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## 1. ' India Chem 2022 ' organized in New Delhi



The theme of 'India Chem 2022' is "Vision 2030: Chemicals and Petrochemicals Build India". It is being jointly organized by Petrochemicals, FICCI and Department of Chemicals, Government of India. Minister of State for Chemicals & Fertilizers and Renewable Energy Bhagwant Khuba and senior officials of the Ministries will also be present on the occasion. India Chem 2022 will provide a national and international platform to showcase and interact with the government's policies for sustainable development in the chemicals and fertilizers sector.

India Chem is one of the largest composite events of the chemical and petrochemicals industry in the Asia Pacific region. The India Chem 2022 exhibition will have several round table events such as the Conference on Indian Chemicals and Petrochemicals, the Chemicals and Petrochemicals Forum of India-USA, India-EU and India-East-Asia and International Exhibition. It has more than 100 Indian and International exhibitions. Also, more than 15,000 traders are expected to come in it. Mainly from Iran, China, Japan, United Kingdom, Spain, United States, Germany, Italy, Brazil, Turkey and Southeast Asian countries are participating as exhibitors, delegates and visitors.

The main objective of India Chem 2022 is to make India self-reliant in the country's chemical industry, invest in this sector and promote "Make in India". This conference is being organized for investment, innovation,

infrastructure in the chemical sector and to make India stronger at the global level. The chemical industry is the mainstay of the country's industrial and agricultural development and the chemical and petrochemical industry in India also plays an important role in the economic sector. India has registered a huge growth of 106 percent in the export of chemical industry in 2021-22 as compared to the year 2013-14. India's chemical exports for 2021-22 have reached a record US\$ 29,296 million, while India's chemical exports stood at US\$ 14,210 million in 2013-14.

## 2. Adani Group Installs Country's Largest and Powerful Wind Turbine in Gujarat



Asia's richest person Gautam Adani is known for making his mark with his work. This time Gautam Adani's company has created history by making the largest wind turbine in the country. It has been made higher than the Statue of Unity of Gujarat.

Adani New Industries Limited (ANIL) of Adani Group has installed this wind turbine in Mundra, Gujarat. Adani New Industries has installed the country's largest wind turbine generator (WTG) in Mundra, Gujarat. This turbine is installed by Mundra Windtech Limited (MWL), a subsidiary of Adani Enterprises Limited (NIL).

MWL's Chief Operating Officer (COO) Milind Kulkarni says, 'The proto assembly was completed in a record time of 19 days. Now it has been installed and enabled. The 200 meter long wind turbine has a power generation

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capacity of 5.2 MW and can easily provide electricity to about 4,000 homes.

It is the tallest turbine in the country. This turbine has turned out to be taller than the Statue of Unity, the world's tallest statue of 182 meters. Its blades are 78 metres, bigger than the wingspan of a jumbo jet. Thus it is the largest wind turbine in terms of power generation and has a rotor diameter of 160 meters. The hub height of this wind turbine generator is 120 meters, which is equivalent to a 40-storey building.

### 3. Khula Desh Ka Pehla Mahila Mohalla Clinic in Delhi



The Kejriwal government of Delhi has launched the country's first Mahila Mohalla Clinic today. Here all kinds of medicines, tests and ultrasounds related to pregnant women and gynecology will be free. These clinics will be exclusively for women and children below 12 years of age. Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal along with Health Minister Manish Sisodia inaugurated the first Mahila Mohalla Clinic in New Delhi today.

Four similar Mahila Mohalla Clinics are going to be started in Delhi. These 4 Mohalla Clinics will be in New Delhi, Mehrauli, Kondli and Okhla Vidhan Sabha. Before this, 521 Aam Aadmi Mohalla Clinics are running all over Delhi. In which free treatment is given to both men and women. Now 525 mohalla clinics will be formed by combining them.

In this Mahila Mohalla Clinic, the first waiting area has been made, where there is a seating arrangement for women. After this, entry will

have to be made at the registration counter and there is a doctor's room next to it. The medicine desk is present in front of the doctor's room.

