

## **CURRENT AFFAIRS**

Which player has won the Formula One (F1) 2022 Australian Grand Prix?

- A) Charles Leclerc
- B) Max Verstappen
- C) Lewis Hamilton
- D) Sebastian Vettel

Which state has launched the 1064 Anti-Corruption Mobile App?

- A) Himachal Pradesh
- B) Tamil Nadu
- C) Rajasthan
- D) Uttarakhand

The National Safe Motherhood Day is observed in India, on the birth anniversary of which leader?

- A) Rani Lakshmi Bai
- B) Kasturba Gandhi
- C) Annie Besant
- D) Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit

The World Bank and AIIB have approved a loan of Rs 7,500 crore for the ambitious 'Mission School of Excellence' project. Which state has launched this project, which aims to improve the quality of education in all the government and grant-in-aid schools in the state?

- A) Odisha
- B) Chhattisgarh
- C) Uttar Pradesh
- D) Gujarat

Who has been appointed as the new Chairman of UPSC?

- A) Alka Sirohi
- B) Manoj Soni
- C) Pradeep Kumar Joshi
- D) Arvind Saxena

Shiv Kumar Subramaniam passed away recently. He was a/an \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Screenwriter
- (b) Actor
- (c) Director
- (d) Both a and b

Which state has topped the NITI Aayog's State Energy & Climate Index (SECI) Round I, among larger states category?

- A) Maharashtra
- B) Madhya Pradesh
- C) Gujarat
- D) Karnataka

Who has been appointed as the new Prime Minister of Pakistan, following the removal of Imran Khan by no-trust vote?

- A) Shehbaz Sharif
- B) Asif Ali Zardari
- C) Fawad Chaudhry
- D) Fazal-ur-Rehman

Mian Muhammad Shehbaz Sharif has been elected as the \_\_\_\_\_ Prime Minister of Pakistan.

- (a) 21
- (b) 22
- (c) 23
- (d) 24

Name the veteran Bengali author who has been awarded this year's O. Henry prize for the short story titled 'Gaonburo'.

- (a) Pratima Bhoumik
- (b) V. Muraleedharan
- (c) Annpurna Devi
- (d) Amar Mitra

Which Union Ministry implements the 'PM-DAKSH Yojana'?

- [A] Ministry of Home Affairs
- [B] Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
- [C] Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
- [D] Ministry of Women and Child Development

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- (a) Gujarat
- (b) Kerala
- (c) Punjab
- (d) Madhya Pradesh

'Nadabet Seema Darshan project' was inaugurated in which Indian state?

- [A] Uttar Pradesh
- [B] Assam
- [C] Punjab
- [D] Gujarat

Rachael Haynes is named as ICC Women's Players of the Month for March 2022. She represents which country?

- A) West Indies
- B) New Zealand
- C) Australia
- D) Zimbabwe

Which Bank has launched a new deposit scheme named Vikas Siri Sampat-1111?

- (a) Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank
- (b) State Bank of India
- (c) Canara Bank
- (d) Kerala Gramin Bank

Which IIT has launched India's 1st indigenously developed polycentric prosthetic knee "Kadam"?

- (a) IISc- Bengaluru
- (b) IIT-Bombay
- (c) IIT- Delhi
- (d) IIT-Madras

Who among the following will be honoured with the inaugural Lata Deenanath Mangeshkar Award?

- (a) Narendra Modi
- (b) Asha Parekh
- (c) Jackie Shroff
- (d) Rahul Deshpande
- (e) All of the above

In which state is the Madhavpur Mela held annually?

- (a) Maharashtra
- (b) Bihar
- (c) Gujarat
- (d) Haryana

Name the anti-tank guided missile (ATGM) which has been successfully flight-tested in Pokhran, Rajasthan.

- (a) Prithvi
- (b) Akash
- (c) Pralay
- (d) Helina

Which organization has commissioned the latest Advanced Light Helicopter (ALH-Dhruv) MK-III squadron in Bhubaneswar in Odisha?

- (a) Indian Coast Guard
- (b) Border Security Force
- (c) Central Industrial Security Force
- (d) Central Reserve Police Force

Name the winner of 57th Jnanpith Award 2022

- A) Shankha Ghosh
- B) Bhalchandra Nemade
- C) Damodar Mauzo
- D) Kedarnath Singh

Who is the winner of the 56th Jnanpith award for 2021?

- A) Nilmani Phookan
- B) Amitav Ghosh
- C) Akkitham Achuthan Namboothiri
- D) Krishna Sobti

Which Indian PSU has won the Gold medal at 80th SKOCH Award in Social Responsibility category?

- A) NHPC Limited
- B) Steel Authority of India (SAIL)
- C) ONGC
- D) National Mineral Development Corporation (NMDC)

The first Khelo India National Ranking Women Archery will be held in which city?

- (a) Jamshedpur
- (b) Mumbai
- (c) Goa
- (d) Bengaluru

As per WTO, what is the estimated global trade growth in the 2022-23 fiscal year?

- [A] 2.5%
- [B] 3%
- [C] 4%
- [D] 5.5%

As per the data of Ministry of Commerce and Industry, what was the number of patents filed in 2021-22?

