



## 11-09-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

**1) Which state government launched 'Samarth' e-governance portal?**

- a) Uttarakhand                      b) Karnataka                      c) Meghalaya                      d) Gujarat

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** The Uttarakhand education department launched an e-governance portal "Samarth". This portal provides all administrative and educational updates including information about entrance exams, salary structures, and appointments from five state universities and 140 public schools.

**Static Points:**

Uttarakhand **Capitals:** Dehradun (Winter), Gairsain (Summer)

**Governor:** Gurmit Singh

**Chief minister:** Pushkar Singh Dhami

**2) Which institute join to Inspire Institute of Sports for innovative boxing analytics software?**

- a) IIT Kharagpur                      b) IIT Madras                      c) IIT Delhi                      d) IIT Bombay

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** IIT Madras joins Inspire Institute of Sports: IIT Madras researchers and Inspire Institute of Sports in Karnataka have joined forces to create the analytics platform "Smartboxer." To boost India's boxing medal total at the 2024 Olympics, advanced boxing analytics software is being created. It will use wearable sensors and cameras with Internet of Things (IoT) capabilities to deliver feedback and performance evaluations.

**3) Which bank and WAAREE collaborate to Fund Projects for Customers and Channel Partners?**

- a) BOB                      b) RBI                      c) SBI                      d) PNB

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** WAAREE, India's largest Solar Panel manufacturer has entered into an Agreement with State Bank Of India (SBI) for availing unsecured financing for solar projects through Surya Shakti Solar Finance Scheme and providing working capital for Channel Partners under EDFs (Electronic dealer finance scheme).

**4) Which state CM launches 'Rural Backyard Piggery Scheme'?**

- a) Uttar Pradesh                      b) Meghalaya                      c) Gujarat                      d) Bihar

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Meghalaya Chief Minister Conrad K Sangma has launched the 'Rural Backyard Piggery Scheme' to ensure the farmers earn a sustainable livelihood through different livestock farming activities. The government has earmarked Rs 15.18 crore under which four high-yielding improved varieties will be distributed to 6000 families.

**Static Points:**

Meghalaya **Capital:** Shillong; **Governor:** Satya Pal Malik; **Chief minister:** Conrad Sangma

**5) Which company tie-up with Smiths Detection to manufacture scanning systems?**

- a) GAIL                      b) BHEL                      c) BEL                      d) ONGC

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Smiths Detection, a global leader in threat detection and security inspection technologies, for offering advanced, high-energy scanning systems to the Indian market. This MoU marks Smiths Detection's first manufacturing operation in India.

**6) Which country awarded 'Meritorious Service Medal' to Lamba, Former Navy Chief of India?**

- a) Singapore                      b) Cambodia                      c) Malaysia                      d) Indonesia

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Former India Chief of Naval Staff, Admiral Sunil Lanba has been conferred Singapore's prestigious military award, the PingatJasaGemilang (Tentera) or Meritorious Service Medal (Military) (MSM(M)), by President HalimahYacob. Both navies also commemorated the Silver Jubilee of the Singapore-India Maritime Bilateral Exercise in 2018.

**Static Points:**

Singapore **President:** HalimahYacob ; **Currency:** Singapore dollar

**7) When was National Forest Martyrs Day is observed?**

- a) 8th September    b) 9th September    c) 10th September    d) 11th September

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** The tragic Khejarli massacre occurred on September 11, 1730, which is why this day was chosen to be recognised as National Forest Martyrs Day. The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change declared in 2013 that a day should be set aside in honour of forests and people who protect India's forests, jungles, and wildlife.

**8) \_\_\_ partnered with Odisha to offer Bill Payment Solution.**

- a) Idea                      b) Jio                      c) BSNL                      d) Airtel

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** Bharti Airtel has launched a pilot project in partnership with the TP Northern Odisha Distribution to offer bill payment solutions to more than 2 million customers. The pilot project will be mobilized to 4000 Airtel Payment Banks (APBs) in northern Odisha to facilitate the bill payments.

