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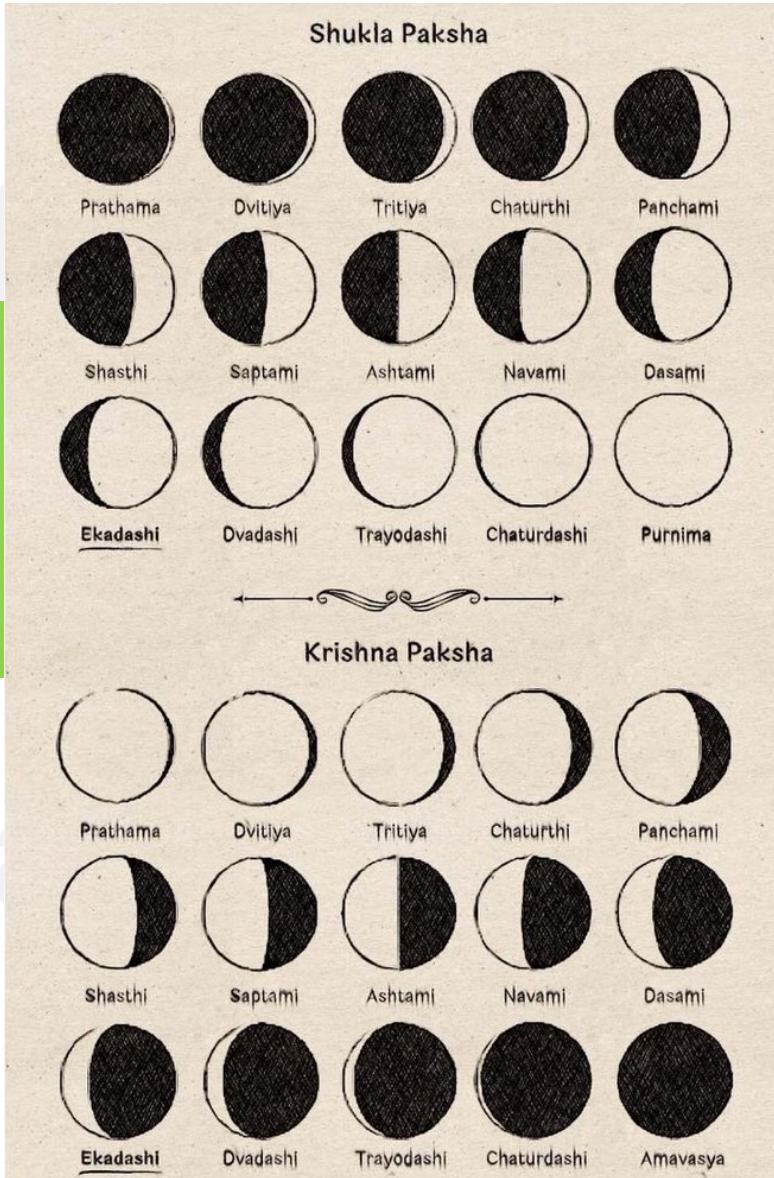
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QUESTION FO THE DAY

Who is appointed as the new Commandant of the National Defence Academy?

राष्ट्रीय रक्षा अकादमी के नए कमांडेंट के रूप में किसे नियुक्त किया गया है?

- A) Vice Admiral Ajay Kocchar
- B) Vice Admiral Gurcharan Singh
- C) Vice Admiral Karambir Singh
- D) Vice Admiral Anil Kumar Chawla

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A photograph of a smiling woman with short dark hair, wearing a light blue polo shirt, holding a young boy in her arms. They are standing in front of a wall made of reddish-brown bricks. A large blue speech bubble graphic overlays the top right portion of the image, containing the text.

**Thriving Mothers.
Thriving World.**

**World
Hunger
Day**
28 May

28 May - World Hunger Day

- Every year, World Hunger Day is **observed on May 28.**
- Theme – **Thriving Mothers. Thriving world.**
- The day aims to create awareness about the struggles faced by millions of people who do not have access to proper nutrition

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Dipa Karmakar scripts history by clinching India's first-ever Gold at the Asian Championships

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Dipa Karmakar Clinches India's First-Ever Gold Medal In Women's Pole-Vault At Asian Championships In Tashkent/दीपा कर्माकर ने ताशकंद में एशियाई चैंपियनशिप में महिलाओं की पोल-वॉल्ट में भारत का पहला स्वर्ण पदक जीता

- Dipa Karmakar, is an Indian Gymnast from Tripura, scripted history , clinching India's first-ever gold medal at the Asian Championships in Tashkent, Uzbekistan.
- This is the first time that an Indian gymnast has won a gold medal in any event at the Asian Championships.