### 4. India 's first voter voted from home for the first time



Shyam Saran Negi, the first voter of independent India, cast his ballot paper for the first time from his home in Kalpa for the 14th Legislative Assembly. After casting his vote, Shyam Saran said that voting is a great festival of democracy. We all must exercise our franchise. PM Modi has also praised Negi, the country's oldest voter. PM Modi said that this will inspire the new generation of people to vote.

It is worth mentioning that earlier Negi had said that he would go to the polling booth and vote, but due to ill health, he had to cast his vote from home. Negi, who voted for the 34th time, cast his vote through postal ballot for the first time on Wednesday. Born in July 1917, Negi has voted in the Lok Sabha elections 16 times since 1951. He is also the election icon of Himachal since 2014. Negi has voted in every election since 1951. Chief Electoral Officer Manish Garg also congratulated centenary voter Shyam Saran Negi for casting his vote.

District Election Officer Abid Hussain Sadiq told that a red carpet was laid to bring Negi to the postal booth built in the courtyard of his house. After voting his vote was sealed in an envelope and put in the ballot box. Shyam Saran Negi was honored with a cap and a muffler. Said

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that Shyam Saran Negi is not only the icon of Himachal but the country. We are a source of inspiration for all. Even after the age of 106, his passion to vote is a proof of the importance of every vote in the strengthening of democracy.

## 5. Subhrakant Panda elected new president of FICCI



Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) appointed Subhrakant Panda as its next President. Panda, the Managing Director of Indian Metals and Ferro Alloys Limited (IMFA), currently serves as the Senior Vice President of FICCI. In a statement issued here, FICCI said Panda will replace Sanjiv Mehta as the President of the Apex Chamber at the conclusion of the 95th AGM to be held on December 16-17. Panda said that I consider it a privilege to run the institute. Panda has been active in FICCI for over two decades. He was the first President of FICCI Odisha State Council.

IMFA said that Panda is the first industrialist from Odisha to head FICCI. Utkal Chamber of Commerce and Industry chief Brahmanand Mishra has congratulated Subhrakant Panda on being elected as the President of FICCI.

## 6. India's Men's Squash Team Won Gold Medal For The First Time In Asian Team Squash Championship



The Indian men's team, led by the experienced Saurav Ghosal, defeated Kuwait in the final of the Asian Squash Team Championship with 2 . Won the gold medal for the first time by defeating 0. Star player Ghoshal decided India's victory. Earlier, Ramit Tandon gave Ali Aramji 11. 5, 11 . 7, 11. Gave India the lead by defeating 4. Ghoshal to Ammar Altamimi 11.9 9, 11 . 2, 11. beat by 3.

There was no need to play the third match between Abhay Singh and Falah Mohammad. The Indian team had won the silver medal in the last two seasons. The top seeded Indian team defeated Malaysia in the semi-finals after defeating Qatar, Pakistan, Kuwait, South Korea and Chinese Taipei in Pool A. was defeated by 1. Women's team beat Malaysia in the semi-finals. 2 and had to be content with bronze. The women's team finished second in Pool B with two wins and one loss. She defeated Iran and Singapore but lost to Hong Kong.

## 7. Benjamin Netanyahu to be Israel's next Prime Minister



Former Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu will once again become the Prime Minister of Israel. According to the Times of Israel, Benjamin Netanyahu has won the

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election with a majority and returned to power. Benjamin Netanyahu's Likud party won 64 of the 120 seats in the final round of election counting held on November 3, needing only 61 to retain power. There have been 5 prime ministerial elections in Israel in the last 3 years. After which Benjamin Netanyahu's party has formed its government for the first time with an absolute majority.

73-year-old Benjamin Netanyahu will become the Prime Minister of Israel for the third time. His first term lasted from 1996 to 1999 and then from 2009 to 2021. He has been the PM of Israel for 15 years. He will again take oath as Israel's prime minister on November 15. In fact, in 2019, Benjamin Netanyahu was accused of corruption, after which his party was weakened and he lost the election.

