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Important Day/ महत्वपूर्ण दिवस- January 2021

DATE	DAY(E)	THEME(E)	DAY(H)	THEME(H)
4 JANUARY	✓ World Braille Day		विश्व ब्रेल दिवस	
9 JANUARY	✓ PRAVASI BHARTIYA DIWAS(NRI DAY)	"Contributing to Aatmanirbhar Bharat"	✓ भारतीय प्रवासी दिवस	"आत्मानिर्भर भारत में योगदान"
12 JANUARY	✓ NATIONAL YOUTH DAY		राष्ट्रीय युवा दिवस	

Important Day/ महत्वपूर्ण दिवस- January 2021

DATE	DAY(E)	THEME(E)	DAY(H)	THEME(H)
14 JANUARY	✓ Veteran's Day		✓ वेटरन डे	
15 JANUARY	✓ ARMY DAY		✓ सेना दिवस	
19 JANUARY	✓ NDRF RAISING DAY(16 TH)			

Important Day/ महत्वपूर्ण दिवस- January 2021

DATE	DAY(E)	THEME(E)	DAY(H)	THEME(H)
21 JANUARY	✓ MEGHALAYA ✓ MANIPUR ✓ TRIPURA STATEHOOD DAY(1972)		✓ मेघालय ✓ मणिपुर ✓ त्रिपुरा राज्योत्सव दिवस	
23 JANUARY	✓ NETAJI SUBHASH CHANDRA BOSE JAYANTI		✓ नेताजी सुभाष चन्द्र बोस जयंती	
24 JANUARY	✓ NATIONAL GIRL CHILD DAY/UP STATEHOOD DAY		✓ राष्ट्रीय बालिका दिवस/उत्तर प्रदेश स्थापना दिवस	

Important Day/ महत्वपूर्ण दिवस- January 2021

DATE	DAY(E)	THEME(E)	DAY(H)	THEME(H)
25 JANUARY	✓ NATIONAL VOTER'S DAY/NATIONAL TOURISM DAY		✓ राष्ट्रीय मतदाता दिवस/राष्ट्रीय पर्यटक दिवस	
26 JANUARY	✓ 72 ND REPUBLIC DAY ✓ INTERNATIONAL CUSTOMS DAY		✓ 72 गणतंत्र दिवस ✓ अन्तराष्ट्रीय सीमा शुल्क दिवस	



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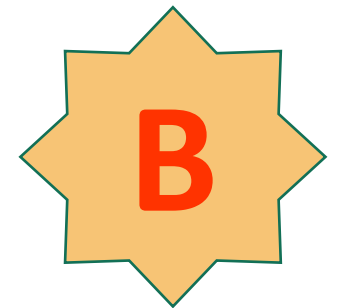
Brainstorming MCQ



Who has been appointed as the first woman chairperson of Broadcasting Content Complaints Council (BCCC)?

ब्रॉडकास्टिंग कंटेंट कम्प्लेंट्स काउंसिल (BCCC) की पहली महिला चेयरपर्सन किसे नियुक्त किया गया है?

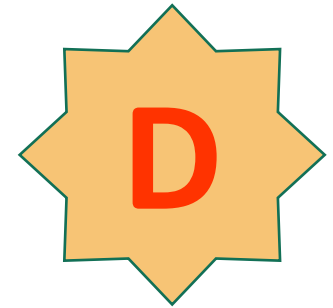
- A) Vijaya Kamlesh**
- B) Gita Mittal**
- C) Manjula Chellur**
- D) Sujata Manohar**



Shyam Srinivasan, CEO of which bank, is chosen as the Business Standard Banker of the Year for 2019-20?

किस बैंक के सीईओ श्याम श्रीनिवासन को 2019-20 के लिए बिजनेस स्टैंडर्ड बैंकर ऑफ द ईयर चुना गया है?

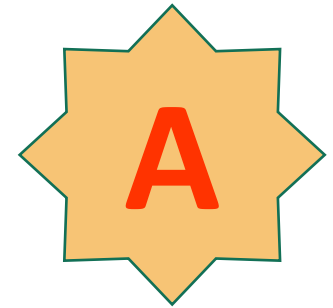
- A) IndusInd Bank**
- B) South Indian Bank**
- C) RBL Bank**
- D) Federal Bank**



Who is the author of the book titled “Flying Blind: India’s Quest For Global Leadership”?

"फ्लाईंग ब्लाइंड: इंडियाज क्वेस्ट फॉर ग्लोबल लीडरशिप" नामक पुस्तक के लेखक कौन हैं?

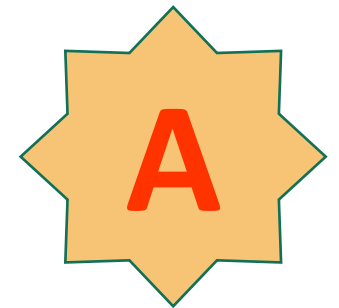
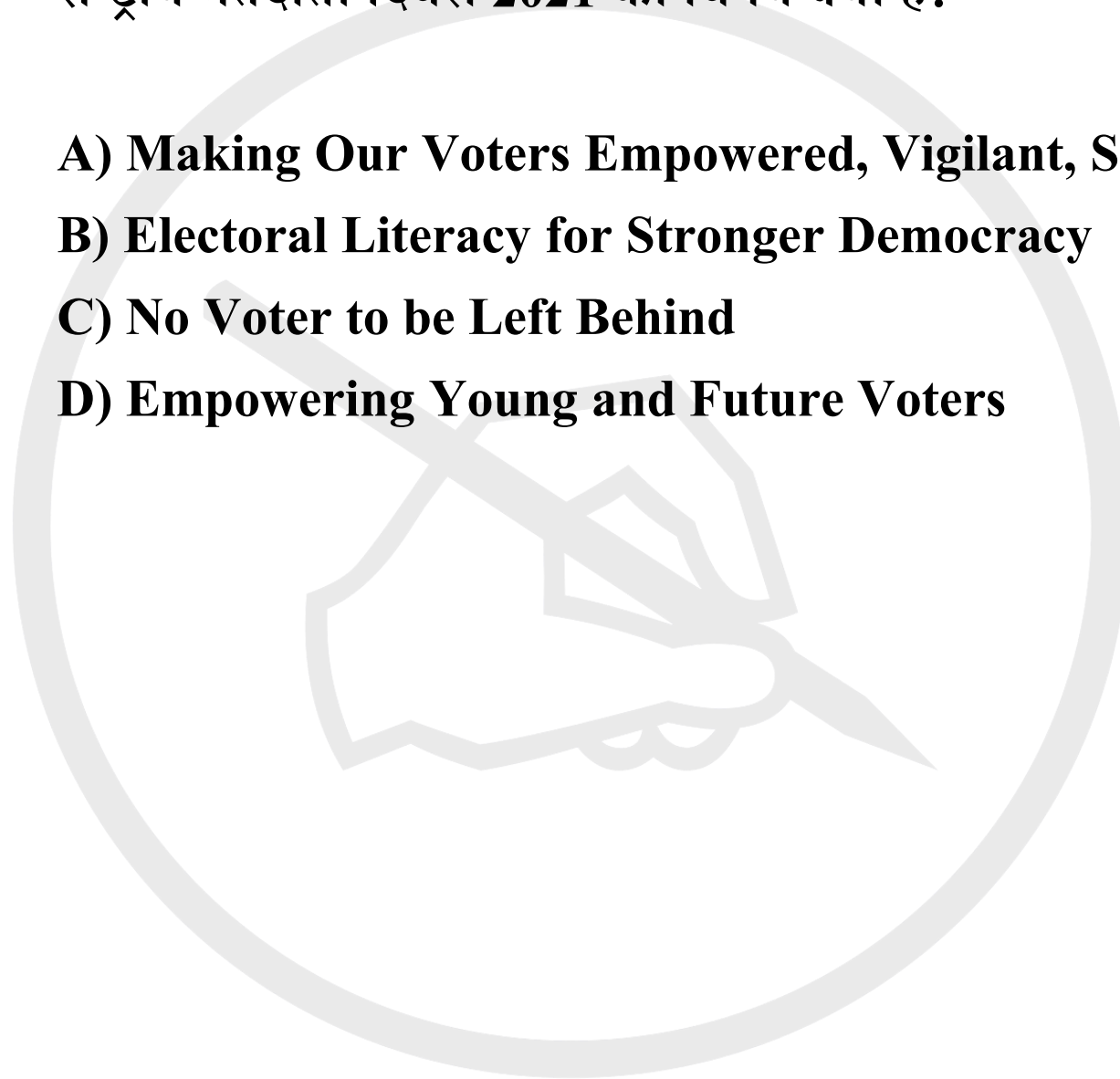
- A) Mohamed Zeeshan**
- B) Imran Orhan**
- C) Nadia Hashimi**
- D) Mohsin Hamid**



