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## INTERNATIONAL

### 1) State of the Global Climate Report 2021

- The State of the Global Climate Report 2021 has been released by the World Meteorological Organization.
- As per the report, four key climate change indicators which are sea-level rise, greenhouse gas concentrations, ocean acidification, and ocean heat set new records in 2021.

### 2) United Arab Emirates became the first Gulf country to record a case of monkeypox

- The United Arab Emirates became the first Gulf country to record a case of monkeypox. The case was detected in a traveler who had recently visited the West African region.
- Monkeypox is a rare disease caused due to monkeypox virus. It was first discovered in 1958.
- The first human case was recorded in 1970 in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

## NATIONAL

### 1) Precast system

- Narendra Modi inaugurated 1,152 housing units situated in Perumbakkam that were built using precast system.
- The Perumbakkam project is part of the Light House Projects (LHP) scheme under the Global Housing Technology Challenge.
- In the Precast system, structures like columns, beams, slabs, etc are manufactured in the factory and brought to the construction site.

### 2) INS Nirdeshak

- INS Nirdeshak is being built by Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers (GRSE) in association with L&T shipbuilding has been launched at Kattupalli, Chennai.
- It is the second ship out of the Indian Navy's four Survey Vessels projects.
- The ships are designed to operate at a maximum speed of 18 knots and a cruise speed of 14 knots.





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### 3) India's first wind and solar hybrid power generation plant

- Adani Group step into commissioning of India's first wind and solar hybrid power generation plant at Jaisalmer in Rajasthan.
- It is a 390 megawatt (MW) wind-solar hybrid power plant.

### 4) India's 1st Semi-High Speed Freight Trains

- Indian Railways announced its plan of introducing India's 1st Semi-High Speed Freight Trains by December 2022.
- The trains mocked as 'Gati Shakti' trains are capable of operating at a speed of 160 km/hour carrying 16-coach.
- It is being manufactured at the Integral Coach Factory in Chennai.
- The Trains are constructed under "PM Gati Shakti – National Master Plan for Multi-modal Connectivity", and are based on the concept of Vande Bharat trains.

## STATE NEWS

### 1) World Economic Forum & MoUs signed by Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister

- Officials of the Andhra Pradesh Industries Department and AP-Economic Development Board signed MoUs in a wide range of sectors.
- MoUs with Adani, Greenko, and Aurobindo for green energy projects account ₹1.25 lakh crore of the total investments.
- Andhra Pradesh signed a pact with the WEF for support to advanced manufacturing that helps in the manufacturing of world-class products.

## BUSINESS AND ECONOMY

### 1) Hindustan Zinc Limited

- The Union Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs has approved the sale of the government's remaining stake of 29.5% in Hindustan Zinc Limited (HZL).
- At the current market price, the sale of the government's 29.5% stake will fetch the government Rs 38,062 crore.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

### 1) International Day of Action for Women's Health

- Every year International Day of Action for Women's Health or International





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Women's Health Day is observed across the globe on 28th May to highlight the demands towards the fulfilment of women's rights to health.

- Theme of 2022 is International Day of Action for Women's Health is "#ResistAndPersist amid crises and global uncertainty".

## 2) World Hunger Day

- Every year, 28th of May is observed across the globe as World Hunger Day, to highlight the importance of ending hunger.

- Theme of 2022 is #EndHunger #YouthEndingHunger.

## 3) World Menstrual Hygiene Day

- World Menstrual Hygiene Day is annually observed across the globe on 28th May to create awareness about the importance of good menstrual health and hygiene (MHH) for all women and girls.

- The first ever Menstrual Hygiene Day was observed on 28th May 2014.

