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Topic 491: International Tribes/Community in News



Name	Description
Yanomami people	They live in the rainforests and mountains of northern Brazil and southern Venezuela
Berber	An ethnic group indigenous to North Africa
Rabha tribe	Rabha, also, Rava, etc., are an indigenous Mongoloid community of Nepal, Bhutan, Thailand, Myanmar, and Bangladesh, and the Indian states of Assam, Meghalaya and West Bengal.
Kayapo people	Indigenous peoples in Brazil who inhabit a vast area spreading across the Amazon River and along Xingu River and its tributaries
Uighurs	<p>Minority Turkic ethnic group originating from and culturally affiliated with the general region of Central and East Asia.</p> <p>The Uyghurs are recognized as native to the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region of the People's Republic of China.</p>
Chakma and Hajong	<p>Chakmas are predominantly Buddhists while Hajongs are Hindus</p> <p>They were inhabitants of the Chittagong Hill Tracts of erstwhile East Pakistan (now Bangladesh) who migrated to India</p>



Topic 492: Indian Tribes/Community in News

Name	Description
Chenchus	PVTG living in dense jungles spread across Andhra and Telangana
Tharu Community – Barna	In West Champaran district of Bihar, people belonging to Thaaruu tribal community have been observing a sixty-hour lockdown for centuries. The Thaaruu community has adopted BARNA as a tradition for protection of nature; that too for centuries.
Great Andamanese tribe	One of five PVTGs that reside in the Andamans archipelago Number just 74, speak Jeru among themselves
Bonda Community	Bonda are a Munda ethnic group who live in the isolated hill regions of the Malkangiri district of southwestern Odisha
Kurumbas/Kurumbar	They are a designated Scheduled Tribe in the Indian states of Karnataka, Kerala and Tamil Nadu.
Irula	They are a Dravidian ethnic group inhabiting the area of the Nilgiri mountains, in the states of Tamil Nadu and Kerala
Muduka/Mudugar Tribe	Kerala
Gutti Koya tribe	Telangana and Chhattisgarh
Tangams tribe	The Tangams are a little-known community within the larger Adi tribe of Arunachal Pradesh and reside in the hamlet of Kugging in Upper Siang district.
Sahariya Tribe	It is a Rajasthani tribal community in the Shahbad region
Kattupaniyan tribe	Kattupaniyan is a diminutive tribal community. They habit the forested hills in the northern part of Nilambur taluk of Malappuram district and adjoining Thamarassery forest range of Kozhikode district.
Tiwa tribe	Tiwa (Lalung) is an indigenous community inhabiting the states of Assam and Meghalaya



Topic 493: Arts in news

Name	Description
Nangiarkoothu or Nangyar Koothu	It is an allied traditional art of Kutiyattam, an age-old Sanskrit drama tradition of Kerala Performed traditionally by the women of the Ambalavasi Nambiar community
Chakiar Koothu	Performance art from Kerala Chakyar Koothu was originally performed only in Koothambalams of Hindu temples The art form derives the name after the Chakiar community Koothu is an extended form of Koodiyattam. While Koodiyattam is a full time vocation for many, Koothu has few takers
Mudiyettu	Traditional ritual theatre and folk dance drama from Kerala
Theyyam	Popular ritual form of worship in Kerala and also in South Canara and Kodagu of Karnataka Theyyam is performed by mainly by males, except the Devakoothu theyyam (performed only by women)
Thirra	Thirra or Theyyam thira is a ritual dance performed in "Kaavu"(grove)& temples of the Malabar region in Kerala State. This art form is performed by the artists of malaya community
Nimmalakunta puppetry	Leather puppetry from Andhra Pradesh
Tholu bommalata	GI Tag in 2008
Padittrupathu	It is a classical Tamil poetic work and one of the Eight Anthologies (Ettuthokai) in the Sangam literature.
Araimandi	It is perhaps the most important (and hardest) posture in Bharatanatyam The word araimandi basically means half sitting posture and closely resembles the Ayata Mandala



Topic 494: Other arts/handicrafts in news

Name	Description
Madhubani painting/ Mithila painting	<p>It was traditionally created by the women of various communities in Mithila region of India and Nepal.</p> <p>GI tag</p>
Chikan	<p>It is a traditional embroidery style from Lucknow</p>
Zardozi	<p>is a type of heavy and elaborate metal embroidery on a silk, satin, or velvet fabric base. In Persian, 'zardozi' means gold embroidery.</p> <p>This signature embroidery art of Lucknow has GI tag</p>



