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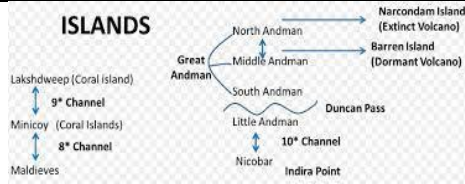
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A channel is a broad open waterway that passes through two landmasses that lie close to each other. It is different from the strait which is a relatively narrow body of water, connecting two larger bodies of water.

As per National Geographic, it is the deepest part of a waterway/narrow water body that connects two larger bodies of water.

Channels are created either by glaciers or by people. The channels that are created by glaciers carve out deep canyons between two landmasses. The channels that are created by people are usually dug from the bottoms of shallow waterways to build a passage for large ships.

Ten Degree Channel

1- It separates the Andaman Islands and the Nicobar Islands from each other in the Bay of Bengal and forms the Indian Union Territory of Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

2- It is 150km wide from north to south and 10km long from east to west with a minimum depth of 7.3m.

3- It is so named as it lies on the 10-degree line of Latitude, north of the equator.

Nine Degree Channel

1- It separates the island of Minicoy from the main Lakshadweep archipelago. The Kalpeni and Suheli Par, and Maliku Atoll and Amindivi Subgroup together form the Union Territory of Lakshadweep.

2- It is 200 km wide with a depth of 2597 metres.

3- Investigator Bank— a submerged bank— is located in the southern region of this channel.

4- It is strategically important as it is the passage of nearly all merchant shipping between Europe, the Middle-East and Western Asia with South-East Asia and the Far-East.

5- It is so named as it lies on the 9-degree line of Latitude, north of the equator.

Eight Degree Channel

1- The maritime boundary between the Maldives and India runs through the Eight Degree Channel. It separates the islands of Minicoy and Maldives.

2- Maliku Kandu and Māmālē Kandu

	<p>Divehi are the traditional names of the Eight Degree Channel.</p> <p>3- It is so named as it lies on the 8-degree line of Latitude, north of the equator.</p> <p>To sum up, the Eight Degree Channel separates the islands of Minicoy and Maldives, the Nine Degree Channel separates the island of Minicoy from the main Lakshadweep archipelago and the Ten Degree Channel separates the Andaman Islands and the Nicobar Islands from each other in the Bay of Bengal. They have been named so as they lie on the eight, nine and ten-degree line of latitude, north of the equator.</p>			<p>https://www.thehindubusinessline.com/portfolio/personal-finance/four-things-you-probably-didnt-know-about-invis/article34515154.ece</p>	
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46	<p>NOTE: An initial public offering (IPO) refers to the process of offering shares of a private corporation to the public in a new stock issuance. The Kostak rates is the amount that one investors pays to the seller of IPO application before the IPO listing.</p>	C	50	<p>NOTE: https://www.thehindu.com/news/international/over-1-lakh-web-links-removed-in-global-crackdown-on-illegal-medical-trade/article34762765.ece</p>	C
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53	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>A meteor is the streak of light that you see in the sky when a small piece of cometary or asteroidal material enters the atmosphere at high speed and burns up.</p>	A			
54	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://www.thehindu.com/sci-tech/science/best-from-science-journals-decoding-northern-lights/article34770288.ece</p>	C			
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59	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>At that size, due to the quantum nature of interactions, the particles absorb green or yellow light and hence reflect the complementary colours of red or purple.</p> <p>https://pib.gov.in/PressReleasePage.aspx?PRID=1635079</p>				B
60	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://indianexpress.com/article/explained/cat-geoglyph-peru-nazca-lines-6813164/</p> <p>https://www.thebetterindia.com/256526/enigmatic-geoglyphs-thar-desert-rajasthan-india-nazca-lines-world-largest-history-mystery-div200/</p>				C
61	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://www.pib.gov.in/PressReleasePage.aspx?PRID=1726576</p>				C

