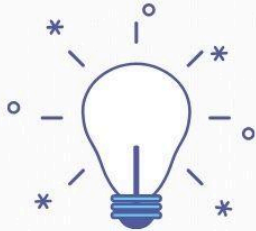


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- ❖ NITI Aayog Releases Report on Pathways and Strategies for Accelerating Growth in Edible Oils Towards Achieving Atmanirbharta.
- ❖ Satluj Jal Vidyut Nigam (SJVN), National Hydroelectric Power Corporation (NHPC), RailTel and Solar Energy Corporation of India (SECI) received Nav Ratna status.
- ❖ RBI Launches Scheme for Trading and Settlement of Sovereign Green Bonds in International Financial Services Centre (IFSC).
- ❖ Paytm Receives Ministry of Finance Approval for Downstream Investment in Paytm Payments Services Limited (PPSL).
- ❖ Moody's Upgrades India's GDP Growth Forecast to 7.2% for CY2024.
- ❖ SEBI Approves Reappointment of Nehal Vora as MD & CEO of Central Depository Services Ltd (CDSL).
- ❖ Vice Admiral Rajesh Dhankhar Assumes Role as Director General of Project Seabird.
- ❖ Singapore Airlines Gets FDI Approval for Vistara-Air India Merger.
- ❖ GSL Launches India's First PCVs 'Samudra Pratap' and Yard 1267 for Indian Coast Guard.
- ❖ Renowned Lawyer AG Noorani Passes Away.
- ❖ RBI Imposes Rs 2.68 Crore Penalty on UCO Bank.
- ❖ International Day for People of African Descent Celebrated on August 31, 2024.
- ❖ On 30th August 2024, Prime Minister Modi visited Maharashtra and Rajasthan, with the primary objective of inaugurating infrastructure projects.
- ❖ PM Narendra Modi Inaugurates National Conference of District Judiciary, Unveils New Supreme Court Flag.
- ❖ DDA, MCD, and Survey of India Sign MoU for Drone Surveys to Monitor Land Encroachment in Delhi.
- ❖ Indian Army Launches First Phase of Project NAMAN to Support Veterans and Their Families.
- ❖ MoYAS Minister Mansukh Mandaviya Launches Training Program for Empowering

Retired Sportspersons.

- ❖ DEA Announces 6 New Rules for PPF, Sukanya Samriddhi Yojana, and Other Small Savings Schemes Effective October 1, 2024.
- ❖ Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) and SAFHAL Sign Contract to Develop and Produce "Aravalli" Helicopter Engines.
- ❖ IIS (Indian International School) Signs MoU with UWW (United World Wrestling) to Promote Wrestling in India.
- ❖ New Zealand's Māori King Kiingi Tuheitia Has Passed Away.
- ❖ World Coconut Day Celebrated on September 2, 2024.
- ❖ National Nutrition Week Celebrated from September 1 to 7, 2024.
- ❖ IAS Officer Dharmendra Appointed as Chief Secretary of Delhi.
- ❖ UN Allocates \$100 Million from CERF to Address Humanitarian Emergencies in 10 Countries.
- ❖ Air Marshal Tejinder Singh Assumes Office as Deputy Chief of Air Staff (DCAS) of Indian Air Force (IAF).
- ❖ Global Fintech Fest 2024 in Mumbai Unveils Latest Innovations and Trends in Financial Technology.
- ❖ Charles Leclerc of Ferrari Wins the 2024 Italian Grand Prix.
- ❖ SEBI Revises Eligibility Criteria for Entry and Exit of Stocks in F&O Segment.
- ❖ Tata AIA Unveils USD-Denominated Life Insurance Solutions for NRIs.
- ❖ Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance and Policybazaar Launch New Term Insurance Plan "Income Suraksha Plan".
- ❖ According to National Statistical Office (NSO) India Reports Real GDP Growth Slows to 15-Month Low of 6.7% in Q1 FY25.
- ❖ National Security Advisor Ajit Kumar Doval Visits Colombo to Sign Founding Documents of the Colombo Security Conclave.

- ❖ Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) Approves 10 Capital Acquisition Proposals Worth ₹1.45 Lakh Crore to Boost Defence Preparedness.
- ❖ Department of Telecommunications (DoT) Announces New Rules for Digital Bharat Nidhi to Enhance Telecom Access.
- ❖ Union Minister Shivraj Singh Chauhan Launches AgriSURE Fund and Frishi Nivesh Portal.
- ❖ NTH (National Thermal Power Corporation) and BEE (Bureau of Energy Efficiency) Sign MOU to Promote Energy Efficiency Across India.
- ❖ In the history of Indian football Northeast United FC Wins First Durand Cup by Defeating Mohun Bagan SG.
- ❖ 2nd Meeting of Joint Russian-Indian Commission on Emergency Management Cooperation Held in Russia.
- ❖ Sharath Kamal Named First Indian Ambassador of International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF) Foundation.
- ❖ World Bank Revises India's FY25 GDP Growth Estimate to 7% from 6.6%.
- ❖ Assam to celebrate 20th August as sootea day from 2025.
- ❖ ICICI Prudential Life Insurance Launches ICICI Pru Signature Pension to Boost Retirement Savings.
- ❖ POP (Pay Over Payment) Launches India's First Multi-Brand Co-Branded Credit Card in Partnership with RuPay (Rupay Unified Payments Interface) and Yes Bank.
- ❖ CM Eknath Shinde Inaugurates 27th National Conference on e-Governance in Mumbai.
- ❖ President Droupadi Murmu Sanctions 23rd Law Commission of India for 2024-2027.
- ❖ President Delegates Powers to Delhi Lieutenant Governor (LG) to Constitute Authorities or Statutory Bodies.
- ❖ Special Care Gold Star Health Launches India's First Braille Insurance Policy.
- ❖ Axis Bank Launches Innovative Digital Solutions UPI-ATM and Bharat Connect for Business.

