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# RANKING



➤ Who among the following ranked **10th richest person** in Forbes billionaires 2022 list?

- A) Roshini Nadar
- B) Gautam Adani
- C) Mukesh Ambani
- D) Lakshmi Mittal
- E) Ratan Tata



**Answer**  
**C) Mukesh Ambani**



# RANKING



## Explanation

- Forbes said there were **87 fewer billionaires** when compared with a year-ago period and they are worth a collective **\$12.7 trillion**.
- Reliance Industries chairman **Mukesh Ambani** has been ranked **10th richest** in the Forbes billionaires list for 2022 and is the only Indian to make it to the coveted top 10 list.
- Mukesh Ambani, with a net worth of **\$100.1 billion**, is followed by **Gautam Adani** with a net worth of **\$90 billion**.
- However, according to **Bloomberg's real time billionaires** index, Gautam Adani has a net worth of over \$100 billion and is ranked above Mukesh Ambani to bag the title of **Asia's richest man**.



# RANKING



## Explanation

- Adani's wealth increased by **\$23.5 billion** so far this year.
- **Elon Musk** is leading the Forbes billionaires list with a net worth **\$219 billion**, followed by **Amazon chief Jeff Bezos** at \$171 billion.
- Forbes said it has found more than 1,000 billionaires who are richer than they were a year ago.
- At least 236 newcomers have become billionaires over the past year—including the first ever from **Barbados, Bulgaria, Estonia and Uruguay.**



# RANKING



➤ Which of the following company topped LinkedIn's '2022 Top Companies' India list?

- A) ICICI
- B) HDFC
- C) Cognizant
- D) Accenture
- E) TCS



**Answer**  
**E) TCS**



# RANKING



## Explanation

- 2022 Top Companies list for India by **LinkedIn**.
- 1<sup>st</sup> - **Tata Consultancy Services**
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - **Accenture**
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - **Cognizant**
- 14<sup>th</sup> – **ICICI Bank**
- 17<sup>th</sup> – **HDFC Bank**
- 11 out of the top 25 companies were from the **information technology and service industry**.
- This year's list also features Publicis Groupe (#12), Arm (#21), and Bosch (#24), marking their debut as 'LinkedIn Top Companies' for the **first time in India**.





# APPOINTMENTS



➤ Who among the following person took over as new ambassador to Ukraine?

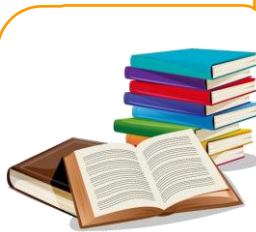


- A) Pooja Kapoor
- B) Sanjay Rana
- C) Harsh Kumar Jain
- D) Alok Ranjan Jha
- E) Manpreet Vohra



**Answer**

**C) Harsh Kumar Jain**



# APPOINTMENTS



## Explanation

- Senior diplomat **Harsh Kumar Jain** took over as the new Ambassador to **Ukraine**.
- Jain succeeds **Partha Satpathy** who was ambassador during the trying times of the Russian invasion and the evacuation of **23,000 Indians, mostly students, from Ukraine under Operation Ganga.**



# APPOINTMENTS



## Titbits

### Ukraine

- Capital : **Kyiv**
- Currency : **Hryvnia**
- President : **Volodymyr Zelenskyy**
- Prime Minister : **Denys Shmyhal**
- Language : **Ukrainian**



# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

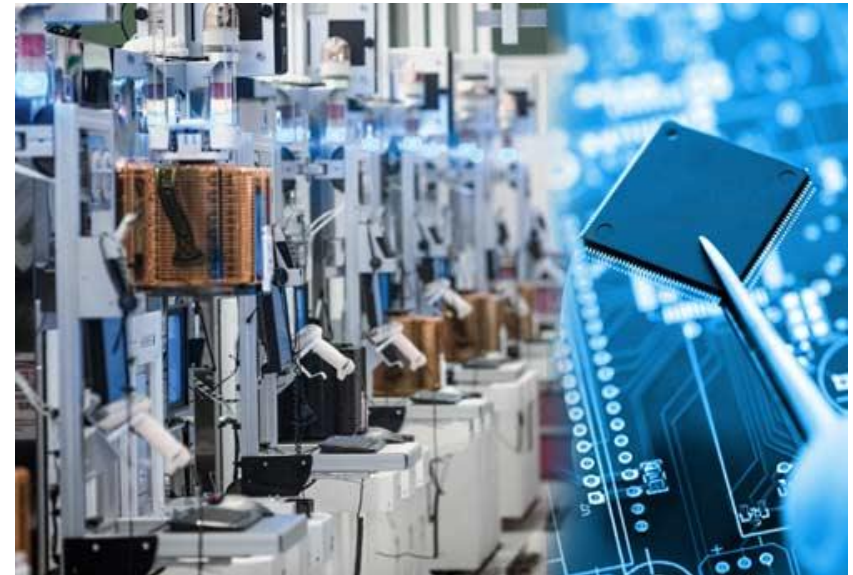


➤ Govt forms advisory committee for driving how many crores project?

- A) Rs 71,000
- B) Rs 72,000
- C) Rs 72,500
- D) Rs 71,500
- E) Rs 73,000

**Answer**

**B) Rs 72,000 Cr**



## Explanation

- The government has formed an advisory committee to drive the **Rs 72,000-crore project, Semicon India**, to make the country a global leader in **semiconductor manufacturing, design and innovation**.
- The panel formed under the **chairmanship of electronics and telecom minister Ashwini Vaishnaw** includes venture capitalist **Vinod Dham**, who led Intel's iconic Pentium microprocessor from inception, and **Arogyaswami Paulraj**, who invested in MIMO wireless communication that is used in 4G technology.



# DEFENCE



- Which among the following company signed MoU with **Israel Aerospace Industries** for multi-mission tanker transport aircraft?



- A) Vistara
- B) Air India
- C) Jet Airways
- D) Air Deccan
- E) Hindustan Aeronautics limited



**Answer**

**E) Hindustan Aeronautics limited**



# DEFENCE



## Explanation

- **Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL)** entered into a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with **Israel Aerospace Industries (IAI)** to **convert civil (passenger) aircraft to multi-mission tanker transport (MMTT) aircraft** in India.
- HAL will convert pre-owned Civil (Passenger) aircraft into **air refuelling aircraft with cargo and transport capabilities.**



# DEFENCE



## Titbits

### HAL

- Abbreviation : **Hindustan Aeronautical Limited**
- Founded : **1940**
- HQ : **Bangalore**
- Chairman & MD : **R Madhavan**

### IAI

- Abbreviation : **Israel Aerospace Industries**
- Founded : **1953**
- HQ : **Lod, Israel**
- CEO : **Boaz Levy**





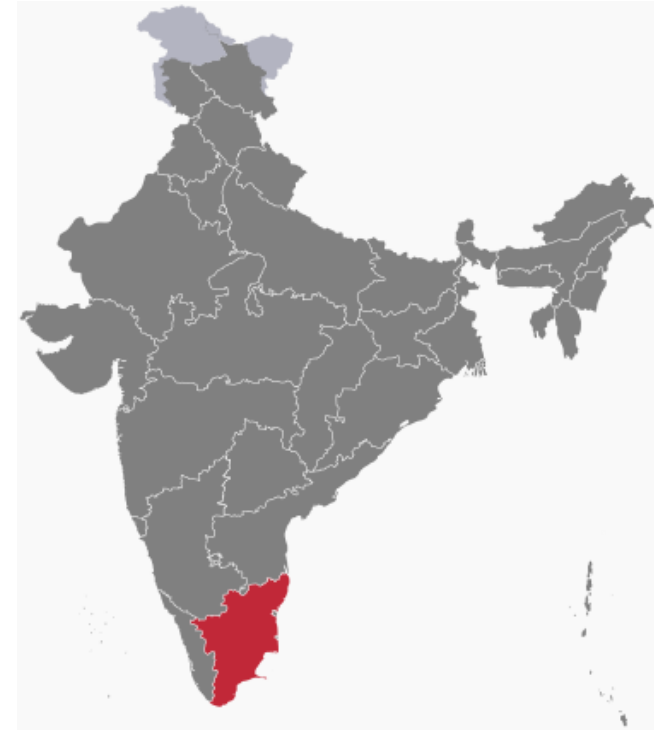
# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ Who among the following CM will host Global Investors Meet in 2023 end?

