

Welfare (2)

• **DIKSHA — 'One Nation, One Digital Platform' for school education**

Body: Ministry of Education

Detail: DIKSHA (2017, NCERT/CIET); component of PM e-Vidya; framed by NEP 2020 & built on NDEAR; serves FLN/NIPUN Bharat; Energised (QR) Textbooks

Exam hook: DIKSHA (2017, NCERT) under PM e-Vidya; NEP 2020; NDEAR architecture

• **Anemia Mukht Bharat upgraded to AMB Abhiyaan (7×7×7, T4)**

Body: Ministry of Health & Family Welfare

Detail: AMB (2018) under POSHAN Abhiyaan; 6×6×6 → 7×7×7 (adds LBW infants, 'Eating Right', digital M&E); T3 (Test/Treat/Talk) → T4 (+Track); WHO Hb cut-offs

Exam hook: AMB Abhiyaan: 6×6×6→7×7×7, T3→T4; under POSHAN Abhiyaan

Polity/Bodies (5)

• **DISHA 2.0 expands access to justice and free legal aid**

Body: Ministry of Law & Justice / NALSA

Detail: Article 39A (DPSP) — equal justice and free legal aid; NALSA (1987 Act) and the legal-services authorities; Lok Adalats

Exam hook: Art 39A = free legal aid (DPSP); NALSA under Legal Services Authorities Act 1987

• **CPGRAMS monthly reports showcase grievance-redress reform**

Body: DARPG

Detail: Centralised Public Grievance Redress and Monitoring System; DARPG under Ministry of Personnel; good-governance & e-governance

Exam hook: CPGRAMS = online grievance portal under DARPG; good-governance metric

• **50 years of the 1975 Emergency — constitutional provisions revisited**

Body: Constitutional / Static GK

Detail: Emergency declared 25 Jun 1975 (Art 352, internal disturbance); Articles 352/356/360; 44th Amendment (1978) replaced 'internal disturbance' with 'armed rebellion' & added safeguards

Exam hook: Art 352 (National), 356 (President's Rule), 360 (Financial); 44th Amend. safeguards

• **10th NCORD meeting & Drug-Control Vision 2026–29**

Body: Ministry of Home Affairs

Detail: NCB = nodal drug-enforcement agency (1986) under MHA; NDPS Act 1985 (quantity-graded penalties); NCORD = four-tier coordination forum; Golden Crescent (Afg-Iran-Pak) & Golden Triangle (Mya-Laos-Thai)

Exam hook: NCB (1986, MHA); NDPS Act 1985; Golden Crescent vs Golden Triangle

• **Bharat Taxi — a driver-owned cooperative ride-hailing platform**

Body: Ministry of Cooperation

Detail: Ministry of Cooperation (2021), 'Sahkar se Samridhhi'; 97th Amendment 2011 (Art 19(1)(c), Part IX-B, Art 43-B); cooperatives a State subject (Entry 32); gig-economy ownership model

Exam hook: 97th Amendment 2011 (Part IX-B, Art 43-B); cooperatives = State subject

Economy (9)

• **India becomes the world's top ship-recycling nation**

Body: Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways

Detail: Alang (Gujarat) — world's largest ship-breaking yard; Hong Kong International Convention (2025 in force); Recycling of Ships Act 2019; circular economy

Exam hook: India = top ship-recycler; Alang; Hong Kong Convention; circular economy

• **Index of Eight Core Industries (May 2026) released**

Body: MoSPI / Office of Economic Adviser (DPIIT)

Detail: Eight Core Industries: coal, crude oil, natural gas, refinery products, fertilisers, steel, cement, electricity; ~40.27% weight in the IIP; a lead indicator

Exam hook: ICI = 8 sectors, 40.27% of IIP weight; refinery products have the highest weight

• **Ethanol Blending Programme hits E20 ahead of schedule**

Body: Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas

Detail: E20 = 20% ethanol-blended petrol, achieved ahead of the 2025-26 target; ethanol from sugarcane/grain; cuts oil imports & emissions

Exam hook: E20 achieved early; EBP cuts crude imports; ethanol = first-gen biofuel

• **Critical Mineral Mission auctions gain pace — 56 blocks**

Body: Ministry of Mines

Detail: National Critical Mineral Mission (2025); lithium, cobalt, REEs etc. vital for clean energy & electronics; reducing import dependence; KABIL

Exam hook: NCMM (2025); critical minerals = lithium/cobalt/REE; 56 blocks auctioned

• **Index of Services Production (ISP) launched**

Body: MoSPI

Detail: First official high-frequency index for the services sector (an 'IIP for services'); services ≈ 50%+ of GVA; by the National Statistics Office

Exam hook: ISP = services-sector counterpart of the IIP (by MoSPI/NSO)