- ❖ Indian Institute of Management Kozhikode (IIMK) LIVE and Reserve Bank Innovation Hub (RBIH) Sign Memorandum of Understanding to Promote Innovation and Research in FinTech Sector.
- ❖ India's UPI Processes Transactions Worth Nearly ₹81 Lakh Crore from April to July, Surpassing World's Leading Digital Payment Platforms.
- ❖ Hayao Miyazaki Included in the List of 2024 Ramon Magsaysay Award Winners.
- ❖ International Olympic Committee Awards Olympic Order in Gold to French President Emmanuel Macron, Laurent Nunez and Nicolas Ferrand.
- ❖ According to WHO Report, Road Accident Deaths in India Surge by 2% from 2010 to 2021.
- ❖ Paysharp Receives Final Authorization from Reserve Bank of India (RBI) to Act as a Payment Aggregator (PA).
- ❖ Rane Holdings Gets CCI Approval for Acquiring 51% Stake in Steering Systems.
- ❖ National teacher day is celebrated on 5 September 2024.
- ❖ Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) Launches Vishvasya Blockchain Stack to Offer Blockchain as a Service (BaaS) with Distributed Infrastructure.
- ❖ Indian Navy and South African Navy Sign Agreement to Enhance Submarine Rescue Support Cooperation.
- ❖ Union Textiles Minister Giriraj Singh Launches India's First Fashion Forecasting Initiative 'visioNxt'
- ❖ Ministry of Law and Justice (MoL&J) Launches New Notary Portal for Seamless, Efficient, and Transparent Notary Appointments.
- ❖ UK and India Launch United Kingdom-India Infrastructure Financing Bridge (UKIIFB).
- ❖ India and UAE (United Arab Emirates) Sign MoU to Strengthen Public Sector Audit Cooperation.
- ❖ Motilal Oswal Launches India's First 500 Momentum 50 Index Fund.
- ❖ SEBI Forms 22-Member Advisory Committee on Listing Obligations.

- ❖ BharatPe Partners with Unity Bank to Launch Third-Party Application for Seamless Digital Payments.
- ❖ According to Ind-Ra Report, India's Current Account Deficit May Rise to 1% of GDP in Q2 FY25.
- ❖ Financial Services Institutions Bureau (FSIB) Recommends Rama Mohan Rao Amara for Managing Director of State Bank of India (SBI).
- ❖ Government Appoints Deepti Gaur Mukerjee as SEBI Board Member.
- ❖ Ministry of Panchayati Raj and United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) Sign Letter of Intent to Strengthen Systems for Social Change.
- ❖ PM Modi to launch 'Jal Sanchay Jan Bhagidari' initiative in Gujarat.
- ❖ According to the MoSPI report, Telangana and Tamil Nadu are leading in Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) growth among the top 10 largest states in FY24.
- ❖ PM Narendra Modi Addresses First International Solar Festival Virtually from New Delhi.
- ❖ Algeria Joins BRICS New Development Bank as New Member.
- ❖ ISA, MIGA set up multi-donor trust fund to support solar projects.
- ❖ International day of charity is celebrated on 5 September 2024.
- ❖ Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC) Introduces 'Daava Soochak' for Claim Status Tracking.
- ❖ HDB Financial Services Becomes the First Non-Banking Financial Company to Launch National Payments Corporation of India's e-KYC Setu System.
- ❖ PayMate Partners with National Bulk Billing Ltd (NBBL) to Launch Bharat Bill Payment System (BBPS) - Business-to-Business (B2B) Platform.
- ❖ Raja Randhir Singh Becomes the First Indian President of the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA).
- ❖ Ministry of Finance to Sell 6.78% Stake in General Insurance Corporation of India (GIC Re) for ₹4,700 Crore.

