

1. What is the repo rate after the RBI's June 2022 Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) meeting?

- A. 4.2%
- B. 4.5%
- C. 4.9%
- D. 5.0%



- ✓ Reserve Bank of India's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) decided to hike the Policy Repo Rate by 50 basis points to 4.9 per cent in its June 2022 meeting. The MPC members voted unanimously to hike rates and to continue the withdrawal of the accommodative stance. RBI's MPC last month raised the repo rate by 40 basis points. Real GDP forecast for FY23 has been retained at 7.2% while inflation projection was revised for FY23 to 6.7%.

2. What is the new limit for auto-debit mandates done through cards and UPI (after June 2022)?

- A. Rs 5000
- B. Rs 10000
- C. Rs 15000
- D. Rs 20000



- ✓ The Reserve Bank of India increased the limit for auto-debit mandates done through cards and Unified Payment Interface (UPI) to ₹15,000 from the earlier ₹5,000. It means Customers will no longer be required to authenticate recurring transactions on their subscriptions, utility bills, EMIs up to ₹15,000 with a one-time password (OTP) every time during payment.

3. What is the age limit for officers to be eligible for the post of Chief of Defence Staff (CDS)?

- A. 60
- B. 62
- C. 65
- D. 70



- ✓ The Central Government has amended service rules of the armed forces six months after General Bipin Rawat, India's first Chief of Defence Staff, died in a helicopter crash. As per the new rules, all three-star and four-star officers from the three services under the age of 62 eligible for the post of CDS. It also includes those who retired in the last two years. The CDS is the most senior uniformed officer in rank.

4. Which organisation created a Guinness World Record for the longest continuously laid lane of 75 kms?

- A. BRO
- B. NHAI
- C. Indian Army
- D. L & T Construction



- ✓ **National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) created the Guinness World Record for completing the construction of 75 km continuous bituminous concrete in a single lane on NH 53 between Amravati and Akola in Maharashtra. The lane was laid in 105 hours and 33 minutes (under 5 days), breaking Qatar's record.**

5. Who is the first woman cricketer to appear in six World Cups?

- A. Jhulan Goswami
- B. Mithali Raj
- C. Charlotte Edwards
- D. Clare Taylor



- ✓ **Ace woman cricketer Mithali Raj recently announced her retirement from all forms of Cricket. The 39-year-old player is the first and only woman cricketer in the world to appear in six World Cups so far. She joined the list of Sachin Tendulkar and Pakistan's Javed Miandad recently, for this feat. Her tally of 7,805 runs from 232 ODIs is the highest in the women's ODI game. She is also the long-serving India captain with a total of 10,868 runs, a women's cricket record.**

6. Which Indian state has joined the Global Network of Advanced Manufacturing Hubs (AMHUBs) of World Economic Forum (WEF)?

- A. Telangana
- B. Andhra Pradesh
- C. Odisha
- D. Karnataka



- ✓ **Andhra Pradesh has joined the Global Network of Advanced Manufacturing Hubs (AMHUBs) of the World Economic Forum (WEF). On the sidelines of the annual Davos meeting of WEF, the state government and WEF exchanged the platform partnership on "Shaping the Future of Advanced Manufacturing and Value Chains". Andhra Pradesh is the first state selected of Shaping the Future of Mobility and "Moving India" initiatives.**

7. The new restrictions on Sugar Exports is effective from which date?

- A. 2022 May 01 B. 2022 June 01
- C. 2022 August 01 D. 2023 January 01



- ✓ India has imposed restrictions on sugar exports, after curbing wheat exports. The new restrictions will come into effect from June 1. The move is primarily aimed at increasing availability of the commodity in the domestic market and curbing price rise. After an unprecedented rise in inflation fuelled by geopolitical tensions, India has been taking several measures to facilitate lowering of prices of commodities in the domestic markets.

8. What is the rank of India in the 'WEF Travel and Tourism development index' in 2022?

- A. 34 B. 45
- C. 54 D. 43



- ✓ The World Economic Forum's latest study released the travel and tourism development index, which assessed as many as 117 countries. India was placed at the 54th spot in the overall rankings, down from 46th in 2019. As per the study, after two years of slowdown caused by the Covid-19 pandemic, India's travel and tourism sector has shown signs of recovery.

9. Indian Navy participates in Exercise Bongosagar, along with which country's Navy?

- A. France
- B. Bangladesh
- C. Myanmar
- D. Nepal



- ✓ The third edition of Indian Navy – Bangladesh Navy Bilateral Exercise 'Bongosagar' commenced at Port Mongla, Bangladesh. The Harbour Phase of exercise will be followed by a Sea Phase in the Northern Bay of Bengal. Exercise Bongosagar is aimed at developing joint operational skills through the conduct of a wide range of maritime exercises and operations between the two navies.

10. 'International Conference on New Technologies and Innovations in Rural Roads' was organised in which city?

- A. Kanpur B. New Delhi
- C. Varanasi D. Chennai



- ✓ Union Minister for Rural Development & Panchayati Raj, Giriraj Singh inaugurated the 3-day International Conference on New Technologies and Innovations in Rural Roads. During the Inaugural Session, documents including the New Technology Vision, 2022 were released. Under the Vision document, the Ministry of Rural Development seeks at least half of rural roads length to be constructed using New Technologies and Alternative Materials.