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#### Ques: Why did the Reserve Bank of India cancel the licence of HCBL Co-operative Bank?

- A. For engaging in money laundering activities
- B. Due to non-compliance with RBI audit timelines
- C. Due to inadequate capital and earning prospects
- D. For merger with another cooperative bank
- E. For operating without DICGC insurance

Answer: Option C

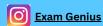
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) cancelled the banking licence of HCBL Co-operative Bank, based in Lucknow, effective May 19, as the bank did not have adequate capital or earning prospects.
- The bank also failed to comply with multiple provisions of the Banking Regulation Act, 1949 [Sections 22(3)(a) to 22(3)(e) read with Section 56].
- After liquidation, depositors are entitled to receive up to Rs.5 lakh from the Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC) on their deposits.

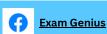
















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## Ques: How much foreign currency did the RBI sell on a gross basis in FY25?

A. \$153.03 billion

B. \$212.57 billion

C. \$291.03 billion

D. \$398.71 billion

E. \$625 billion

**Answer: Option D** 

- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) sold a record \$398.71 billion of foreign currency on a gross basis during FY25 to defend the Indian rupee amid global financial volatility.
- This figure is significantly higher than the foreign currency sales in FY24 (\$153.03 billion) and FY23 (\$212.57 billion).
- Despite some purchases, the net sale was \$34.51 billion, the second highest since FY2008-09.
- December 2024 marked the peak intervention month, with \$69.05 billion sold in just one month.
- The intervention was triggered by the rupee touching an all-time low of ₹87.95 per dollar in February 2025, due to global uncertainty and changes in U.S. policy.
- Between September 2024 and June 2025, India's forex reserves fell by \$80 billion.

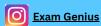


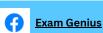
















#### Recent News Headlines Related to RBI

- ZikZuk, a fast-growing fintech startup headquartered in Hyderabad (Telangana), has received in-principle authorisation from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) to issue Prepaid Payment Instruments (PPI)
- RBI's draft circular proposes that all lenders together can invest up to 15% in a single AIF scheme
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has granted in-principle approval to Emirates NBD Bank PJSC to establish a wholly owned subsidiary (WOS) in India
- RBI based on the Economic Capital Framework (ECF), may transfer a record surplus ranging from Rs.2.5 lakh crore to Rs.3 lakh crore to the government for the financial year 2024-25
- As per RBI's latest data, UPI QR codes recorded the fastest growth in digital payment infrastructure in FY 2024-25
- RBI recently revealed data showing that American Express and HSBC were the top foreign banks with notable gains
- RBI approved the formation of an interim "Committee of Executives" to oversee IndusInd Bank's operations
- RBI has eased investment norms for Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPIs) in corporate debt securities via the general route
- RBI has officially recognised the Fixed Income Money Market and Derivatives Association of India (FIMMDA) as a Self-Regulatory Organisation (SRO) for financial markets
- RBI has sought the government's approval to remove the 30% cap on foreign banks using vostro accounts to purchase short-term sovereign debt, including treasury bills
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) purchased 57.5 tonnes of gold during the fiscal year 2024-25, making it the second-highest annual purchase since it began accumulating gold in December 2017

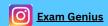


















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## Ques: With which organization has India Post Payments Bank (IPPB) partnered to expand credit access across Bharat?

- A. HDFC Bank
- B. Bajaj Finance
- C. Aditya Birla Capital Limited
- D. LIC Housing Finance
- E. SBI Cards

**Answer: Option C** 

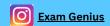
- India Post Payments Bank (IPPB) has entered into a strategic partnership with Aditya Birla Capital Limited (ABCL) to expand access to digital credit solutions across India.
- The partnership combines IPPB's vast postal network and digital infrastructure with ABCL's diversified loan offerings like personal loans, business loans, and loans against property.
- The initiative focuses on financial inclusion, especially targeting underserved and rural populations.
- IPPB will act as a referral partner only, without taking credit risk; ABCL will retain full control over credit decisions.
- The service will utilize AI and data analytics to provide personalized and seamless loan experiences.
- IPPB operates under the Ministry of Communications, and serves over 11 crore customers across 5.57 lakh villages and towns using India Stack technologies for paperless, cashless banking.

















