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Current Affairs Questions for CGL Tier 1, IBPS RRB, IBPS Clerk, IBPS PO, LIC AAO, LIC Assistant, RBI Assistant, RBI Grade-B, SBI Clerk and SBI PO Exams

November GA Quiz 6

Directions: Study the following questions carefully and answers the questions given below:

1. Who among the following has inaugurated the advanced 650 teraflops supercomputing facility at National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute (NABI) at Mohali, Punjab?

- A. Devendra Singh Rana B. Manoj Sinha C. Jitendra Singh
D. Rao Inderjit Singh E. None of these

2. TCI Cold Chain Solutions (TCI CCS), a unit of Transport Corporation of India Ltd (TCI) has joined hands with which company to form a joint venture to tap India's growing demand for temperature-controlled logistics solutions?

- A. Mitsubishi Corporation B. Mitsui & Co Limited C. Marubeni Corporation
D. Sumitomo Corporation E. None of these

3. Which corporation has partnered with the Society of Indian Defence Manufacturers (SIDM) and the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) to catalyze and facilitate defence manufacturing in the MSME sector in the state?

- A. Andhra Pradesh Industrial Investment Corporation
B. Karnataka Industrial Investment Corporation
C. Maharashtra Industrial Investment Corporation
D. Tamil Nadu Industrial Investment Corporation
E. None of these

4. Leading stock exchange BSE has collaborated with which bank to further encourage and promote the listing of startups and small and medium enterprises (SMEs) across India?

- A. ICICI Bank B. YES Bank C. IDFC First Bank
D. HDFC Bank E. None of these

5. The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a 61-million-dollar loan for development of urban areas in which city?

- A. Aizawl B. Raipur C. Guwahati
D. Agartala E. None of these

6. "Desert Warrior", two day joint exercise was recently conducted between India and which country?

- A. Oman B. Yemen C. Egypt
D. UAE E. None of these

7. Who among the following is the author of the book titled as "The Cinema Of Satyajit Ray"?

- A. Bhaskar Chattopadhyay B. Aravind Adiga C. Ruskin Bond
D. Amish Tripathi E. None of these

8. Which of the following country has successfully launched a Guangmu Earth-science satellite via a Long March-6 carrier rocket from Taiyuan Satellite Launch Center?

- A. Japan B. China C. Malaysia
D. North Korea E. None of these

9. Indian Air Force's Mirage 2000 aircraft squadron is taking part in the Blue Flag 2021 international exercise. The exercise was launched in which country?

- A. Italy B. Germany C. France
D. Israel E. None of these

10. Which state or UT government has recently decided to declare 10th November as public holiday on account of Chhath Puja?

- A. Uttar Pradesh B. Delhi C. Jammu and Kashmir
D. Jharkhand E. None of these

Correct answer:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
C	B	D	D	D	C	A	B	D	B

Explanation:

1. Hints to Remember

Who: Union Minister Dr Jitendra Singh

What: Inaugurated 650 Teraflops Supercomputing Facility at NABI & i-RISE, TBI at Mohali

When: published on 2nd November 2021

While inaugurating advanced 650 teraflops supercomputing facility at National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute (NABI) at Mohali today, Union Minister of State (Independent Charge) Science & Technology; Minister of State (Independent Charge) Earth Sciences; MoS PMO, Personnel, Public Grievances, Pensions, Atomic Energy and Space, Dr Jitendra Singh announced that the Government will identify and promote 75 innovative Start-Ups in the 75th year of India's independence and this new supercomputing facility will act as a facilitator for these Start-ups working in areas like Telemedicine, Digital Health, mHealth with BIG Data, AI, BlockChain and other technologies.

The Minister further said that the 75 Best Chosen Start-ups will be an asset for India to lead the country in the next 25 years, during the celebrations of Centenary of India's Independence.

About NABI, Dr Jitendra Singh said, the facility has come up under the National Supercomputing Mission (NSM) in collaboration with C-DAC, Pune. The Minister said that this high-end facility will be a boon for the analysis of BIG DATA accruing from the large-scale genomics, functional genomics, structural genomics and population studies being carried out at various Institutes and universities of national and international repute.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))

2. Hints to Remember

Who: TCI cold chain arm and Japan's Mitsui

What: form joint venture

When: published on 2nd November 2021

TCI Cold Chain Solutions (TCI CCS) — a unit of Transport Corporation of India Ltd (TCI) — and Japan's Mitsui & Co Limited have formed a joint venture to tap India's growing demand for temperature-controlled logistics solutions.

TCI CCS provides integrated cold chain logistics services in India, with a focus on temperature-controlled storage and transportation, for major local and global companies across various industries that include fresh food supply, pharmaceuticals, chemicals and quick service restaurants (QSR).

Hence, the correct answer is option B. [\(Read more\)](#)

3. Hints to Remember

Who: TIIC, SIDM, and CII

What: signs agreement to boost defence production in the MSME sector

When: published on 4th November 2021

To develop the Defence Manufacturing ecosystem, the Tamil Nadu Industrial Investment Corporation (TIIC) has partnered with the Society of Indian Defence Manufacturers (SIDM) and the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) to catalyze and facilitate defence manufacturing in the MSME sector in the state.

According to a State government news release, an MoU between TIIC, CII, and SIDM was signed on November 1 in the presence of the Minister for Industries Thangam Thennarasu.