- Karmakar also bagged a **bronze medal in the Glasgow Commonwealth Games in 2014.**
- She is **the first female gymnast from India to compete in the Olympics, and at Rio 2016**, where she stood 4th in the vault event.
- She also became the **first Indian to ever win a gold medal at an international gymnastics competition** when she won the women's vault gold medal at the **2018 FIG World Cup in Mersin, Turkey.**
- Dipa Karmakar was conferred India's highest sports award, the **Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award** (now Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award) **2016**.
- She was honoured with India's fourth highest civilian award, **Padma Shri 2017**.



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KKR Lifts Their Third Trophy In IPL/केकेआर ने आईपीएल में अपनी तीसरी ट्रॉफी जीती

- In Cricket, **Kolkata Knight Riders (KKR)** lifted their **third trophy in the Indian Premier League (IPL)** with a crushing eight-wicket win **over Sunrisers Hyderabad (SRH) .**
- **Mitchell Starc** was declared **Player of the Match (KKR).**

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Emerging player of the season	Nitish Reddy (<u>SRH</u>)
<u>Purple cap</u>	<u>Harshal Patel (24 wickets, PBKS)</u>
<u>Orange cap</u>	<u>Virat Kohli (741 runs, RCB)</u>
Most valuable player of the season	Sunil Narine (482 runs and 17 wickets, KKR)
Fairplay award	<u>Sunrisers Hyderabad</u>

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NEWS ALERT

**SHAHID AFRIDI NAMED AS A BRAND AMBASSADOR
FOR THE MEN'S T20 WORLD CUP 2024.**

Shahid Afridi Appointed as ICC Men's T20 World Cup Brand Ambassador/शाहिद अफरीदी को ICC पुरुष T20 विश्व कप का ब्रांड एंबेसडर नियुक्त किया गया

- Former **Pakistan captain Shahid Afridi was unveiled as the latest ambassador for the ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2024**, set to be held in the United States and the West Indies from June 1.
- Afridi joins **Yuvraj Singh, Chris Gayle and Usain Bolt** among the ambassadors chosen by the International Cricket Council (ICC) for the maiden 20-team T20 World Cup.

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Government Extends Tenure Of Army Chief Gen Manoj Pande By One Month/सरकार ने सेना प्रमुख जनरल पांडे का कार्यकाल एक महीने के लिए बढ़ाया

- up to 30th of June.
- He was appointed as the Army Chief on 30th of April, 2022.
- He was commissioned in December 1982 in the Corps of Engineers (The Bombay Sappers).