**9) DRDO & Indian Army Successfully Conduct Six Flight-Tests of QRSAM Off \_\_\_ coast.**

- a) Karnataka              b) Andhra Pradesh              c) Odisha              d) Kerala

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** The Indian Army and Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) have successfully conducted six flight tests of the Quick Reaction Surface to Air Missile (QRSAM) system. The tests were conducted at the Integrated Test Range (ITR) in Chandipur, situated off the Odisha coast.

**10) The government has set up a committee under \_\_\_ to moderate gas prices in India in September 2022.**

- a) Kirit Parikh              b) Janki Ballabh              c) Pradeep Kumar              d) YM Deosthalee

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** The government has set up a committee under Kirit Parikh to moderate gas prices in India in September 2022. The panel will review the pricing of gas produced by companies like ONGC and Reliance Industries as it looks to moderate the steep increase that producers.

## 12-09-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

**1) AICTE collaborate with which company to promote digital literacy in India?**

- a) Dell      b) Microsoft      c) Nvidia      d) Adobe

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** The All-India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) signed a partnership agreement with Adobe to accelerate digital creativity skill across the country. Adobe will provide training for educators, provide courses, and incorporate digital creativity into the curriculum to give kids the fundamental creative and digital literacy skills they need to succeed in today's digital-first society.

**Static Points:**

**Adobe CEO:** Shantanu Narayen; **Headquarters:** San Jose, California, United States

**2) Who launches Pradhan Mantri TB Mukht Bharat Abhiyaan?**

- a) Narendra Modi    b) DroupadiMurmu    c) Venkaiah Naidu    d) Ram NathKovind

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** The President of India, SmtDroupadiMurmu virtually launched the Pradhan Mantri TB Mukht Bharat Abhiyaan. This is aimed at working towards TB elimination from the country by 2025, said a release issued by the Health Ministry. The 'Abhiyaan' will be launched in the presence of Union Minister of Health and Family Welfare (HFW) Mansukh Mandaviya, and Minister of State (HFW) Bharati Pravin Pawar, among other dignitaries.

**3) Who laid the New Coastal Zone Management Plan for Karnataka?**

- a) Narendra Modi    b) DroupadiMurmu    c) Venkaiah Naidu    d) Ram NathKovind

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Prime Minister Narendra Modi laid the foundation for various works worth Rs 3,800 crore at Goldfinch city in Karnataka. Karnataka is the first State in southern India and only the second state in the country to get the Plan prepared and approved as per the new Coastal Regulation Zone (CRZ) notification.

**4) G-7 Countries Agrees to Price Cap System with which country?**

- a) Canada                      b) Japan                      c) Russia                      d) India

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Members of the G7 have agreed to impose a price cap on Russian oil in a bid to hit Moscow's ability to finance the war in Ukraine. The cap on crude oil and petroleum products would also help reduce global energy prices. The G7 (Group of Seven) consists of the UK, US, Canada, France, Germany, Italy and Japan.

**5) Which state government has launched a rainwater harvesting scheme named CHHATA?**

- a) Gujarat                      b) Odisha                      c) Assam                      d) Bihar

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Odisha government has launched a rainwater harvesting scheme named 'Community Harnessing and Harvesting Rainwater Artificially from Terrace to Aquifer (CHHATA). The new scheme was approved by the Cabinet last month. It will be implemented for a period of five years.

**6) Army, Air Force conduct joint exercise 'Gagan strike' in \_\_\_\_.**

- a) Punjab                      b) Bihar                      c) Kerala                      d) Gujarat

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Army's Kharga Corps and the Air Force have conducted joint exercise 'Gagan Strike' in Punjab. The exercise, conducted over four days, comprised the deployment of attack helicopters as the aerial arm in support of ground forces carrying out drills, practising annihilation of enemy defences and deep penetration.

**7) The United States issued how many student visas to Indians in 2022, according to the US embassy in India?**

- a) 62,000                      b) 87,000                      c) 82,000                      d) 92,000

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Indians received a record-breaking 82,000 student visas from the United States in 2022, more than any other nation, according to an official announcement. The US Mission said the 82,000 Indian students who received visas this year make up roughly 20 percent of all foreign students enrolled in American universities.

