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April – 2022 – Current Affairs

- 1) Which Indian city has been ranked second–most noise polluted city globally, as per the UNEP 'Annual Frontier Report, 2022'? **Moradabad**
- 2) As per recent Government data, which state has the highest number of ODF plus villages in the country, as of 2022? **Telangana**
- 3) India's First–ever live sighting of rough–toothed dolphins (Steno bredanensis) have been reported in which state/UT? **Lakshadweep**
- 4) Rashtriya Sanskriti Mahotsav 2022' was inaugurated in which Indian state/UT? **Andhra Pradesh**
- 5) Which movie won the Oscar Award 2022 for Best Picture? **CODA**
- 6) India has achieved which milestone in Exports, in the Financial Year 2021–2022? **\$400 billion**
- 7) Pushkar Singh Dhami sworn in as the Chief Minister of which Indian state/UT? **Uttarakhand**
- 8) When is the 'International Day for the Right to the Truth Concerning Gross Human Rights Violations and for the Dignity of Victims' observed? **March.24**
- 9) Who is the first para–athlete to receive the Padma Bhushan in India? **Devendra Jhajharia**
- 10) What is the target set by India for establishing new Airports, by 2025? **220.**
- 11) 'Tulip Festival' is an annual festival conducted in which Indian city? **Srinagar**
- 12) Sanjhi Art, which was seen in the news recently, is practised in which state? **Uttar Pradesh**
- 13) When is the 'International Day of Remembrance of the Victims of Slavery' observed? **March.25**
- 14) PACER Initiative, which was seen in the news recently, is implemented by which Union Ministry? **Ministry of Earth Science**
- 15) Which Indian state/UT topped the Export Preparedness Index (EPI) 2021? **Gujarat**
- 16) 'Le Corbusier's Edict' which was seen in the news recently, is associated with which Indian city? **Chandigarh**



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- 17) Sariska Tiger Reserve, which was seen in the news, is located in which state? **Rajasthan**
- 18) Jal Shakti Abhiyan: Catch the Rain' campaign was first launched in which year? **2021**.
- 19) The 'Great Wall of India' and the second-longest wall of the world is located in which state/UT? **Rajasthan**
- 20) What is the name of the portal, in which central sector and centrally sponsored schemes are on-boarded to ensure Direct Benefit Transfer? **DBT Bharat Portal**
- 21) 'Bali Declaration' which was unveiled recently, aims to prevent illegal trade of which product? Mercury Jens Stoltenberg is the Secretary-General of which organisation? **NATO**
- 22) Airports Authority of India (AAI), partnered with which institution to develop indigenous Air Traffic Management Systems? **Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL)**
- 23) 'Prasthan' is an offshore security exercise, conducted by which Indian Armed Force? **Indian Navy**
- 24) Which Mutual fund House has filed for launching India's first Defence Fund? **HDFC Mutual Fund**
- 25) Which Indian state was ranked third in terms of per capita income in the fiscal year 2021-22? **New Delhi**
- 26) 'Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance' (RAMP) is supported by which global institution? **World Bank**
- 27) Which section of Railways has completed 100 per cent electrification across the zone? **Konkan Railway**
- 28) Kaziranga National Park is located along which Indian River? **Brahmaputra**
- 29) Which bank acquired the Indian consumer banking businesses of Citibank? **Axis Bank**
- 30) The Lok Sabha passed a bill to merge three municipal corporations of which city into a single entity? **Delhi**
- 31) Which Indian player won the Swiss Open Super 300 badminton tournament in 2022? **P V Sindhu**
- 32) The sixth phase of the Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana (PMGKAY) has been extended till which month? **September 2022**
- 33) 'Decentralised Waste Management Technology Park' has been inaugurated at which state/UT? **New Delhi**
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- 34) Who were the recipients of Lifetime Achievement APJ Abdul Kalam Award at the Sansad Ratna Awards 2022? **Dr H V Hande and Veerappa Moily**
- 35) What is the theme of the Earth Hour in 2022? **Shape our Future**
- 36) Gilbert F Hougbo has been elected as the Director-General of which global organisation? **ILO**
- 37) Which Airport won the 'Covid champion' award at Wings India 2022 event? **Cochin International Airport**
- 38) Which country is the winner of 2022 SAFF U-18 Women's Championships? **India**
- 39) Nalagarh Medical Devices Park' is a project of which Indian state/UT? **Himachal Pradesh**
- 40) Which institution releases the 'State of World Population Report'? **United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)**
- 41) As per the Asian Development Outlook (ADO) 2022, what is the estimated growth rate of India in 2023-24? **8%**
- 42) What is the theme of the 'World Health Day' in 2022? **Our Planet, Our Health**
- 43) Which institution released the 'Braving the Storms: East Asia and Pacific Economic Update' Report? **World Bank**
- 44) Which milestone has been achieved by India's agricultural products export in the year 2021-22? **\$50 billion**
- 45) The 'One Health' framework has been launched as a pilot project in which state? **Uttarakhand**
- 46) What is the theme of the World Autism Awareness Day - 2022? **Inclusion in the Workplace**
- 47) What is the theme of the 'World Meteorological Day' - 2022? **Early Warning and Early Action**
- 48) As per a recent report, which country has the lowest rate of insurance penetration across Asia? **India**
- 49) Which city is the host of Khelo India University Games 2021 (KIUG 2021)? **Bengaluru**
- 50) Which country won the ICC Women's World Cup 2022? **Australia**