- A) Aravind Kjarwal
- B) Nithish Kumar
- C) MK Stalin
- D) Pinnari Vijayan
- E) Mamta Bannerjee

**Answer**  
**C) MK Stalin**



## Explanation

- Making a Statement under Rule 110 in the State Assembly, he said the pro-industrial policies of the government had boosted the confidence of industrialists, who were keen to invest in the State.
- Stating that the **Foreign Direct Investments into Tamil Nadu has increased by 41.5 per cent** during the period April to December, 2021, he said the government will attract more investment through the GIM and generate job opportunities for **lakhs of youth** in the state.



## Titbits

### Tamilnadu

- Capital : **Chennai**
- CM : **MK Stalin**
- Governor : **RN Ravi**
- National Park : **Annamalai (Indira Gandhi) National Park**
- Wildlife Sanctuary : **Chitrangudi Bird WLS**
- Ramsar Site : **Point Calimere Wildlife & Bird Sanctuary**

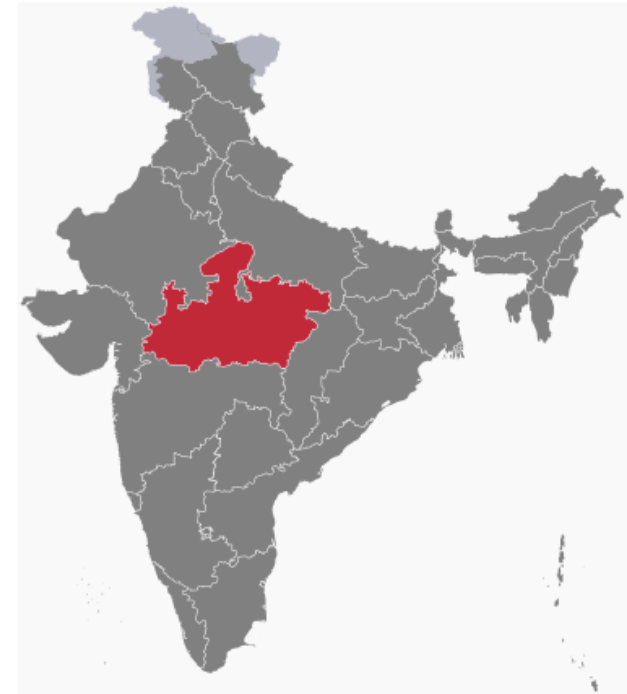


# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ **Mukhya Mantri Udyam Kranti Yojana launched in which of the following state?**

- A) Assam
- B) Gujarat
- C) Bihar
- D) Maharashtra
- E) Madhya Pradesh



**Answer**

**E) Madhya Pradesh**



## Explanation

- Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister **Shivraj Singh Chouhan** launched the **Mukhya Mantri Udyam Kranti Yojana** envisaging loans ranging from **Rs 1 lakh to Rs 50 lakh** to youngsters for manufacturing, business and service sectors.
- **Interest subsidy of 3 per cent** will be provided.
- The beneficiaries will not have to furnish any bank guarantee as the dispensation shall be the guarantor and deposit **Rs 140 crore**.
- The targeted segment comprises those with annual family income **not exceeding Rs 12 lakh**.
- On this very day, credit amounting to approximately **Rs 108 cr** was provided to **2,019 individuals**.



## Titbits

### Madhya Pradesh

- Capital : **Bhopal**
- CM : **Shivraj Singh Chouhan**
- Governor : **Mangubhai C Patel**
- National Park : **Bandhavgarh National Park**
- Wildlife Sanctuary : **Gandhi Sagar WLS**
- Ramsar Site : **Bhoj Wetlands**



➤ Which of the following state/UT signed MoU with NLSU for PA Sangma Fellowship Shillong?

- A) Manipur
- B) Mizoram
- C) Meghalaya
- D) Assam
- E) Nagaland

**Answer**

**C) Meghalaya**



## Explanation

- **The Meghalaya government** signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the **National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bengaluru** for the **PA Sangma Fellowship for Legal and Policy Research**.
- The agreement will allow students of NLSIU for undertaking research activities in Meghalaya, providing a **holistic experience** on the current challenges of **law and policy** on ground.
- Moreover, the partnership will also provide **capacity building programs and training** for Law Officers and other departments of the government.





