

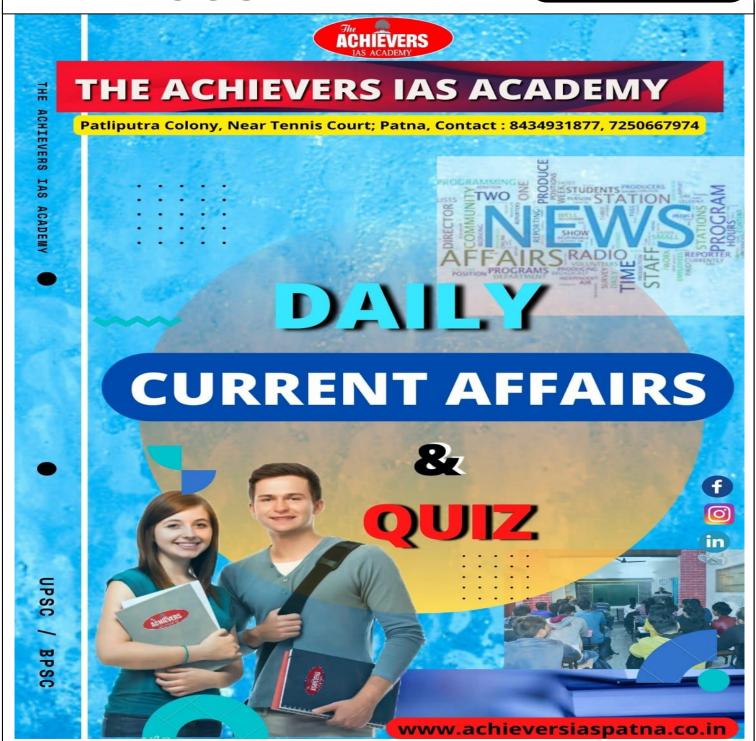
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# CURRENT AFFAIR BOOSTER

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#### 1. ISRO launches OneWeb India-1 mission



The Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) has embarked on a new mission after successfully launching its heaviest rocket LVM-3-M2/OneWeb India-1. Keeping in mind the growing demand for reliable launchers in the global markets, ISRO has started working on futuristic rockets, which will be 'cost-effective and industry-friendly'. Speaking at the India Space Congress, ISRO Chairman S Somnath on Wednesday revealed that an ISRO team has started working on defining the design of such a rocket. He said that we want to build a cost-effective and reliable rocket in partnership with industry that specializes in this area.

Somnath further said that 'Once the design is ready, we will seek inputs from the industry. ISRO will continue to be the designer and custodian of the new rocket to ensure its reliability. Also there will be producer as well as operator. We hope that in a year or two, the design of such a rocket will be ready.

2. UP's Terai Elephant Reserve gets approval from the Central Government, becoming the 33rd Elephant Reserve of the country



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Ramesh Pandey, Director, Project Hathi, MoEFCC, said the TER will be set up over an area of 3,049,39 square kilometres. Which includes Pilibhit Tiger Reserve, Dudhwa National Park, Kishanpur Wildlife Sanctuary, Katarniaghat Wildlife Sanctuary, Dudhwa buffer zone and forest area. The work on the new TER will start soon after the Uttar Pradesh government will issue a notification in this regard. With the TER coming into existence, Dudhwa Tiger Reserve will earn the credit of protecting and conserving four iconic wild species namely tiger, one-horned rhinoceros, Asiatic elephant and swamp deer.

Sanjay Kumar Pathak, Field Director, Dudhwa said, "The establishment of an elephant reserve in Dudhwa will not only give a boost to eco-tourism but will also help in adopting an elephant centric approach for their conservation under Project Elephant besides managing camp or captive Dudhwa elephants. Will help. It will also help in effectively handling human-elephant conflicts which are currently state dependent.

# 3. FATF removes Pakistan from gray list, Myanmar blacklist



The Financial Action Task Force (FATF) has removed Pakistan from its grey-list. After being removed from this list, now Pakistan can try to get financial help from institutions like International Monetary Fund, World Bank, Asian Development Bank and European Union to get its economy out of crisis. FATF President T. Raja Kumar told a virtual press conference from Singapore that this decision has been taken in a two-day meeting held on October 20-21 in Paris.