Prime Minister Modi was the first PM of India who went to Israel for the first time without worrying about Islamic countries, after which Benjamin Netanyahu also came to India. When Benjamin came to India for the first time, PM Modi himself broke his protocol and went to receive him at the airport. After which there was a deep friendship between the two leaders.

## 8. Birds Counting For The First Time In Nagaland



Nagaland is set to host a bird documentation event - 'Tokhu Imong Bird Count (TEBC)' - from November 4-7, in an effort to promote and encourage conservation of birds in their natural habitat. The event is being organized in association with Wokha Forest Division and

Divisional Management Unit, Nagaland Forest Management Project (NFMP), Wokha and Bird Count India.

According to an official statement, a public bird program will be organized and comprehensive details of birds will be considered to create awareness among students on bird conservation. A birdwalk through the woodland is also possible during the event. This will prove to be a great opportunity to connect children with birds and nature.

Birds from outside Nagaland who wish to be a part of this program can follow the above guidelines, however there is an additional step that you may share your checklist with eBird UserID: 'tokhuemong'. Although counting will be more productive early in the morning, the birds usually become quiet and inactive in the middle of the day.

The event has been dubbed after Tokhu Imong, the post-harvest festival of Lotha Nagas. Tokhu Imong is a festival of thanksgiving, sharing and reconciliation. The most beautiful aspect of this festival is the forgiveness of past resentments, the development of new relationships and the bonds of close intimacy.

### ONE LINER

Which ministry has released the performance grading index for 2020-21 - **Ministry of Education**

Niva Bupa Health Insurance Company Limited has announced its corporate agency partnership with which bank to provide health insurance solutions to the customer of the bank - **IDFC First Bank**

With which country India has signed economic cooperation and trade agreement - **Australia**

'Operation Vigilant Storm' is a defense exercise conducted between the US and which country - **South Korea**

Which Indian cricketer has become the world number one batsman in T20

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Internationals in November 2022 -  
**Suryakumar Yadav**

Defense Research and Development Organization successfully conducted the first flight test of Phase -II Ballistic Missile Defense Interceptor AD-1 missile . Who is the chairman of DRDO recently - **Dr. Sameer V. Kamat**

Renowned women 's rights activist and founder of Self - Employed Women 's Sangh , who passed away recently - **Ila Bhatt**

Which Union Minister inaugurated ' Shilp Samagam - 2022 ' in New Delhi - **Dr. Virendra Kumar**

## QUIZ

1. Which ministry has released the Performance Grading Index for 2020-21 ?

- a) Ministry of Education
- b) Ministry of Child Development
- c) Ministry of Industry
- d) Ministry of Family Welfare

The Ministry of Education has released the Performance Grading Index for 2020-21 . It is an evidence - based comprehensive analysis of school discipline systems in states and union territories . The main objective of Performance Grading Index is to promote evidence - based policy making and all Curriculum reforms are to be underlined to ensure quality education for .

2. Recently Niva Bupa Health Insurance Company Limited has announced its corporate agency partnership with which bank to provide health insurance solutions to the customer of the bank ?

- a) HDFC Bank
- b) IDFC First Bank
- c) ICICI Bank
- d) Axis Bank

Niva Bupa Health Insurance Company Limited ( formerly known as Max Bupa Health Insurance Company ) announced its corporate agency partnership with IDFC First Bank . It will provide health insurance solutions to the customers of the bank .

Bank Assurance One Bank and An arrangement between an insurance company through which the insurer can sell its products to the customers of the bank .

3. With which country India has signed economic cooperation and trade agreement ?

- a) Australia
- b) America
- c) Italy
- d) Japan

Union Minister of Commerce and Industry Piyush Goyal held a virtual meeting with his Australian counterpart . The meeting was held to discuss the status of ratification of the IndAus ECTA ( India-Australia Economic Cooperation and Trade Agreement ) , which was signed in April 2022 .

