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<p>TN's electronic goods exports touch \$7.37 billion</p>	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tamil Nadu has emerged as a leading player in India's electronics industry, with its exports reaching a significant milestone of \$7.37 billion between April 2023 and January 2024.• This impressive figure accounts for a staggering 32.52% of India's total electronic system design and manufacturing (ESDM) exports during the same period.• This achievement marks a significant increase from the \$5.37 billion recorded in the previous financial year, and puts TN on track to reach its target of \$9 billion by the end of the current fiscal year.
<p>MSME Minister launches TN Incubator Maturity Model report</p>	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tamil Nadu's MSME Minister, T.M. Anbarasan, launched the Tamil Nadu Incubator Maturity Model (TNIMM) report at the Tamil Nadu Startup Incubators Summit.• This framework aims to assess and improve the quality of startup incubators across the state.• The TNIMM report establishes various parameters and criteria for evaluating incubators, allowing them to benchmark themselves against top performers and strive for improvement.• This initiative is part of the state's broader goal of becoming the preferred startup ecosystem in India and a competitive player on the global stage.
<p>Zero Discrimination Day</p> 	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Zero Discrimination Day, observed annually on March 1st, is a global initiative to promote equality and combat discrimination in all its forms.• UNAIDS had launched its Zero Discrimination Campaign on 'World AIDS Day' in December 2013.• The day was first celebrated on March 1, 2014• The day emphasizes everyone's right to live a dignified and fulfilling life free from prejudice and bias.



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This year marks the 10th anniversary of Zero Discrimination Day <p>Theme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Theme of Zero Discrimination Day 2024 is "To protect everyone's health, protect everyone's rights." It emphasizes upon building association with human rights and public health and achieving the goal of eliminating AIDS by 2030.
<p>Share of live corals in Gulf of Mannar dropped from 37% in 2005 to 27.3% in 2021</p>	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The average live coral cover in Gulf of Mannar, one of the major coral reef areas in India, dropped from 37% in 2005 to 27.3% in 2021, shows a study by the Suganthy Devadason Marine Research Institute (SDMRI) and the Departments of Environment, Climate Change and Forests. The report titled 'Coral Reefs of the Gulf of Mannar: Decadal Changes in Status and Management Paradigms', released at the Tamil Nadu Climate Summit 2.0 in Chennai, provides data on important changes in coral status from the baseline survey in 2005 and the subsequent surveys at permanent monitoring sites from 2007 to 2021.
<p>World Civil Defence Day</p> 	<p>Context:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Civil Defence Day is an annual event observed on March 1st to raise awareness about the importance of civil defence and emergency preparedness. This day highlights the crucial role of civil defence organizations in protecting communities from natural disasters, conflicts, and other emergencies. It also encourages individuals to be prepared for various crises. It was established by the International Civil Defence Organisation (ICDO) in December 6, 1990 <p>Theme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The theme of World Civil Defense Day 2024 is "Honor Heroes and Promote Safety Skills."