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T20 World Cup 2022 Final: England beats Pakistan by 5 wickets

T20 World Cup 2022 Final

England were crowned the champions after they defeated **Pakistan** by 5 wickets in the final at the iconic **Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG), Australia**. They are the first team to hold the ODI and T20 World Cups at the same time after their memorable win over New Zealand in the 2019 50-over final at Lord's. England also emulated West Indies to become only the second team in the history of the competition to lift two titles in the T20 World Cup.

England were in the box-seat after captain **Jos Buttler** won the toss and elected to field first, restricting Pakistan to just 8-137. Ben Stokes used all his experience to score 52 from 49 balls just when his team needed it most as England chased down Pakistan's meagre total of 137/8 with six deliveries remaining at the MCG.

T20 World Cup 2022 Final: Final score

- PAK: 137-8 (20)
- ENG: 138-5 (19)

T20 World Cup 2022 Final: Interesting points

- T20WC Men's Player of the Tournament: **Sam Curran** (12 wickets in six matches);
- **Sam Curran** was adjudged the man of the match for his performance where he took three wickets for just 12 runs from his four overs in the game;
- Over 80,000 people attended the finals of the T20 World Cup in Australia.

Here are the Playing XI of both teams:

England Playing XI:

1. Jos Buttler(w/c),
2. Alex Hales,
3. Philip Salt,
4. Ben Stokes,
5. Harry Brook,
6. Liam Livingstone,
7. Moeen Ali,
8. Sam Curran,
9. Chris Woakes,
10. Chris Jordan,
11. Adil Rashid

Pakistan Playing XI:

1. Babar Azam (c),
2. Mohammad Rizwan (wk),
3. Mohammad Haris,
4. Shan Masood,
5. Iftikhar Ahmed,
6. Shadab Khan,
7. Mohammad Nawaz,
8. Mohammad Wasim Jr,
9. Naseem Shah,
10. Haris Rauf,
11. Shaheen Afridi.

National Sports Awards 2022 announced

Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports announced the **National Sports Awards 2022**. The awardees will receive their awards from the President of India at a specially organized function at **Rashtrapati Bhavan on 30th November, 2022**. Based on the recommendations of the Committee and after due scrutiny, Government has decided to confer awards upon the following sportspersons, coaches and entities.

This year, for the first time, applications were invited only online and sportspersons/coaches/entities were permitted to self-apply through a dedicated portal. A large number of nominations were received for these awards this year, which were considered by the Selection Committee headed by **Justice A. M. Khanwilkar**, Retd. Judge, Supreme Court of India and consisting members from eminent sportspersons, persons having experience in sports journalism and sports administrators.

National Sports Awards 2022: Full List of awardees

a) Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award 2022

S. No.	Name of the sportsperson	Discipline
1.	Shri Sharath Kamal Achanta	Table Tennis

b) Arjuna Awards for outstanding performance in Sports and Games 2022

S. No.	Name of the sportsperson	Discipline
1.	Ms Seema Punia	Athletics
2.	Shri Eldhose Paul	Athletics
3.	Shri Avinash Mukund Sable	Athletics
4.	Shri Lakshya Sen	Badminton
5.	Shri Prannoy HS	Badminton
6.	Shri Amit	Boxing
7.	Ms Nikhat Zareen	Boxing
8.	Ms Bhakti Pradip Kulkarni	Chess
9.	Shri R Praggnanandhaa	Chess
10.	Ms Deep Grace Ekka	Hockey
11.	Ms Shushila Devi	Judo
12.	Ms Sakshi Kumari	Kabaddi
13.	Ms Nayan Moni Saikia	Lawn Bowl
14.	Shri Sagar Kailas Ovhalakar	Mallakhamb
15.	Ms ElavenilValarivan	Shooting
16.	Shri Omprakash Mitharval	Shooting
17.	Ms Sreeja Akula	Table Tennis

S. No.	Name of the sportsperson	Discipline
18.	Shri Vikas Thakur	Weightlifting
19.	Ms Anshu	Wrestling
20.	Ms Sarita	Wrestling
21.	Shri Parveen	Wushu
22.	Ms Manasi Girishchandra Joshi	Para Badminton
23.	Shri Tarun Dhillon	Para Badminton
24.	Shri Swapnil Sanjay Patil	Para Swimming
25.	Ms Jerlin Anika J	Deaf Badminton

c) Dronacharya Award for outstanding coaches in Sports and Games 2022

A. Regular Category:

S. No.	Name of the Coach (S/Shri/Ms)	Discipline
1.	Shri Jiwanjot Singh Teja	Archery
2.	Shri Mohammad Ali Qamar	Boxing
3.	Ms Suma Siddharth Shirur	Para Shooting
4.	Shri Sujeet Maan	Wrestling

B. Lifetime Category:

S.No.	Name of the Coach (S/Shri/Ms)	Discipline
1.	Shri Dinesh Jawahar Lad	Cricket
2.	Shri Bimal Prafulla Ghosh	Football
3.	Shri Raj Singh	Wrestling

d) Dhyan Chand Award for Lifetime achievement in Sports and Games 2022

S. No.	Name of the sportsperson	Discipline
1.	Ms Ashwini Akkunji C.	Athletics
2.	Shri Dharamvir Singh	Hockey
3.	Shri B.C Suresh	Kabaddi
4.	Shri Nir Bahadur Gurung	Para Athletics

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e) Rashtriya Khel Protsahan Puruskar 2022

S. No.	Category	Entity recommended for Rashtriya Khel Protsahan Puruskar, 2022
1.	Identification and Nurturing of Budding and Young Talent	TransStadia Enterprises Private Limited
2.	Encouragement to sports through Corporate Social Responsibility	Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology
3.	Sports for Development	Ladakh Ski & Snowboard Association

f) Maulana Abul Kalam Azad (MAKA) Trophy 2022:

- Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar

National Sports Awards 2022: Interesting facts to know

- **National Sports Awards** are given every year to recognize and reward excellence in sports.
- **'Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award'** is given for the spectacular and most outstanding performance in the field of sports by a sportsperson over the period of the previous four years.
- **'Arjuna Award** for outstanding performance in Sports and Games' is given for good performance over a period of the previous four years and for showing qualities of leadership, sportsmanship and a sense of discipline.
- **'Dronacharya Award** for outstanding coaches in Sports and Games' is given to coaches for doing outstanding and meritorious work on a consistent basis and for enabling sportspersons to excel in International events.
- **'Dhyan Chand Award** for Lifetime achievement in Sports and Games' is given to honour sportspersons who have contributed to sports by their performance and who continue to contribute to promotion of sports event after their retirement.
- **'Rashtriya Khel Protsahan Puruskar'** is given to corporate entities (both in private and public sector), Sports Control Boards, NGOs, including sports bodies at the State and National level, who have played a visible role in the area of sports promotion and development.
- The overall top performing university in inter-university tournaments is given the **Maulana Abul Kalam Azad (MAKA) Trophy**.