**8) Bihar CM Nitish Kumar has inaugurated India's longest rubber dam 'Gayaji Dam' on \_\_\_ river.**

- a) Koshi River      b) Punpun River      c) Falgu River      d) Bagmati River

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Bihar Chief Minister, Nitish Kumar has inaugurated India's longest rubber dam 'Gayaji Dam' on the Falgu River in Gaya. The dam has been built at an estimated cost of Rs 324 crore. Experts from IIT (Roorkee) were involved with the project. The dam, aimed at providing uninterrupted water supply to Vishnupad Temple in Gaya throughout the year.

**Static Points:**

Bihar **Capital:** Patna; **Governor:** Phagu Chauhan; **Chief Minister:** Nitish Kumar

**9) Mohla-Manpur-AmbaghChowki becomes the 29th district of which state?**

- a) Telangana      b) Bihar      c) Chhattisgarh      d) Jharkhand

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Chhattisgarh Chief Minister, BhupeshBaghel inaugurated the newly formed district Mohla-Manpur-AmbagarhChowki as the 29th district of the state. He also unveiled the map of the district on the occasion. The new district will be under the Mohla-Manpur-AmbagarhChowkiDurg division.

**Static Points:**

Chhattisgarh **Capital:** Raipur; **Governor:** AnusuiyaUikey; **Chief minister:** BhupeshBaghel

**10) Which passes law authorizing nuclear strikes as form of defence?**

- a) South Korea      b) North Korea      c) Japan      d) China

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** North Korea has approved a law that gives it the authority to launch a nuclear attack in advance. With the recently passed law, North Korea's status as a nuclear weapons state has become irreversible. North Korea, this year tested a record number of weapons, including an intercontinental ballistic missile.



## 13-09-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

**1) Who launched the programme SETU in San Francisco, US. What does E stand for in SETU?**

- a) Amit Shah      b) Jitendra Singh      c) Anurag Thakur      d) Piyush Goyal

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** Piyush Goyal launches SETU which aims to connect Indian startups to US investors. The India-US start-up SETU, which stands for Supporting Entrepreneurs for Transformation and Upskilling, will act as a bridge between American and Indian companies. The start-up will help entrepreneurs in upskilling, transforming and leveraging the success stories of the Indian diaspora in the US.

**Static Points:**

**Piyush Goyal:** Minister of Commerce & Industry, Minister of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution and Minister of Textiles

**Constituency:** Maharashtra

**2) Which month is recognized as International PCOS Awareness Month?**

- a) June      b) July      c) August      d) September

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** The month of September is recognized as International PCOS Awareness Month. Polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS) is a common hormonal disorder in women that is also the leading cause of female infertility. Polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS) is a serious genetic, hormone, metabolic and reproductive disorder that affects women and girls.

**3) \_\_\_ declared India's best B-school in Financial Times (FT) Masters in Management (MiM) Ranking 2022.**

- a) IIM Rohtak      b) IIM Lucknow      c) IIM Bangalore      d) IIM Indore

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Indian Institute of Management-Bangalore has been declared India's best business school in the Financial Times (FT) Masters in Management (MiM) Ranking 2022. The institute's global position has also seen a leap this year - IIMB is at number 31 globally in 2022, up from number 47 in 2021.



**4) PM Narendra Modi has inaugurated the Centre-State Science Conclave via video conferencing in which city?**

- a) Mumbai                      b) Ahmedabad                      c) Gandhinagar                      d) Bangalore

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Shri Narendra Modi inaugurated the 'Centre-State Science Conclave' in Ahmedabad via video conferencing. Addressing the gathering, the Modi highlighted that the organization of this conclave is a clear example of SabkaPrayas. Modi remarked "Science is like that energy in the development of 21st century India, which has the power to accelerate the development of every region and the development of every state.

**Static Points:**

Shri Narendra Modi, Prime Minister and also in charge of - Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances, & Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space, All important policy issues, and All other portfolios not allocated to any Minister.