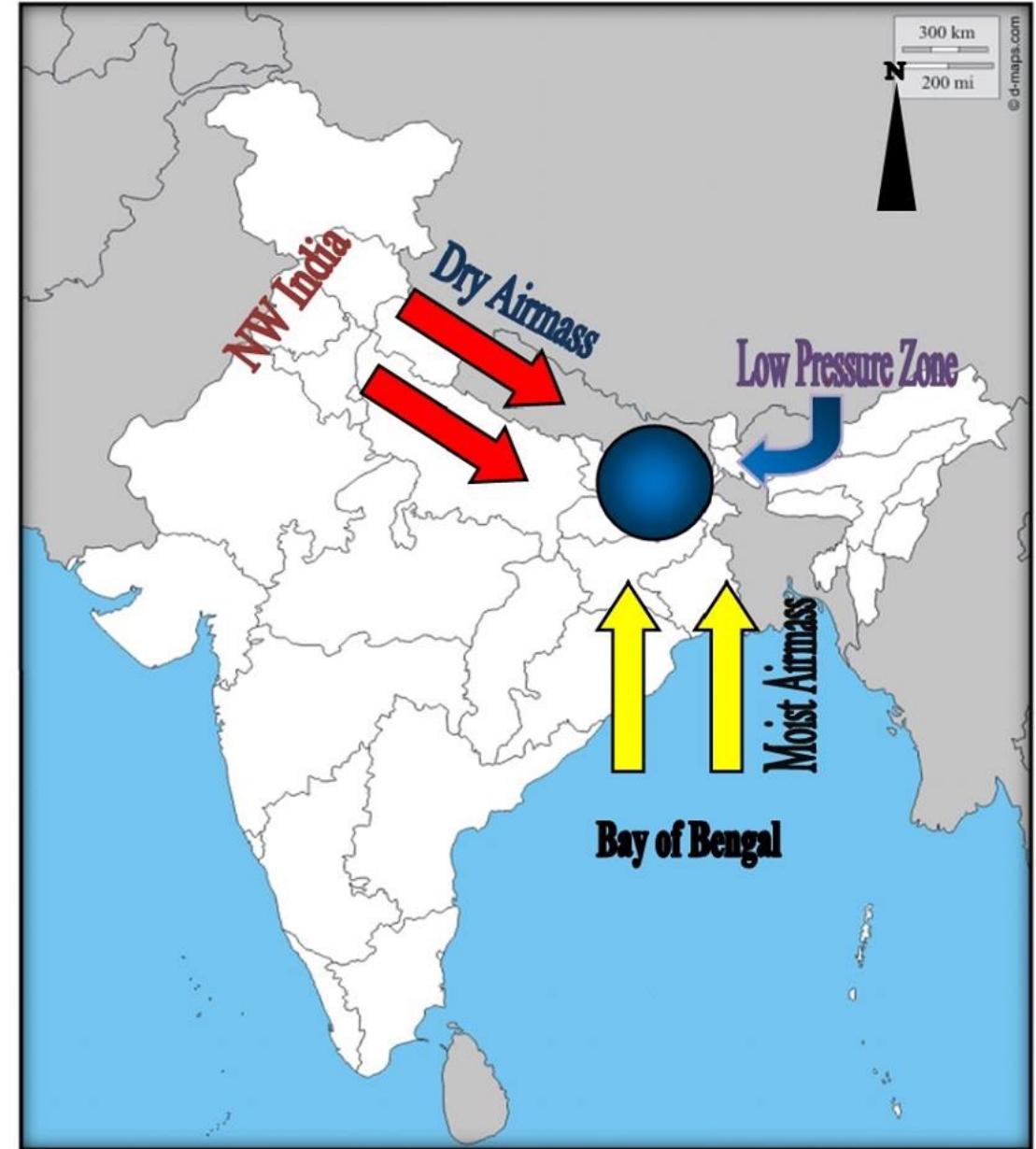
India's first research testbed to be deployed to study Nor'westers/नॉर्वेस्टर्स का अध्ययन करने के लिए तैनात किया जाने वाला भारत का पहला अनुसंधान परीक्षण स्थल

- Meteorologists will soon **deploy drones, mobile vans and high-end instruments to track the Nor'westers** that affect the east & northeast regions of India every summer (April-June).
- In the early summer months (March and April), the daytime landmass heating over these regions triggers convection over some areas of **Bihar, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, Odisha, and sub-Himalayan West Bengal.**
- These **thunderstorm events** usually prevail between **two to four hours** during **late afternoon hours.**, before sunset with **thick black clouds, torrential rain & hail** for short period.