Most Valued Team of 2022 T20 World Cup

The ICC T20 World Cup 2022 is done, and this was one of the most competitive tournaments, according to ICC. **England** won the tournament by beating Pakistan at the Melbourne Cricket Ground in Melbourne. After the tournament, ICC have decided the most valuable team of the tournament.

Most Valuable Team of the T20 World Cup 2022:

1. Alex Hales (England)
2. Jos Buttler (c/wk) (England)
3. Virat Kohli (India)
4. Suryakumar Yadav (India)
5. Glenn Phillips (New Zealand)
6. Sikandar Raza (Zimbabwe)
7. Shadab Khan (Pakistan)
8. Sam Curran (England)
9. Anrich Nortje (South Africa)
10. Mark Wood (England)
11. Shaheen Shah Afridi (Pakistan)
12. Hardik Pandya (India)

Most Valuable Team of the T20 World Cup 2022: Selection panel

- The team was put together by a selection panel featuring commentators, former international players and journalists: **Ian Bishop (Convener), Mel Jones (both commentators), Shivnarine Chanderpaul (ICC Hall of Famer), Partha Bhaduri (Journalist, The Times of India) and Wasim Khan (ICC General Manager of Cricket).**
- Players from six different nations form the T20 World Cup 2022-winning England captain Jos Buttler-led team.
- Stars from England, runners-up Pakistan, semi-finalists India and New Zealand alongside Zimbabwe and South Africa feature in the glittering lineup.

Climate Change Performance Index 2023: India ranked 8th in the list

Climate Change Performance Index (CCPI) 2023:

The Climate Change Performance Index (CCPI) 2023 released which was published by three environmental non-governmental organizations viz. Germanwatch, NewClimate Institute and the **Climate Action Network (CAN)** International. **India** rose two spots to rank **eighth out of 63 countries** in the Climate Change Performance Index 2023 (CCPI). In the Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Energy Use categories, the country was rated “high”. In the Climate Policy and Renewable Energy categories, it earned a “medium” rating.

The CCPI evaluates 59 countries and the European Union, which together generate over 90 per cent of global greenhouse gas emissions. Using standardised criteria, the CCPI looks at four categories, with 14 indicators: Greenhouse Gas Emissions, Renewable Energy, Energy Use, and Climate Policy. In 2022 and 2021, India stood in the 10th spot. In 2020, it ranked ninth on the list. Since signing the Paris Agreement in 2015, India has updated its Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC). At the COP26 Summit in Glasgow, the country announced its commitment to achieving net zero carbon emissions by 2070.

Climate Change Performance Index 2023: Basis of Assessment:

CCPI tracks climate performance of the European Union (EU) and 59 countries, which together account for over 92% GHG emissions in the world. The climate protection performance is assessed in the following four categories, consisting of 14 indicators:

- GHG Emissions (40% Weightage)
- Renewable Energy (20% Weightage)
- Energy Use (20% Weightage)
- Climate Policy (20% Weightage)

Climate Change Performance Index 2023: Key Highlights:

- In the overall standings, no country ranked first, second or third on the index. **Denmark**, with a score of 79.61, ranked fourth, followed by **Sweden** with 73.28 points. India scored 67.35 points.
- India’s ranking in categories: In GHGs, it ranked 9 , Renewable Energy (24), and Energy Use (9), and on Climate Policy (8).
- It should be noted that India ranked at top in the grouping of top 10 emitters. It is followed by **Germany** and **Japan** at 2 and 3 positions of this grouping.
- The worst performers in the overall ranking are **Iran, Saudi Arabia and Kazakhstan**. They are particularly weak in renewables and heavily reliant on oil.
- **Saudi Arabia** is the country with the highest per capita GHG emissions among the G20 nations.

National Affairs

- The government is set to launch the **world’s longest luxury river cruise from Varanasi to Dibrugarh via Bangladesh** next year. The world’s longest luxury river cruise aims to give a push to **Indian inland waterways** development. The **50 days cruise** will set sail from Varanasi and pass-through **Kolkata and Dhaka** before reaching Bogibeel in the Dibrugarh district of Assam. The cruise will sail on **10th January 2023** and will cover a **distance of 4,000 km.** ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Prime Minister Narendra Modi** unveiled a 108 feet tall bronze statue of **Sri Nadaprabhu Kempegowda** in Bengaluru. The **‘Statue of Prosperity’** is made to commemorate the contribution of Nadaprabhu Kempegowda who is the founder of Bengaluru. The statue was conceptualized and sculpted by **Ram V Sutar**, who also curated the Statue of Unity. The ‘Statue of Prosperity’ is made with **98 tonnes of bronze and 120 tonnes of steel.** ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **41st edition of the India International Trade Fair (IITF)** has started at **Pragati Maidan in New Delhi**. Commerce and Industry Minister **Piyush Goyal** inaugurated the fair. The fair will continue till the 27th of this month. During the inauguration ceremony, Minister of State for Commerce and Trade **Anupriya Patel** and **Som Parkash** were also present. This year the theme of the trade fair is **Vocal For Local, Local to Global.** ([Click here to read the article](#))

- According to a report by **Knight Frank**, Indian cities, namely – **Hyderabad, Chennai and New Delhi**, have emerged as **three of the top data centre markets** in the **Asia-Pacific (APAC) region**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- India has emerged as the **second-largest producer of crude steel** by replacing Japan. The **biggest steel producing country is currently China**, which accounted for **57% of world steel production**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **National Anti-profiteering Authority(NAA)** is the anti-profiteering **watchdog of GST** and it is all set to be subsumed into the **Competition Commission of India (CCI)**. **NAA's investigation arm** will continue to function in some form under CCI. The official said that the move will **reduce the multiplicity of regulators** as CCI can handle cases independently. The plan is to transfer cases to CCI after NAA's term ends. ([Click here to read the article](#))