## Titbits

### Meghalaya

- Capital : **Shillong**
- CM : **Conrad Sangma**
- Governor : **Satya Pal Malik**
- National Park : **Balphakram National Park**
- Wildlife Sanctuary : **Baghmara Pitcher Plant WLS**
- Ramsar Site : -



# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ Which of the following Ministry launched Digital Dashboard for District Ganga Committees Performance Monitoring System?

- A) Home Affairs
- B) External Affairs
- C) Defence
- D) Jal Shakthi
- E) Agriculture and rural development

**Answer**  
**D) Jal Shakthi**



## Titbits

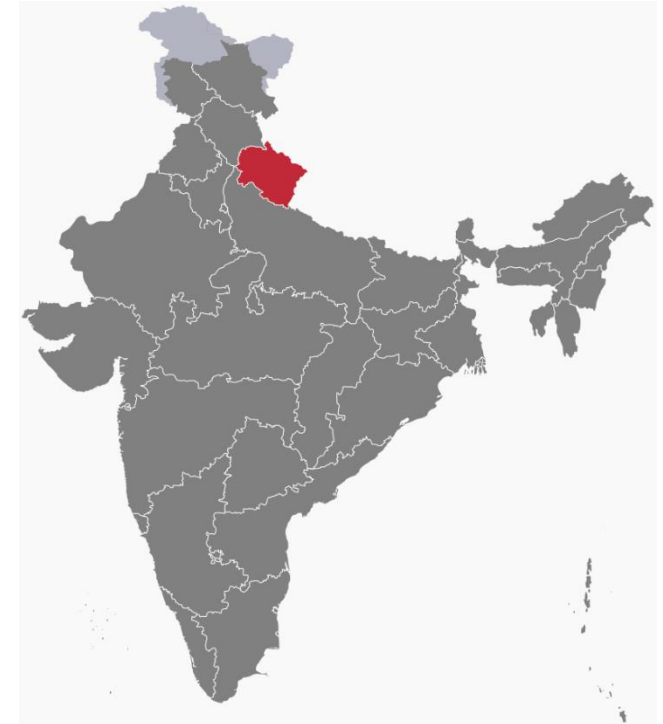
### Ministry of Jal Shakthi

- Union Minister : **Gajendra Singh Shekhawat(Jodhpur,Rajasthan)**
- Minister of State : **Prahlad Singh Patel(Damoh,Madhya Pradesh)**



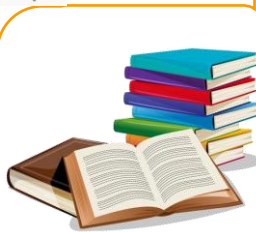
- Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying launched 'One Health' pilot project in which of the following state?

- A) Bihar
- B) Mizoram
- C) Manipur
- D) Assam
- E) Uttarkhand



**Answer**

**E) Uttarkhand**



## Explanation

- **The Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying (DAHD)**, Government of India has launched a pilot project in the state of **Uttarakhand** to implement the One Health Framework by **One Health Support Unit**.
- The key objective of the Unit is to develop a national One Health roadmap based on **the learnings of the pilot project implementation**.
- Based on the recommendations of PSC, State and district level one health committees need to be constituted by involving competent authorities from **health, animal husbandry and environment ministries**.
- The pilot project in Uttarakhand was launched by **Shri Atul Chaturvedi**, Secretary, Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Government of India.