- ❖ ISRO to Launch First Base Module of Bharatiya Antariksh Station by 2028.
- ❖ International day of clean Air for Blue skies is celebrated on 7 september 2024.
- ❖ United Nations' First-Ever World Duchenne Awareness Day Celebrated on September 7, 2024.
- ❖ 2nd international day of police cooperation is celebrated on 7 September 2024.
- ❖ MoHFW Approves New "BPaLM" (Bedaquiline, Pretomanid, Linezolid, Moxifloxacin) Treatment Regimen for Multidrug-Resistant Tuberculosis (MDR-TB).
- ❖ Union Bank of India Becomes the First Major Bank to Join the Partnership for Carbon Accounting Financials (PCAF).
- ❖ Algerian President Abdelmadjid Tebboune Re-Elected for Second Term.
- ❖ Subrata Mondal Appointed as Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer of IFFCO Tokio General Insurance (Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Limited).
- ❖ Vice Admiral Vineet McCarty Assumes Charge as Controller of Personnel Services in the Indian Navy.
- ❖ India Successfully Test-Fires Agni-4 Ballistic Missile in Chandipur, Odisha.
- ❖ Jannik Sinner Wins Men's Singles Title at US Open 2024 or Aryna Sabalenka Claims Women's Singles Title.
- ❖ Renowned English Professor K. Chellappan, Sahitya Akademi Award Winner, Passes Away.
- ❖ International literacy day is celebrated on 8 September 2024.
- ❖ World physiotherapy day is celebrated on 8 September 2024.
- ❖ Odisha CM Mohan Charan Majhi Launches CM-KISAN Scheme.
- ❖ Himachal CM Sukhvinder Sukhu Launches Himachal Road Transport Corporation's (HRTC) National Common Mobility Card for Cashless Travel Across India.
- ❖ 20th India-US Joint Military Exercise 'Yudh Abhyas' Commences in Rajasthan.

- ❖ Pradhan Mantri Kisan Maandhan Yojana Completes 5 Years of Successful Implementation.
- ❖ Ministry of Defence(MoD) Signs Rs 26,000 Crore Contract with Hindustan Aeronautics Limited for 240 AL-31FP Aero Engines.
- ❖ United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) Declares July 6 as World Rural Development Day.
- ❖ Nepal Becomes 101st Full Member of International Solar Alliance (ISA).
- ❖ IAS Officer Manish Kumar Gupta Appointed Chief Secretary of Arunachal Pradesh.
- ❖ SBI Unveils Three New Offerings to Simplify Payments for Commuters.
- ❖ Amit Shah Unanimously Re-Elected as Chairperson of Parliamentary Committee on Official Language.
- ❖ "NSPL (Nibe Satellite Private Limited) to Launch India's First Earth Observation Satellite Constellation, Advancing Space Capabilities and Environmental Monitoring.
- ❖ Six New Ginger Species Discovered in West Bengal, Meghalaya, and Mizoram.
- ❖ Renowned Film Scholar Aruna Vasudev, Known as the 'Mother of Asian Cinema,' Passes Away.
- ❖ 15th himalya divas is celebrated on 9 September 2024.
- ❖ International day to protect education from attack is celebrated on 9 September 2024.
- ❖ World suicide prevention day is celebrated on 10 September 2024.
- ❖ Ministry of Steel Hosts "Greening Steel Pathway to Sustainability" Event in New Delhi.
- ❖ "Ministry of Health Releases 'Health Dynamics of India 2022-23' Report, Offering Insight into Healthcare Trends and Challenges".
- ❖ Ministry of Corporate Affairs(MCA) Notifies Competition (Amendment) Act 2023 for Mergers and Acquisitions.
- ❖ Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) Signs MoU with Swiggy for Logistics and Upskilling Partnership.

- ❖ Indian Navy's P-81 Takes Part in Exercise "Kakadu 2024" Hosted by Royal Australian Navy.
- ❖ India-US Defence Summit 'INDUS-X' Launches New Webpage to Aid Investors.
- ❖ Elon Musk is expected to become the world's first trillionaire by 2027 and Gautam Adani by 2028.
- ❖ Aviva Life Insurance Launches 'Aviva Signature Increasing Income Plan'.
- ❖ National Thermal Power Corporation Limited (NTPC) and Suzlon Energy Limited Partner for India's Largest Wind Energy Order of 1,166 MW.
- ❖ PM Modi chairs first governing board meeting of newly formed Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF).
- ❖ Tayyab Ikram Set for Second Term as President of the International Hockey Federation (FIH).
- ❖ Moeen Ali Announces Retirement from International Cricket.
- ❖ National forest Martyrs is celebrated on 11 September 2024.
- ❖ On the 1st Foundation Day of 14C, Home Minister Amit Shah Launches 4 Key Initiatives for Cyber Crime Prevention.
- ❖ Union Minister Kiren Rijiju Launches 6 Initiatives as Part of 100-Day Achievements of the Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MPA).
- ❖ Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI) Dissolves 14-Member Standing Committee on Statistics Amidst Delayed Census.
- ❖ Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal Launches Trade Connect E-Platform.
- ❖ Department of Telecommunications (DoT) Simplifies Licensing and Equipment Approval Processes to Boost Telecom Sector.
- ❖ Max Life Insurance Enters Bancassurance Partnership with CSB Bank to Offer Insurance Products.
- ❖ Pixxel Secures \$476 Million NASA Contract to Support Earth Science Research with Hyperspectral Technology.