- (a) 42,763
- (b) 66,440
- (c) 19,796
- (d) 30,074

Which Airport has topped the Airports Council International (ACI)'s list of the top 10 busiest airports worldwide for 2021?

- (a) Atlanta
- (b) Dallas Fort Worth
- (c) Denver
- (d) Chicago O'Hare

Who among the following has been appointed to the ICC Cricket Committee as a Member Board Representative?

- (a) Sourav Ganguly
- (b) Jay Shah
- (c) Mahela Jayawardene
- (d) Rahul Dravid

"Svanidhi se Samridhhi" programme is an initiative of which Union Ministry?

- [A] Ministry of Home Affairs
- [B] Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs
- [C] Ministry of Rural Development
- [D] Ministry of Finance

The '2+2' Ministerial dialogue between India and the United States in 2022, was which edition of the bilateral Dialogue?

- (a) 4th
- (b) 3rd
- (c) 5th
- (d) 6th

Which organization has been awarded with one gold and one silver award in the 80th SKOCH Summit in New Delhi?

- (a) NTPC Limited
- (b) Coal India Ltd
- (c) National Mineral Development Corporation
- (d) Steel Authority of India

Who has been awarded with the EY India Entrepreneur of the Year 2021?

- A) Falguni Nayar
- B) Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw
- C) Roshni Nadar
- D) Savitri Jindal

Which country has become the first country in the world to give legal rights to wild animals?

- (a) Ghana
- (b) Ecuador
- (c) Togo

(d) Burkina Faso

Which city has been recognised as '2021 Tree City of the World' by United Nations Food and Agriculture Organisation?

- (a) Hyderabad
- (b) Mumbai
- (c) Bengaluru
- (d) Pune
- (e) Both a & b

Who among the following will take over as India's G20 chief coordinator?

- (a) K Rajaraman
- (b) V M Kwatra
- (c) Piyush Goyal
- (d) Harsh Vardhan Shringla

Which country will host the G20 Summit in 2022?

- A) Indonesia
- B) Australia
- C) South Korea
- D) Canada

Which of the following country will host the 2026 Commonwealth Games?

- (a) Australia
- (b) UK
- (c) Italy
- (d) Spain

Which team has won the FIH Junior Women's Hockey World Cup 2022 at Potchefstroom, South Africa?

- (a) Germany
- (b) Ireland
- (c) England
- (d) Netherland

Which state government will implement the 'Him Prahari' scheme for ex-servicemen and youngsters?

- (a) Nagaland
- (b) Sikkim
- (c) Uttarakhand
- (d) Manipur

The Pradhanmantri Sangrahalaya has been inaugurated at which of these sites in New Delhi?

- A) Lodhi Gardens
- B) National Museum
- C) Teen Murti Complex
- D) Rashtrapati Bhavan

Union government has extended the scheme to provide Rs \_\_\_\_\_ grants-in-aid to the Dalai Lama's Central Tibetan Relief Committee (CTRC) for another five years i.e., from 2021-22 to 2025-26.

- (a) Rs 30 crore
- (b) Rs 40 crore
- (c) Rs 50 crore
- (d) Rs 60 crore

Who among the following has not received Madhya Pradesh Champion of Change Award 2021?

- (a) Shivraj Singh Chouhan
- (b) Aziz Qureshi
- (c) Divyanka Tripathi
- (d) Mangubhai Patel

list of the awardees:

- Rajya Sabha MP Syed Zafar Islam
- Indian actress Divyanka Tripathi
- Indian film actor and lyricist Piyush Mishra
- CEO of FidyPay Manan Dixit, Mayur Sethi, Renu Sharma, Dr Prakash Jain and Rajneet Jain
- Former Governor of UP and Mizoram Dr Aziz Qureshi
- Music performer Padma Vibhushan Teejan Bai
- Mayor of Indore Malini Laxmansingh Gaur

Which Union Ministry implements the Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan (RGSA)?

- [A] Ministry of Rural Development
- [B] Ministry of Panchayati Raj
- [C] Ministry of Home Affairs
- [D] Ministry of Women and Child Development

Who has been awarded the 'International Gandhi Award for Leprosy, 2021'?

- [A] Dr Bhushan Kumar
- [B] Dr G P Talwar
- [C] Dr MD Gupte
- [D] Dr Atul Shah

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As per the World Bank's April update, what is India's GDP forecast for fiscal year 2022-23?

- [A] 7.5 %
- [B] 8.0 %
- [C] 8.5 %
- [D] 9.0 %

Who has been re-appointed as the chairperson of the National Commission for Minorities?

- (a) Kersi Kaikhushroo Deboo
- (b) Syed Shahezadi
- (c) Iqbal Singh Lalpura
- (d) Rinchen Lhamo

Who has become the second Indian to score 10000 runs in T20 cricket?

- a) KL Rahul
- b) Shikhar Dhawan
- c) Rohit Sharma
- d) MS Dhoni

Who among the following became the first cricketer to score 10,000 runs in T20 cricket?

- a) Shoaib Malik
- b) Virat Kohli
- c) David Warner
- d) Chris Gayle

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Which Indian Chess Grandmaster has won the 2022 Reykjavik Open chess tournament?

- A) Arjun Erigaisi
- B) Nihal Sarin
- C) R Praggnanandhaa
- D) D Gukesh