#### Recently signed banking agreements

- Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) announced a strategic partnership with Khan Bank, a leading commercial bank in Mongolia, to modernise its digital banking platform
- The Tamil Nadu government signed agreements with 7 banks including Indian Bank, SBI, Axis Bank, and others to provide insurance and loan benefits to government employees
- SBM Bank India has entered into a strategic partnership with ICICI Prudential Life Insurance, marking a pivotal move aimed at enhancing its retail banking offerings and delivering a wider array of financial solutions to its customers.
- SBI Card has collaborated with Apollo HealthCo, the operator of Apollo Pharmacy, to launch a co-branded credit card in May 2025
- Exim Bank of India signed an agreement on January 16, 2025, with the Government of Mongolia to provide a USD 700 million Line of Credit (LoC) for financing the construction of a crude oil refinery plant in Mongolia
- In order to improve financial access for small, micro, and women-led businesses, particularly in rural and semi-urban areas of India, Sa-Dhan, a Self-Regulatory Organization (SRO) designated by the RBI for microfinance, signed MoU with Bank of India (Bol)
- Department of Posts (DoP) also known as India Post has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with SBI Funds Management Limited (SBIFM) to simplify the customer on-boarding process for Mutual Fund(MF) investors
- SBI signed an MoU with Land Ports Authority of India (LPAI) to boost banking infrastructure at 26 land ports across borders with Nepal, Bangladesh, Bhutan, and Myanmar
- The Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA), operating under the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India, has partnered with Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited (KMBL)















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## Ques: What is the new name of North East Small Finance Bank Limited after its merger with fintech company slice?

- A. NESFB Finance Bank /
- B. Slice Bank of India
- C. Slice Small Finance Bank Limited
- D. Northeast Slice Bank
- E. Slice Finance Corporation

**Answer: Option C** 

- The name of "North East Small Finance Bank Limited" has been changed to "slice Small Finance Bank Limited" in the Second Schedule to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934.
- This change follows a strategic merger between Bengaluru-based fintech company slice and the Guwahati-based NESFB.
- The merger was completed in October 2024

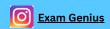


















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## Ques: What is the main objective of the newly notified 'Payments Regulatory Board Regulations, 2025'?

- A. To privatize the payment systems
- B. To regulate NBFCs independently
- C. To replace BPSS with PRB having government representation
- D. To merge RBI and SEBI
- E. To create a new cryptocurrency board

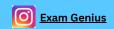
**Answer: Option C** 

- The Payments Regulatory Board (PRB) is being formed to replace the existing BPSS (Board for Regulation and Supervision of Payment and Settlement Systems), which currently operates under the RBI.
- PRB will include government representation for the first time—3 members nominated by the government and 3 by the RBI.
- The RBI Governor will serve as the Chairperson and hold the casting vote in case of a tie.
- This change is implemented under the Payments Regulatory Board Regulations, 2025, as notified by the Central Government.
- PRB will be assisted by RBI's Department of Payment and Settlement Systems (DPSS).
- The structure is governed by Section 3 of the PSS Act, 2007.
- It was earlier opposed by the RBI in 2018, arguing that payment system regulation should remain with the central bank due to its monetary policy implications.
- PRB members must be below 70 years of age, have no conflict of interest, and cannot be MPs or MLAs.
- The board will meet at least twice a year and may invite domain experts as permanent or ad hoc invitees.















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Ques: Which bank has signed MoU with Indian Institute of Banking & Finance (IIBF) for a customized Electronic (e) - Learning and certification program on MSMEs?

- A. Bank of India
- B. Union Bank of India
- C. Indian Overseas Bank
- D. Canara Bank
- E. Punjab & Sind Bank

**Answer: Option C** 

#### **Explanation**:

- The Indian Institute of Banking & Finance (IIBF) and Indian Overseas Bank (IOB) have inked a MoU for a tailored Electronic (e)-Learning and certification program on Micro, Small, and Medium-Sized Businesses (MSMEs).
- Increasing staff awareness of MSMEs and promptly and effectively meeting their credit needs are the goals of the Memorandum of Understanding.

#### **About Indian Overseas Bank (IOB):**

 Founded: 1937 • HQ: Chennai

• MD & CEO: Ajay Kumar Srivastava

• Tagline: Good people to grow with



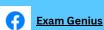
















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Ques: Which institution has signed an MoU with Bank of India to host a FinTech & Cybersecurity Hackathon in 2025?