62	<p>NOTE: https://www.thehindu.com/news/international/rare-earth-metals-at-the-heart-of-china-us-rivalry/article34806588.ece</p>	D	<p>between 10 and 50 km above the earth surface called stratosphere contains a thin layer of ozone. Ozone in the stratosphere protects life on Earth from harmful ultraviolet (UV) radiation and is therefore often called 'good' ozone. This in contrast to ozone in the troposphere, the lowest layer of the atmosphere, where it is an air pollutant and can be harmful to humans, animals and vegetation</p>
63	<p>NOTE: https://www.thehindu.com/news/international/myanmar-violence-escalating-creating-rights-catastrophe-un/article34792358.ece?utm_source=international&utm_medium=sticky_footer</p>	A	
64	<p>NOTE: https://www.thehindu.com/sci-tech/science/chime-telescope-yields-unprecedented-results/article34782271.ece</p>	C	<p>68 NOTE: https://www.newindianexpress.com/cities/chennai/2020/jun/23/what-awaits-indias-bio-reserves-2159997.html https://indianexpress.com/article/explained/simplipal-forest-fire-explained-7213375/</p> <p>The concept of Biosphere Reserves (BR) was launched in 1975 as a part of UNESCO's Man and Biosphere Programme, dealing with the conservation of ecosystems and the genetic material they contain. Biosphere reserves have three interrelated zones that aim to fulfil three complementary and mutually reinforcing functions: The core area(s) comprises a strictly protected ecosystem that contributes to the conservation of landscapes, ecosystems, species and genetic variation. The buffer zone surrounds or adjoins the core areas, and is used for activities compatible with sound</p>
65	<p>NOTE: https://www.thehindu.com/news/national/other-states/dihing-patkai-is-assams-7th-national-park/article34770343.ece</p>	A	
66	<p>NOTE: https://pib.gov.in/PressReleasePage.aspx?PRID=1725661</p>	C	
67	<p>NOTE: https://indianexpress.com/article/explained/explained-what-to-read-in-ozone-hole-size-6110708/</p> <p>Ozone is a highly reactive molecule containing three oxygen atoms. The upper part of the earth's atmosphere,</p>	A	

	<p>ecological practices that can reinforce scientific research, monitoring, training and education. The transition area is the part of the reserve where the greatest activity is allowed, fostering economic and human development that is socio-culturally and ecologically sustainable. The first biosphere reserve of the world was established in 1979, since then the network of biosphere reserves has increased to 631 in 119 countries across the world. Presently, there are 18 notified biosphere reserves in India.</p>		<p>ssembly%20for%20formal%20approva l</p>	
<p>69</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <p>Pygmy Hog is a critically endangered species found only in Assam.</p> <p>Purple Frog found only in the rainforest of Western Ghats in India and spends most of its life underground. These uniquely purple frogs are also known as pig-nose frog.</p> <p>Sangai also called brow antlered deer is endemic and endangered species of deer, found only in KeibulLamjao National Park of Manipur. The KeibulLamjao Park is a marshy wetland located in the southern parts of the Loktak Lake.</p>		<p>C</p>	<p>71</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://www.livemint.com/Money/tSMsNn4AKWlrr9JH2KeVQK/How-are-payments-banks-difference-from-regular-banks.html</p>	<p>B</p>
<p>70</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://www.un.org/en/delegate/ant%C3%B3nio-guterres-nominated-security-council-second-term#:~:text=The%20Security%20Council%20has%20formally,General%20A</p>		<p>C</p>	<p>72</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://pib.gov.in/PressReleaseIframePage.aspx?PRID=1725395</p> <p>National Financial Reporting Authority (NFRA)</p> <p>It was established by the Central Government in October 2018 with the fundamental objective of driving systemic change in the Indian Financial Reporting System for PIEs. It has been constituted under section 132 of the Companies Act, 2013.</p> <p>Composition of the NFRA</p> <p>The Companies Act requires the NFRA to have a chairperson who will be appointed by the Central Government and a maximum of 15 members. The appointment of such chairperson and members are subject to the following qualifications:</p> <p>They should be having an expertise in accountancy, auditing, finance or law; They are required to make a declaration to the Central Government that there is no conflict of interest or lack of independence in their appointment; and</p> <p>All the members including the</p>	<p>A</p>