- ❖ President Droupadi Murmu Confers National Florence Nightingale Award 2024 to 15 Nurses and Midwives.
- ❖ India Slips to 33rd Rank in U.S. News & World Report's Annual Best Countries Ranking 2024 or Switzerland Tops the List.
- ❖ National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) Talcher Kaniha Receives 2024 Energy Management Insight Award from Clean Energy Ministerial.
- ❖ DRDO and Indian Navy Successfully Flight Test Vertical Launch Short Range Surface-to-Air Missile (VL-SR SAM) off Odisha Coast.
- ❖ New Species of Long-Snouted Vine Snake, *Ahaetulla longirostri*, Discovered in Bihar and Meghalaya.
- ❖ India Wins 29 Medals at Paris Paralympics 2024, Secures 18th Position.
- ❖ Prime Minister Narendra Modi announces plans to make India a global leader in green hydrogen at the inauguration of ICGH-2024.
- ❖ Union Civil Aviation Minister Shri Kinjarapu Rammohan Naidu Inaugurates 2nd Asia-Pacific Ministerial Conference on Civil Aviation in New Delhi.
- ❖ "National Health Authority (NHA) and IIT Kanpur Sign MoU to Develop AI-Based Digital Public Goods for Healthcare.
- ❖ Union Minister Shri Rajiv Ranjan Singh Launches 'Rangeen Machhli' App.
- ❖ The Swachhata Hi Seva 2024 campaign was launched from 14 September to 1 October with the theme 'Swachhta Swachhta - Sanskar Swachhta'.
- ❖ Hindi diwas is celebrated on 14 September 2024.
- ❖ IAF aircraft leave for Exercise Eastern Bridge VII in Oman.
- ❖ RBL Bank and DMI Finance launch new co-branded credit card "RBL Bank DMI Finance Credit Card".
- ❖ G. Srinivasan Appointed as Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of Galaxy Health Insurance.
- ❖ PayGlocal Receives RBI Approval to Operate as Online Merchant Payments Aggregator.

- ❖ "SpaceX's Polaris Dawn Crew Completes Historic Private Spacewalk and Returns to Earth Safely.
- ❖ Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA) Signs MoU with Satluj Jal Vidyut Nigam (SJVN) and GMR Group for 900 Megawatt Hydro Project in Nepal.
- ❖ Ministry of Defence (MoD) Approves Indian Navy's ₹2,500 Crore Plan for Unmanned Surface Vessels.
- ❖ Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Designates National Bank for Financing Infrastructure and Development (NaBFID) as a Public Financial Institution under Companies Act 2013.
- ❖ Defence Minister Rajnath Singh Inaugurates IDAX-24 Expo in Jodhpur and Launches Exercise Tarang Shakt 24 (Phase II).
- ❖ Quality Council of India (QCI) Approves National Test House (NTH), Ghaziabad as Certification Body for Type Certification of Drones.
- ❖ The Ministry of Finance has relaxed norms for expenditures exceeding Rs 500 crore to boost capital expenditure.
- ❖ RBI Allows Resident Overseas Citizens of India (OCI) Cardholders to Access Loans for International Studies.
- ❖ Tata Steel UK Secures £500 Million Grant Agreement with UK Government for Port Talbot Project.
- ❖ Airtel Finance Launches FD Service with Interest Rates Up to 9.1%.
- ❖ LIC Increases Stake in Railway Sector Miniratna Public Sector Undertaking (PSU) Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) to 9.3%.
- ❖ DRDO and Indian Navy Successfully Conduct Second Consecutive Flight Test of Vertical Launch Short Range Surface-to-Air Missile (VLSRSAM) off Odisha Coast.
- ❖ Inauguration of VINETRA The Kalvari-Class Submarine Escape Training Facility in Visakhapatnam.
- ❖ National engineer's day is celebrated on 15 September 2024.
- ❖ International day for the preservation of the day ozone layer is celebrated on 16

September 2024.

- ❖ First-ever UN international day of science, technology, and innovation for the south-16 is celebrated on 16 September 2024.
- ❖ Union Minister Piyush Goyal Launches BHASKAR Portal (Bhartiya System for Advanced Knowledge for Accelerating Research) to Boost India's Startup Ecosystem.
- ❖ In the 54th GST Council meeting, a uniform tax rate of 18% was implemented to simplify compliance and support small businesses.
- ❖ Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW) Holds 20th Meeting of the Maritime States Development Council (MSDC) in Goa to Boost India's Maritime Sector.
- ❖ Union Minister Amit Shah Announces Renaming of Port Blair to Sri Vijaya Puram.
- ❖ According to World Bank Report Healthy Longevity Could Save 150 Million Lives by 2050 and Transform Developing Countries.
- ❖ India Engages in G20 Agriculture Ministerial Meeting in Brazil and Conducts Bilateral Talks with Seven Nations.
- ❖ United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and International Organization for Standardization (ISO) Launch World's First Guidelines to Accelerate Contributions to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- ❖ US International Development Finance Corporation Invests 70 Million United States Dollars (USD) in India.
- ❖ RBI Imposes Monetary Penalty of ₹2.91 Crore on Axis Bank and HDFC Bank.
- ❖ Moneyview Becomes India's 6th Unicorn Startup with \$1.2 Billion Funding.
- ❖ Jordan's King Abdullah Names Jafar Hassan as New Prime Minister.
- ❖ International day for interventional cardiology is celebrated on 16 September 2024.
- ❖ India Participates in BRICS Literature Forum 2024 in Russia.
- ❖ Union Minister Piyush Goyal Chairs 3rd Board of Trade Meeting in Mumbai, Launches Jan Sunwai Portal and Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Portal.