What is the theme of National Voters' Day 2021?

राष्ट्रीय मतदाता दिवस 2021 का विषय क्या है?

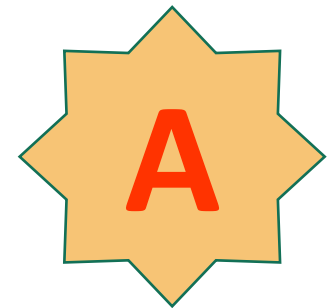
- A) Making Our Voters Empowered, Vigilant, Safe and Informed**
- B) Electoral Literacy for Stronger Democracy**
- C) No Voter to be Left Behind**
- D) Empowering Young and Future Voters**



What is the theme of International Education Day 2021?

अंतर्राष्ट्रीय शिक्षा दिवस 2021 का विषय क्या है?

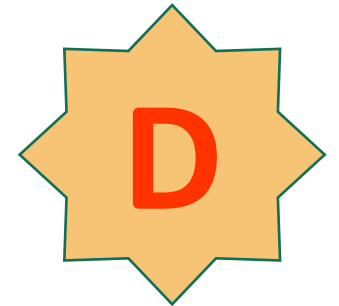
- A) Recover and Revitalize Education for the COVID-19 Generation**
- B) Education: A Key Driver for the COVID-19 Generation**
- C) Learning for planet, prosperity and peace for the COVID-19 Generation**
- D) Education with freedom for the COVID-19 Generation**



On 25th January 2021, which state celebrated its golden jubilee statehood day?

25 जनवरी 2021 को, किस राज्य ने अपना स्वर्ण जयंती राज्य दिवस मनाया?

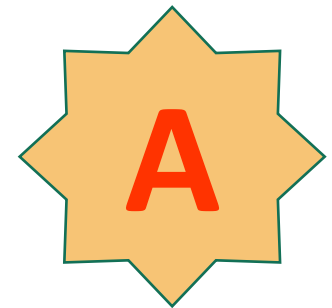
- A) Punjab**
- B) West Bengal**
- C) Goa**
- D) Himachal Pradesh**



Where is the HQ of Broadcasting Content Complaints Council (BCCC) situated?

ब्रॉडकास्टिंग कंटेंट कम्प्लेंट्स काउंसिल (BCCC) का मुख्यालय कहाँ स्थित है?

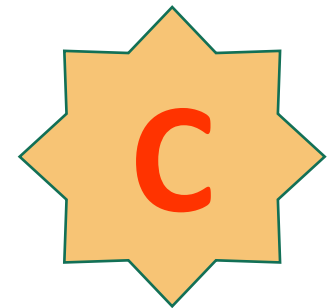
- A) New Delhi**
- B) Mumbai**
- C) Gurgaon**
- D) Hyderabad**



The international body for governing Football, FIFA, is based in _____?

फुटबॉल, फीफा के संचालन के लिए अंतर्राष्ट्रीय निकाय, _____ में आधारित है?

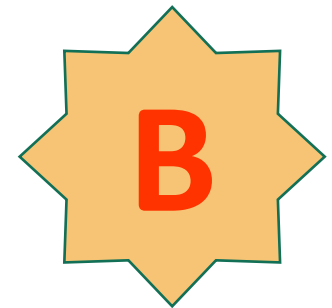
- A) New York, United States**
- B) Paris, France**
- C) Zurich, Switzerland**
- D) Rome, Italy**



Exercise Malabar is a trilateral naval exercise which does not include?

व्यायाम मालाबार एक त्रिपक्षीय नौसेना अभ्यास है जिसमें शामिल नहीं है?

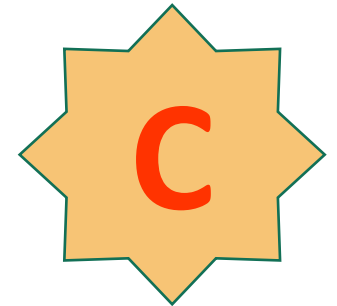
- A) India**
- B) China**
- C) United States**
- D) Japan**



The Buddh International Circuit is a racing track located in which of these cities?

द बुद्धि इंटरनेशनल सर्किट एक रेसिंग ट्रैक है, जो इन शहरों में स्थित है?

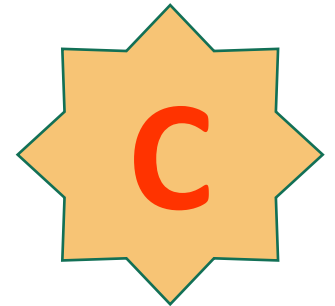
- A) Patna**
- B) Pune**
- C) Greater Noida**
- D) Bhopal**



The Gaggal Airport is located in which state?

गगल हवाई अड्डा किस राज्य में स्थित है?

- A) Rajasthan**
- B) Punjab**
- C) Himachal Pradesh**
- D) Gujarat**



In which state is the Pakke Tiger Reserve present?

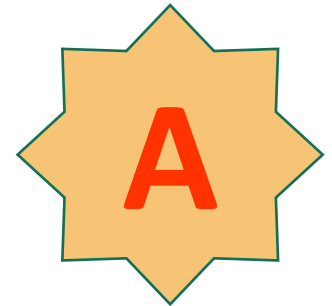
पक्के टाइगर रिजर्व किस राज्य में है?