**Constituency** - Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh

**5) When was World First Aid day is observed?**

- a) 2nd Sunday of September                      b) 2nd Saturday of September  
c) 3rd Monday of September                      d) 2nd Friday of September

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** World First Aid Day is celebrated every year on the second Saturday of September. This year, World First Aid Day 2022 falls on 10 September 2022. The day is recognized worldwide to promote the significance of first aid, which is an important fundamental skill, and to create awareness on a global level about how it can save precious lives.

**6) Which private space startups has secured its first patent for the design and manufacturing of its 3D-printed rocket engine?**

- a) Pixxel                      b) Dhruva Space                      c) Agnikul                      d) Orbex

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Agnikul this month announced that it had received the patent for the design and manufacturing of its single-piece rocket engines from India's government. Its Agnilet engine is the world's first single-piece 3D printed rocket engine fully designed and manufactured in India. It was successfully test-fired in early 2021.

**7) Who has been recently appointed as the SAFEMA Appellate Tribunal chief?**

- a) MunishwarNath Bhandari  
c) SudhiRanjan Das
- b) M. PatanjaliSastri  
d) A.K. Sarkar

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** The post of the Chairperson of the Tribunal was vacant since September 2019. "Hon'ble Mr Justice MunishwarNath Bhandari is required to take charge of the post of Chairman, Appellate Tribunal under SAFEMA within 30 days from the date of issue of this order. He was then transferred to the Allahabad High Court in March 2019 and was appointed the Acting Chief Justice of that high Court in June 2019.

**8) Which payment platform has tokenized 14 million credit and debit cards on its platform in line with RBI mandate for information security?**

- a) Google Pay                      b) BharatPe                      c) PhonePe                      d) Paytm

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** PhonePe has tokenised 14 million credit and debit cards on its platform in line with the Reserve Bank of India's (RBI) mandate for information security. According to Walmart-backed company, it has tokenised more than 80 percent of its active users' cards since it started the exercise in December 2021.

**Static Points:**

**PhonePe CEO:** Sameer Nigam; **Headquarters:** Maharashtra

**9) Indian Army Kharga Corps and the Indian Air Force have conducted a joint exercise 'Gagan Strike' in \_\_\_\_\_.**

- a) Assam                      b) Punjab                      c) Bihar                      d) Karnataka

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Army's Kharga Corps and the Air Force conducted joint exercise 'Gagan strike' in Punjab. The exercise comprised the deployment of attack helicopters as the aerial arm in support of ground forces carrying out drills, practising annihilation of enemy defences and deep penetration.

**Static Points:**

Punjab **Capital:** Chandigarh; **Governor:** BanwarilalPurohit

**Chief minister:** Bhagwant Mann

**10) International Conference on Green Ship Recycling & Vehicle Scrapping held at which state?**

- a) Gujarat                      b) Karnataka                      c) Odisha                      d) Andhra Pradesh

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Union Shipping Minister Shri Sarbananda Sonowal while congratulating Team Gujarat for organizing the Green Ship Recycling and Vehicle Scrapping International Conference said that Gujarat is India's gateway in the commercial sector with 1600 km of coastline and Gujarat is now one of the preferred maritime destinations.

**Static Points:**

Gujarat **Capital:** Gandhinagar; **Governor:** Acharya Devvrat

**Chief minister:** Bhupendrabhai Patel

## **14-09-2022 Current Affairs Quiz**

**1) Which company collaborates with Indian Army for CSR Project?**

- a) HPCL                      b) ONGC                      c) GAIL                      d) BHEL

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd (HPCL) and the Indian Army have collaborated for implementing a CSR project to coach and mentor less privileged girl students in Kargil. The Kargil Ignited Minds project will focus on empowering underprivileged girls with limited resources and residing in extreme weather conditions.

**2) Which state government will provide a unique farm ID similar to Aadhaar number to the farmers of the state?**

- a) Gujarat                      b) Uttar Pradesh                      c) Karnataka                      d) Andhra Pradesh

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Uttar Pradesh government will provide an unique farm ID similar to Aadhar number to the farmers, which will be linked with Aadhar to provide them benefits of all government schemes. Aadhar verification will be used to implement this scheme in the coming days. The government has saved around 8400 crore rupees with the use of Aadhar verification.