- ❖ Fabindia Collaborates with Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MoMSME) to Empower India's Artisanal Heritage under the PM Vishwakarma Scheme.
- ❖ JBM ECOLIFE (JBM Environmental Conscious Operations for Living in India) Secures ₹7.2 Billion from ADB and Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) for Electric Bus Expansion in India.
- ❖ Bank of Baroda Introduces GenAI-Powered Solution for Enhanced Customer and Employee Experience.
- ❖ PhonePe and Liquid Group Partner to Expand UPI Payments in Singapore.
- ❖ Election Commission of India (ECI) Names Para Archers Sheetal Devi and Rakesh Kumar as National Icons for Persons with Disabilities (PwD).
- ❖ Olympic Medalist Manu Bhaker Appointed as Brand Ambassador for MoPSW (Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways) and Golden Bullet.
- ❖ Iran Successfully Launches Chamran-1 Research Satellite into Orbit.
- ❖ Oscar Piastri Claims Victory at the 2024 F1 Azerbaijan Grand Prix for McLaren.
- ❖ Dronacharya Award-Winning Table Tennis Coach Jayanta Pushilal Passes Away.
- ❖ World patient safety day is celebrated on 17 September 2024.
- ❖ Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) Introduces Strict Environmental Clearance Guidelines for Violations of Battery Waste Management Rules.
- ❖ Union Sports Minister Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya Chairs Joint Meeting of COP9 Bureau and Fund's Approval Committee Under UNESCO International Convention Against Doping in Sport.
- ❖ External Affairs Minister Subrahmanyam Jaishankar Releases India-Romania Joint Commemorative Stamps Celebrating 75 Years of Diplomatic Ties.
- ❖ According to OAG (Official Aviation Guide) Report, Indira Gandhi International Airport Ranks 24th Among Top Megahub Airports Globally, Mumbai Airport at 44th.
- ❖ India Achieves Tier 1 Status in 2024 5th Global Cybersecurity Index.
- ❖ EaseMyTrip Launches 'ScanMyTrip.com', India's First Travel Services Marketplace on the

Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC).

- ❖ Airtel Business Partners with Sparkle to Enhance Connectivity with Europe.
- ❖ Korean Ambassador Sang Wook Ham Elected President of the 68th General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA).
- ❖ Amrit Mohan Prasad Assumes Charge as Director General of Sashastra Seema Bal.
- ❖ India win 5th Asian Champions Trophy hockey title after beating resolute China.
- ❖ Neeraj Chopra Secures Second Place in Diamond League Final and Anderson Peters Claims Title.
- ❖ Sitaram Yechury, General Secretary of the Communist Party of India (Marxist) Passes Away.
- ❖ World bamboo day is celebrated on 18 September 2024.
- ❖ Simultaneous polls plan gets Union Cabinet approval.
- ❖ Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman Launches "NPS Vatsalya" a Pension Scheme for Minors under the National Pension System (NPS) in New Delhi.
- ❖ Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) Approves ASHVNI for Building Nuclear Plants and Transfers Mahi Banswara Project in Rajasthan.
- ❖ Union Minister Rajiv Ranjan Singh launched the 'Amrit Katla' initiative at the Indian Council of Agricultural Research and Central Freshwater Fisheries Institute in Bhubaneswar.
- ❖ India Becomes the 6th Largest Market in the MSCI (Morgan Stanley Capital International) All Country World Index (ACWI), Leading the Emerging Market List.
- ❖ SIDM Signs Two MoUs on Defence Industry Cooperation with EDCC (Emirates Defense and Cybersecurity Company) and EDGE (Emirates Defense and Advanced Technology Group) of UAE.
- ❖ Jana Small Finance Bank Launches "Liquid Plus" FD Offering 6.75% Interest Rate.
- ❖ Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) Receives UN Inter-Agency Task Force Award for Controlling Non-Communicable Diseases.