States in the News

- The **Manipur Forest Authority** to celebrate the 7th edition of the **Amur Falcon Festival** in Tamenglong district, Imphal. The objective of the Amur Falcon Festival is to spread awareness about the protection and conservation of the **Amur Falcon**. Amur Falcon is the **world's longest-flying migratory bird**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Wangala Festival** of Meghalaya is one of the most popular festivals among the **Garos of Meghalaya**. Wangala Festival is a harvest festival that is held in honor of **Saljong**, the Sun-God of fertility. The celebrations of the **Wangala Festival** mark the end of a period of toil, which brings good output to the fields. The beginning of the Wangala Festival also denotes the onset of winter. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **UP has added the most number** of new companies after **Maharashtra** since the outbreak of Covid-19, beating industrial hubs such as **Delhi, Karnataka and Tamil Nadu**, data combined by the **corporate affairs ministry (MCA)** show. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **International Gita Mahotsav** is to be organized in **Haryana** from November 19 to December 6 at Kurukshetra. **President Draupadi Murmu** will attend this grand festival of Holy Gita. **Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal** said that the President will participate in the **Gita Yagya** at Brahma Sarovar. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **Uttarakhand High Court** will be shifted from **Nainital to Haldwani**. This decision was taken in a cabinet meeting held under the chairmanship of Chief Minister **Pushkar Singh Dhami** in Dehradun. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- The **Uttar Pradesh Cabinet** approved the **New Tourism Policy** to foster the state's religious potential and also establish the state as the hub of **religious and spiritual tourism** in the country. The state under the policy will develop separate religious circuits. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **President Droupadi Murmu** has appointed **Dr CV Ananda Bose** as the **Governor of West Bengal**. Bose (71) is a 1977 batch (retired) Indian Administrative Service (IAS) officer of Kerala cadre. He last served as an administrator in the National Museum here before superannuating in 2011. His appointment will take effect on the date he assumes charge of his office. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Tamil Nadu's Forest Department** has introduced an **elephant death audit framework** to put in place a more detailed and transparent process for recording and monitoring elephant deaths in the State. Presently, identifying the cause of mortality in the field remains critical for many questions related to population and conservation of elephants. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Manipur** gets the top position in the **Northeast Olympic Games** for the second consecutive time with 237 medals, including 85 gold, as the second edition of the regional multi-sport event. **Manipur** also won 76 silver and 77 bronze while **Assam** was a close second with 201 medals including 81 gold, 60 silver, and 60 bronzes in the event competed among the eight states of the country's northeast region from November 10. ([Click here to read the article](#))

International Affairs

- India announced an additional contribution of **USD 5 million** to the **ASEAN-India science and technology fund** to enhance cooperation in sectors of **public health, renewable energy and smart agriculture**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Natasa Pirc Musar**, won the second round of **Slovenia's Presidential elections**. Natasa Pirc Musar becomes the first female President of the country. She won **58.86 percent of votes** in the runoff, while the opposition right-wing politician and the former **Foreign Minister Andze Logar** won 46.14 percent of votes. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)** has agreed in principle to admit **East Timor as the group's 11th member**, the 10 member-bloc said in a statement, more than a decade after the country requested membership. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Pakistan, Ghana and Bangladesh** will be among the first recipients of funding from a **G7 'Global Shield' initiative** to provide funding to countries suffering **climate disasters**, the programme announced at the **COP27 summit in Egypt**. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- **Amazon.com Inc.** is the world's first public company to lose a trillion dollars in market value as a combination of rising inflation, tightening monetary policies and disappointing earnings updates triggered a historic selloff in the stock this year. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **US Department of Transportation (DOT)** has fined **Air India \$1.4 million** (around Rs 11.3 crore) for **delaying refunds** worth \$121.5 million (around Rs 985 crore) to passengers whose flights were cancelled during the Covid-19 pandemic. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **India participated** in the fourth Meeting of the **Moscow Format Consultations on Afghanistan**, which was held in Moscow on November 16. Special envoys and senior officials from **Russia, China, Pakistan, Iran, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan** also participated in the meeting. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Russia and Ukraine** have agreed to extend a **UN-brokered grain export deal** for another 120 days, officials announced. **World leaders praised** the breakthrough for helping "avoid global food shortages" at a crucial time. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Chief Election Commissioner Rajiv Kumar** has been invited by the **Election Commission of Nepal** as an **international observer** for the forthcoming elections to **Nepal's House of Representatives and Provincial Assembly**, the Election Commission said. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Indian Foreign Service (2004), Shri Bandaru Wilsonbabu**, presently Ambassador of India to the Republic of Madagascar, has been concurrently accredited as the next **Ambassador of India to the Union of the Comoros**, with residence in Antananarivo. He is expected to take up the assignment shortly. The Comoros is an independent country made up of 3 islands in southeastern Africa. ([Click here to read the article](#))



Agreements/MoUs Signed

- **India And Finland** agree to carry mutual cooperation between the two countries to a new level and enhance partnership in areas such as **digital partnership in Future ICT, Future Mobile Technologies** and Digital Education. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **Bihar government** will sign an MoU with the **Indian Council of Cultural Relations (ICCR)** to help artists from the state, handicrafts and several other ethnic arts to get international exposure. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Bharat Electronics** signed a **Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)** with **Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC)** for jointly developing the **Indigenous Communication-based Train Control System (i-CBTC)**, an important milestone in India's journey towards self-reliance in Rail and Metro operations. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Museum Kolding** and the **National Museum** in New Delhi will open the joint exhibition "**Silver treasures from Denmark and India**" at the beginning of March 2023. An MoU of the exhibition was signed and exchanged between the National Museum, New Delhi, India, and the Museum Kolding, Kolding, in New Delhi. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Banking/Economy/Business News