A) Arunachal Pradesh

B) Kerala

C) Gujarat

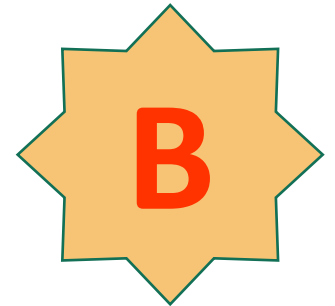
D) Uttarakhand



The Rock Shelters of Bhimbetka is based in which state?

भीमबेटका का रॉक शेल्टर किस राज्य में स्थित है?

- A) Maharashtra**
- B) Madhya Pradesh**
- C) Gujarat**
- D) Himachal Pradesh**





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10:30 AM Abhishek Mahendras
Maths



11:30 AM Kuldeep Mahendras
Reasoning



3:00 PM Nitin Mahendras
English

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PIB,THE HINDU,PTI,INDIAN EXPRESS,AIR GIST



Faith gets ample play at R-Day parade

COVID-19 booths were set up in the area to run temperature checks on visitors

NIKHIL M BABU
NEW DELHI

Ram, Shiva, Ayyappa, Allah and Guru Tegh Bahadur – all of them were mentioned at some point of the day during the Republic Day parade at Rajpath on Tuesday.

Achievements of India

Before the parade began at 9.30 a.m., an anchor while briefing about different achievements of the country, said: “The construction of Ram temple at Ayodhya commenced with Bhoomi Puja and laying of foundation stone by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.”

At around 11 a.m., Ram was mentioned again when a tableau of Uttar Pradesh – Ayodhya: Cultural Heritage of Uttar Pradesh – was showcased. In the middle part of the tableau, there was a miniature model of Ram temple.

“The epitome of Ayodhya’s cultural identity associated with mass sentiments and devotion, has been shown. The model of the temple in itself generates the feeling of devotion and reverence,” a booklet by the Ministry of Defence on the parade read.

Communal harmony

Delhi’s tableau, which is also a representation of communal harmony, opened



Top: Brahmos Missile System; the Delhi tableau rolls down Rajpath during the 72nd Republic Day parade in New Delhi on Tuesday. ■ R. V. MOORTHY

Uttarakhand showed a temple of Shiva. “The tableau also shows *Nandi* – the vehicle of Lord Shiva, travellers in Kedarnath Dham and devotees. The rear portion of the tableau shows tem-

disaster of 2013,” the booklet about tableau of Uttarakhand read. When the Brahmos Weapon System was shown during the parade, the anchor mentioned that the war cry of

by Uttar Pradesh, which had a miniature Ram temple.

A 27-year-old Yoga teacher, Naveen Chechi, and his two friends had come from Haryana’s Palwal to watch the parade.

“We came by car. But we were stopped at 8 a.m. near Lodhi Garden area and we had to almost run for an hour to reach here. Rafale was brilliant. I am very happy to see it. It shows that Pakistan and China is not a competition for us. I a Modi admirer,” he said.

An UPSC aspirant from Kerala, Gokul Das (25), said: “When the Ram temple tableau came, many people sitting next us to were thrilled and shouting *Jai Shri Ram*. I liked the Rafale.”

Outside the parade area

The thrill of watching the Rafale was there even outside the parade area. About 100 metres away from the parade route, a chaat seller, Ravi Yadav, said: “I couldn’t leave all my stuff so I missed seeing the Rafale. But, I have seen it on my friend’s phone. I really liked it.”

The area also had “COVID-19 booths”. “At the gate, we were checking temperatures of people using thermal guns. We also had emergency medicine

Masks, military might, mayhem outside: a parade for the times

IN BRIEF



Modi dons royal turban from Jamnagar

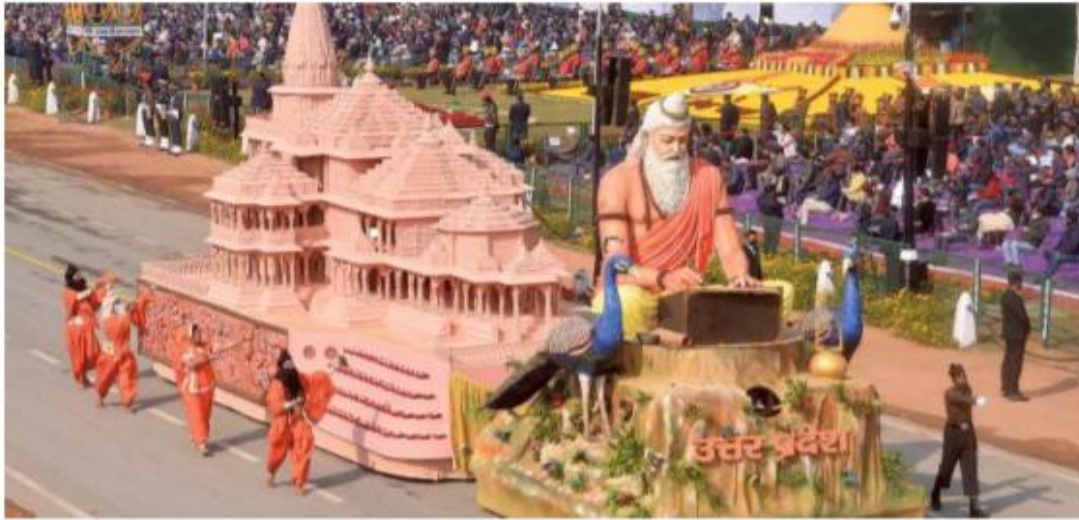
NEW DELHI

Prime Minister Narendra Modi wore a special turban from Gujarat's Jamnagar at the 72nd Republic Day parade at Rajpath, continuing his tradition of donning unique headgears. The 'halari paghdi' (royal turban) in shades of red with yellow dots was gifted to the Prime Minister by the royal family of Jamnagar. Mr. Modi paired the turban with a traditional kurta, pyjama, grey jacket along with a face mask. **PTI**

Nagaland Governor takes a swipe at NSCN faction

GUWAHATI

Nagaland Governor R.N. Ravi on Tuesday said "unrealistic intransigence of some people, who are unwilling to forsake the politics by gun", has undermined the Centre's political initiatives to resolve the Naga issue. Mr. Ravi, also the Centre's interlocutor for the Naga peace talks, said in his Republic Day speech that the people of Nagaland have not been able to reap optimum benefit of various progressive government schemes as "some extra constitutional entities in the guise of espousing the Naga national cause" have kept peace and progress at bay.



Saluting the nation: An Army team marching on Rajpath; Flight Lieutenant Bhawana Kanth, who became the first woman fighter pilot to take part in the parade; a Rafale fighter jet; and the Uttar Pradesh tableau showing the Ram Mandir.

• R.V. MOORTHY, PTI

In the footsteps of the legendary Muktiyoddhas

Bangladesh team evokes 1971 spirit

DINAKAR PERI
NEW DELHI

As New Delhi and Dhaka celebrate the 50th anniversary of the 1971 Liberation War, a 122-member tri-service contingent of Bangladesh marched on Rajpath at the Republic Day parade. It had soldiers drawn from the units of that year.

"The majority of the soldiers in this contingent hail from the most distinguished units of the Bangladesh Army comprising 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10 and 11 East Bengal Regiment and 1, 2 and 3 Field Artillery Regiment. These units have the distinct honour of fighting and winning the Liberation War," an official said.