	<p>chairperson who are in full-time employment should not be associated with any audit firm (including related consultancy firms) during their term of office and 2 years after their term.</p> <p>Powers of NFRA</p> <p>To investigate the matters of professional or other misconduct committed by a prescribed class of CA firms or CAs;</p> <p>The same powers as a Civil Court under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1908, in respect of a suit involving the following matters:</p> <p>Discovery and production of books of account and other documents, at such place and time as may be specified by the NFRA;</p> <p>Summoning and enforcing the attendance of persons and examining them under oath;</p> <p>Inspection of any books, registers, and other documents of any person at any place; and</p> <p>Issuing commissions for the examination of witnesses or documents</p>		<p>fall in the value of assets. But in the context of loan recoveries, it is the difference between the actual dues from a borrower and the amount he settles with the bank. Haircuts are not common in India. However, there have been instances in the past when a lender settles for some equity of a borrower to compensate for a loan loss. But it is often a last resort when there is absolutely no hope of a recovery and the loan is written off for a one time settlement. The regulators in the recent past have made many other options for banks like the corporate-debt restructuring or allowing sale of bad loans to asset reconstruction companies among others. This is done because the lender gets at least some amount back instead of not getting any money at all. Besides, the lender's provisioning liability comes down to the extent of the write-off, thus it ends up freeing capital in the process. Also, there is a regulatory pressure to clean up banks' balance sheets.</p>	
<p>73</p>	<p>NOTE: https://indianexpress.com/article/business/banking-and-finance/experts-see-new-surge-in-bad-loans-could-rise-to-13-15-per-cent-this-fy-7360806/</p> <p>A haircut is the difference between the loan amount and the actual value of the asset used as collateral. It reflects the lender's perception of the risk of</p>	<p>B</p>	<p>74 NOTE:</p> <p>The intrinsic value is the actual value of a company or an asset based on an underlying perception of its true value including all aspects of the business, in terms of both tangible and intangible factors.</p> <p>Fiat money is currency that a government has declared to be legal tender, but it is not backed by a physical commodity. The value of fiat</p>	<p>B</p>

	<p>money is derived from the relationship between supply and demand rather than the value of the material that the money is made of.</p> <p>Historically, most currencies were based on physical commodities such as gold or silver, but fiat money is based solely on the faith and credit of the economy.</p> <p>Most modern paper currencies are fiat currencies; they have no intrinsic value and are used solely as a means of payment.</p>		<p>leads to the rise in incomes of the people. This causes the aggregate demand of the community to rise to a greater extent than the amount of newly created money through the operation of what Keynes called income multiplier. So, reducing this fiscal deficit would result in decrease in inflation.</p> <p>Monetary Policy: Tightening Credit like increasing in CRR and SLR. Increase in the CRR results in decrease in liquidity of the bank this in turn will lead to decrease in money supply in the market. Thus, inflation will reduce.</p> <p>Increase in SLR means, now bank has to park more money in government securities thereby reduces credit flow to the market.</p> <p>Supply Management through Imports: Increase in supply of goods would help to curb the inflation. Thus, increasing irrigation coverage will help I reducing the supply-side inflation.</p> <p>Reducing Reverse Repo Rate will increase inflation, as now bank will prefer giving loan to the market rather than to RBI.</p>	
<p>75</p>	<p>NOTE: https://indianexpress.com/article/explained/rbi-monetary-policy-committee-rates-unchanged-inflation-indian-economy-explainspeaking-7094660/</p> <p>Inflation: It is a rate at which the general level of prices for goods and services is rising and, consequently, the purchasing power of currency is falling. Central banks attempt to limit inflation, and avoid deflation, in order to keep the economy running smoothly.</p> <p>Inflation can be controlled by using-</p> <p>Fiscal Policy: Fiscal deficit implies that, Government incurs more expenditure on goods and services than its normal receipts from revenue and capital budgets. This excess expenditure by the Government financed by newly created money</p>	<p>C</p>	<p>76</p> <p>NOTE: Rudolph and Rudolph have attempted to find correlates between the nature of polity of the state and economic characteristics.</p> <p>In a democratic country, there are two competing sovereignties: state sovereignty and voter/citizen sovereignty. The demand polity refers to the situation when the</p>	<p>B</p>

