

1. Which city is the host of the Engineers Conclave–2022 (EC–2022)?

- A. Chennai
- B. Bengaluru
- C. Thiruvananthapuram
- D. Hyderabad



- ✓ **Engineers Conclave–2022 (EC–2022) of the Indian National Academy of Engineering was organized jointly with Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) at Liquid Propulsion Systems Centre (LPSC–ISRO), Thiruvananthapuram. The Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has proposed dedicated satellites for supporting the country’s agriculture sector. ISRO is also discussing with Department of Agriculture on the proposed 'Bharat Krishi Satellite' programme.**

2. 'HAWK air defence equipment' is a flagship equipment of which country?

- A. Russia
- B. Ukraine
- C. Israel
- D. USA



- ✓ **The United States is set to retrieve its older HAWK air defence equipment to send to Ukraine which is facing a heavy attack from Russian drone–fired and cruise missiles. HAWK, short for 'Homing All the Way Killer,' entered service with the US Army in 1959, during the Vietnam war. The HAWK interceptor missiles would be an upgrade to the Stinger missile system. The US sent the shoulder–fired anti–aircraft Stingers to Ukraine early in the war.**

3. Which country is the host of the UNSC's counter–terrorism meeting in 2022?

- A. USA
- B. India
- C. China
- D. Japan



- ✓ **The UNSC's counter–terrorism meeting will be hosted in Mumbai and Delhi in the month of October. The overarching theme of the meeting would be 'Countering the use of new and emerging technologies for terrorist purposes.' The focus is on rapid development and increasing threat of use for terrorist purposes of 3 technologies – 1) internet, including social media, 2) new payment technologies and fundraising methods, 3) unmanned aerial systems, including drones.**

4. How many lifestyle practices has been published by the Union government of India under Mission LiFE?

- A. 50
- B. 75
- C. 100
- D. 200



- ✓ The Union government published a list of 75 lifestyle practices that can be taken up as climate-friendly behaviour under the Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment). The list of 75 actions are under the seven categories — energy, water saving, single-use plastic, sustainable food systems, waste reduction, healthy lifestyle, and e-waste. Prime Minister Narendra Modi and UN Secretary-General Antonio Guterres launched Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment).

5. Which herbicide has been recently restricted by the Indian Government, fearing risk to human and animal health?

- A. Glyphosate
- B. Atrazine
- C. Glufosinate
- D. Carbofuran



- ✓ The Indian Government has officially restricted the use of the widely used herbicide, glyphosate, fearing risk to human and animal health. After this announcement, glyphosate will be applied only through Pest Control Operators (PCOs). Glyphosate has been majorly used in tea plantations in India. They are also licensed to use deadly chemicals for treating pests such as rodents.

6. Which country is the host of the “No Money for Terror” conference?

- A. Russia
- B. India
- C. Sri Lanka
- D. Bangladesh



- ✓ India is set to host the “No Money for Terror” conference, after the meeting of Interpol and the UN Counter-Terrorism Committee. The Ministry of Home Affairs under the Indian government is organising the third ministerial conference on ‘No Money for Terror’ in New Delhi. The aim of the conference is to take forward the discussions related to combating the financing of terrorism in the previous two conferences.

7. India’s multi-modal logistics park (MMLP) is set to be developed in which state?

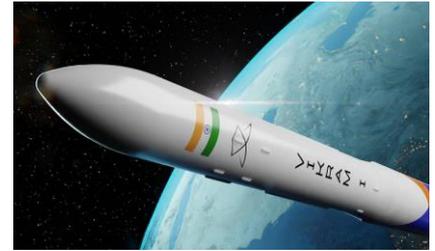
- A. Tamil Nadu
- B. Gujarat
- C. Karnataka
- D. Maharashtra



- ✓ Reliance Industries Ltd (RIL) has been awarded the work to develop the first multi-modal logistics park (MMLP) at Mappedu, near Chennai in Tamil Nadu. Under the ‘PM GatiShakti National Master Plan (NMP)’, the road transport ministry is developing 35 multi-modal logistics parks. MMLP Chennai is being developed in an area of 184.27 acres.

8. What is the name of India's first privately developed rocket?

- A. Akash
- B. Vikram-S
- C. Vikrant-S
- D. Surya



- ✓ India's first privately developed rocket, named Vikram-S is set to be launched on a sub-orbital mission with three payloads. Hyderabad-based space startup Skyroot Aerospace will become the first private space company in India to launch a rocket into space. The mission named 'Prarambh' will carry payloads of two Indian and one foreign customer and is set for launch from ISRO's launchpad at Sriharikota.

9. Prime Minister inaugurated ONGC's U-field onshore facilities in which state?

- A. Tamil Nadu
- B. Andhra Pradesh
- C. Karnataka
- D. West Bengal



- ✓ Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited's U-field onshore facilities in B R Ambedkar Konaseema district of Andhra Pradesh. U-field is situated in Krishna Godavari basin block in Bay of Bengal. Natural gas from the field will be brought to the onshore facility through undersea pipelines before being dispatched to the users.

10. Tashigang, world's highest polling booth, is located in which state/ UT?

- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Assam
- C. Sikkim
- D. Bihar



- ✓ Around 98.08 per cent voter turnout was recorded in the world's highest polling station booth in Tashigang, in Himachal Pradesh. Of the 52 registered voters of the station, 51 stepped out to elect a new state government. Tashigang is situated at a height of 15,256 feet and was made a Model Polling station to make voting easy for senior citizens and disabled voters.