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- 51) Which Union Ministry is associated with the Foreign Trade Policy of India? **Ministry of Commerce and Industries**
- 52) Which is the first state/UT has to include e-Cycles in its Electric Vehicle (EV) Policy? **New Delhi**
- 53) 'Exoplanet K2-2016-BLG-0005Lb', which has been recently found, is a near-identical twin of which planet? **Jupiter**
- 54) As per the recent study of CEEW, which state had the highest number of forest fire incidences in the last two decades? **Mizoram**
- 55) What is the Repo rate after the Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) meeting held in April 2022? **4.00%**
- 56) Which is the largest private sector bank of India by assets, as of 2022? **HDFC Bank**
- 57) What is the new name of the NASA's SpaceX Crew-4 aircraft? **Freedom**
- 58) 'Neu' is the name of a super-application of which Indian Conglomerate? **TATA Group**
- 59) Which Indian state launched 'She Auto' stands, to provide safe transport to women and girl students? **Andhra Pradesh**
- 60) Which state implements the 'Mukhya Mantri Bagwani Bima Yojana'? **Haryana**
- 61) Which state has passed a resolution seeking completion of the Sutej Yamuna Link Canal (SYL) Canal? **Haryana**
- 62) Bucha, which was seen in the news, is a city, is located in which country? **Ukraine**
- 63) Which state government formed a panel to frame the 'State Education Policy'? **Tamil Nadu**
- 64) Which global alliance announced collaboration on 'Hypersonic missile strike and defence capacity'? **AUKUS Defence Alliance**
- 65) How many Indians feature in the Forbes Billionaires List 2022? **166.**
- 66) Which company has handed over the first set of Gaganyaan hardware to the Indian Space and Research Organisation (ISRO)? **Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL)**
- 67) Iga Swiatek, who has become the Women's Tennis Association World No.1, is from which country? **Poland**
- 68) Which state topped the NITI Aayog's State Energy and Climate Index-(SECI) Round 1? **Gujarat**



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- 69) Which Union Ministry implements the 'PM-DAKSH Yojana'? **Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment**
- 70) When is the 'International Day of Human Space Flight' commemorated every year? **April 12**
- 71) In which Indian state, megalithic stone jars were recently unearthed? **Assam**
- 72) As per WTO, what is the estimated global trade growth in the 2022-23 fiscal year? **3%**
- 73) What is the total amount of revenues and investments mobilised from asset monetisation in FY22 in India? **Rs 96000 Crore**
- 74) India has decided to establish 'Education and Skills Development Working Group' with which country? **USA**
- 75) "Svanidhi se Samridhi" programme is an initiative of which Union Ministry? **Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs**
- 76) What is India's retail inflation rate in March, as per the data released by NSO? **6.95%**
- 77) The 'Pradhanmantri Sangrahalaya' Museum is located in which city? **New Delhi**
- 78) Which Union Ministry implements the Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan (RGSA)? **Ministry of Panchayati Raj**
- 79) Who has been awarded the 'International Gandhi Award for Leprosy, 2021'? **Dr Bhushan Kumar**
- 80) Which Indian state announced to celebrate the birth anniversary of Dr Ambedkar on April 14 as 'Equality Day'? **Tamil Nadu**
- 81) Which country launched the Earth observation satellite 'Gaofen-3 03'? **China**
- 82) Which organisation flight-tested the Solid Fuel Ducted Ramjet (SFDR) booster? **Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)**
- 83) Which country supplies 'MH-60 Romeo' multi-role helicopters' to India? **USA**
- 84) Which state government launched the 'Corruption-Free App- 1064'? **Uttarakhand**
- 85) Which is the first Hindi novel to be shortlisted for the International Booker Prize? **Tomb of Sand**



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- 86) Jatin Goswami, Sonal Mansingh and Kalyanasundaram are the recipients of which award/fellowship? **Sangeet Natak Akademi Fellowship**
- 87) Dipika Pallikal, who won the mixed doubles and women's doubles title recently, plays which game? **Squash**
- 88) Which state is the host of the Meeting of National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) in 2022? **Arunachal Pradesh**
- 89) Which is the first country to recognise the legal rights of individual wild animals? **Ecuador**
- 90) Who has been appointed as the new UPSC Chairman? **Manoj Soni**
- 91) Which country has been hit by Tropical Storm Megi? **Philippines**
- 92) Which is the venue of the 'National Conference on Cooperation Policy'? **New Delhi**
- 93) Which Indian city has been recognised as one of the 'Tree Cities of the World' in 2022? **Hyderabad**
- 94) Indian Army marks Siachen Day on April 13 every year, to commemorate which operation? **Operation Meghdoot**
- 95) 'Zero-Covid policy', which was seen in the news recently, is associated with which country? **China**
- 96) Samia Suluhu Hassan, who was seen in the news recently, is the first female President of which country? **Tanzania**
- 97) As per the World Bank, what is the daily expense limit below which a person is classified to be in Extreme Poverty? **\$1.90**
- 98) Which Union Ministry organises 'Block Level Health Melas' at more than 1 lakh Ayushman Bharat-Health and Wellness Centres? **Ministry of Health**
- 99) Which country is the host of International Water Week- Water Convention 2022? **Singapore**
- 100) Pravind Kumar Jugnauth, who was seen in the news, is the Prime Minister of which country? **Mauritius**