- ❖ ACC approved the appointment of Anurag Garg as the new Director General of NCB.
- ❖ Bellatrix Aerospace Unveils Project 200, A Satellite Designed for Ultra Low Earth Orbit (ULEO) Operations at 180-250 km.
- ❖ Union Minister Nitin Gadkari Launches Book "Ranadhurandhar Shahajiraje Bhosale" by Amar Yuvraj Dangat.
- ❖ Telangana Announces September 17 as Praja Palana Day.
- ❖ Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh, Buddhichandra (BD) Mishra, Inaugurates the 9th Ladakh Zanskar Festival 2024 in Sani.
- ❖ From 15th to 17th September 2024, PM Narendra Modi was on a visit to three states aimed at boosting infrastructure, health, and education initiatives.
- ❖ M. Ravichandran, Secretary of the Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES), Unveils Integrated Ocean Energy Atlas of the Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS).
- ❖ To strengthen India-Kuwait relations, Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) and Gulf University of Science and Technology (GUST) signed MoU for teaching Hindi.
- ❖ ICAIRE (International Center for Artificial Intelligence Research and Education) Designated as a UNESCO Category 2 Center at the Global AI Summit in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.
- ❖ IDFC FIRST Bank Limitd (Infrastructure Development Finance Company) Launches 'Ashva' and 'Mayura' Credit Cards.
- ❖ Asian Development Bank Approves United States Dollar (USD) 50 Million Loan for Water Resource Management and Climate Resilience in Meghalaya.
- ❖ SEBI Amends Rules for Issue and Listing of Non-Convertible Securities to Streamline Public Issuance of Debt Securities.
- ❖ According to Standard & Poor's (S&P) Global report, India is on track to become the world's third largest economy by FY31 and the annual growth rate is estimated at 6.7%.
- ❖ SBI Sanctions ₹10,050 Crore Loan to Damodar Valley Corporation for Developing 1,600 Megawatt Ultra Super Critical Thermal Power Plant in Koderma.

- ❖ Bollywood Producer Vinod Bachchan Honored with Global Prestige Award at UK Parliament
- ❖ Jitendra J. Jadhav Assumes Charge as Director General of Aeronautical Development Agency(ADA).
- ❖ International day of peace is celebrated on 21 September 2024.
- ❖ International coastal cleanup day is celebrated on 21 September 2024.
- ❖ On September 20, 2024, PM Modi visited Maharashtra to inaugurate key infrastructure projects designed to boost regional development and improve connectivity.
- ❖ Union Minister Amit Shah Launches Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for White Revolution 2.0 to Boost Indian Dairy Sector.
- ❖ Ayushman Bharat PM-JAY Celebrates 6 Years of Successful Implementation.
- ❖ Jordan Becomes the First Country Globally to Receive WHO Verification for Eliminating Leprosy.
- ❖ India Participates in G7 Ministerial Meeting on Culture in Naples, Italy.
- ❖ Atishi Marlena Sworn in as the 8th Chief Minister of Delhi or Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) Celebrates a Historic Leadership Change.
- ❖ Marxist Leader Anura Kumara Dissanayake Sworn in as the 9th President of Sri Lanka.
- ❖ Air Marshal Amar Preet Singh Appointed as Next Chief of Indian Air Force.
- ❖ Aditya Birla Capital Receives RBI Approval for Merger with Aditya Birla Finance.
- ❖ World rivers day is celebrated on 22 September 2024.
- ❖ World rhino day is celebrated on 22 September 2024.
- ❖ 7th National Sample Survey Office (NSSO) Annual Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLES) Unemployment Rate Remains Unchanged at 3.2% for July 2023 to June 2024.
- ❖ iBUS (International Business Solutions) Network Secures USD 34 Million from IFC (International Finance Corporation) for Global Expansion.

- ❖ Film Federation of India (FFI) Announces Kiran Rao's "Laapata Ladies" as India's Official Entry for Oscars 2025.
- ❖ Rhea Singha from Gujarat Crowned Miss Universe India 2024.
- ❖ Appointments Approved by the Appointment Committee of the Cabinet Alok Ranjan as Director of the National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) and Amit Garg as Director of the Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy (SVPNPA).
- ❖ Russian Soyuz Capsule Successfully Brings Back Three Crew Members from the International Space Station (ISS).
- ❖ DRDO Transfers High-Altitude Sustenance Technologies to Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd(PGCIL).
- ❖ Uttarakhand CM Pushkar Singh Dhami Releases Book Titled 'Khaki Mein Sthitapragya'.
- ❖ Governor of Tamil Nadu, R.N. Ravi, Releases 'Sri Rama in Tamilagam: An Inseparable Bond' by Dr. D.K. Hari and Dr. D.K. Hema Hari.
- ❖ World rose day for cancer patients is celebrated on 22 September 2024.
- ❖ Union MoS for Health & Family Welfare, Prataprao Jadhav, Launches 'Tobacco-Free Youth Campaign 2.0'.
- ❖ Aryabhata Research Institute of Observational Sciences (ARIES) and Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) Sign MoU to Enhance Space Situational Awareness.
- ❖ CAG (Comptroller and Auditor General) of India Assumes Chairmanship of the Asian Organization of Supreme Audit Institutions (ASOSAI) for the 2024-27 Term.
- ❖ Tripura CM Manik Sah Lays Foundation for Asian Development Bank (ADB)-Funded ₹530 Crore Project to Boost Drinking Water Supply.
- ❖ Bank of Baroda and EaseMyTrip Jointly Launch Co-Branded Travel Debit Card.
- ❖ SBI General Insurance Partners with Blse-Services to Offer Comprehensive Insurance Products.
- ❖ Harini Amarasuriya Sworn in as the 16th Prime Minister of Sri Lanka.
- ❖ Government Approves Sale of Ferro Scrap Nigam Ltd to Japanese Firm Konoike

Transport for Rs 320 Crore.