### 3) Who inaugurated the Centre-State Science Conclave in Gujarat?

- a) Rajnath Singh    b) Droupadi Murmu    c) Arvind Kejriwal    d) Narendra Modi

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** PM Narendra Modi inaugurated the 'Centre-State Science Conclave', in Ahmedabad, Gujarat. Modi addressed the event via video conferencing, and highlighted the importance of 'SabkaPrayas' in the 'Centre-State Science Conclave'. The 'Centre-State Science Conclave' is a great achievement for India and the government urges the Indian citizens to celebrate the achievements of Indian scientists.

### 4) On which day Hindi Diwas is celebrated?

- a) 12th September    b) 13th September    c) 14th September    d) 15th September

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Hindi is one of the major languages used in India as a large portion of the country's population knows and uses the language. To honor the language, Hindi Diwas is celebrated every year on September 14. Schools, colleges and other educational institutions celebrate Hindi Diwas by organising various programs.

### 5) American Express Banking Corp India has appointed \_\_\_\_ as its CEO and country manager.

- a) Sanjay Khanna    b) Kamesh Goyal    c) Shankar Garigiparthi    d) Ashutosh Gupta

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** American Express Banking Corp India has appointed Sanjay Khanna as its chief executive officer (CEO) and country manager. At present, Khanna heads the country executive team and is responsible for driving growth across the organisation's consumer and commercial businesses.

### 6) Which state tops in India to construct 8462 lakes developed under Mission AmritSarovar?

- a) Gujarat    b) Karnataka    c) Uttar Pradesh    d) Andhra Pradesh

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Uttar Pradesh becomes the first state in India to construct 8,642 AmritSarovar (Lakes) in India. Gorakhpur secured the second position by constructing 245 lakes, and Pratapgarh secured the third position by constructing 231 lakes. AmritSarovar is



**10) Which state will host Ranji trophy matches for the first time in December 2022?**

- a) Sikkim                      b) Odisha                      c) Goa                      d) Assam

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Sikkim will host three Ranji trophy matches for the first time in December. The state will welcome three northeast teams: Mizoram, Manipur and Arunachal Pradesh, at the Mining Cricket Ground near Rangpo. The Cooch Behar Trophy match on November 12 against Assam will be the first major domestic match in Sikkim.

## **15-09-2022 Current Affairs Quiz**

**1) The National Defense MSME Conference and Exhibition has been organized in which state?**

- a) Gujarat                      b) Rajasthan                      c) Odisha                      d) Uttar Pradesh

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** The two-day National Defense MSME Conclave and Exhibition began in Kota, Rajasthan. Defense equipment including T-90 and BMP-2 tanks, artillery guns, & various types of sniper & machine guns are being displayed in the exhibition. Sabha Speaker Om Birla & MoS Defense Ajay Bhatt.

**Static Points:**

Rajasthan **Capital:** Jaipur; **Chief minister:** Ashok Gehlot; **Governor:** Kalraj Mishra

**2) MeitY Startup Hub in collaboration with which company to support and accelerate XR technology?**

- a) Google                      b) Amazon                      c) Meta                      d) Infosys

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** MeitY Startup Hub and Meta Collaborate: In association with Meta, MeitY Startup Hub (MSH) will introduce a programme to help and accelerate XR technology entrepreneurs in India. The government's initiatives to develop skills in cutting-edge and future technology include this collaboration.

**3) Which state government will provide a unique farm ID similar to Aadhaar number to the farmers of the state?**

- a) Gujarat    b) Uttar Pradesh    c) Karnataka    d) Andhra Pradesh

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Uttar Pradesh government will provide an unique farm ID similar to Aadhar number to the farmers, which will be linked with Aadhar to provide them benefits of all government schemes. Aadhar verification will be used to implement this scheme in the coming days. The government has saved around 8400 crore rupees with the use of Aadhar verification.