A. IIM Ahmedabad

B. IIT Delhi

C. NIT Trichy

D. IIT Hyderabad

E. IISc Bangalore

**Answer: Option D** 

- Bank of India (BOI) has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with IIT Hyderabad.
- The purpose of the MoU is to organize a FinTech & Cybersecurity Hackathon in September 2025.
- The hackathon will be hosted at IIT Hyderabad with IDRBT (Institute for Development and Research in Banking Technology) acting as the knowledge partner.
- This initiative is supported by the Department of Financial Services, Government of India.
- The objective is to promote innovation in the fields of Financial Technology (FinTech) and Cybersecurity through industry-academic collaboration.



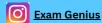


















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#### Ques: How much is the total rescue package Bajaj Auto is providing for KTM?

A. €1 billion

B. €450 million

C. €600 million

D. €800 million

E. €200 million

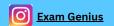
**Answer: Option D** 

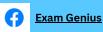
- Bajaj Auto will take majority control of Austrian motorcycle maker KTM AG through a total €800 million rescue package.
- This includes:
- €200 million already infused as convertible bonds/loans, and An additional €600 million, of which €450 million will be a secured loan and €150 million will be convertible bonds.
- KTM's 2024 revenue declined significantly, and this deal enables Bajaj Auto to shift from a passive investor to majority ownership.
- Bajaj currently owns 37.5% stake and manufactures KTM bikes in Pune, India.
- The acquisition strengthens Bajaj's footprint in the global off-road motorcycle segment.















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Ques: From which date will the Safety of Household, Commercial and Similar Electrical Appliances (Quality Control) Order, 2025 come into effect for large, medium domestic and foreign enterprises?

A. 1 January 2025

B. 1 August 2025

C. 19 March 2026

D. 31 December 2025

E. 1 April 2026

Answer: Option C

#### **Explanation:**

- The Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT) under the Ministry of Commerce & Industry has extended the implementation timeline of the Quality Control Order (QCO), 2025.
- The QCO will now come into force from 19th March 2026 for domestic large and medium enterprises and foreign manufacturers.
- The QCO applies to all electrical appliances for household, commercial or similar use with voltage not exceeding 250V (single-phase) or 480V (others).

## Special provisions include:

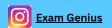
- 6-month extension for micro enterprises
- 3-month extension for small enterprises
- Exemptions for up to 200 imported units for R&D
- Import exemption for domestic manufacturers making export-oriented products
- 6-month window for clearing legacy stock (manufactured/imported before implementation)

















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## Ques: Who became the fastest cricketer to reach 13,000 Test runs in terms of matches played?

- A. Jacques Kallis
- B. Ricky Ponting
- C. Sachin Tendulkar
- D. Joe Root
- E. Rahul Dravid /

**Answer**: Option D

#### **Explanation:**

- Joe Root became the fastest cricketer to reach 13,000 Test runs in terms of matches played, achieving this milestone during a four-day Test against Zimbabwe at Trent Bridge, Nottingham.
- He reached the landmark in just 153 matches, surpassing Jacques Kallis, who took 159 matches.
- Joe Root is the first English player and fifth overall to reach this feat.
- Others in the 13,000-run club include Sachin Tendulkar, Ricky Ponting, Jacques Kallis, and Rahul Dravid.
- However, in terms of innings, Root is the slowest among them, requiring 279 innings, whereas Tendulkar reached it in 266 innings.

## Ranking of top 5 fastest to 13000 runs in test matches:

1 Joe Root (England) : 153 matches 🧧 🦳 📙 S

2 Jacques Kallis (South Africa): 159 matches

3 Rahul Dravid (India): 160 matches

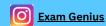
4 Ricky Ponting (Australia): 162 matches 5 Sachin Tendulkar (India): 163 matches

















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### Ques: Which organization is conducting a Nationwide Hackathon on CCTV Solutions for Law Enforcement in India?

