in news – Dr. Udaykant Mishra inaugurated IGBC building at Patna.

Key Points –

- It is 29th chapter of IGBC.
- IGBC is a part of CII. It aims to enable a sustainably built environment (green buildings) for all.
- Kandla Special Economic Zone (KASEZ) has become the first Green SEZ.

4. Mayank Kumar

Why in news – Mayank Kumar has won bronze medal in the National Wrestling Championship.

Key Points –

- Venue – Ranchi
- He belongs to Rohtas district.
- Category – 75 kg Greco- Roman category

5. 'Har Khet Tak Pani' yojana

Why in news – Under the scheme, work on Minor irrigation would be done on 203 programs this year.

Key Points –

- State government has made an action plan of 200 crores for this. (from budget – 200cr).
- An outline of 29000 programs (26652 schemes - Micro Water Resources department) has been made.
- Under the Saat Nishchay-2, government aims to provide irrigation to every field between 2020-2025.
- It would irrigate an area of 5.96 lakh hectares. Budget – Rs 5573 crores.



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- Who has inaugurated the program 'Arogya Manthan' in Bhopal
- **President Ram Nath Kovind.**
- Who has unveiled 16 feet tall statue of late CM M. Karunanidhi in Chennai
- **Vice President M. Venkaiah Naidu.**
- Which bank has approved the opening of a branch in GIFT City for foreign currency lending - **MUFG Bank of Japan.**
- Which country has test-fired Zircon hypersonic cruise missile - **Russia.**
- According to SBI report, what percent will India's GDP growth be in FY22
- **8.2 to 8.5%.**
- Who has recently launched the project 'Nigah' at ICD Garhi Harsaru, Gurugram - **Surjit Bhujbal.**
- Who has approved the sale of 29.5% stake of Government of India in Hindustan Zinc - **CCEA (Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs).**
- Which day is celebrated on 30th May - **Hindi Journalism Day.**
- Which Union Minister has recently inaugurated the country's first 'Lavender Festival' in Bhandarwah, Jammu - **Dr Jitendra Singh.**
- In which Indian city India's tallest OPD medical tower will be built - **Jaipur.**

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