**4) Wholesale inflation dropped to 11-Month low at 12.4% in which month?**

- a) June    b) July    c) August    d) September

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** Producers' inflation based on Wholesale Price Index (WPI) dropped for the third successive months to a 11-month low of 12.41 percent in August. It was 13.93 percent in July and 11.64 percent in August last year. The core WPI inflation dipped to a 17-month low of 7.9 percent in August.

**5) On which day Engineer's day in India is celebrated?**

- a) 12th September    b) 13th September    c) 14th September    d) 15th September

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** National Engineering Day is celebrated every year in India on September 15 to mark the birth anniversary of Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya, one of the greatest engineers in India. In 1955, he was awarded India's highest civilian award - the Bharat Ratna. Engineering Day 2022 is the 55th National Engineering Day that is being celebrated.

**6) President Murmu appoints \_\_\_\_ from Jammu & Kashmir to Rajya Sabha.**

- a) Gulam Ali    b) Radha Mohan Das    c) Suresh Gopi    d) Narendra Jadhav

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** President Draupadi Murmu has appointed Gulam Ali to the Rajya Sabha. Ali hails from Jammu and Kashmir. This is a significant step assuming that prior to abrogation. Shri Gulam Ali to the Council of the state to fill the vacancy caused due to the retirement of one of the nominated members.



**7) IIT Madras collaboration with which IT company to promote quantum computing in India?**

- a) IBM                      b) Wipro                      c) TCS                      d) HCL

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Indian Institute of Technology, Madras (IIT-Madras) and International Business Machines (IBM) have cooperated to improve quantum computing research and talent development in India. IIT Madras joins the IBM Quantum Network's global membership of over 180 organisations through this agreement.

**8) On which day International Day of Democracy is observed?**

- a) 12th September    b) 13th September    c) 14th September    d) 15th September

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** 15th September 2022 marks the 15th anniversary of the International Day of Democracy. The day is celebrated annually around the world to strengthen democracies and highlight its values and principles. Theme is importance of media freedom to democracy, peace, and delivering on the Sustainable Development Goals.

**9) Railway Revenue Up \_\_\_ percent to Rs 95,486.58 Crore.**

- a) 31%                      b) 38%                      c) 32%                      d) 37%

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** The overall revenue of Indian Railways at the end of August'22 stood at ₹95,486.58 cr, showing an increase of Rs. 26271.29 cr (38%) over the corresponding period of last year. As per the data, Passenger traffic also increased compared to last year in both the segments, reserved as well as unreserved.

**10) Which city hosted the 'All-India Official Language Conference' held in 2022?**

- a) Indore                      b) Surat                      c) Mumbai                      d) Pune

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** The conference is being organised on the occasion of Hindi Day, which is celebrated annually on September 14 across the country. Surta from Gujarat hosted the 'All-India Official Language Conference'. Union Home Minister Amit Shah participated in the All-India Official Language Conference in Gujarat's Surat.

## 16-09-2022 Current Affairs Quiz

**1) Which day is celebrated as the World Ozone Day?**

- a)16 June                      b)15 September                      c)16 September                      d)19 July

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** World Ozone Day is observed on September 16 every year to spread awareness among people about the depletion of the Ozone Layer and find possible solutions to preserve it.

**World Ozone Day 2022 Theme:** "Montreal Protocol@35: global cooperation protecting life on earth" is the theme of World Ozone Day 2022.

**2) Who has inaugurated Ramakrishna Mission's 'Awakening' programme for students of classes 1 to 5?**

- a)Dharmendra Pradhan    b)Nitin Gadkari    c) PM Narendra Modi    d) Rajnath Singh

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:**Union Minister for Education and Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Dharmendra Pradhan launched the new Ramakrishna Mission's 'Awakening' Programme for students studying in classes 1 to 5.

**3)At which lake in Kashmir, the Indian Navy has revived the Naval training area to provide training to National Cadet Corps (NCC) Cadets?**

- a)Dal Lake    b)Wullar Lake    c)Surinsar Lake    d)Manasbal Lake

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** The Indian Navy has revived the Naval training area at Manasbal Lake in Kashmir's Ganderbal district after 33 years to provide training to National Cadet Corps (NCC) Cadets.