The Tamilnadu Defence Corridor, which has five nodes in Chennai, Tiruchirappalli, Coimbatore, Salem, and Hosur, provides a chance for MSMEs in Tamil Nadu to thrive in the Defense Manufacturing ecosystem while also providing job opportunities for the state's young. The Chief Minister's vision of making Tamil Nadu's economy a \$1 trillion economy by 2030 would rely heavily on defence manufacturing.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. [\(Read more\)](#)

4. Hints to Remember

Who: BSE

What: Join Hands with HDFC to Promote Start-up's and SMEs

When: published on 2nd November 2021

Leading stock exchange BSE said it has collaborated with private sector lender HDFC Bank to further encourage and promote the listing of startups and small and medium enterprises (SMEs) across India.

Through this pact, HDFC Bank and BSE will evaluate banking and lending solutions for startups, undergoing listing process on startups and SME platform, the exchange said in a statement.

HDFC Bank will identify potential startups as well as SMEs and help them to partner with intermediaries like merchant bankers, chartered accountants and lawyers to list on BSE.

Both the parties have agreed to conduct and participate in joint outreach activities and contribute to each other's publications on the startup ecosystem in India.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. [\(Read more\)](#)

5. Hints to Remember

Who: ADB

What: Approved \$61 Million Loan for Urban Development in Agartala

When: published on 1st November 2021

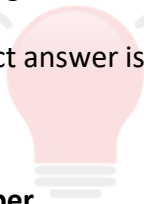
The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a 61-million-dollar loan for development of urban areas in the capital city of Tripura – Agartala.

This was informed by Tripura chief minister Biplab Deb.

CM Deb further said that a 1-million-dollar technical assistance (TA) grant has also been approved by the Asian Development Bank.

“ADB approves a \$61 million loan and \$1 million technical assistance (TA) grant for the urban development in Agartala,” the Tripura CM said.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. [\(Read more\)](#)



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6. Hints to Remember

Who: Air Forces of India and Egypt

What: Conduct Two-day Joint Exercise

When: published on 2nd November 2021

Air forces of India and Egypt conducted a two-day exercise at the latter's El Berigat airbase to enhance mutual understanding and share operational experience, an official statement said on Tuesday. The exercise, called 'Desert Warrior', was conducted on October 30 and October 31, the Indian Air Force (IAF) said on Twitter.

In December 2019, then Air Chief Marshal RKS Bhaduria had visited Egypt and met Air Marshal Mohamed Abbas Helmy, the Commander-in-Chief of Egypt Air Force, to boost cooperation between the two services.

“The IAF and Egyptian Air Force participated in Exercise Desert Warrior conducted at El Berigat Air Base, Egypt from 30-31 Oct 2021. It enhanced mutual understanding and provided an opportunity to share valuable operational experience,” the IAF noted on Twitter.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. [\(Read more\)](#)

7. Hints to Remember

Who: New Book Titled The Cinema Of Satyajit Ray

What: was authored by Bhaskar Chattopadhyay

When: published on 21st October 2021

A new book on the works of legendary filmmaker Satyajit Ray revisits each one of his 39 feature films, shorts and documentaries to investigate their cinematic and social context.

“The Cinema of Satyajit Ray”, published by Westland, is written by author Bhaskar Chattopadhyay.

It claims to be an encyclopaedic coverage of Ray’s cinema including an essay on each film he’s made, as well as his documentaries.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

8. Hints to Remember

Who: China

What: launches world's first Earth-science satellite dedicated to UN 2030 Agenda

When: published on 5th November 2021

China successfully launched a Guangmu Earth-science satellite via a Long March-6 carrier rocket from Taiyuan Satellite Launch Center. Guangmu is the world's first Earth-science satellite dedicated to serving the United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda upon the 50th anniversary of the restoration of the lawful rights of the People's Republic of China in the UN.

Developed by the Chinese Academy of Sciences, the satellite will carry out precision analysis of energy consumption, habitat patterns and coastal areas in the vicinity of human populations, and provide data for sustainable development indicators.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

9. Hints to Remember

Who: IAF's Mirage 2000 squadron

What: takes part in Blue Flag exercise in Israel

When: published on 17th October 2021

Indian Air Force's Mirage 2000 aircraft squadron is taking part in the Blue Flag 2021 international exercise which was launched in Israel on Sunday.

Seven countries including Israel, Germany, Italy, Britain, France, India, Greece and the US are taking part in the war games.

The Indian Mirages and the French Rafale are participating in the exercise for the first time.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. ([Read more](#))

10. Hints to Remember

Who: Delhi Govt

What: Declares Public Holiday on November 10 for Chhath Puja

When: published on 5th November 2021

The Delhi government declared a public holiday on November 10 on account of Chhath Puja. The Delhi Disaster Management Authority had last week issued an order allowing the celebration of Chhath Puja at designated sites in the city except on the banks of the Yamuna river.

“Chhath Puja is an important festival for the people of NCT of Delhi. Accordingly, the Government of Delhi has decided to declare November 10, 2021, as a public holiday on account of Chhath Puja,” said a note issued by Deputy Chief Minister Manish Sisodia. The DDMA had issued on September 30 prohibiting the celebration of Chhath at public places due to the threat of COVID-19.

Chhath, celebrated after Diwali by people belonging to Bihar and eastern Uttar Pradesh, involves the offering of ‘Arghya’ by fasting women to the Sun god in knee-deep water. It involves elaborate rituals spanning over three days.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))





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