• **20th National Statistics Day marks Mahalanobis's legacy**

Body: MoSPI

Detail: Statistics Day on 29 June (P.C. Mahalanobis's birth anniversary); founder of the Indian Statistical Institute (ISI, Kolkata); 'father of Indian statistics'; Mahalanobis Distance; 2nd Five-Year Plan model

Exam hook: Statistics Day = 29 Jun (Mahalanobis b'day); ISI Kolkata; 2nd FYP model

• **MSME sector — from enterprise to empowerment**

Body: Ministry of MSME

Detail: Revised MSME classification (investment + turnover, composite criteria); Udyam registration; MSMEs ~30% of GDP & major employment; schemes (CGTMSE, PMEGP)

Exam hook: MSME = composite investment+turnover criteria; Udyam portal; ~30% of GDP

• **First export of GI-tagged Rewa Sundarja mango to the UAE**

Body: Ministry of Commerce & Industry / APEDA

Detail: Geographical Indications of Goods Act 1999 (in force 2003); GI Registry Chennai (DPIIT); GI = collective place-based right; first Indian GI = Darjeeling Tea; APEDA facilitates agri-exports

Exam hook: GI Act 1999 (Registry Chennai); GI = collective right; 1st GI = Darjeeling Tea

• **P.V. Narasimha Rao's birth anniversary & the 1991 reforms**

Body: Modern History / Economy

Detail: 9th PM (1991-96); LPG reforms with FM Manmohan Singh after the 1991 BoP crisis (gold pledged, IMF); end of the Licence Raj; Look East policy; Bharat Ratna 2024

Exam hook: 1991 LPG reforms (Liberalisation/Privatisation/Globalisation); BoP crisis trigger

IR/Diplomacy (3)

• **India–US Bilateral Trade Agreement talks advance (USTR Greer in Delhi)**

Body: Ministry of Commerce & Industry

Detail: Proposed India–US BTA; tariff & market-access negotiations; USTR = US Trade Representative; bilateral trade architecture

Exam hook: India–US BTA under negotiation; USTR = US Trade Representative

• **India–Oman CEPA: first Varanasi biscuit export**

Body: Ministry of Commerce & Industry

Detail: Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement; Oman is a Gulf/GCC partner; CEPA covers goods+services+investment (broader than a goods FTA)

Exam hook: CEPA > goods-FTA (adds services & investment); India–Oman = Gulf partner

- **India–UK CETA to enter into force on 15 July 2026**

Body: Ministry of Commerce & Industry

Detail: India's most comprehensive FTA; ~99% of exports zero-duty; Double Contribution Convention (social security, 3→5 yrs); 1,000 trade advisers; +£25.5bn projected trade

Exam hook: India–UK CETA in force 15 Jul 2026; DCC for social security; most comprehensive FTA

Environment (1)

- **NMCG scales up urban River Management Plans under Namami Gange**

Body: Jal Shakti / NMCG

Detail: National Mission for Clean Ganga; Namami Gange (2014); River-Centric Urban Planning / URMP; Ganga is the National River (2008)

Exam hook: Namami Gange (2014) under NMCG; Ganga = National River (2008)

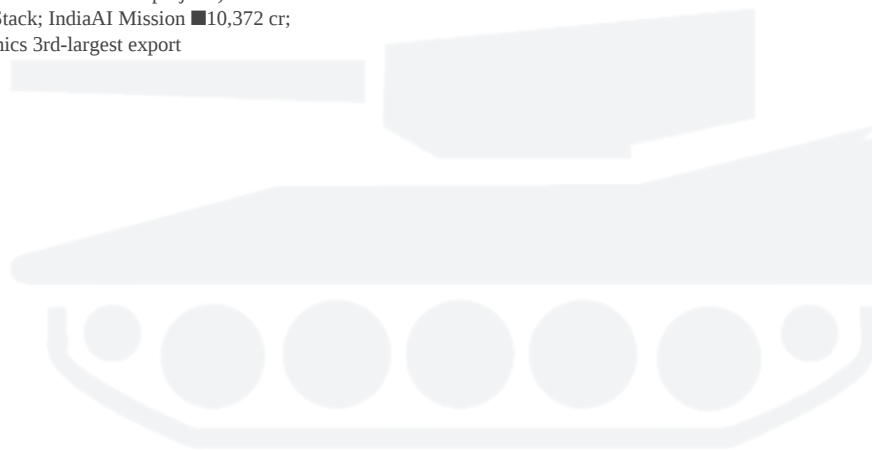
Sci/Tech (1)

- **Digital India at 11 — AI, semiconductors & DPI**

Body: MeitY

Detail: Digital India (2015); DPI/India Stack (Aadhaar, UPI, DBT on JAM trinity); IndiaAI Mission (■10,372 cr, 45,000+ GPUs); India Semiconductor Mission (■1.64 lakh cr / 12 projects)

Exam hook: DPI=India Stack; IndiaAI Mission ■10,372 cr; semiconductors = electronics 3rd-largest export



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