- **Per capita income** of population in India has **increased in real terms by 33.4 per cent** since the enactment of **National Food Security Act (NFSA)** in 2013, the Centre has told the Supreme Court. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **India's industrial output, as measured by the Index of Industrial Production (IIP)**, grew 3.1 per cent in September, supported by a **double-digit increase in electricity generation**. This is compared with a contraction of 0.8 per cent in the previous month and a growth of 4.4 per cent in September 2021. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The country's fifth largest public sector bank, **Union Bank of India**, marked its **104th foundation day on 11 November 2022**, after being founded on 11 November 1919 and having its first head office inaugurated by the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi. On this occasion, the bank introduced a super app called Union Vyom, as well as several other digital products. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The second quarter of 2022-23 saw the **Bank of Maharashtra (BoM)** outperform other public sector lenders in terms of **percentage loan growth**. According to public sector bank issued quarterly data, **the lender saw a 28.62 percent increase in gross advances** at the end of September 2022, totaling Rs 1,48,216 crore. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- **India's retail inflation**, which is measured by the **Consumer Price Index (CPI)**, fell to a three-month low of 6.77% in October, down from 7.41% in September, due to weaker **food price rises and a strong year-on-year base**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Wholesale price-based inflation** eased in October to **8.39 per cent year-on-year**, compared to 10.70 per cent in September, helped by a fall in commodity prices. Declining for the fifth consecutive month, that **Wholesale Price Index (WPI)** reading is the lowest since March 2021 and below a **double-digit rise for the first time in 18 months**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- According to the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH), **Reliance Industries Ltd (RIL)** has been awarded the project to build India's first **multimodal logistics park (MMLP) in Chennai, Tamil Nadu**. A crucial cog in the Centre's logistics overhaul, the MMLP will be spread over 184 acres and cost Rs 1,424 crore. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **The Reserve Bank of India (RBI)** has announced that the government has nominated **Vivek Joshi** to its director on central board. Joshi who is the secretary of the Department of Financial Services, will hold the position of Director at RBI. The nomination has come into effect from November 15, 2022, until further orders. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- After getting a nod from the **Reserve Bank of India (RBI)**, nine special **vostro accounts** have been opened in order to **facilitate foreign trade in the rupee**. **Sberbank and VTB Bank — the largest and second-largest banks of Russia**, respectively — are the **first foreign lenders** to receive the approval after the RBI announced the guidelines on overseas trade in the rupee in July. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **State bank Of India(SBI), ICICI Bank, IDFC First Bank, HDFC Bank and Yes Bank** are among a shortlist of at least five lenders that the **Reserve Bank of India (RBI)** has roped in to work on the retail pilot project of the **central bank digital currency (CBDC)**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **IT company Wipro** has reached an agreement with **employee representatives** on setting up a **European Works Council**, the company said. The creation of **Wipro's EWC** is the **first to be established by an Indian headquartered company**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **State Bank of India** has signed a **150 million euro (Rs 1,240 crore)** loan agreement with the **German development bank KfW** for funding **solar projects**. The long-term loan, under the **Indo-German solar partnership**, will facilitate new and upcoming capacities in the solar sector and further contribute to the country's goals announced during the COP26. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA)** and the **Reserve Bank of India (RBI)** have entered into a **Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)** for collaboration in the **field of regulation and supervision** of regulated entities in their respective jurisdictions. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Government has decided to **provide longer tenure to Managing Director, CEO** and other whole-time directors of the **public sector banks**. Now the appointment can be made **initially for up to 5 years**, which can be extended for the 5 more years. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **India has become LinkedIn's fastest-growing market** as more companies and advertisers come online, with sales in the country **rising at a 50% year-on-year clip**. **LinkedIn** is a **"The Microsoft" owned business networking service company**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Federal Bank** announced that it has partnered with **JCB India** to expand its **loan portfolio and fund potential buyers** of heavy construction equipment. **The private sector lender said** it has inked a **memorandum of understanding (MOU)** with JCB India, a leading manufacturer of earthmoving and construction equipment. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Appointments/Resignations

- New Zealand's **Greg Barclay** unanimously re-elected as the **International Cricket Council (ICC) chairman** for another two-year term after his rival, Zimbabwe Cricket (ZC) chairman **Tavengwa Mukuhani**, pulled out of the contest late. Barclay, who served his first stint as ICC chair between 2022 and this November, will now be in the position until 2024. **Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI)** secretary **Jay Shah** was elected as the head of ICC's all powerful Finance and Commercial Affairs (F&CA) committee at the board meeting. Shah will have the responsibility of heading ICC's most important committee. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Senior IAS officer, **Gaurav Dwivedi** was appointed the **Chief Executive Officer** of public broadcaster **Prasar Bharati**. A 1995-batch officer of Chhattisgarh cadre, Mr. Dwivedi will have a five-year tenure from the date he assumes charge. Earlier, Mr. Dwivedi was the Chief Executive Officer of MyGovIndia, the citizen engagement platform of the government. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Navi Technologies Ltd** which sells financial products like personal loans, home loans, and general insurance etc., has appointed **Mahendra Singh Dhoni** as its brand ambassador. Dhoni will be the face of the company's branding initiatives. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- **WhatsApp India** head **Abhijit Bose** and Meta India's director of public policy **Rajiv Aggarwal** have left the company, less than two weeks after the departure of Meta India's country head **Ajit Mohan**. These developments come against the backdrop of Facebook's parent company laying off 11,000 people worldwide on November 9. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Former Chief Economic Advisor, **Arvind Virmani** has been appointed as a full time member of **NITI Aayog**. The other existing Members of NITI Aayog are **VK Saraswat, Ramesh Chand and VK Paul**. While **Suman Bery** is the Vice Chairman of NITI Aayog, Parameswaran is the incumbent CEO of the think tank. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Pension Fund Regulatory & Development Authority** has appointed **Suraj Bhan** as the chairman of the **National Pension System Trust (NPS Trust)**, responsible for managing funds under the **National Pension System (NPS)**. Bhan has been a Trustee on the Board of NPS Trust since 2018. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Tata Motors-owned Jaguar Land Rover** chief executive officer **Thierry Bollore** announced his resignation from the luxury car company citing personal reasons. He will leave the company on **31st December 2022**. Adrian Mardell will take over as Interim. Adrian has been part of **Jaguar Land Rover** for 32 years and a member of the Executive Board for three years. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Facebook-parent **Meta** has appointed **Sandhya Devanathan** as its new top executive for the country two weeks after the departure of former India head Ajit Mohan. Devanathan will transition to her new role on 1 January 2023. Devanathan currently serves as vice president of gaming for **Meta's Asia-Pacific (APAC)** division. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- BPCL's former chairman **Arun Kumar Singh** is likely to be the new chairman of India's top oil and gas producer **Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC)**. ([Click here to read the article](#))