	<p>government's policies and programmes are for the short-term benefits of people.</p> <p>The allocations and welfare activities are carried out keeping elections in mind.</p> <p>The model of command polity refers to that political set-up in which allocations and distributions are oriented to the long-term goals and sustainable benefits to people.</p> <p>The role of the state in command politics is monopolistic and oligopolistic. The command politics relates to the postponement theory, which believes in investment for ensuring future development at the cost of the present needs and necessities of the people.</p> <p>In the existing world, both these polities are found in a mixed form to varying degrees.</p>			<p><u>explained/explained-what-is-red-tourism-promoted-by-china-7341044/</u></p>	
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				<p>Moon Agreement, 1979: It ensures that the Moon and other celestial bodies are used exclusively for peaceful purposes and that their environments are not be disrupted.</p>	
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	<p>establishes the standards of liability for damage caused by space objects</p> <p>Registration Convention, 1975 requires States to register all objects launched into outer space with the United Nations.</p> <p>Partial Test Ban Treaty (PTBT) prohibits all testing nuclear weapons in the outer space.</p>			
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89	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://www.thehindubusinessline.com/economy/budget-may-try-to-straighten-inverted-duty-structure/article33544539.ece#:~:text=%E2%80%9COn%20paper%2C%20an%20inverted%20duty,it%20discourages%20domestic%20value%20addition.</p> <p>Under inverted duty structure, higher taxes are imposed on the raw materials than the finished products that results in build-up of credits and</p>	C		<p>cascading costs. The normal situation is that tax on inputs used is lower than the tax rate of the finished goods. Inverted duty structure is usually prevalent in the case of customs duty (import duty). In recent times, the inverted duty structure is causing several administrative problems in our GST system:</p> <p>(1) Taxpayers will have accumulated credits in the form of refund claims with the tax Department.</p> <p>(2) The inverted duty structure is a revenue loss for the government as it has to refund the tax already paid (in inputs).</p> <p>(3) Under GST, the inverted duty structure is identified for goods and not for services. Or in other words, there is recognition for 'input good' and not for 'input services'.</p> <p>It has an impact on the domestic industry as the manufacturers have to pay a higher price for raw material in terms of duty, while the finished product lands at lower duty and cost. Concessions given by India under free trade agreements to its partner countries has also resulted in inverted duty structure that makes Indian manufactured goods (those dependent on imported raw materials) uncompetitive in the domestic market.</p> <p>Under regressive taxation, the tax rate</p>

	diminishes as the taxable amount increases. In other words, there is an inverse relationship between the tax rate and taxable income. This system of taxation generally benefits the higher sections of the society having higher incomes as they need to pay tax at lesser rates. On the other hand, people with lesser incomes are burdened with a higher rate of taxation.			seeds-doubles/article34852355.ece	
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	into the Tirunelveli district of Tamil Nadu. Agasthyamala Biosphere Reserve is listed on UNESCO World Network of Biosphere Reserves	
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150	<p>NOTE:</p> <p>https://ncert.nic.in/ncerts/1/lesy203.pdf</p>	D