The contingent, led by Lt. Col. Abu Mohammed Shahnoor Shawon and his deputies, Lieutenant Farhan Ishraq and Flight Lieutenant Sibat Rahman, carried with it the legacy of the legendary Muktiyoddhas of Bangladesh, their forefathers who fought against oppression, mass atrocities by tyrannical forces and for the freedom of Bangladesh, the official stated.

The Bangladesh Navy had successfully conducted "Operation Jackpot" during the war, destroying 26 enemy ships in sea ports and river



The Bangladesh contingent marching on Rajpath on Tuesday. • R.V. MOORTHY

Delhi and Dhaka have agreed to hold a series of commemorative events throughout the year.

It is these fraternal ties between the two countries that make the relations transcend even a strategic partnership.

Evocative moment

As a decorated veteran, many of whose colleagues' blood is mixed with the soil and waters of Bangladesh, seeing a contingent of an independent Bangladesh Army marching down Rajpath was a very emotional and evocative moment for Maj. Chandrakant Singh, Vrc and author of *Cavalier in the Sky* (biography of war icon Air Vice Marshal Chandan Singh).

"For me to see the Ran-

A 'vertical charlie' that wowed Rajpath spectators

A Rafale steals the show at the event with a breathtaking manoeuvre at a speed of 900 kmph

He deserved the Param Vir Chakra: Galwan hero's kin

Col. Santosh Babu was awarded the Maha Vir Chakra

STAFF REPORTER
YADADRI-BHUVANAGIRI

Bikumalla Santoshi, wife of Galwan hero Col. Santosh Babu and Deputy Collector (Revenue), was honoured by officials and leaders at the 72nd Republic Day celebrations here in Telangana on Tuesday.

District Collector Anita Ramachandran, Bhongir MP Komatireddy Venkat Reddy and Alair legislator G. Sunitha joined to felicitate Ms. Santoshi, remembering her husband's martyrdom in the 2020 India-China skirmishes in the Galwan Valley in June, and the Centre's recognition of the sacrifice with Maha Vir Chakra, the second highest wartime gallantry award.

In an emotional address, Ms. Santoshi said it was a proud moment for everyone – for the family, for the Telangana State and the 16th Bihar Regiment. "I am sure



Telangana Chief Minister K. Chandrasekhar Rao paying tributes to Col. Santosh Babu. • FILE PHOTO

his sacrifice and the recognition will motivate many people. My children are young; they will always feel proud of their father, and we will continue to carry on with this inspiration," she said.

In Suryapet, parents of Col. Santosh Babu, retired bank officer Upender and home-maker Manjula, ex-

pressed a half-hearted welcome of the Maha Vir Chakra recognition. They said that their son deserved Param Vir Chakra, the highest wartime gallantry award, for the sacrifice.

"Param Vir Chakra would have been more appropriate," Mr. Upender said, adding, "Santosh Babu's team endured the harshest climate for some 13 months. They caused double the loss to Chinese troops, erased the opinion that India was inferior to China, and also inspired the youth of the country."

Ms. Manjula said she was sad about losing her only son, but proud that he died for the country. "As a mother, I will always want my son to bag the first place. I am a little sad now that he was only recognised with Maha Vir Chakra for his supreme sacrifice," she added.

Tractor rally turns violent as farmers enter Capital

■ Clashes erupt as police use tear gas, lathicharge to control rioters

■ Violence leaves one protester dead, 83 police personnel injured

■ Farmers swarm Red Fort, hoist flags inside national monument

■ MHA suspends Mobile Internet, deploys paramilitary forces

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT
NEW DELHI

Delhi witnessed chaotic scenes on Tuesday as groups of protesting farmers broke off from the planned Republic Day tractor parade routes and swarmed into the heart of the national capital, hoisting a union flag and a Sikh religious flag inside Red Fort.

Police used tear gas, water cannons and lathicharge to stop the farmers at several locations in the city, including at ITO, where one protester died.

The Delhi police said 83 personnel and one civilian were injured in the protests. By evening, the Home Ministry deployed additional paramilitary forces, and suspended mobile Internet services in several parts of the city.

In a statement issued late in the evening, the Delhi police said the protesting farmers had breached the agreement with the unions and began their march before the scheduled time.

"They chose the path of violence and vandalism, and seeing that the police had to take necessary steps to main-

ty and attacking personnel in east Delhi.

Farm union leaders condemned the violence, and distanced themselves from "anti-social elements" who, they claimed, had infiltrated the protest, insisting that the vast majority of protesters remained peaceful.

After intense negotiations, the Delhi police had given permission for three parade routes, staying near the border areas, scheduled to start from noon.

The Samyukt Kisan Morcha, the joint front of all protesting unions, had agreed to their conditions.

Tensions on U.P. border

However, trouble started late on Monday night as hundreds of farmers on tractors from neighbouring Uttar Pradesh threatened to enter Delhi at the northeastern Loni border point, with the police saying they were "directionless and leaderless", but wanted to go to the Red Fort.

On Tuesday morning, even before the official contingents rolled down Rajpath, one defiant farm union from Punjab, the Kisan Maz-



Taking over: Farmers hoisting flags at the Red Fort after forcibly entering it, in New Delhi on Tuesday. •PTI

Farmer leaders blame 'anti-social elements'

They admit violence in the national capital will weaken their negotiating position

PRISCILLA JEBARAJ
VIKAS VASUDEVA
NEW DELHI/CHANDIGARH

violence could weaken their cause.

The Kisan Mazdoor Sang-

had any plan to go to the Red Fort and stage any kind of protest over there. The aim

ukt Kisan Morcha leadership that has been negotiating with the government,

Ready to continue talks, says Centre

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT
NEW DELHI

The Centre is inclined to continue talks with agitating farmer leaders despite the violence and chaos in the capital on Republic Day, a top government source told *The Hindu*.

"We are, of course, waiting and watching how events will play out," the source told this writer, stressing that the government had been flexible in holding a dialogue with farm leaders.

With police deployed to deal with the continued law and order challenge from what appears to be a splinter element of the agitating farmers, the government has an open mind on continuing talks.

"We will be looking closely at all these issues on Wednesday," a Cabinet Minister told this correspondent. The Minister said the go-

India set to grow 11.5% in 2021: IMF

'By 2022 end, GDP is expected to be 9% below its pre-pandemic projected level'

PRESS TRUST OF INDIA
WASHINGTON

The IMF on Tuesday projected an 11.5% growth rate for India in 2021, making the country the only major economy to register double-digit growth this year amidst the COVID-19 pandemic.

The International Monetary Fund's growth projections for India reflected a rebound in the economy, which is estimated to have contracted by 8% in 2020 due to the pandemic.

China is next with 8.1% growth in 2021 followed by Spain (5.9%) and France (5.5%). The IMF said that in 2020 China is the only major country which registered a positive growth rate of 2.3%.

India's economy, the IMF said, is projected to grow



Regaining ground: The IMF said activity and mobility came back much faster than expected in India. ■AP

6.8% in 2022 and that of China by 5.6%.