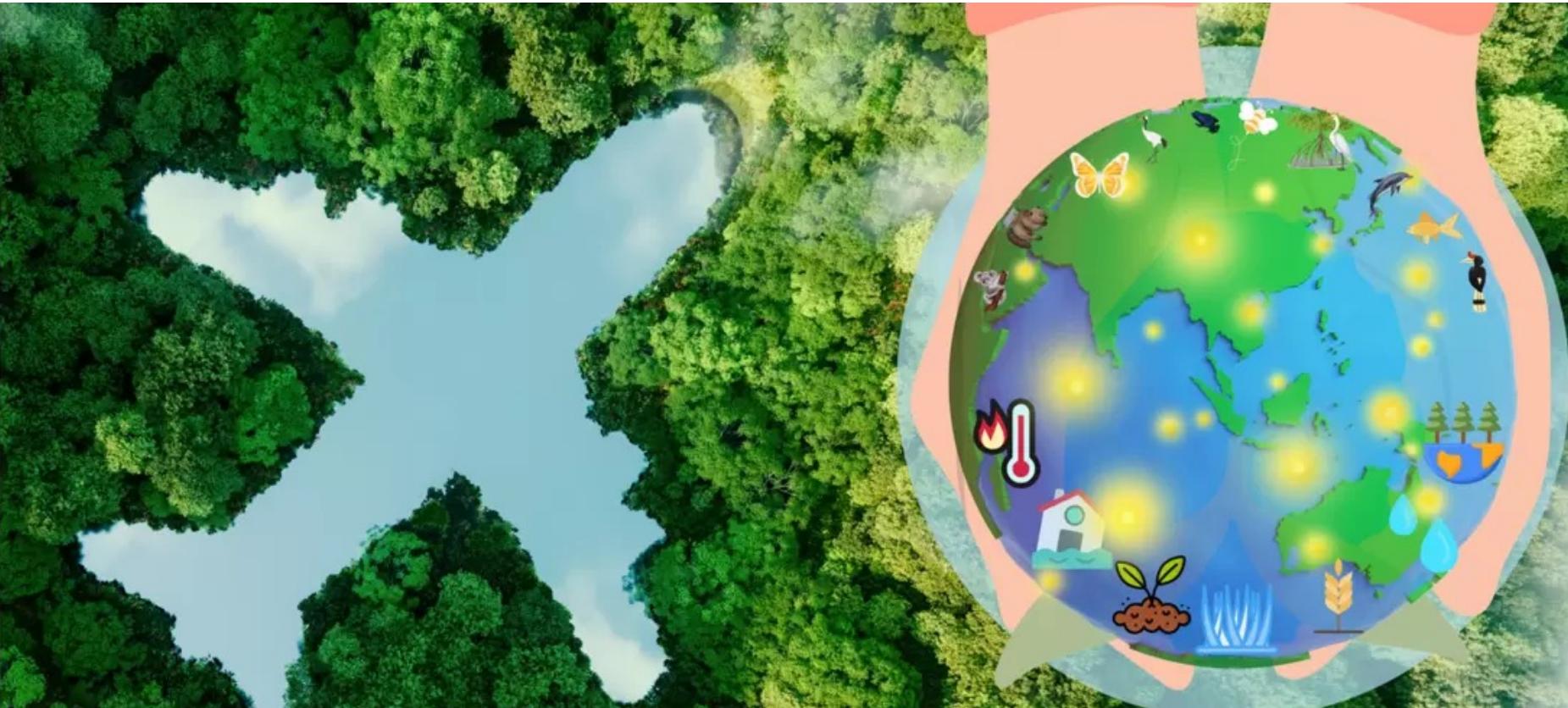
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- Helpful for Kharif/monsoon crops (jute & paddy).
- Known as “Kalbaisakhi” (Bengal), “Barodoli Cheerha” (Assam)

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- India Meteorological Department (**IMD**), Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology (**IITM**), **Pune**, and National Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasting (**NCMRWF**), **Delhi**, will **jointly develop (by 2026)** and use this facility.
- The proposed **multi-crore rupees research testbed facility** will cover a large area **adjoining West Bengal, Odisha, and Jharkhand**. The **control centre will be at Chandbali** in the Bhadrak district of **Odisha**
- The large volumes of data generated from the facility are expected to help forecasters make timely thunderstorm predictions, issue nowcast warnings (an event in less than three hours), and ultimately save lives.
- IMD, Pune, will collate all the data generated from the testbed facility for further research and analysis.