4. Which Indian cricketer has become the world number one batsman in T20 Internationals in November 2022 ? \_

- a) Rohit Sharma
- b) Rishabh Pant
- c) Suryakumar Yadav
- d) Virat Kohli

India 's Surya Kumar Yadav has become the world 's number one batsman in the T-20 international on November 2 , Surya Kumar Yadav beat Pakistan opener Mohammad Rizwan to top the ICC men 's T20 batsmen 's rankings . \_\_\_ Surya Kumar Yadav in the latest ICC rankings Has scored 863 marks and Rizwan has scored 842 marks . Suryakumar Yadav made his ICC International debut against England on 14 March 2021 . \_\_\_

5. Defense Research and Development Organization successfully conducted the first flight test of Phase -II Ballistic Missile Defense Interceptor AD-1 missile . Who is the chairman of DRDO recently ? \_

- a) Upendra Kumar Singh
- b) Hari Babu Srivastava
- c) Dr. Shailendra V Gade
- d) Dr. Sameer V. \_ Kamat

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Defense Research and Development Organization conducted the first successful flight test of Phase -II Ballistic Missile Defense Interceptor AD-1 missile from APJ Abdul Kalam Island off the coast of Odisha on 2 November 2022 . The AD-1 ( Air Defence ) is a long - range interceptor missile designed for long - range ballistic Designed for both low exo - atmospheric and endo - atmospheric interception of missiles and aircraft . \_\_\_ Chairman of Defense Research and Development Organization - Dr. \_ Sameer V. \_ Kamat.

**6. Famous women 's rights activist and founder of self - employment women 's union , who passed away recently ? \_**

- a) Ila Bhatt
- b) Mamata Bhupesh
- c) Santosh Sharma
- d) Shanktala Gupta

Ela Bhatt , a renowned women's rights activist and founder of the Self - Employed Mahila Sangh , passed away on 2 November 2022 . Founded in 1972 by Ela Bhatt , Self - Employment Mahila Sangh is one of the largest co - operative societies working for women , whose \_\_\_ About 18 states have over two million members . \_ She also co - founded Women 's World Banking in 1979 . He was awarded the Padma Shri in 1985 and the Padma Bhushan in 1986 .

**7. Which Union Minister inaugurated ' Shilp Samagam - 2022 ' in New Delhi ?**

- a) Ajay Kumar Bhalla
- b) Dr. Virender Kumar
- c) Apoorva Chandra
- d) Piyush Goyal

Union Minister Dr. \_ Virendra Kumar inaugurated ' Shilp Samagam - 2022 ' in New Delhi on 2nd November 2022 . Beneficiaries of top corporations have been invited to display and sell their handicraft products at the Samagam . 15 Days Shilp Samagam - 2022 (1-15 November ) During the marketing exhibition , products from 19

different states and union territories are available for display and sale .

**8. In which city of Kerala recently the 15th edition of Urban Mobility India Conference & Expo started on 4th November 2022 ?**

- a) Thiruvananthapuram
- b) Calicut
- c) Kochi
- d) Kottayam

In Kerala , the 15th edition of Urban Mobility India Conference & Expo began in Kochi on 4 November 2022 . Union Housing and Urban Affairs Minister Hardeep Singh Puri and Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan jointly inaugurated the three - day conference . this meeting ' Freedom @75 - Sustainable Self-Reliant Urban Mobility will focus on the theme ' .

**9. Who has recently assumed charge as Secretary , Department of Food and Public Distribution ?**

- a) Sanjay Kumar
- b) Sanjeev Kumar
- c) Shailendra Singh
- d) Sanjeev Chopra

Sanjeev Chopra took over as the Secretary , Department of Food and Public Distribution . \_ He also served as secretary to the government in the industries , general administration , agriculture and home departments . They have been approved by the government for digital transformation in the year 2020 and 2021 . Was awarded the National e - Governance Award for Excellence in Process Re - Engineering .

**10. Recently 'Operation Vigilant Storm ' is a defense exercise organized between America and which country ?**

- a) Germany
- b) South Korea
- c) Qatar
- d) North Korea

'Operation Vigilant Storm' is a defense exercise conducted between the US and South Korea . This exercise has been opposed by the Foreign Ministry of North

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Korea . The air forces of South Korea and the United States conduct various air operations such as strike package flights , air defense , and emergency air intercepts .

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