IMF Chief Economist Gita Gopinath, during a virtual press conference to release the update, said that India had a somewhat faster pace of recovery, but cumulatively by the end of 2022, its GDP

is expected to be 9% below its pre-pandemic projected level. "We are seeing India come back to its 2019 levels, but it's still below... Why do we have these upgrades (in IMF's growth projections for India)... because the activity and mobility particularly

came back much faster than expected in India. We have not seen another wave," Ms. Gopinath said.

'Faster pace of recovery'

"In fact, we are seeing a very strong decline in cases, which is again a bit different from other parts of the world. So, these factors, including what we're seeing in terms of high frequency indicators, point to [a] somewhat faster pace of recovery. But again, there is still some distance to go," she added.

Earlier this month, IMF MD Kristalina Georgieva had said India "actually has taken very decisive action, very decisive steps to deal with the pandemic and to deal with the economic consequences of it".

'Overseas investment by Indian firms dipped to \$1.45 bn in Dec.'

RBI data shows a 42% drop from \$2.5 bn a year earlier

PRESS TRUST OF INDIA
MUMBAI

Overseas investment by domestic firms fell by over 42% to \$1.45 billion in December 2020, according to Reserve Bank data.

In the year earlier period, companies in India had invested \$2.51 billion in their foreign firms (joint ventures / wholly owned units).

In November 2020, the total outward foreign direct investment (OFDI) was of \$1.06 billion, down by 27% from a month earlier.

Of the total FDI investment by the Indian companies during the month under review, \$775.41 million



was in the form of equity infusion and \$382.91 million was in the form of loan.

Investment of \$287.63 million was in the form of issuance of guarantee, as per the data.



Among major investors, ONGC Videsh Ltd. invested a total of \$131.85 million

Among major investors, ONGC Videsh Ltd. invested a total of \$131.85 million in joint ventures and wholly owned subsidiaries in Myanmar, Russia, Vietnam, Colombia, British Virgin Islands among others.

Intas Pharmaceuticals invested \$75.22 million in a wholly owned subsidiary in the U.K. and Tata Consultancy Services invested \$27.77 million in a wholly owned unit in Ireland.

GDP to contract 8% in FY21, FICCI survey shows

PRESS TRUST OF INDIA
NEW DELHI

India's GDP is expected to contract by 8% in 2020-21, according to the latest round of FICCI's Economic Outlook Survey.

The annual median growth forecast by the industry body is based on responses from leading economists representing industry, bank-

ing and financial services sectors. The survey was conducted in January.

The median growth forecast for agriculture and allied activities has been pegged at 3.5% for 2020-21.

"Agriculture sector has exhibited significant resilience in the face of the pandemic. Higher rabi acreage, good monsoons, higher reservoir

levels and strong growth in tractor sales indicate continued buoyancy in the sector," FICCI stated on the survey findings. However, industry and services sector, which were most severely hit due to the pandemic induced economic fallout, are expected to contract by 10% and 9.2% respectively during 2020-21. The industrial re-

covery is gaining traction, but the growth is still not broad based. The consumption activity did spur during the festive season as a result of pent-up demand built during the lockdown but sustaining it is important going ahead, the survey said.

Besides, it observed that some of the contact intensive service sectors like tourism,

hospitality, entertainment, education, and health sector are yet to see normalcy.

"The quarterly median forecasts indicate GDP growth to contract by 1.3% in the third quarter of 2020-21. The growth is expected to be in the positive terrain by the fourth quarter with a projection of 0.5% growth," estimates the survey.



Bharat Parv begins on virtual platform showcasing glory of nation

Bharat Parv 2021, a festival to celebrate the spirit of India has begun today. The festival is being organised on a virtual platform www.bharatparv2021.com this year from today till 31st of January. The mega event envisages generating patriotic fervour and showcases the rich and varied cultural diversity of the country. Ministry of Tourism organizes Bharat Parv every year since 2016 in front of the ramparts of the Red Fort on the occasion of Republic Day Celebrations. Themed pavilions of multiple States and Union Territories have showcased their tourism destinations, cuisine, handicraft and other features.



Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla inaugurated the Bharat Parv-2021 in the presence of Culture and Tourism Minister Prahlad Singh Patel. Speaking on the occasion, Mr Birla said, the Bharat Parv offers a unique glimpse of India's cultural diversity. He said, this event will provide an opportunity to know and understand the art, culture, food, clothing and traditions of the 28 states and eight Union territories of the country.

The glimpses of Republic Day Parade and recorded performances of Armed forces music bands will also be available on this virtual platform. Various Central Ministries and other organizations including Ministry of Culture, Ministry of Ayush, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Ministry of Railways, Archaeological Survey of India, National Museum, National Gallery of Modern Arts, Khadi and Village Industries Commission and others are displaying handicrafts, handlooms, music, dance, paintings, literary material and other features from all over the country.

Prasar Bharati has set up its virtual stall which will showcase its efforts towards promoting Ek Bharat-Shrestha Bharat. Another media unit of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Bureau of Outreach and Communication focuses on 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi by exhibiting photos, videos, animation related to Swachh Bharat, Sashakt Bharat, Bapu Ke Sapno Ka Bharat'. Celebrating the diversity and spirit of India, Publication Division's virtual pavilion is exhibiting a rich display of books on art and culture, history and biographies of builders of modern India.

MCQ:STATIC + CURRENT



What is the name of Indian Railways' longest freight train which has set a new record in the South-East Central Railways (SECR) zone in Chhattisgarh?

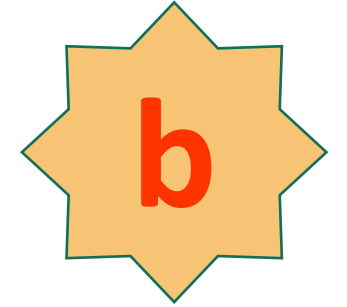
भारतीय रेलवे की सबसे लंबी मालगाड़ी का नाम क्या है जिसने छत्तीसगढ़ में दक्षिण-पूर्व मध्य रेलवे (SECR) क्षेत्र में एक नया रिकॉर्ड बनाया है?

(a) Adishesha / आदिशेष

(b) Vasuki / वासुकी

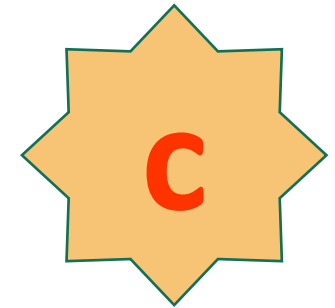
(c) Astika / आस्तिक

(d) Shesh Naag / शेष नाग



WIPRO group is all set to act as knowledge partner of which state government?
WIPRO समूह किस राज्य सरकार के ज्ञान भागीदार के रूप में कार्य करने के लिए पूरी तरह तैयार है?

- (a) Maharashtra / महाराष्ट्र**
- (b) West Bengal / पश्चिम बंगाल**
- (c) Madhya Pradesh / मध्य प्रदेश**
- (d) Gujarat / गुजरात**



Who has been awarded the Sarvottam Jeevan Raksha Padak Awards-2020?

सर्वोत्तम जीवन रक्षा पदक पुरस्कार-2020 से किसे सम्मानित किया गया है?