Topic 495: Important reports – International and National

Name	Description
Environmental Performance Index	It has been developed by two U.S. universities (Yale and Columbia) in collaboration with the World Economic Forum and European Commission
Global Energy Review 2020 report	International Energy Agency
Global Outbreak Alert and Response Network (GOARN)	WHO
World Wildlife Crime Report	UN Office on Drug and Crime (UNODC)
Global Forest Resource Assessment Report	FAO
Global Environment Outlook (GEO)	UNEP
Emissions Gap Report	UNEP
“Towards a pollution-free planet” report	UN Environment
Swachh Survekshan 2020 report	Union Housing and Urban Affairs Ministry
Composite WaterManagement Index 2.0	Niti Aayog



Topic 496: Important Reports dealing with Health

Name	Description
GLOBAL HEALTH REPORT	WHO
WORLD HEALTH STATISTICS	WHO
GLOBAL HEALTH EXPENDITURE DATABASE	WHO
TRACKING UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE	WHO
WORLD DRUG REPORT	UN Office of Drugs and Crime
WORLD WILDLIFE CRIME REPORT	UN Office of Drugs and Crime
UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE (UHC) INDEX	World Bank
HEALTHY STATES PROGRESSIVE INDIA REPORT	NITI Aayog + MoH&FW + World Bank
PERFORMANCE OF HEALTH OUTCOME INDEX	NITI Aayog
GLOBAL BURDEN OF DISEASE STUDY	Health Metrics and Evaluation; funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.
INDIA STATE-LEVEL DISEASE BURDEN INITIATIVE REPORT	joint initiative of the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), the Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) and the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) in collaboration with the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
GLOBAL NUTRITION REPORT	Expert Group of the Global Nutrition Report; WHO is a partner



Topic 497: Important UNEP and WB initiatives

Key initiatives:

1. UNEP's Global Environment Monitoring System for Air (GEMS Air)
2. UNEP - World Conservation Monitoring Centre
3. UNEP - International Ecosystem Management Partnership
4. UNEP Economics of Land Degradation (ELD) initiative
5. UNEP Landscapes for People, Food and Nature Initiative
6. UNEP's Framework for Freshwater Ecosystem Management
7. World Bank's Wealth Accounting and the Valuation of Ecosystem Services (WAVES)
8. Economic and Policy Analysis of Climate Change (EPIC) by FAO



Topic 498: Defence exercises in news

News	Description
DUSTLIK-2019	first-ever India-Uzbekistan Joint Exercise
Dharma Guardian-2019	second edition of the bilateral annual military exercise 'Dharma Guardian2019' between Indian and Japanese Army
Malabar Exercise	India-Japan-US
Rim of the Pacific (RIMPAC) military exercise	world's largest international maritime warfare exercise It is hosted and administered by the United States Navy's Pacific Fleet, headquartered at Pearl Harbour Four countries – Brazil, Israel, Sri Lanka and Vietnam – are participating in RIMPAC for the first time
Exercise Yudh Abhyas	India and US
Exercise Al Nagah-Ii	India and Oman
Exercise EKUVERIN	India and Maldives
Exercise Konkan	India and UK Royal Navy
SAMPRITI	India Bangladesh defence cooperation
Indra	India-Russia Joint Military Exercise
SAMUDRA SHAKTI	Bilateral Naval Exercise between Navies of India and Indonesia
EXERCISE MITRA SHAKTI	India and Sri Lanka
SURYA KIRAN	India and Nepal
EXERCISE HAND-IN-HAND	India and China



Topic 499: Defence/Military Exercises

Indian Army	Indian Airforce	Indian Navy
MITHRA SHAKTI- Sri Lanka	Indradhanush- UK	Simbex- singapore
Hand in Hand- China	Garud- France	Slinex- Sri Lanka
Shakti- France	Avia Indra- Russia	Varuna- France
Yuddh Abhyas- USA	Exercise Red Flag- USA	Indra- Russia
Prabal Dostyk- Kazhakhstan	Eastern Bridge- Oman	Malabar- USA
Nomadic Elephant- Mongolia		IBSAmar- Brazil and South Africa
Surya Kiran- Nepal		Ausiindex- Australia
Lamitye- Seychelles		Sahyog Kaijin- Japan
		Naseem Al Bahr- Oman
		Konkan- UK
		Milan- multinational exercise



Topic 500: GI tags 2019-2020

ITEM		PLACE
Kodaikana Malai Poondu	Agriculture	TN
Chak Hao	Agriculture	MN
Gorakpur Terracota	Handicraft	UP
Kashmir Saffron	Agriculture	J&K
Thanjavur Pith Work	Handicraft	TN
Telia Rumal	Handicraft	TS
Sohrai Khovar Painiting	handicraft	JH



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