GREEN AIRPORTS RECOGNITION 2024

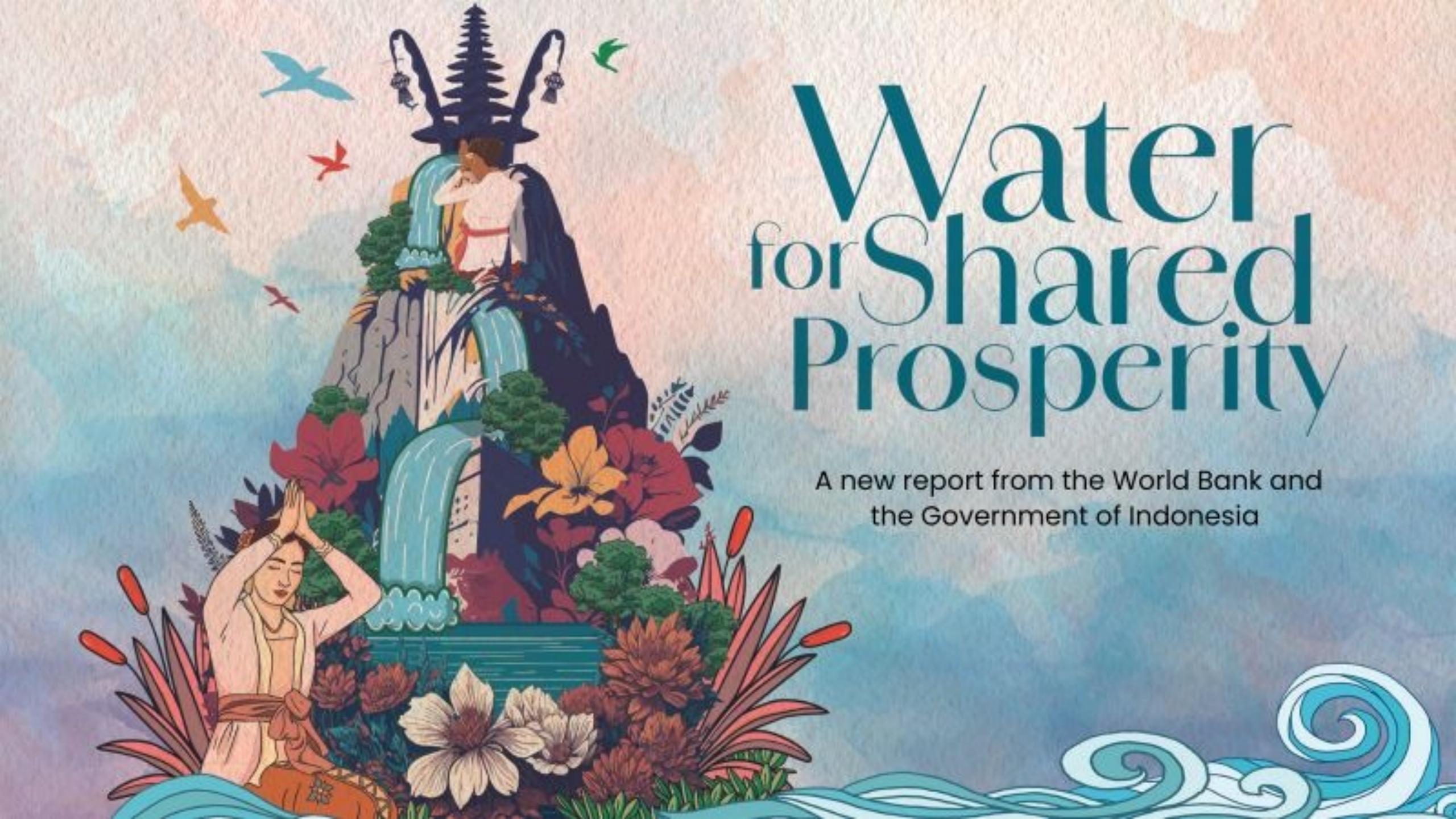
BIODIVERSITY AND NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS

KIA bags Green Airports Recognition-2024 award,

KIA को ग्रीन एयरपोर्ट्स रिकॉर्डिंग-2024 पुरस्कार मिला

- The Kempegowda International Airport (KIA) has bagged the silver award in the Airports Council International (ACI) Asia-Pacific & Middle East 'Green Airports Recognition (GAR) 2024'.
- The KIA bagged the silver award in the category of airports handling between 15 million and 35 million passengers a year.
- The theme for the Green Airports Recognition 2024 is 'Biodiversity and nature-based solutions'.
- The recognised airports have been awarded in three categories – platinum, gold, and silver

- The airports are **bracketed into four categories**: over 35 million passengers a year, between 15 million and 35 million passengers, between 8 million and 15 million passengers, and less than 8 million passengers a year.
- The other Indian airports to win the GAR 2024 are:
 - New Delhi's **Indira Gandhi International Airport (silver)** in airports **handling over 35 million passengers a year category** and
 - Lucknow's **Chaudhary Charan Singh International Airport (silver)** in airports **handling less than 8 million passengers a year category**.



Water for Shared Prosperity

A new report from the World Bank and
the Government of Indonesia

World Bank Report: 'Water For Shared Prosperity'

- The World Bank's new report "**Water for Shared Prosperity**," released at **the 10th World Water Forum in Bali, Indonesia**, highlights the alarming global water crisis and its implications for human and economic development worldwide.
- In **2022, 2.2 billion people lacked access to safely managed drinking water services**, while **3.5 billion lacked access to safely managed sanitation**.
- **Low-income countries**, in particular, have seen regression in access to safe drinking **water**
- China and India, with **36% of the global population**, hold only **11% of freshwater**, while North America, with **5% of the population**, possesses **52%**.