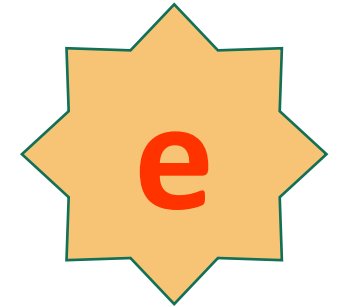
(a) Ramshibhai Ratnabhai Samad / रामशीभाई रत्नभाई समद

(b) Parmeshwar Balaji Nagargoje / परमेश्वर बालाजी नागरगोजे

(c) Amandeep Kaur / अमनदीप कौर

(d) Koripelly Srujan Reddy / कोरीपेली सुरजन रेड्डी

(e) Muhammed Muhsin / मुहम्मद मोहसिन



Jeevan Raksha Padak Awards:::

Jeevan Raksha Padak awards, an offshoot of the Ashoka Chakra series of Gallantry awards, were instituted in the year 1961.

2. As the name of the award suggests, the award is given to a person for saving someone's life. The award is given for meritorious act of humane nature in saving the life of a person in cases like drowning in water, accidents, fire incidents, electrocution, natural calamities, rescue operation in mines etc. It is given in the following three categories:-

- i) **Sarvottam Jeevan Raksha Padak** is awarded for conspicuous courage in saving life under circumstances of very great danger to the life of the rescuer.
- ii) **Uttam Jeevan Raksha Padak** is awarded for courage and promptitude in saving life under circumstances of great danger to the life of the rescuer.
- iii) **Jeevan Raksha Padak** is awarded for courage and promptitude in saving life under circumstances of grave bodily injury to the rescuer.

President Ram Nath Kovind has approved the conferment of Jeevan Raksha Padak Series of Awards – 2020 on 40 persons which includes Sarvottam Jeevan Raksha Padak to 01, Uttam Jeevan Raksha Padak to 08 and Jeevan Raksha Padak to 31 persons. One award is posthumous.

Sarvottam Jeevan Raksha Padak: Shri Muhammed Muhsin (Posthumous), Kerala

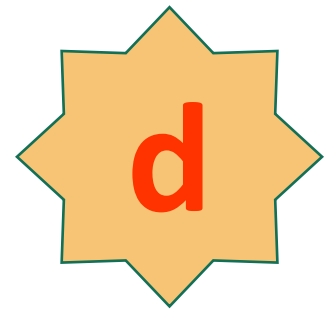


This boy risked his life to save three of his friends
from drowning in the deep Sea **but he died :(**

Who has won the women's singles titles in Thailand Open badminton 2021?

थाईलैंड ओपन बैडमिंटन 2021 में महिला एकल खिताब किसने जीता है?

- (a) Sofia Kenin / सोफिया केनीन**
- (b) Nozomi Okuhara / नोजोमी ओकुहारा**
- (c) Ashleigh Barty / एशले बार्टी**
- (d) Carolina Marin / कैरोलिना मरीन**
- (e) Naomi Osaka / नाओमी ओसाका**



What is the name of the tax to be levied on older, polluting vehicles which has been approved by the Union minister for road transport and highways Nitin Gadkari?

पुराने, प्रदूषण फैलाने वाले वाहनों पर लगाए जाने वाले कर का क्या नाम है, जिसे केंद्रीय सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री नितिन गडकरी ने मंजूरी दी है?

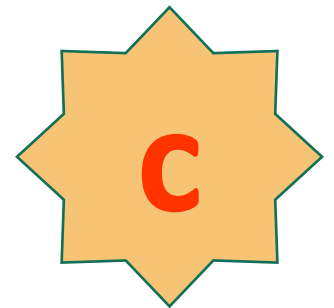
(a) White Tax / व्हाइट टैक्स

(b) Eco Tax / इको टैक्स

(c) Green Tax / ग्रीन टैक्स

(d) Environment Tax / एनवायरनमेंट टैक्स

(e) Red Tax / रेड टैक्स



Kaja Kallas is going to become the first woman PM of which of the following country?

काजा कल्लास निम्नलिखित में से किस देश की पहली महिला पीएम बनने जा रही है?

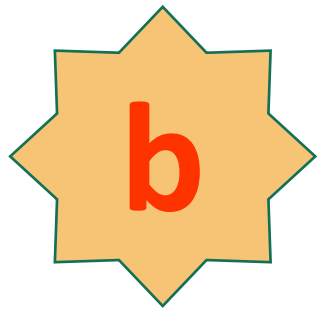
(a) San Marino / सैन मैरिनो

(b) Estonia / एस्टोनिया

(c) Monaco / मोनाको

(d) Luxembourg / लक्समबर्ग

(e) Malta / माल्टा



FDI in India rose _____ to \$57 billion in 2020, according to United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD).

संयुक्त राष्ट्र के व्यापार और विकास सम्मेलन (UNCTAD) के अनुसार, भारत में FDI 2020 में _____ बढ़कर 57 बिलियन डॉलर हो गया।

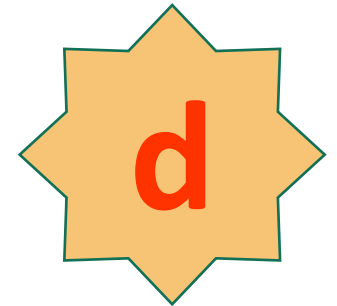
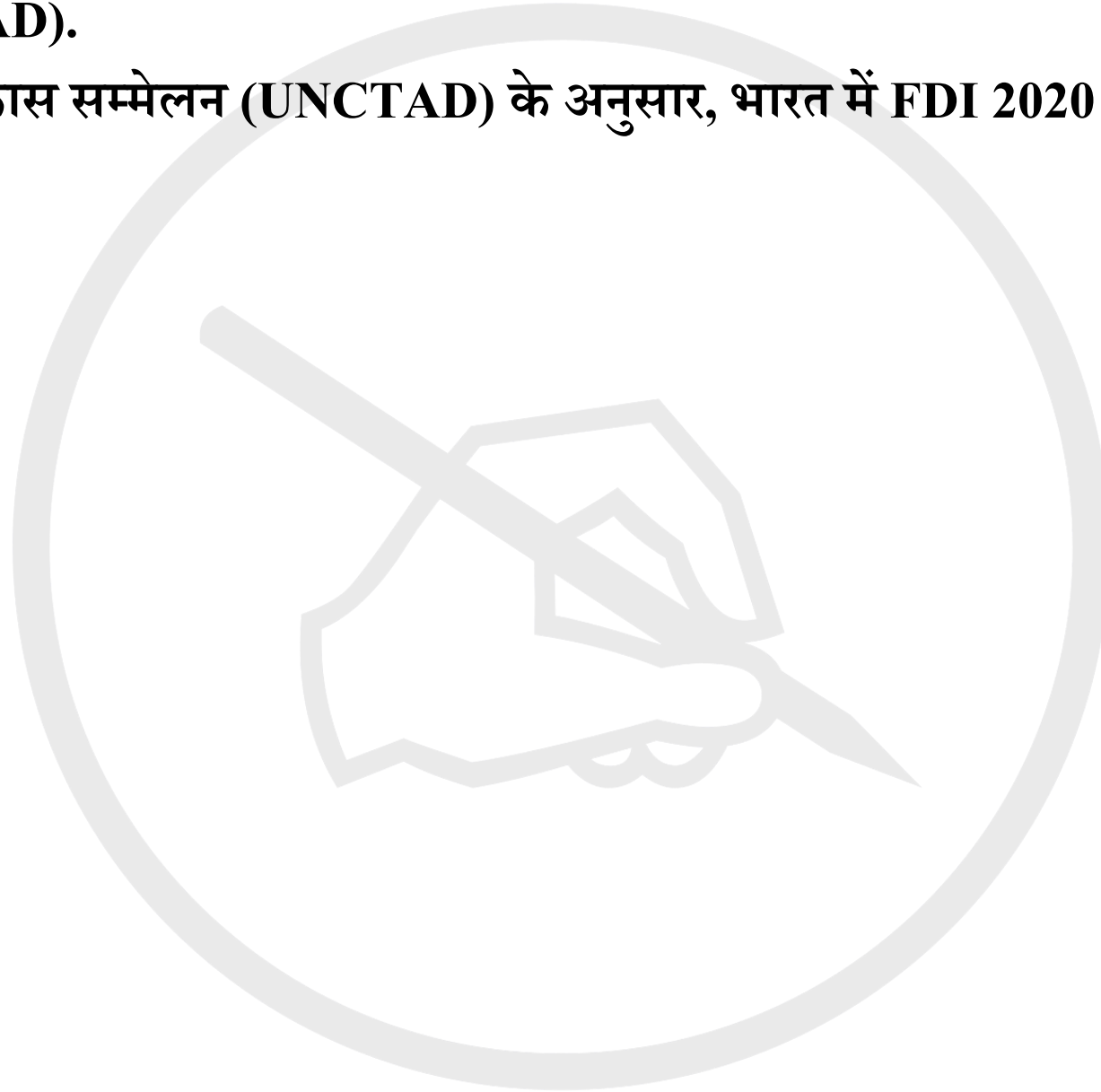
(a) 10%