- ❖ Team India Wins Gold in Both Open and Women's Events at the 45th FIDE (Fédération Internationale des Échecs) Chess Olympiad 2024 in Budapest.
- ❖ World car-free day is celebrated on 22 September 2024.
- ❖ National Service Scheme (NSS) day is celebrated on 24 September 2024.
- ❖ National Logistics Development and Standardization Laboratory (NLDSL) Unveils ULIP (Unified Logistics Interface Platform) Logistics Hackathon 2.0 and Launches 'Track Your Transport' App.
- ❖ According to SBI's Economic Research Department (ERD) Report, India's Population Growth is on a Downward Trajectory.
- ❖ Union Minister Jyotiraditya M. Scindia Launches Ashtalakshmi Mahotsav Website in New Delhi.
- ❖ OECD (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development) Raises India's GDP Forecast to 6.7% for FY25 and 6.8% for FY26.
- ❖ Shankh Air, India's Newest Airline, Receives Approval from the Ministry of Civil Aviation (MoCA).
- ❖ Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited (RINL) Wins CII-Green Business Centre National Energy Leader Award for the Sixth Consecutive Year.
- ❖ CCI Approves Naspers Ventures' Acquisition of Vastu Housing Finance Corporation.
- ❖ RBI approved the merger of Rajapur Cooperative Bank Limited with Malad Cooperative Bank Limited.
- ❖ Syria Defeats India 3-0 to Win Their Maiden Intercontinental Cup 2024 Football Title.
- ❖ Lay's Named Official Sponsor of FIFA World Cup 2026 and FIFA Women's World Cup 2027.
- ❖ World pharmacists day is celebrated on 25 September 2024.
- ❖ Antyodaya diwas day is celebrating on 25 September 2024.

- ❖ According to the Periodic Labour Force Survey (July 2023 - June 2024) Kerala, Lakshadweep, and Andaman Lead in Youth Unemployment Rate.
- ❖ Indian Railways Launches Rail Rakshak Dal in North Western Zone for Swift Rescue Operations.
- ❖ Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) Signs MoU with Visa to Upskill 20,000 Youths for Tourism Industry.
- ❖ India and Saudi Arabia Sign MoU to Enhance Bilateral Cooperation in Public Sector.
- ❖ IPS Officer Rajwinder Singh Bhatti Appointed as DG of CISF.
- ❖ Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers (GRSE) and National Highways & Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited (NHIDCL) Sign MoU for Supply of Double Lane Modular Bridges.
- ❖ BRICS Countries Adopt Climate and Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework.
- ❖ Odisha Launches PM-USHA Program to Enhance Higher Education.
- ❖ IAS Officer Amrit Lal Meena Appointed Chief Secretary of Bihar.
- ❖ Two new cannibal spider species named *Mimetus spinatus* and *Mimetus parvulus* were discovered in the Western Ghats.
- ❖ Millennium Challenge Account(MCA) -Nepal and India Sign United States Dollar 12.36 Million Contract for 18 km Cross-Border Transmission Line.
- ❖ Union Cabinet Approves 309-Km Rail Line Connecting Mumbai and Indore.
- ❖ Frontier Warfare Defense Agency Announces Successful Maiden Flight of Indigenous Unmanned Bomber Aircraft FWD 200B.
- ❖ GM Karthik Venkataraman Clinches 6th National Chess Championship Title in Haryana.
- ❖ Indian Navy's P-81 Aircraft Takes Part in 22nd Indo-French Bilateral Naval Exercise VARUNA 2024.
- ❖ Union Minister Annpurna Devi Launches 7th Rashtriya Roshan Mah 2024.
- ❖ Bank of India (BoI) Launches 333-Day Star Dhan Vriddhi Fixed Deposit Scheme with

Higher Interest Rates.

- ❖ Kotak General Insurance Rebrands as Zurich Kotak General Insurance Following Major Stake Acquisition.
- ❖ Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry Honors Ayushmann Khurrana and Neeraj Chopra with Youth Icon of India Award 2024.
- ❖ Madhya Pradesh Government Launches Brindavan Gram Scheme and Gita Bhavan Project.
- ❖ PM Modi's visit to Brunei and Singapore from September 3-5, 2024 to strengthen ties and boost security.
- ❖ Hitachi Payment Services and National Payments Corporation of India Launch India's First Android-Based Customer Relationship Management ATM.
- ❖ Arianespace Launches Sentinel-2C Satellite on Final Vega Rocket for Environmental Monitoring.
- ❖ New Spider Species Carrhotus piperus Discovered in Tamil Nadu.
- ❖ Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) Launches Second Cohort of Startup Accelerators of Mega-Impact for Development and Growth (SAMRIDH) to Support Startups.
- ❖ Sundar Pichai, Ashwini Vaishnaw, Anil Kapoor Among Indians on TIME 100 Most Influential People in AI 2024 List.
- ❖ Union Civil Aviation Minister K. Ram Mohan Naidu Inaugurates Digi Yatra Facility at 9 Airports.
- ❖ ACC Approves Appointment of IAS Officer Tuhin Kanta Pandey as Finance Secretary.
- ❖ International vulture awareness day is celebrated on 7 September 2024.
- ❖ Indian Army and Indian Air Force Sign MoU with Global Supply Ventures to Enhance Logistics Expertise.
- ❖ US Government Partners with IIT Madras Research Park for Semiconductor, Green Hydrogen, Electric Vehicles, and Battery Technologies.