T. Raja Kumar said that Pakistan, in its action plan commitment, had rectified the strategic lapses identified by the FATF in June, 2018 and June, 2021. At its meeting in June, the FATF said it was retaining Pakistan in the grey-list, but added that it could be removed from the list after confirming progress there. In September, the FATF team toured Pakistan.

# 4. U-23 World Wrestling Championships: Aman Sehrawat Wins First Gold For India



India's Aman Sehrawat has created history by winning a gold medal at the Under-23 World Wrestling Championships in Spain. 16-year-old

Aman is the first Indian wrestler to win a gold medal in this competition. He defeated Turkey's Ahmet Duman 12-4 in the final. Olympic medalists Bajrang Punia and Ravi Kumar Dahiya had also reached the finals of this competition earlier and won the silver medal. Aman Sehrawat has won the gold medal in the Under-23 Asian Championship this year. He was successful in winning a silver medal in the Under-20 Asian Championship. India has received six medals including one gold, one silver and four bronze in the Under-23 World Wrestling Championship 2022. India's Sajan Bhanwala has become the first Greco-Roman wrestler to win a bronze medal in this competition.

# 5. Reliance Jio's Diwali blast, Akash Ambani launches 5G services in Nathdwara, Rajasthan



Telecom operator company Reliance Jio has started 5G services in Nathdwara, Rajasthan from today. Reliance Jio Chairman Akash Ambani has started services in Rajasthan from the famous Shrinathji Temple in Rajsamand. This year Reliance Jio aims to launch 5G services in major cities like Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata and Chennai.

Announcing the 5G launch in India on 29 August, Reliance Chairman Mukesh Ambani said that we intend to expand our 5G network to every city, tehsil and taluka across the country by December 2023. Let us tell you that earlier this year, Reliance Industries Chairman Mukesh Ambani resigned from the board of Reliance Jio, after which he handed over the post to his elder son Akash Ambani.

# 6. Rishi Sunak becomes the new Prime Minister of Britain



Former UK Finance Minister and Indian-origin Rishi Sunak will be the new Prime Minister of the country. His name was officially announced on Monday. The announcement was made at a time when the whole world including India is celebrating the festival of Diwali. Meanwhile, Prime Minister Narendra Modi congratulated Sunak. "I look forward to interacting with you to work together on global issues and implement Roadmap 2030," the PM tweeted.

Earlier, Prime Minister Boris Johnson withdrew from the race to become the leader of the Conservative Party. Since then Sunak's name was almost fixed. At the last minute, the leader of the House of Commons, Penny Mordaunt, also withdrew. After this, the final seal was put on Sunak's name. He will become Britain's first Indianorigin and first non-white prime minister.

# 7. Indian and US armies conduct 'Tiger Trunk' exercise



The armies of India and the US conducted a threeday joint humanitarian assistance exercise 'Tiger Trump' in Visakhapatnam as part of the growing strategic cooperation between the two countries. According to a statement issued by the US military, "This week's Tiger Trumf exercise was the second exercise between Indian and US forces to coordinate disaster relief in the region."

The first Tiger Triumph exercise was also held in Visakhapatnam. It lasted for nine days in November 2019, in which more than 500 sailors and sailors from the US participated. At the same time, about 1,200 marines, air force personnel and military personnel took part in it from the Indian side. "This year's exercise was attended by 50 joint participants and the exercise focuses on staff planning, with an emphasis on processes involved in streamlining diplomatic, operational and military coordination," the statement said.

Tiger trump is the third exercise of the year 2022, for which the armies of India and America have come together in Visakhapatnam. In February, the US military, along with forces from more than 30 other countries, united in Visakhapatnam for India's biennial exercise 'Milan'.