- A. NITI Aayog
- B. Ministry of Electronics and IT
- C. Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D)
- D. Central Vigilance Commission
- E. DRDO

**Answer: Option C** 

- The Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D) under the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) is organizing a Nationwide Hackathon on CCTV Solutions.
- It is being conducted in collaboration with NCRB and CyberPeace Foundation.
- The aim is to promote indigenous, secure, scalable, and cost-effective CCTV innovations suited for Indian law enforcement agencies.
- Four key focus areas: Indigenous CCTV hardware and systems, Integration of Al and smart video analytics, Cyber security in CCTV networks and Affordable and efficient surveillance design
- The top entry will be given Rs. 5 Lakh monetary award with the second and third entries getting Rs. 3 Lakh and Rs. 1 Lakh respectively.

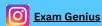


















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## Ques: Which Indian company has partnered with Israel's Sparton to localize production of advanced Anti-Submarine Warfare (ASW) systems?

A. Bharat Electronics Limited

B. HAL

C. DRDO

D. Adani Defence & Aerospace

E. Larsen & Toubro

**Answer: Option D** 

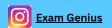
- Adani Defence & Aerospace has signed an agreement with Sparton, a subsidiary of Haifa (Israel)-based Elbit Systems Ltd.,
- The objective is to localize production of advanced Anti-Submarine Warfare (ASW) systems, including sonobuoys, for both the Indian Navy and global markets.
- This collaboration makes Adani Defence & Aerospace the first private sector company in India to offer indigenously developed sonobuoy solutions.

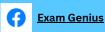
















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Ques: What is the name of the AI-powered virtual news anchor launched by the Assam government to deliver cabinet updates in Assamese?

A. SAMPARKA

B. AI-ASSAM

C. ANKITA

D. IRIS

E. PRAGATI

**Answer**: Option C

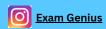
- Assam Chief Minister Hemanta Biswa Sarma launched ANKITA Assam's New-age Knowledge-based Information Technology Anchor – an AI-powered virtual news anchor that delivers cabinet meeting updates in Assamese.
- This makes Assam the first Indian state to deploy an AI anchor for official government communication.
- Earlier in 2024, Assam also introduced 'Iris', the first AI-powered teacher dressed in traditional Mekhela-Chador, at Royal Global School in Guwahati.

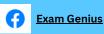
















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Ques: What is the new extended deadline for completing houses sanctioned under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban (PMAY-U)?

A. 31 March 2024

B. 30 June 2025

C. 31 December 2025

D. 31 March 2026

E. 31 December 2026

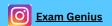
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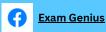
- The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) has extended the deadline for the completion of houses sanctioned under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban (PMAY-U) to 31 December 2025.
- This extension applies to houses sanctioned up to 31 March 2022, providing more time for beneficiaries to complete construction and avail housing benefits.
- PMAY-U was launched on 25th June 2015 to provide affordable housing to urban poor and is implemented by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs.
- Eligible beneficiaries include Economically Weaker Section (EWS) (up to Rs.3 lakh), Low-Income Group (LIG) (Rs.3-6 lakh), Middle-Income Group-I (MIG-I) (Rs.6-9 lakh), and slum dwellers.
- It Addresses Urban housing shortage among the Urban Poor including the Slum Dwellers by ensuring a pucca house to eligible urban poor
- Since inception, more than 92.61 lakh houses have been constructed under PMAY















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Ques: Who won the Men's Singles title at the 82nd edition of the Italian Open Tennis 2025?

- A. Novak Djokovic
- B. Jannik Sinner
- C. Daniil Medvedev
- D. Rafael Nadal
- E. Carlos Alcaraz

Answer: Option E

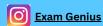
- The 82nd edition of the Italian Open Tennis 2025 crowned Carlos Alcaraz (Spain) as the Men's Singles champion.
- In the Women's Singles, Jasmine Paolini (Italy) secured the title.
- Men's Doubles was won by Marcelo Arévalo (El Salvador) and Mate Pavić (Croatia).
- Women's Doubles champions were Jasmine Paolini and Sara Errani (both from Italy).