- ❖ IATA (International Air Transport Association) announced the theme "Adoption of Innovation and Technology' for the 2024 World Safety and Operations Conference".
- ❖ ACC Approves Appointment of Six Senior Advocates as Additional Solicitors General in Supreme Court.
- ❖ AU Small Finance Bank Partners with United India Insurance Company for Distribution of Insurance Products.
- ❖ Cabinet Approves ₹2,000-Crore 'Mission Mausam' to Revive Maritime Routes and Cultural Ties with 39 Countries.
- ❖ India's First Silicon Carbide Manufacturing Unit to be Established in Odisha.
- ❖ The Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) included yoga as a demonstration sport for the 2026 Asian Games.
- ❖ International day for South-south cooperation is celebrated on 12 September 2024.
- ❖ Union Minister Rajeev Ranjan Singh unveiled new initiatives to transform the fisheries sector at the 4th Anniversary of Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojna (PMMSY) in New Delhi.
- ❖ "Small Savings Schemes Surge 13.8%, Driven by Sukanya Samriddhi and Senior Citizen's Scheme.
- ❖ World first aid day is celebrated on 14 September 2024.
- ❖ International day of democracy is celebrated on 15 September 2024.
- ❖ PM Narendra Modi Inaugurates SEMICON India 2024 in Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh.
- ❖ Shriram Finance Appoints Rahul Dravid as Brand Ambassador.
- ❖ Union Minister Jitendra Singh Launches Web Portal to Monitor Progress of Special Swachhata Campaign 4.0.
- ❖ CSTT (Central Institute of Indian Languages) Launches Website Featuring Technical Terms in 22 Official Indian Languages.
- ❖ Ministry of Railways Awards National Security Guarantee-1 Status to Vijayawada Railway Station in Andhra Pradesh.

- ❖ Prasanthi Ram Wins Singapore Literature Prize 2024 for "Nine Yard Sarees".
- ❖ Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) Signs 9 LoIs at the 4th Edition of Global Bio-India Held in New Delhi.
- ❖ HCL Technologies (Hindustan Computers Limited) Tops TIME Magazine's List of World's Best Companies 2024 Among Indian Firms.
- ❖ International equal pay day is celebrated on 18 September 2024.
- ❖ Paisabazaar Partners with Yes Bank to Launch 'Paisasave' Credit Card.
- ❖ NASA's DART (Double Asteroid Redirection Test) Mission Set to Create First Human-Made Meteor Shower.
- ❖ India and Denmark Strengthen Maritime Ties with Focus on Green Shipping, Digitalization, and Sustainable Development.
- ❖ According to the International Rhino Foundation's 2024 State of the Rhino Report, Greater One-Horned Rhinos Are Among the Most Vulnerable to Climate Change.
- ❖ UN's first ever world cleanup day is celebrated on 20 September 2024.
- ❖ Mizoram CM Pu Laldahoma Launches "Bana Kaih" Scheme to Support Farmers and Entrepreneurs.
- ❖ Ministry of Labour and Employment(MoL&E) Increases Provident Fund Withdrawal Limit to ₹1 Lakh from ₹50,000.
- ❖ Karnataka, Gujarat, and Tamil Nadu Recognized as Major Beneficiaries of 1990s Economic Reforms by the Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister.
- ❖ World Alzheimer's day is celebrated on 21 September 2024.
- ❖ International red panda day is celebrated on 21 September 2024.
- ❖ Department of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare(DoA&FW) Releases 3rd Advance Estimates for FY24 on Area and Production of Various Horticulture Crops.
- ❖ Indian Army Collaborates with the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) to Unveil HIM DRONE-A-THON 2024 and HIMTECH 2024 Events in Ladakh.

- ❖ Madhya Pradesh State Election Commission Conducts India's First Paperless Election.
- ❖ Lando Norris Secures Victory for McLaren at the 2024 Singapore Grand Prix.
- ❖ Kerala, Tamil Nadu, and Jammu & Kashmir Emerge as Top Performers in Food Safety and Standards Authority of India's (FSSAI) State Food Safety Index 2023-24.
- ❖ China's Smart Dragon-3 Rocket Launches 8 Satellites from the Sea.
- ❖ International day of sign languages is celebrated on 23 September 2024.
- ❖ Anushka Sen Honored by South Korean Government for Strengthening India-Korea Relations.
- ❖ Brijendra Pratap Singh Set to Become the Next Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) of National Aluminium Company Limited (NALCO).
- ❖ Team Europe Wins 2024 Laver Cup, Defeating Team World.