(b) 11%

(c) 12%

(d) 13%

(e) 14%



India's economy is projected at _____ in FY21, according to the UN.

संयुक्त राष्ट्र के अनुसार भारत की अर्थव्यवस्था को वित्तीय वर्ष 21 में _____ पर अनुमानित किया गया है।

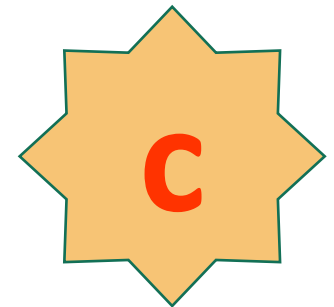
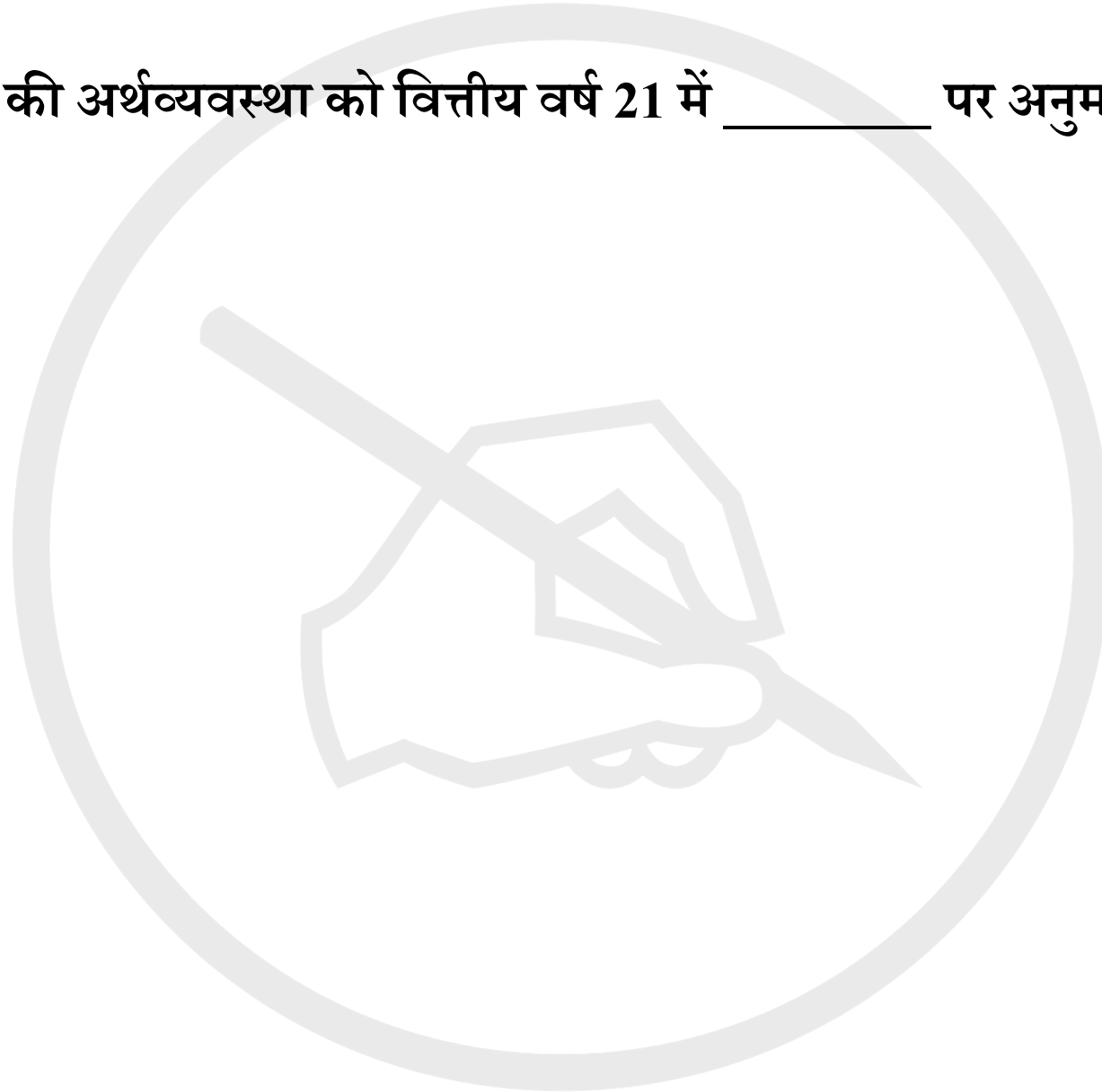
(a) -5.2%

(b) -7.8%

(c) -9.6%

(d) -11.0%

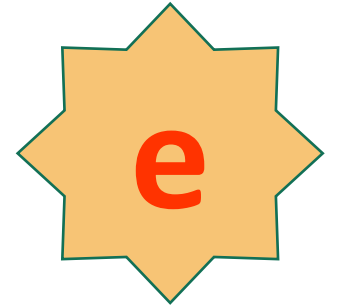
(e) -13.7%



Who among the following has NOT been awarded the Padma Bhushan award 2021?

निम्नलिखित में से किसे पद्म भूषण पुरस्कार 2021 से सम्मानित नहीं किया गया है?