Defence News

- **Cochin Shipyard** signed an MoU with the **Inland Waterways Authority of India** to build the **country's first hydrogen fuel cell catamaran vessel** for Varanasi in **Uttar Pradesh**. Another MoU was signed by the Shipyard for the construction of six **electric catamaran vessels** for Uttar Pradesh and two more such vessels for Guwahati. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **Indian Navy** conducted a structured exercise to evaluate organizational effectiveness in protecting offshore assets off Mumbai on an **Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC)** platform 150 km into the sea. The exercise was named '**Prasthan**' by the Indian Navy. **Prasthan** is conducted twice a year under the aegis of Headquarters, Western Naval Command. The exercise which is conducted every six months aims to integrate the efforts of **all maritime stakeholders** involved in offshore defense. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The third edition of the 'Pan-India' **Coastal Defence Exercise 'Sea Vigil-22'** will be conducted from 15 to 16 November 2022. This **National Level Coastal Defence Exercise** was conceptualized in 2018 to validate various measures that have been instituted towards enhancing maritime security since '26/11'. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Indian Army** is celebrating the **242nd Corps of Engineers Day** on **18th November**. The Corps of Engineers provides combat engineering support, develops infrastructure for armed forces and other defence organisations and maintains connectivity along **our vast borders besides** providing succour to populace during natural disasters. These tasks are executed through four pillars of the Corps – Combat Engineers, Military Engineer Service, Border Road Organisation and Military Survey. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- For the first time in the history of the **Indian Army, 6 women officers** will attend the prestigious **Defence Services Staff College (DSSC)**. Out of 15 women officers who appeared for this year's examination for DSSC, six cracked the competition. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **INS Trikand** has participated in the Combined Maritime Forces led Operation "**Sea Sword 2**" in the **Northwest Arabian Sea**. The operation was held to prevent narcotics trade & stop smuggling entities from using the seas for their nefarious activities. Earlier, the 26th edition of the multinational maritime exercise "**MALABAR 22**" culminated in Japan on November 15th. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Army Chief General Manoj Pande** received a **Guard of Honour** at the Les Invalides in Paris on 17 November, 2022. He is on a four-day visit to France. **General Manoj Pande** during his visit held talks with his French counterpart General Pierre Schille and discussed issues of mutual interest during his visit to the European country. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- The **Yudh Abhyas** is a 15-day-long exercise that will focus on **high altitude and extremely cold climate warfare**. Exercise Yudh Abhyas is conducted annually between **India and US** to exchange best practices, Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures between the two nations' Armies. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Indian Army** registered for **Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)** of the **new design and camouflage pattern uniform** to establish the ownership. The Controller General of Patents, Designs, and Trademark, Kolkata completed the registration process. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Awards and Recognitions

- India-born Nobel laureate Professor **Venki Ramakrishnan** has been awarded the prestigious **Order of Merit by Britain's King Charles III** in recognition of his distinguished service to science. The 70-year-old UK-based molecular biologist is among six appointments made to the historic order by the late Queen Elizabeth II before her death in September and the first to be appointed by Charles. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **The Kerala Tourism** has bagged the prestigious **Responsible Tourism Global award at the World Travel Mart held in London**. State Tourism Minister PA Mohammed Riyas received the award on behalf of the department at London. The award was given for the STREET project implemented by the Responsible Tourism Mission under the Kerala Government. The Jury made special remarks about the water street project implemented at Maravanthuruthu in Kottayam district. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Google** announces **Shlok Mukherjee** as the winner of the **2022 Doodle for Google** competition. Shlok Mukherjee is from Kolkata and he was declared the winner for India for his inspiring Doodle titled '**India on the Centre State**'. His doodle is also featured on **Google.co.in** on 14th November 2022. Shlok Mukherjee has showcased India's scientific achievements and advancements through his doodle. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Spanish filmmaker **Carlos Saura**, who received the Golden Bear for Best Director at the Berlin International Film Festival for *Deprisa Deprisa*, along with two Silver Bears for *La caza* and *Peppermint Frappe*, a BAFTA for *Carmen* and three awards at Cannes, among several others, will be honoured with the **Satyajit Ray Lifetime Achievement Award and an eight-film retrospective at IFFI**. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- **National Mineral Development Corporation (NMDC)** bagged the **Champion of Champions Award**, sweeping the **16th PRCI Global Communication Conclave 2022**, to bring home fourteen Corporate Communication Excellence Awards. The awards were presented at the Global Communication Conclave organised by **Public Relations Council of India (PRCI)** in Kolkata. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- NTPC's QC Team from Unchahar **ABHYUDAYA** has won the **"GOLD" award** in the **47th International Convention on Quality Control Circle (ICQCC-2022)**. The convention is being held from 15th-18th November in Jakarta. The theme for ICQCC-2022 was **"Built Back Better through Quality Efforts"**. NTPC QC Team presented on "Frequent Choking of Collecting tanks of AHP-IV". ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **India** became the only country to receive the **Leadership in Family Planning (EXCELL) Awards 2022** in the 'country category' at the International Conference on Family Planning held in **Thailand**. India's efforts in improving family planning demonstrate the progress the country has been making toward achieving the **SDG targets** on women and maternal health. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Summit and Conference

- World leaders from across the planet, including **Prime Minister Narendra Modi, US President Joe Biden, and Chinese President Xi Jinping**, have converged in **Indonesia**, for the 17th Group of 20 (G20) Summit, taking place in the **city of Bali**. The two-day summit is themed **"Recover Together, Recover Stronger"** and focuses on global economic recovery, global health architecture, digital transformation, sustainable energy transition and climate change, among other topics. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **G20 Presidency of Indonesia** is hosting the **official launch of the Pandemic Fund** on the margins of the G20 Joint Finance and Health Ministers' Meeting in **Bali, Indonesia** in the presence of **Joko Widodo, President of Indonesia**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **India and Sweden** hosted the **LeadIT Summit**, on the sidelines of **COP27 at Sharm El Sheikh in Egypt**. The **Leadership for Industry Transition- LeadIT** initiative focuses on low carbon transition of the hard to abate industrial sector. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **National Museum of Natural History (NMNH)**, under the **Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change** and **United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)**, jointly launched **"In Our LiFEtime"** campaign. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- **Global Shield Fund** coordinated by G7's president Germany and the V20 group of climate-vulnerable countries, it aims to rapidly provide pre-arranged **insurance and disaster protection funding** after events such as **floods, droughts and hurricanes** hit. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Abu Dhabi National Exhibitions Company** is set to host the first edition of the **Global Media Congress**, in partnership with **Emirates News Agency**. The congress is scheduled to take place from **15th to 17th November**. The conference program will be delivered in multiple languages, appealing to a global audience. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Union Jal Shakti Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat** informed that the country is spearheading a new wave of socioeconomic prosperity fueled by cutting-edge technology and innovation. Union Jal Shakti Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat inaugurated the **GeoSmart India 2022 Summit** in Hyderabad. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Prime Minister Narendra Modi** to inaugurate the silver jubilee edition of the Bengaluru Tech Summit (BTS 22) virtually. The **inauguration ceremony** will be attended by several global leaders including **French President Emmanuel Macron, Minister of State for Artificial Intelligence and Digital Economy**. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Ranks and Reports