# 8. Cyclone Sitang hit Bangladesh, Indian regions also affected



In Bangladesh, about ten thousand houses have been damaged due to cyclone Sitrang. Briefing reporters in Dhaka today, Disaster Management and Relief Minister Mohd Inamur Rahman said that the government has kept about one million people affected by the storm in safe places. He said that at present most of the people have gone back to their respective homes. Mr. Rahman said that there was a sharp decrease in the speed of the storm after hitting the coastal areas last night. He said that nine people have been reported to have died in this disaster so far. He also said that six thousand

hectares of crops have been damaged due to this cyclone and more than one thousand fishing nets have been damaged. Earlier, Minister of State for Power Nasrul Hameed said that due to Cyclone Sitrang, the power system is disturbed and eight lakh people are not getting electricity. Because there is heavy damage to the electric poles. He said that efforts are on to restore power in the affected areas. Meanwhile, flight services have been restored from Chattogram, Cox's Bazar and Barisal airports from this afternoon. After being suspended for about thirty-six hours, the spread and launch services resumed.

# 9. IIT Madras Wins National Intellectual Property Award for 2021-22



The Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Madras has been conferred with the National Intellectual Property Award for the years 2021 and 2022 by the Government of India for being the top academic institution in the field of patent filing, grants and commercialization. Provided by the Department of Industrial and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Govt. Patent applications, grants and commercialization aspects are taken into account when evaluating this award.

Under this award, a trophy, a citation and a cash prize of Rs 1 lakh were presented to the director of the institute, V Kamakoti, on 15 October. According to the statement, IIT Madras Director V Kamakoti said that this award has certainly inspired IIT Madras to create and protect more and more intellectual property and create self-sustaining products that will impact the society in the immortal period.

#### ONE LINER

Who has been elected as the new Prime Minister of Britain, of Indian origin - Rishi Sunak

Which country has given the name to the cyclonic storm Sitrang that recently hit the Bay of Bengal - Thailand

Who has become the first Indian wrestler to win gold in the Under-23 World Wrestling Championship - Aman Sehrawat

2022 Men's World Team Chess Championship, in which teams from top 12 countries will participate, in which country will this tournament be held - Israel

The prestigious 'Sakharov Freedom Prize' 2022, given to the Ukrainian people, this award is presented annually by - European Union ISRO has sent satellites of which space company under its first commercial mission - OneWeb Limited

Recently which country has been included in the list of high risk countries by FATF - Myanmar

#### OUIZ

- 1. Which multi-satellite spacecraft of Russia was recently placed in the first orbit of the orbiting constellation?
- (A) Russian Skiff-D satellite
- (B) Surface Skiff-D satellite
- (C) Nuclear Skiff-D satellite
- (D) Shakti Skiff-D satellite
- 2. Which of the following air quality reached very poor level category in October 2022 Went?
- (A) Delhi
- (C) Mumbai
- (C) Lucknow
- (D) Kolkata
- 3. At which place will a state level awareness program on gender based violence be organized on 27th October?
- (A) Jalandhar
- (B) Jaipur
- (C) Chandigarh

- (D) Raipur
- 4. Who among the following won the 2022 United States F1 Grand Prix title?
- (A) Max Verstappen
- (C) Charles
- (C) Lewis Hamilton
- (D) None of these
- 5. Who among the following won the Napoli Open title recently?
- (A) Jannik Sinar
- (B) Charlos Alcarz
- (C) Lorenzo Musetti
- (D) Lorenzo Sonego
- 6. Recently, Federal Law Minister Azam Nazir Tarar resigned from his post, he was the Law Minister of which of the following country?
- (A) Nepal
- (B) Bangladesh
- (C) Pakistan
- (D) Afghanistan
- 7. In which state will the Jackson Group invest Rs 22,400 crore for a green project?
- (A) Rajasthan
- (C) Uttar Pradesh
- (C) Gujarat
- (D) Madhya Pradesh
- 8. Who among the following won the women's singles title in the VV Natu Memorial All India Senior Ranking Badminton tournament recently?
- (A) Malvika Bansod
- (B) Karman Kaur Thandi
- (C) Ankita Raina
- (D) Riya Bhatia
- 9. Which of the following country has given the name of Cyclone Sitanga, which brought rain in West Bengal recently?
- (A) Malaysia
- (C) Japan
- (C) Thailand
- (D) Bangladesh
- 10. Recently France, Britain, America rejected Russia's allegations of which bomb?
- (A) Dirty Bomb

- (B) Salt Bomb
- (C) Food Bomb
- (D) Good Bomb