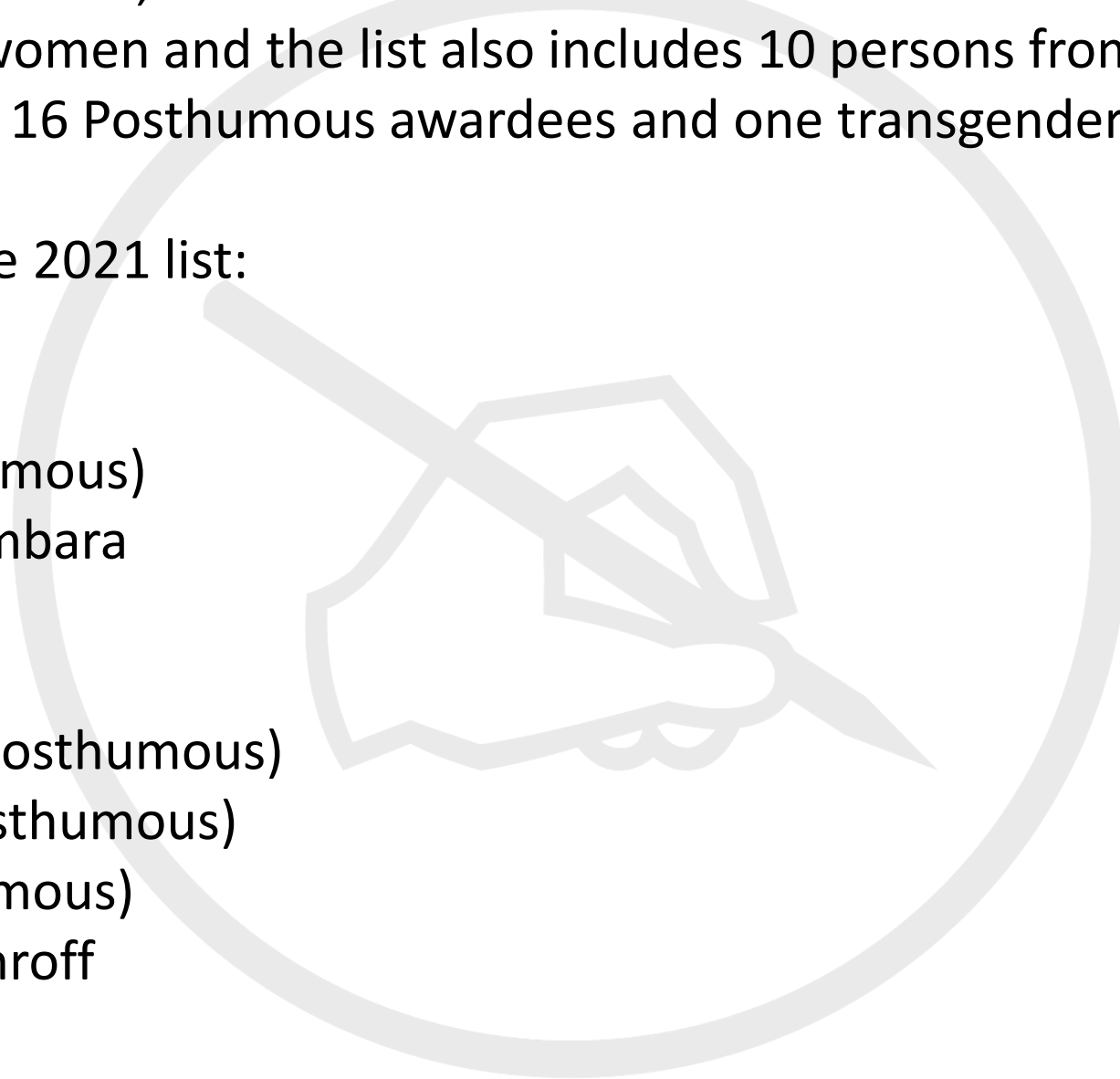
- (a) Tarun Gogoi / तरुण गोगोई**
- (b) Ram Vilas Paswan / राम विलास पासवान**
- (c) Keshubhai Patel / केशुभाई पटेल**
- (d) Kalbe Sadiq / कलबे सादिक**
- (e) Narinder Singh Kapany / नरिंदर सिंह कपनी**



This year the President has approved conferment of 119 Padma Awards 2021. The list comprises 7 Padma Vibhushan, 10 Padma Bhushan and 102 Padma Shri Awards. 29 of the awardees are women and the list also includes 10 persons from the category of Foreigners/NRI/PIO/OCI, 16 Posthumous awardees and one transgender awardee.

Padma Bhushan Awardee 2021 list:

Ms. Krishnan Nair
Shantakumari Chithra
Shri Tarun Gogoi (Posthumous)
Shri Chandrashekhar Kambara
Ms. Sumitra Mahajan
Shri Nripendra Misra
Shri Ram Vilas Paswan (Posthumous)
Shri Keshubhai Patel (Posthumous)
Shri Kalbe Sadiq (Posthumous)
Shri Rajnikant Devidas Shroff
Shri Tarlochan Singh



Uttar Pradesh celebrates its Statehood Day on _____.

उत्तर प्रदेश अपना राज्य दिवस _____ को मनाता है।

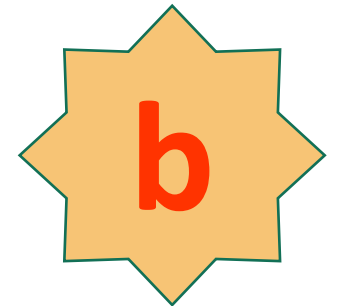
(a) 23 January / 23 जनवरी

(b) 24 January / 24 जनवरी

(c) 25 January / 25 जनवरी

(d) 26 January / 26 जनवरी

(e) 27 January / 27 जनवरी



What is the capital of Estonia?

एस्टोनिया की राजधानी क्या है?

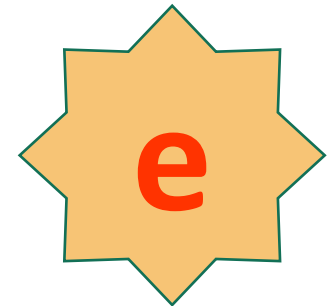
(a) Vilnius / विनियस

(b) Riga / रीगा

(c) Minsk / कीव

(d) Kyiv / मिन्स्क

(e) Tallinn / तेलिन



Who is the current president of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI)?

फेडरेशन ऑफ इंडियन चैम्बर्स ऑफ कॉमर्स एंड इंडस्ट्री (FICCI) के वर्तमान अध्यक्ष कौन हैं?

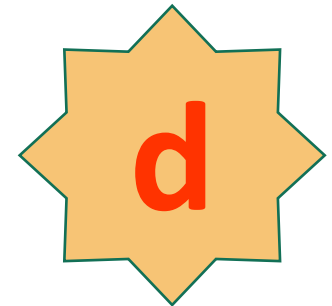
(a) Romesh Sobti / रोमेश सोबती

(b) Rajkiran Rai / राजकिरण राय

(c) Tushar Mehta / तुषार मेहता

(d) Uday Shankar / उदय शंकर

(e) Aditya Puri / आदित्य पूरी



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