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09 October 2023 - Daily Current affairs Quiz.

**1) Number of Indian Nobel laureates**

- a) 8
- b) 9
- c) 10
- d) 11

**2) Total number of medals won by Indians in 19th Asian Games**

- a) 100
- b) 105
- c) 107
- d) 110

**3) Nilgiri Tahr Day observed on**

- a) October 5
- b) October 6
- c) October 7
- d) October 8

**4) In which district Udangudi Panangarupatti in Tamil Nadu received GI tag?**

- a) Thoothukudi
- b) Salem
- c) Namakkal
- d) Trichy

**5) Kolleru Lake is located in**

- a) Karnataka
- b) Tamil Nadu
- c) Telangana
- d) Andhra Pradesh



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**6) Aditya L-1 satellite launched by the rocket**

- a) PSLV C-55
- b) PSLV C-56
- c) PSLV C-57
- d) PSLV C-58

**7) Indian Air Force Day celebrated**

- a) October 5
- b) October 6
- c) October 7
- d) October 8

**8) Fourth state to introduce e-cabinet**

- a) Tripura
- b) Uttarakhand
- c) Uttar Pradesh
- d) Arunachal Pradesh.

**9) National Disaster Management Authority established on**

- a) 26 December 2004
- b) 26 January 2005
- c) 15 August 2005
- d) 23 December 2005

**10) World Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Day**

- a) October 5
- b) October 6
- c) October 7
- d) October 8



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## ANSWERS

### 1) ANS b) 9

There are total nine Nobel Prize winners from India from 1913 to 2023. The first Indian to win this prestigious award was Rabindranath Tagore in 1913 in the field of Literature.

Literature: Rabindranath Tagore (1913).

Physics: C. V. Raman (1930), Subrahmanyan Chandrasekhar (1983).

Physiology or Medicine: Har Gobind Khorana (1968).

Peace: Mother Teresa (1979), Kailash Satyarthi (2014).

Economics: Amartya Sen (1998), Abhijit Banerjee (2019).

Chemistry: Venkatraman Ramakrishnan(2009).

### 2) ANS c) 107

India participated in the 2022 Asian Games held in Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China. It started on 23 September 2023 and ended on 8 October 2023. India beat the previous record of 70 medals at the 2018 Asian Games. This time it became the fourth country after China, Japan and South Korea to cross 100 medals.

The total number of medals won by Indians is 107 (28 gold medals, 38 silver medals and 41 bronze medals).

### 3) ANS c) October 7

State of Tamil Nadu celebrate first Nilgiri Tahr Day on October 7. October 7 will be celebrated as 'Nilgiri Tahr Day' in honour of E.R.C. Davidar. He was responsible for pioneering one of the first studies on Nilgiri Tahr in 1975. The Nilgiri Tahr is the state animal of Tamil Nadu. It inhabits the southern part of the Nilgiri Hills and the Western and Eastern Ghats in the states of Kerala. The species is classified as "endangered" by the International Union for Conservation of Nature.



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### 4) ANS a) Thoothukudi

Udangudi Panangarupatti of Tamil Nadu received GI tag which is located in Thoothukudi district. The unique feature of Udangudi Panangarupatti is its traditional method of preparation which does not use modern methods of preparation or chemical additives like triple superphosphate and phosphoric acid. Udangudi Panangarupatti has become popular not only locally but also internationally. It exports to countries like Sri Lanka, Malaysia and Singapore.

### 5) ANS d) Andhra Pradesh

Kolleru Lake is one of the largest freshwater lakes in India located in Andhra Pradesh. It was declared a bird sanctuary by the Government of Andhra Pradesh in 1999 as it has 193 species of birds. It has variety of flora and fauna. But the quality of the lake has deteriorated due to water pollution. The local people were facing many health problems. Prawns and fish were also affected and diseases spread by pathogens increased. Therefore, the Ministry of Environment set up the 'Operation Kolleru committee to protect the lake. The objective of this committee was to bring the lake back to a pollution-free environment and maintain the ecological balance. Now the government has decided to bring Operation Kolleru 2.0 again to protect the lake.

### 6) ANS c) PSLV C-57

Aditya L1 is the first Indian mission to observe the Sun. <b>Project Director is Nigar Shahji. Aditya-L1 spacecraft was launched on September 2, 2023 on a PSLV C57 rocket. The Aditya spacecraft, which was sent to study the Sun, has been speeding towards the L-1 point for the past 37 days. On the 6th October the spacecraft's engines were turned on for 16 seconds and minor changes were made to its trajectory and Aditya L-1 successfully started heading in the right direction.

### 7) ANS d) October 8

Indian Airforce Day 2023 celebrated on 8 October 2023 at Pragyraj which was officially established on 8 October, 1932. On the establishment of this day every



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year the Air Force Day is celebrated. This year the 91st anniversary of Indian Air Force Day will be celebrated with great enthusiasm and fervour at various air stations all over the country.

**8)ANS a)Tripura**

Tripura Government has recently unveiled the state's e-cabinet system, making Tripura the fourth state in India and the second in the Northeast region to adopt an e-cabinet system after Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, and Arunachal Pradesh. The introduction of this system signifies a commitment to paperless cabinet meetings, reducing the carbon footprint and promoting environmental sustainability through the use of digital tablets by ministers and bureaucrats.

**9)ANS d) 23 December 2005**

The National Disaster Management Authority was established by the Disaster Management Act enacted by the Government of India on 23 December 2005. The National Disaster Management Authority is responsible for formulating policies, guidelines and laying down best practices for coordination with the State Disaster Management Authorities (SDMA's).A recent magnitude 6.3 earthquake in Afghanistan has claimed over 2,000 lives.

**10) ANS d)October 8**

On the occasion of World Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Day celebrated on October 8, the Government of India has announced a plan to explore and harness the infinite potential of hydrogen as a green and sustainable energy source.The Rs 400 crore project seeks to provide guidance for building a research and development ecosystem that will help commercialize green hydrogen and contribute to India's climate and energy goals.



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