10th World Water Forum 2024

- Theme of **Water for Shared Prosperity**
- organised by the Government of the Republic of Indonesia and the World Water Council.
- The World Water Council, **established in 1996** and located in **Marseille, France** is an international organisation **with 260 member organisations from 52 countries including India**.
- The Forum is the world's largest event organised, since 1997, every three years with a different host country.
- Saudi Arabia was appointed as the country **to host the 11th Water Forum in 2027**



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Saudi Arabia appoints first ambassador to Syria since 2012



Saudi Arabia appoints first ambassador to Syria since 2012/सऊदी अरब ने 2012 के बाद से सीरिया में पहला राजदूत नियुक्त किया

- Saudi Arabia announced the appointment of its **first ambassador to Syria** since severing ties **with Damascus in 12 years**
- **Faisal al-Mujfel's appointment as the kingdom's first ambassador to Syria since 2012**
- It comes over a year after **Syria was readmitted to the 22-member Arab League**. It remained suspended from the group for more than a decade over **President Bashar Assad's brutal crackdown on anti-government protesters in 2011**.

- The uprising turned-civil war in Syria, now in its 14th year has killed nearly half a million people and displaced half of the country's pre-war population of 23 million.
- Iran has been a key political and military ally for the Assad government in Syria and the Lebanese Hezbollah group.
- In Yemen, Saudi Arabia has led a coalition against the Iran-backed Houthi rebels since 2015 in an attempt to restore the internationally-recognized government.
- The conflict has turned in recent years into a proxy war between Saudi Arabia and Iran.

Saudi Arabia

- Capital: Riyadh
- Currency: Saudi riyal

Syria

- Capital: Damascus
- Currency: Syrian pound



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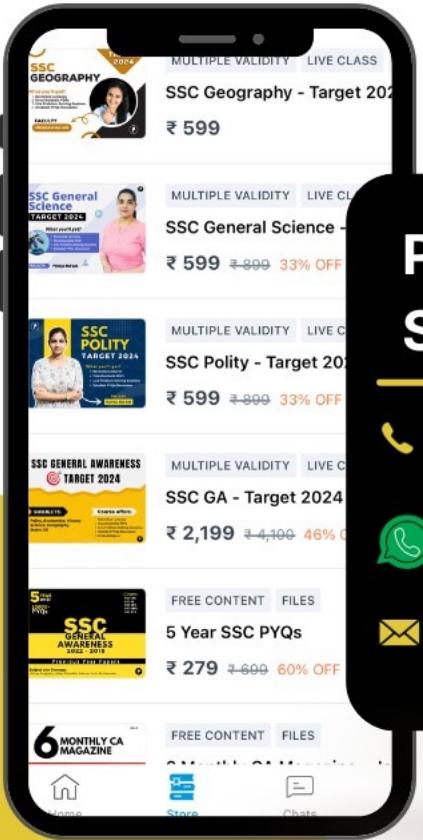
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REVISION QUESTIONS



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What is the theme of World Hunger Day observed on May 28?

- A) Nourishing Children, Nourishing World
- B) Healthy Families, Healthy World
- C) Thriving Mothers, Thriving World
- D) Empowering Communities, Empowering World

Answer: C

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Consider the following statements regarding Indian Premier League (IPL) 2024.

1. Sunil Narine was awarded the Most Valuable Player of the season.
2. Virat Kohli received the Orange Cap for being the top run-scorer in the IPL.
3. Harshal Patel earned the Purple Cap for taking the most wickets in the IPL.

Which of the above given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. Only 1 and 2
- b. Only 2 and 3
- c. Only 1 and 3
- d. All of the above

Ans: d

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What is the title of the World Bank's new report on the global water crisis?

- A) Water for Future Generations
- B) Water for Shared Prosperity
- C) Water for Sustainable Development
- D) Water for All

Ans: b

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What are Nor'westers, and how do they affect the regions they impact?

- a) Cyclones that bring heavy rainfall and strong winds to the coastal areas of India.
- b) Thunderstorms that occur in early summer, affecting east and northeast regions of India.
- c) Winter storms that cause snowfall and freezing temperatures in northern India.
- d) Dust storms that cause respiratory issues in the desert regions of India.

Answer: B)

Consider the following statements.

1. Dipa Karmakar Clinches India's First-Ever Gold Medal In Women's Pole-Vault at the Asian Championships 2024
2. She is the first female gymnast from India to compete in the Olympics.

Which of the above given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. Only 1
- b. Only 2
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Ans: c

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QUESTION FO THE DAY

Which country was appointed to host the 11th World Water Forum in 2027?

2027 में 11वें विश्व जल मंच की मेजबानी के लिए किस देश को नियुक्त किया गया था?

- A) Indonesia
- B) Brazil
- C) Saudi Arabia
- D) Australia

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Change. But start slowly, because direction
is more important than speed.

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