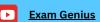




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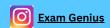
- Grandmaster R. Praggnanandhaa demonstrated his dominance in the Superbet Classic in Romania (Bucharest), defeating Maxime Vachier-Lagrave of France to win his first-ever Grand Chess Tour tournament
- The Indian U-19 men's football team, also known as the 'Blue Colts', defeated Bangladesh in the final of the SAFF U-19 Championship 2025
- Indian shooters Kynan Chenai and Sabeera Haris won a bronze medal in the Trap Mixed Team event at the ISSF Shotgun World Cup 2025, held in Nicosia, Cyprus
- Max Verstappen, a Belgian-Dutch driver of Red Bull, won the Formula 1 (F1) Emilia Romagna Grand Prix (GP) 2025 held at Autodromo Internazionale Enzo e Dino Ferrari in Imola, Italy.
- Bangladesh all-rounder Mehidy Hasan Miraz and Scotland captain Kathryn Bryce have been named as the ICC Men's and Women's Players of the Month for April 2025
- The 7th Khelo India Youth Games 2025 were held in Bihar from 4 to 15 May 2025, featuring over 5,000 young athletes from across India. Maharashtra topped the medal tally with 158 medals – 58 gold, 47 silver, and 53 bronze
- The first edition of the Khelo India Beach Games (KIBG) will be held in Diu from 19th to 25th May 2025. This event is part of the newly launched Khelo India Annual Calendar, aimed at fostering a year-round structured sports ecosystem in India
- L.R. Srihari from Chennai, Tamil Nadu, became India's 86th Grandmaster after securing his third GM norm at the Asian Individual Chess Championship held in Al-Ain, UAE
- It was the third CCI Billiards title for Pankaj Advani, who has won 28 World Championships in cue sports-billiards, snooker, and pool. The CCI Billiards Classic 2025 was held at the Cricket Club of India (CCI) in Mumbai.
- Barcelona became the champion of Spain by finishing first in the LaLiga football league. They beat Espanyol 2-0 to confirm their title win
- In the 2025 Doha Diamond League, Neeraj Chopra made history by throwing the javelin 90.23 meters, becoming the first Indian to breach the 90m mark. Despite this milestone, he secured 2nd place, finishing behind Germany's Julian Weber, who won with a 91.06-meter throw.
- The Indian women's cricket team, led by Harmanpreet Kaur, won the Tri-Nation ODI Series in Sri Lanka

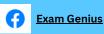
















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## Ques: Who tops the Sunday Times Rich List of the wealthiest individuals and families residing in the United Kingdom?

A Sir James Dyson and family

B Sir Leonard Blavatnik

C Idan Ofer

D David and Simon Reuben and Family

E Gopi Hinduja and Family

**Answert**: Option E

#### **Explanation:**

- Every year, the wealthiest people and families in the UK are ranked in the Sunday Times Rich List.
- The Sunday Times, a British Sunday newspaper, compiles the list every year.
- About 350 people and families with a combined wealth of GBP 772.8 billion are included in the 37th Sunday Times Rich List.

## Ranking of Top 5 wealthiest people and families in the UK:

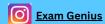
- 1. Gopi Hinduja and Family (35.3 billion)
- 2. David and Simon Reuben and Family (26.87 billion)
- 3. Sir Leonard Blavatnik (25.72 billion)
- 4. Sir James Dyson and family (20.8 billion)
- 5. Idan Ofer (20.12 billion)

















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## Ques: Where was the national-level celebration of the International Day for Biological Diversity (IDB) 2025 held in India?

- A. New Delhi
- B. Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh
- C. Dehradun, Uttarakhand
- D. Udaipur, Rajasthan
- E. Hyderabad, Telangana

**Answer: Option D** 

- To mark International Day for Biological Diversity (IDB) 2025, the Union Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change collaborated with the National Biodiversity Authority, Rajasthan Forest Department, and Rajasthan State Biodiversity Board to organize a national-level celebration in Udaipur, Rajasthan.
- The theme for IDB 2025 is 'Harmony with Nature and Sustainable Development'.
- May 22 is celebrated globally as IDB to raise awareness about the importance of conserving biological diversity.
- India is among the 17 mega-diverse countries of the world, with over 1,00,000 animal species and 55,000 plant species across 10 biogeographic zones, covering an area of 329 million hectares.

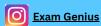


















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## Ques: What percentage of Central Government housing has been reserved for persons with disabilities?