**Chief of the Naval Staff:** Admiral R. Hari Kumar

**4)Which bank has become the third lender and seventh Indian company to cross the Rs 5-trillion market cap in September 2022?**

- a)Punjab National Bank    b)HDFC Bank    c)State Bank of India    d)Axis Bank

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** SBI has become the third lender in the country to cross the market cap of Rs 5 lakh crore. HDFC Bank held first rank in this list, which was followed by ICICI Bank. India's largest private lender, HDFC Bank, commands a market capitalisation of 8.52 trillion and that of ICICI Bank stands at 6.40 trillion.

**SBI chairman:** Dinesh Kumar Khara; **SBI Headquarters :** Mumbai

**SBI tagline:** 1) A Bank Of The Common Man. 2) Pure Banking Nothing Else. 3) The Banker To Every Indian. 4) The Nation Banks On Us. 5) With You All The Way. 6) You Can Always Bank On Us

**5) India is set to sign long-term contracts to procure at least 2 million tonnes (mt) of crude from which country?**

- a) Venezuela      b) Colombia      c) Cuba      d) Brazil

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** India's efforts to diversify its energy basket by importing crude oil from non-Opec sources are bearing fruit as it is set to sign long-term contracts to procure at least 2 million tonnes (mt) of crude from Brazil's Petroleo Brasileiro SA (Petrobras) and 1 mt from Colombia's state-run Ecopetrol SA.

**Brazil: -Capital:** Brasilia; **Currency:** Real

**6) In September 2022, with which of the following has Amity University Uttar Pradesh exchanged an MoU to conduct customised courses in niche domains, such as, 5G Technology, Control System Integration, AI, etc?**

- a) BSF      b) Indian Navy      c) CISF      d) Indian Army

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** On 15 September 2022, a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was exchanged between the Indian Navy and Amity University Uttar Pradesh (AUUP). The event was attended by the Chief of Personnel, Vice Admiral Dinesh K Tripath, AVSM, NM from the Navy and senior functionaries of Amity University, Noida.



**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** A two-day Conference on "Smart Village Panchayat: Empowering Rural Communities; Leaving No One Behind" is being organized in Lucknow from 15 September 2022.

## **17-09-2022 Current Affairs Quiz**

**1) Roger Federer, the veteran Tennis player, represents which country?**

- a) France                      b)Switzerland                      c) Serbia                      d) Italy

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Roger Federer, regarded as one of the greatest Tennis players in the world, announced that he is retiring from professional tennis at age 41. The former World No. 1 from Switzerland announced that the upcoming edition of the Laver Cup will be his final ATP tournament. Federer has played more than 1500 matches over 24 years, winning 20 Grand Slam titles. He became the oldest World No. 1 at the age of 36 in 2018.

Switzerland **capital:** Bern; Switzerland **currency:** Swiss franc

**2)Which state has announced India's first 'Breakfast scheme for government school students?**

- a) Tamil Nadu                      b) Kerala                      c) Andhra Pradesh                      d) Telangana

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:**Tamil Nadu Chief Minister M K Stalin launched the breakfast scheme for government school students from class 1 to 5 in Madurai.The Chief Minister announced that several studies have concluded that breakfast programmes led to improvement in learning skills and school attendance. The first-ever noon meal scheme was launched in 1922 in Chennai by the Justice Party, the precursor to the Dravidian movement.

**Tamil Nadu Governor :** Thiru R.N. Ravi, **Tamil Nadu Chief Minister:-**M.K.Stalin

**3)Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya JanaushadhiPariyojana, is associated with which Union Ministry?**

- a) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare                      b) Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilisers  
c)Ministry of Women and Child Development                      d) Ministry of Law and Justice

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Under the Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana, more than 8,700 Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Kendras have been opened across the country. They sell quality generic medicines, surgical equipment in affordable prices. It is implemented by the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilisers, said in a statement. The government recently launched diabetes drug Sitagliptin and its combinations at rates as low as Rs 60 per pack of ten, at Janaushadhi Kendras.