- **Jio** ranks as **India's strongest telecom brand** in India, ahead of **Bharti Airtel and Vodafone Idea Ltd**. The data was unveiled by the brand intelligence and data insights company TRA. TRA, formerly **Trust Research Advisory**, in its '**India's Most Desired Brands 2022**' ranked companies according to their brand strength. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **India is projected to surpass China** as the **world's most populous country in 2023**, with each counting **more than 1.4 billion residents this year**, according to the **27th edition of the United Nations' World Population Prospects, 2022**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The launch of **5G services** will strengthen India's position as an **economic and technology powerhouse globally** and is expected to **boost 2% of the country's gross domestic product (GDP)**, amounting to **approximately \$180 billion by 2030**, according to a new report by **industry body Nasscom**. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Sports News

- **Kerala Governor Arif Muhammad Khan** inaugurated the **IBSA Blind Football Women's Asian/Oceania Championship 2022** at Kochi, Kerala. The IBSA Blind Football Women's Asian/Oceania Championship 2022 is being held from 11th November 2022 to 18th November 2022.
- The **Kabaddi World Cup** will be held in the **West Midlands** region of the United Kingdom. The Kabaddi World Cup 2025 will be hosted out of Asia for the first time announced by the **World Kabbadi Federation (WKF)**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Keneth Kiprop Renju**, winner of the **Prague half-marathon** in April, has been banned for five-year as the latest in a long list of **Kenyan athletes** suspended for suspected doping. Keneth Kiprop Renju, who is 26-year-old has been banned for the "**presence/use of a prohibited substance (Methasterone)**". ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **International Cricket Council (ICC)** has announced the venue for **Under-19 Men's and Women's T-20 World cup**. ICC announced that the **2024 Under -19 men's T-20 World Cup** will be hosted by Sri Lanka while the 2026 edition will be staged in Zimbabwe and Namibia. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Olympic medallists **MC Mary Kom, PV Sindhu, Mirabai Chanu and Gagan Narang** were among 10 eminent sportspersons elected as members of the **Indian Olympic Association (IOA) Athletes Commission**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- According to the sources, after repeated failures at the ICC events, the Indian cricket board is set to knock the doors of the person who conquered the World events at will. After T20 World Cup debacle in Australia, the **BCCI** is set to send an SOS to **Mahendra Singh Dhoni** for a large role with the Indian T20 Cricket set-up. According to the sources in BCCI, board is deliberating to call on Dhoni for a permanent with the Indian cricket. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Mercedes' **George Russell** has won his maiden **F1 race in Brazilian Grand Prix in Sao Paulo**. Mercedes' **Lewis Hamilton** & Ferrari's **Carlos Sainz** came at the second and third positions respectively. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **The Phrygian cap**, the symbol of the French republic but wearing sneakers as a nod to the present, was unveiled as the mascot for the **2024 Paris Olympics**. The Olympic Phryge ((pronounced fri-jee-uhs) is a bit smaller, the Paralympic Phryge is a bit slimmer and has a blade on his right leg because it is a Phyrge with an impairment. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Schemes and Committess News

- Star Indian paddler **Achanta Sharath Kamal** has become the first player from India to get elected in the **Athletes' Commission of the International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF)**. The online elections took place between 7 to 13 November 2022. 10 athletes were elected for the ITTF Athletes' Commission for a four-year term from 2022 to 2026. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Shiva Narwal** won the gold medal in the **10m men's air pistol competition**. India's gold tally at the **Asian Airgun Championship** in Daegu, South Korea. The first medal event was the **10-meter Air Pistol Women**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Switzerland** won their first **Billie Jean King Cup** title after **Belinda Bencic** saw off Australia's **Ajla Tomljanovic** in the second match of the finals with a lead of 2-0. **Jil Teichmann** had earlier prevailed 6-3 4-6 6-3 over Storm Sanders last year. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **International Paralympic Committee** voted to suspend the **National Paralympic Committees (NPCs)** of **Russia and Belarus** with immediate effect, placing their **para-athletes' hopes of competing at the 2024 Paralympics** in jeopardy. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA)** president **Gianni Infantino** is getting four more years in charge of football's governing body after no candidate stepped up to challenge him. Infantino won a five-candidate race in 2016 to replace **Sepp Blatter**, and was re-elected unopposed in 2019. He's now set to stay in the job beyond the **2026 World Cup in the United States, Canada and Mexico**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Spaniard **Carlos Alcaraz** has become the youngest year-end **ATP World Number 1**, making him the first teenager to achieve this feat. Alcaraz has shown an incredible rise in the world of **tennis** this year. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- The **National Commission for Women (NCW)** launched the **fourth phase** of the **Digital Shakti Campaign**, a pan-India project on **digitally empowering and skilling women** and girls in **cyberspace**. Digital Shakti started in June 2018 to help women across the nation to raise the **awareness level on the digital front, to build resilience, and fight cyber-crime** in the most effective ways. The Digital Shakti 4.0 is focused on **making women digitally skilled** and aware to stand-up against any illegal/inappropriate activity online. NCW launched the campaign in collaboration with **CyberPeace Foundation and Meta**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Tripura** chief minister **Dr Manik Saha** his government is working to ensure all central and state-sponsored schemes reach every doorstep and launched a new portal, '**Amar Sarkar**', to act as a bridge between the people and the government. A total of 78 departments, including the panchayat department, has been included in the webportal. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Science and Technology News