A. 2%

B. 3%

C. 4%

D. 5%

E. 6%

Answer: Option C

- The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs has announced a 4% reservation in Central Government housing for persons with disabilities (PwDs).
- The decision is in accordance with the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, which emphasizes equality and accessibility.
- The Department of Estates (DoE), which manages government residential accommodations, particularly in Delhi, issued an office memorandum to enforce this rule.
- This reservation ensures fair access, dignity, and inclusivity for differently-abled individuals in public housing.
- It reflects the government's broader aim to create an inclusive and accessible India.

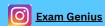


















Ques: Which two unique research facilities were recently inaugurated by Dr. Jitendra Singh at NCPOR in Goa?

- A. Bharat Bhavan and Ocean Bhavan
- B. Sagar Bhavan and Polar Bhavan
- C. Himalaya Bhavan and Arctic Bhavan
- D. Maitri Bhavan and Himadri Bhavan
- E. Deep Ocean Bhavan and Ice Core Bhavan

**Answer: Option B** 

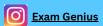
- Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh inaugurated Sagar Bhavan and Polar Bhavan at the National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research (NCPOR) in Goa.
- Polar Bhavan houses laboratories dedicated to polar and ocean research and will soon include India's first Polar and Ocean Museum.
- Sagar Bhavan is equipped with -30°C ice core labs and +4°C storage units to archive sediment and biological samples.
- NCPOR plays a key role in India's scientific presence in Antarctica (stations Maitri and Bharati), the Arctic (Himadri), and Himalayas (Himansh), and leads the Deep Ocean Mission.
- These are India's first-of-their-kind facilities and among the very few in the world.

















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## Ques: Which chemical banned under FSSAI norms is often illegally used for fruit ripening?

- A. Ethylene
- B. Calcium carbide
- C. Formalin
- D. Sulphur dioxide
- E. Ammonium nitrate

**Answer: Option B** 

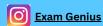
- The Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) has directed all States and Union Territories to intensify inspections against the use of non-permitted fruit ripening agents.
- Calcium carbide, a banned chemical, is often illegally used to ripen fruits quickly.
- Its use is strictly prohibited under the Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Regulations, 2011.
- Violators will face strict penal action under the FSS Act, 2006.

















# Ques: What is the primary objective of the 'Indira Soura Giri Jala Vikasam' scheme launched by the Telangana government?

- A. To provide free housing to tribal communities
- B. To distribute solar lanterns in rural areas
- C. To offer free solar-powered irrigation to tribal farmers
- D. To promote tourism in tribal belts
- E. To set up water purification plants in forest villages

Answer: Option C

- Telangana Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy launched the 'Indira Soura Giri Jala Vikasam' scheme at Macharam village in Amrabad mandal, Nagar Kurnool district.
- The scheme aims to empower 2.1 lakh tribal farmers by providing free solar pumps for irrigation, especially for those holding land under the Forest Rights Act (RoFR).
- It will cover six lakh acres of RoFR lands and ensure their comprehensive development.
- The scheme has an outlay of Rs 12,600 crore and will be implemented from 2025-26 to 2029-30 on 100% subsidy in saturation mode.



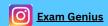


















#### **IMPORTANT ONE – LINER Current Affairs**

Justice Kempaiah Somashekar, Judge of the Karnataka High Court Appointed as 9th Chief Justice of the Manipur High Court Under Article 217(1) of the Constitution. He Replaced Justice D. Krishna Kumar

EnKash (Mumbai) has officially launched the 'EnKash Payment Gateway', a first-ofits-kind payment solution engineered for India's Small to Medium-sized (SMB) and Startup merchants. EnKash established in 2018, HQ in Mumbai and MD & CEO is Deep Sehgal

Book "The Diary of a Cricketer's Wife: A Very Unusual Memoir" Authored by Puja Pujara, the wife of renowned Indian cricketer Cheteshwar Pujara and Namita Kala

IndianOil Ultimate Table Tennis signed a 3-year agreement with JioStar Private Limited to enhance the reach and visibility of table tennis in India. Under this agreement, JioStar will serve as the exclusive broadcast and streaming partner of IndianOil UTT till 2027.

Tapan Kumar Deka Appointed as Director, Intelligence Bureau (IB) (second one-year extension)

The government will invest a total of Rs.1,280 crore to upgrade infrastructure in godowns of FCI and CWC. Out of this, Rs.1,000 crore will be invested by the Food Corporation of India (FCI) and Rs.280 crore by the Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC).