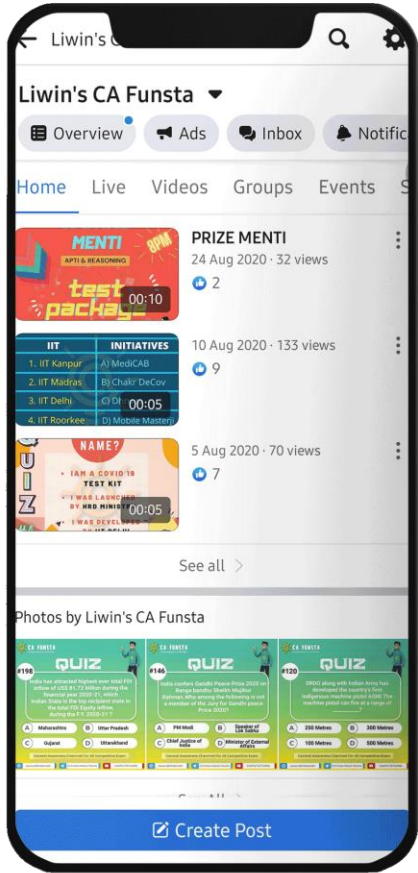
## Titbits

### Uttarkhand

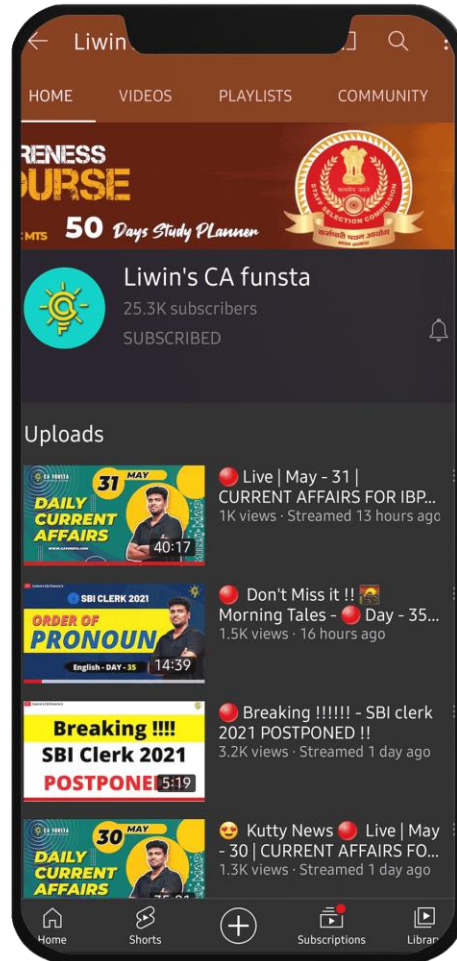
- Capital : **Bhararisain**(Summer),**Dehradun**(Winter)
- CM : **Pushkar Singh Dhami**
- Governor : **Gurmit Singh**
- National Park : **Corbett National Park**
- Wildlife Sanctuary : **Askot Musk Deer WLS**
- Ramsar Site : **Asan Conservation Reserve**



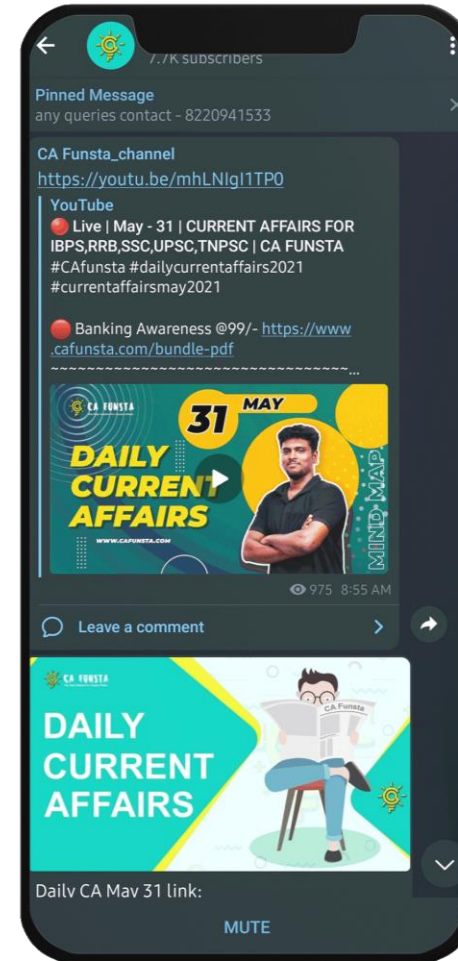
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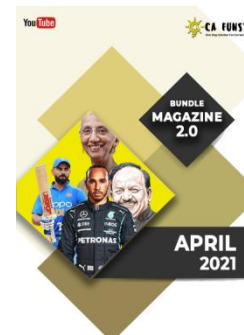
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