- The United States space agency **NASA** has launched its **Artemis-1 mission from Kennedy Space Centre, Florida**. About eight minutes after launch, the core stage's engines cut off and the core stage separated from the rest of the rocket. After this, the **Orion spacecraft** was propelled by the **Interim Cryogenic Propulsion Stage (ICPS)**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Global asset manager **Blackstone Group** has forayed into the data center business in Asia with a planned capacity across two **large hyperscale data centers in India**. It plans to increase it to **600 MW** over the next two years through presence in five locations in the country. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **Vikram-S Rocket**, India's first privately developed rocket launched from the **Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO)** at the **Sriharikota** launchpad. The launch of Vikram-S Rocket by ISRO is a historic moment. The Vikram-S Rocket is developed by Hyderabad-based start-up **Skyroot Aerospace Private Limited**, and it is a 6-meter tall and hits a peak altitude of 89.5 kilometers. After five minutes of launch, the Vikram-S Rocket splashed into the Bay of Bengal. The mission was titled **Prarambh**. ([Click here to read the article](#))



Important Days News

- India celebrates **Happy Children's Day** on **November 14** to commemorate the birth anniversary of the first Prime Minister of India **Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru**. This year marks the **133rd birth anniversary** of Pandit Nehru who was born in 1889 in Allahabad, India. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **World Diabetes Day** is observed on **November 14** every year to bring the attention of the people to health threats posed by diabetes and how to avoid that. On this day, the enormous achievement of insulin discovery by two outstanding scientists, **Sir Frederick Banting and Charles Best**, is celebrated. The theme of World Diabetes Day between the years 2021 and 2023 is a really important topic is **"Access to Diabetes Care."** ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **World Kindness Day** is celebrated on November 13 every year. The day inspires people to appreciate the kindness and positive power in society. Kindness has no constraints and goes far beyond the feelings of race, religion, politics, and gender. This day help us to move forward in a helpful and kind spirit toward the people. There are many ways in which a person can show kindness toward the other person. This year the day is being celebrated with the theme is **'Be kind whenever possible.'** ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **On 15 November 2022**, the world's population is projected to reach **8 billion people**, a milestone in human development. While it took the global population 12 years to grow from 7 to 8 billion, it will take approximately 15 years—until 2037—for it to reach 9 billion, a sign that the overall growth rate of the global population is slowing. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The **55th National Library Week** will be celebrated in all libraries of **Andhra Pradesh** from 14th November 2022. The 55th National Library Week will be a **week-long celebration** and will be inaugurated in **Tummalapalli Kalakshetram** by State Ministers Taneti Vanita, Botcha Satyanarayana, and Jogi Ramesh. The 55th National Library Week celebrations would also give impetus to the **School Education Department's** 'We Love Reading' initiative. The inauguration of Library Week also coincides with **Children's Day** on November 14. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **November 15** is celebrated as **Janjatiya Gaurav Diwas** or **Tribal Pride Day** to honour tribal freedom fighter, **Birsa Munda**. On November 10, 2021, the Union Cabinet declared November 15 as **'Janjatiya Gaurav Divas'** marking the birth anniversary of the revered leader and saluting his contributions to India's freedom movement. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **International Day for Tolerance** is observed on **November 16** every year with an aim to build tolerance among diverse cultures and spread the message that tolerance is an integral part of society. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **In India, National Newborn Week** is celebrated every year from **15 to 21 November**. This week aims to reinforce the importance of neonatal health as a priority area of the health sector and reduce infant mortality by improving health care conditions for infants in the neonatal period. The theme of this week is **'Safety, Quality and Nurturing Care – Every Newborn's Birth Right'**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **National Press Day** is observed on **November 16** every year to acknowledge and honour the **Press Council of India (PCI)**. The day marks the presence of an independent and responsible press in the country. The Press Council of India also examines the quality of reportage of the Indian press and keeps a check on journalistic activities. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **World Philosophy Day** is commemorated on the **third Thursday of November** every year. This year it will fall on **November 17**. The theme for the 2022 World Philosophy Day is **'The Human of the Future'**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- On the **third Wednesday in November** **World COPD Day** is observed. This year **World COPD Day** is observed on **November 16**. The day aims to create awareness about the condition and ways to reduce the burden of **COPD** worldwide. **Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)** is the third leading cause of death worldwide. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Each year, on **November 17**, National Epilepsy Day is marked in India to raise awareness of the condition. **National Epilepsy Day 2022** is observed to raise public awareness of epilepsy. According to the Epilepsy Foundation, the theme of National Epilepsy Awareness Month (NEAM) 2022 is **"There is no NEAM without ME"**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **World Antimicrobial Awareness Week (WAAW)** runs from **18 to 24 November** every year. This year, the theme of WAAW is **"Preventing Antimicrobial Resistance Together."** ([Click here to read the article](#))
- **National Naturopathy Day** is observed in India every year on **November 18th**, to promote positive mental and physical health through drug-free therapy. The Theme for this year's event is **"Naturopathy: an Integrative medicine"**. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The UN General Assembly has declared **November 18** as the **World Day for the Prevention of and Healing from Child Sexual Exploitation, Abuse, and Violence**. ([Click here to read the article](#))

- The United Nations observes **World Toilet Day** on **November 19** annually. The main aim is to raise public awareness of broader sanitation systems such as wastewater treatment, stormwater management, and hand washing. The 2022 theme is **'Making the Invisible Visible'** and explores how inadequate sanitation systems spread human waste into rivers, lakes and soil, polluting underground water resources. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Obituaries

- 85-Year-old Renowned mathematician and great scholar Padma Shri Awardee Shri **Rangasami Lakshminarayan Kashyap** or **RL Kashyap** passed away. RL Kashyap translated around twenty-five thousand Sanskrit mantras into English language. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Kevin Conroy**, an actor and voice actor best known for playing **Batman** in several animated movies and series, has passed away at the age of 66. Kevin played Batman in a variety of projects, and Mark Hamill took on the role of the Joker. The acclaimed animated series, which launched in 1992 and continued until 1996, is where Conroy first voiced Batman. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- An Iranian refugee, **Mehran Karimi Nasseri**, who lived for **18 years in Charles de Gaulle Airport in Paris** and whose intriguing tale inspired the 2004 Steven Spielberg film "The Terminal," passed away in that same airport. The cause of death, in Terminal 2F, was a heart attack, a representative for the airport. His exact age was not immediately known, but he was in his late 70s. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Veteran actor **Ghattamaneni Krishna**, famous as Krishna Garu and known in the Telugu film industry as 'superstar', passes away. He was 80 years old. He was the father of the Telugu film superstar Mahesh Babu. He starred in over 350 movies during his long career in the film industry. His first film was Thene Manasulu released in 1965. In 2009, he received the Padma Bhushan. ([Click here to read the article](#))

