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1. The Union Minister for Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Sarbananda Sonowal, flagged off the steel-cutting ceremony for India's first all-electric green tug being built for which port authority? **Ans: Deendayal Port Authority (DPA), Kandla**
2. What is the target number of green tugs aimed to be inducted by the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW) under the Green Tug Transition Programme (GTTP) by 2030? **Ans: 50 green tugs**
3. Which shipyard is constructing India's first all-electric green tug that is designed for zero carbon emissions and a 60-ton bollard pull capacity? **Ans: Atreya Shipyard**
4. The partnership between the Atal Innovation Mission (AIM), NITI Aayog, and Hitachi MGRM Net Ltd. (HMN) aims to develop a single innovation platform called? **Ans: MStarTM Global AI Connect**
5. S&P Global Ratings upgraded its ranking for India's insolvency regime from 'Group C' to which jurisdiction group in December 2025? **Ans: Group B**
6. What percentage did average recovery values improve to under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (IBC), as noted by S&P Global Ratings, from the previous 15-20 per cent? **Ans: More than 30 per cent**
7. The average resolution time for bad loans under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (IBC) has been reduced to approximately how long, down from six to eight years previously? **Ans: About two years**
8. The Department of Telecommunications (DoT) walked back its mandate to pre-install which government app on all smartphones due to a spike in downloads following public discussion? **Ans: Sanchar Saathi**
9. Union Minister Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman inaugurated the 18th plenary meeting of the Global Forum on Transparency and Exchange of Information for Tax Purposes in which city? **Ans: New Delhi**
10. Who took charge as the first full-time woman Vice-Chancellor (VC) of Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University (RTMNU)? **Ans: Dr Manali Kshirsagar**
11. Fitch Ratings raised India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth forecast for the current fiscal (FY26) to what percentage? **Ans: 7.4 per cent**
12. The PM Wi-Fi Access Network Interface (PM-WANI) Scheme was approved by the government on which date? **Ans: December 9, 2020**
13. Under the PM Wi-Fi Access Network Interface (PM-WANI) scheme, who delivers the Wi-Fi services to the customer? **Ans: Public Data Offices (PDOs)**
14. The mandatory display of the Retail Sale Price (RSP) on all pan masala packs under the amended rules comes into force on which date? **Ans: February 1, 2026**
15. Which international observance is recognized on December 4 in recognition of the role of banking systems in contributing to the improvement of the standard of living? **Ans: International Day of Banks**

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16. Who was appointed as the Executive Director (ED) of the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) effective December 1, 2025? **Ans: Usha Janakiraman**

17. India's Current Account Deficit (CAD) widened to what percentage of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) in Q2FY26? **Ans: 1.3% of GDP**

18. Which Public Sector Bank (PSB) recently launched a digital solution dedicated to the Pradhan Mantri Street Vendor's AtmaNirbhar NIDHI (PM SVANidhi) scheme? **Ans: Punjab National Bank (PNB)**

19. Which nationwide Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiative, focused on improving credit literacy in India, was launched by YES BANK? **Ans: Score Kya Hua**

20. Which institution is the knowledge partner for YES BANK's "Score Kya Hua" initiative? **Ans: CRIF High Mark**

21. The Asian Development Bank (ADB) approved a loan of \$846 million to India for the upgradation of which educational institutes? **Ans: Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs)**

22. The Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC) increased its total shareholding in Cipla to what percentage by the end of November 2025? **Ans: 7.055%**

23. Which individual surpassed Oracle co-founder Larry Ellison to become the world's second richest person according to the Forbes Real-Time Billionaires List? **Ans: Larry Page**

24. The Central Excise (Amendment) Bill, 2025 proposes imposing excise duty mainly on which category of goods? **Ans: Tobacco and related products**

25. The Department of Telecommunications (DoT) mandated that the Sanchar Saathi app must be pre-installed on all new smartphones sold in India starting from which year? **Ans: March 2026**

26. The Sanchar Saathi mobile app and portal is developed by which government department? **Ans: Department of Telecommunications (DoT)**

27. Who was named the Male World Athlete of the Year 2025? **Ans: Armand 'Mondo' Duplantis (Sweden)**

28. Who was named the Female World Athlete of the Year 2025? **Ans: Sydney McLaughlin-Levrone (USA)**

29. Which term was named the Oxford Word of the Year 2025, referring to online content intentionally created to provoke anger? **Ans: Rage bait**

30. Which dictionary selected "Vibe Coding"—using natural language to instruct Artificial Intelligence (AI)—as its Word of the Year 2025? **Ans: Collins Dictionary**

31. India secured which rank in the 7th edition of the Asia Power Index 2025 released by Australia's Lowy Institute? **Ans: 3rd rank**

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32. India was classified as a 'Major Power' in the Asia Power Index 2025, moving up from which status category the previous year? **Ans: Middle Power**

33. Which film earned India two nominations, including Best Actor for Diljit Dosanjh, at the 53rd International Emmy Awards 2025? **Ans: Amar Singh Chamkila**

34. Which Indian rum won the prestigious 'Rum Brand of the Year' title at The Spirits Business Awards 2025 in London? **Ans: Camikara**

35. The Indian rum 'Camikara' is produced by which company? **Ans: Piccadilly Agro Industries Ltd**

36. Which city was approved by the Commonwealth Games Federation (CGF) General Assembly to host the 2030 Commonwealth Games? **Ans: Ahmedabad, Gujarat**

37. The 2030 Commonwealth Games will mark the 100th anniversary of the first edition held in which city in 1930? **Ans: Hamilton, Canada**

38. Which three banks were identified by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) as Domestic Systemically Important Banks (D-SIBs) in its 2025 list? **Ans: State Bank of India (SBI), HDFC Bank, and ICICI Bank**

39. The Joint Military Exercise "EKUVERIN" is conducted between the Indian Army and the armed forces of which neighboring country? **Ans: Maldives**

40. The Bihar government launched which scheme for secondary students, allowing them to visit important historical and cultural sites across India? **Ans: Mukhyamantri Bharat Darshan Yojana**