**4) Which of the following union minister has launched the Dashboard of the Department of Science and Technology (DST) in September 2022?**

- a) Rajnath Singh      b) Amit Shah      c) Nitin Gadkari      d) Dr Jitendra Singh

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh on 15 Sept 2022 launched the Dashboard of the Department of Science and Technology (DST). It has been launched to ensure the effective implementation of projects, schemes, scholarships, and fellowships funded by DST. Through this dashboard, details of each of the schemes and Union Minister Dr. programs for any group in every State can be accessed on a real-time basis.

**5) 'The Green Fins Hub', the first-ever global marine tourism industry platform, is associated with which institution?**

- a) WEF      b) IMF      c) UNEP      d) UNICEF

**Answer: C**

**Explanation:** The Green Fins Hub is the first-ever global marine tourism industry platform. The tool has been developed by The Reef-World Foundation in partnership with the UN Environment Programme (UNEP). The tool helps to overcome sustainability challenges in the marine conservation tourism industry. It helps operators to make simple changes to their daily practices, keep track of their annual improvements and communicate with their communities and customers.

**6) Which institution organised the 'ANGAN 2022' Conference?**

- a) Reserve Bank of India      b) Bureau of Energy Efficiency  
c) NITI Aayog      d) Central Board of Indirect Taxes

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** The second edition of the international conference ANGAN 2022 (Augmenting Nature by Green Affordable New-habitat) was recently held on the title "Making the Zero-Carbon Transition in Buildings". ANGAN 2.0 is being organised by the

Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE), Ministry of Power, in collaboration with Swiss Agency for Development & Cooperation (SDC) under the Indo-Swiss Building Energy Efficiency Project (BEEP). The Conference had discussions related to building energy efficiency and reducing carbon emission from buildings.

**7) Which city has signed an MoU with the firm Pataa Navigations to become the country's first "Smart City" with digital address in September 2022?**

- a) Raipur                      b) Indore                      c) Ahmedabad                      d) Lucknow

**Answer: B**

**Explanation:** Indore city of Madhya Pradesh has signed an MOU with the firm Pataa Navigations to implement a fully digital addressing system, making it the first city in India to do so. As per the MOU, Pataa app will be used by all government agencies and emergency services in Indore.

**8) In September 2022, the President of which country has announced a new 600-million-dollar arms package to Ukraine?**

- a) France                      b) Germany                      c) Spain                      d) US

**Answer: D**

**Explanation:** US President Joe Biden has announced a new 600-million-dollar arms package to Ukraine. The package includes the High Mobility Artillery Rocket Systems, night vision goggles, claymore mines, mine clearing equipment, 105 mm artillery rounds and 155mm precision-guided artillery rounds. Washington has sent about 15.1 billion dollars in security assistance to the Kyiv government.

**United States capital** is Washington, D.C. and its **currency** is the US Dollar,

**9) Which paramilitary force's first female camel riding squad is being deployed along the India-Pakistan border?**

- a) BSF                      b) CISF                      c) CRPF                      d) ITBP

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** BSF's first female camel riding squad will be deployed along the India-Pakistan border in Rajasthan & Gujarat. This Squad will be the first of its kind in the world. It will participate for the first time in the BSF Raising Day Parade on 1 December 2022. The BSF is India's primary border-guarding force.

• **BSF Founded:** 1965; **Director General:** Pankaj Kumar Singh; **Headquarters:** New Delhi



**10. Agro-chemical firm UPL Ltd. has announced a joint venture with CleanMax Enviro Energy Solutions (CleanMax), to set up a hybrid solar-wind energy power plant in which state?**

- a) Odisha                      b) Uttar Pradesh                      c) Gujarat                      d) Kerala

**Answer: A**

**Explanation:** Agro-chemical firm UPL Ltd. has announced a joint venture with CleanMax Enviro Energy Solutions (CleanMax), to set up a hybrid solar-wind energy power plant in Gujarat. CleanMax Enviro Energy Solutions will develop and maintain a hybrid 28.05 MW solar and 33 MW wind power project under captive model as envisaged under the electricity laws.



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