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- The former India basketball captain and Arjuna awardee, **Gulam Abbas Moontasir**, passed away in Mumbai. He was born in Mumbai in 1942. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Miscellaneous News

- India's national grid operator **'Power System Operation Corporation Ltd (POSOCO)'** has announced that it has changed its name to **'Grid Controller of India Ltd'**. The name has been changed to reflect the critical role of grid operators in ensuring integrity, reliability, economy, resilience and sustainable operation of the Indian electricity grid. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- The Cambridge Dictionary** has revealed its word of the year for 2022 as **"homer"**, saying that it was inspired by the global word game sensation, **Wordle**. The word "homer" was searched for nearly 75,000 times during the first week of May 2022, when it was an answer in the word game Wordle. ([Click here to read the article](#))
- Prime Minister Narendra Modi** inaugurated the **first Greenfield airport in Arunachal Pradesh — the Donyi Polo Airport at Itanagar** — and dedicated the **600 MW Kameng Hydro Power Station** to the nation. **Northeast India will now have 16 airports**. ([Click here to read the article](#))

Static Takeaways

- United Nations Headquarters in New York, USA;
- Mr Antonio Guterres is the Secretary-General of the United Nations;
- United Nations Founded: 24 October 1945.
- Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) Founded: 8 May 1973;
- Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) Founder: Dhirubhai Ambani;
- Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) Headquarters: Mumbai, Maharashtra;
- Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) CMD: Mukesh Ambani;
- Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) Director: Nita Ambani.
- Prasar Bharati Founded: 23 November 1997, New Delhi;
- Prasar Bharati Headquarters: New Delhi.
- Union Bank of India Headquarters: Mumbai;
- Union Bank of India CEO: A. Manimekhalai (3 Jun 2022);
- Union Bank of India Founded: 11 November 1919, Mumbai.
- International Diabetes Federation Headquarters location: Brussels, Belgium;
- International Diabetes Federation Founded: 23 September 1950;
- International Diabetes Federation President: Prof Andrew Boulton.
- Kerala Governor: Arif Mohammad Khan;
- Kerala Capital: Thiruvananthapuram;

- Kerala Chief minister: Pinarayi Vijayan.
- UNESCO Headquarters: Paris, France;
- UNESCO Founded: 16 November 1945, London, United Kingdom;
- UNESCO Director-General: Audrey Azoulay.
- Press Council of India Founder: Parliament of India;
- Press Council of India Founded: 4 July 1966, India;
- Press Council of India Headquarters: New Delhi;
- Press Council of India Chairperson: Smt. Justice Ranjana Prakash Desai.
- Indian Olympic Association Founded: 1927;
- Indian Olympic Association Headquarters: New Delhi;
- Indian Olympic Association President: Adille Sumariwalla;
- Indian Olympic Association Secretary General: Rajeev Mehta;
- Indian Olympic Association Founders: Harry Buck, Arthur Noehren.
- Reserve Bank of India Founded: 1 April 1935, Kolkata;
- Reserve Bank of India Governor: Shaktikanta Das;
- Reserve Bank of India HQ: Mumbai.
- Power System Operation Corporation Ltd Chairman & Managing Director: S. R. Narasimhan;
- Power System Operation Corporation Ltd Founded: March 2009;
- Power System Operation Corporation Ltd Headquarters: New Delhi, India.
- International Bureau for Epilepsy President: Francesca Sofia;
- International Bureau for Epilepsy established: 1961.
- NASA administrator: Bill Nelson;
- Headquarters of NASA: Washington D.C., United States;
- NASA Founded: 1 October 1958.
- NITI Aayog Vice Chairman: Suman Bery;
- NITI Aayog CEO: Parameswaran Iyer.
- Pension Fund Regulatory & Development Authority Founded: 23 August 2003;
- Pension Fund Regulatory & Development Authority Headquarters: New Delhi;
- Pension Fund Regulatory & Development Authority Chairperson: Supratim Bandyopadhyay.
- WHO Founded: 7 April 1948;
- WHO Headquarters: Geneva, Switzerland;
- WHO Chief: Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus.
- Minister of AYUSH: Sarbananda Sonowal;
- Minister of State (IC) of the Ministry of AYUSH: Munjapara Mahendrabhai.
- Indian Army Corps of Engineers HQ: New Delhi, India;
- Indian Army Corps of Engineers Branch: Indian Army;
- Indian Army Corps of Engineers Colors: Maroon and blue;
- Indian Army Corps of Engineers Engineer-in-Chief: Lt Gen Harpal Singh;
- Indian Army Corps of Engineers Motto(s): Sarvatra (Ubique, Everywhere).
- Uttarakhand Governor: Gurmit Singh;
- Uttarakhand Chief minister: Pushkar Singh Dhami;
- Uttarakhand Population: 1.01 crores (2012);
- Uttarakhand Capitals: Dehradun (Winter), Gairsain (Summer).
- Chief Justice of the Calcutta High Court: Prakash Shrivastava
- Chief Minister of West Bengal: Mamata Banerjee
- FIFA President: Gianni Infantino;
- FIFA Founded: 21 May 1904;
- FIFA Headquarters: Zürich, Switzerland.
- ONGC Headquarters: Vasant Kunj, New Delhi;
- ONGC Founded: 14 August 1956.
- Comoros Capital: Moroni;
- Comoros President: Azali Assoumani;
- Comoros Currency: Comorian franc;
- Comoros Population: 8.88 lakhs (2021) World Bank;
- Comoros Continent: Africa;
- Comoros Official languages: Comorian, French, Arabic.
- Tamil Nadu Capital: Chennai;
- Tamil Nadu Chief Minister: M K Stalin;
- Tamil Nadu Governor: R N Ravi.
- Tripura Capital: Agartala;
- Tripura Chief Minister: Manik Sarkar;
- Tripura Governor: Satyadeo Narain Arya.

