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Mundra Port Sets Record

- Mundra Port has emerged as the India's largest automobile export hub. As the port has set the new national record by shipping the 6,008 cars in a single vessel.
- The port is operated by Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone (APSEZ) and this achievement highlights the India's growing strength in the automobile exports.
- The record shipment of the 6,008 vehicles in one single vessel marks a significant achievement for the India's logistics and export ecosystem.
- This milestone made possible through the port's advanced Roll-on/Roll-off (RoRo) terminal which allows the vehicles to be driven directly onto ships by ensuring the,
 - Faster loading and unloading
 - Reducing the handling costs
 - Also the efficient large-scale transportation
- Key export destinations include the regions like the,
 - Africa
 - Latin America
 - Middle East
 - Europe
- Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone has played the instrumental role to enhancing the India's logistics capabilities.
- Recently the company has already crossed the 500 million tonnes cargo handling capacity and now it is targeting 1 billion tonnes by 2030.



HC Judge Yashwant Varma Tenders Resignation

- The former Delhi High Court judge Yashwant Varma has resigned from his post after submitting his resignation to Honorable President of India Droupadi Murmu with the immediate effect.
- The resignation of the former judge Mr. Verma comes after the controversy linked to the alleged recovery of the burnt cash at his official residence in Delhi. Under the **Articles 124 and 218** the judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts can be removed by the President on grounds of “proven misbehaviour” or “incapacity”.
- **Justice Verma Case**
- The controversy was begun on the 14th of March 2025 when a fire broke out at the Justice Varma’s residence in Delhi and burnt cash was found and some questions were raised suddenly after the incident.
- The in-house inquiry was initiated under then the Chief Justice of India Sanjiv Khanna and the three-member panel investigated during that time.
- After reviewing the report the CJI have asked Justice Varma to resign or to face impeachment but when the no immediate resignation was followed the matter was escalated to the President and Prime Minister.
- **Procedure for Removal of Judges in India**

Stage/Aspect	Details
Constitutional Provisions	Under Articles 124 and 218 Constitution of India (CoI) judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts can be removed by the President.
Grounds for Removal	'Proven misbehaviour' or 'incapacity' – A the definition of these terms are not defined in the constitution.
Meaning of Misbehaviour	It includes the wilful misconduct, corruption, lack of integrity or moral turpitude (as it is interpreted by the Supreme Court).
Meaning of Incapacity	It refers to the physical or mental conditions that affect judicial functioning.
Definition Status	The terms 'proven misbehaviour' and 'incapacity' are not explicitly defined in the Constitution of India.



RBI's Utkarsh 2029

- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has launched the medium-term strategy framework which is called as Utkarsh 2029. This framework will covering the period from April 2026 to March 2029.
- This roadmap will be focuses on to strengthening the digital finance, global integration of the rupee and the inclusive credit access along with to leveraging emerging technologies like the artificial intelligence and quantum computing.
- One of the main important idea of Utkarsh 2029 is to expansion of the Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC).
- The RBI also aims to scale up the use and specially for the cross-border payments and to make the transactions faster and more cost-effective.

- Additionally this framework will highlights the advancement of the Project Sa-Mudra which is focuses on modernizing on the currency management systems.
- This includes the digitizing the manual processes and to improve the efficiency in handling physical and digital currency.
- The move is expected to strengthen the country's position in the global digital currency and to reduce the reliance on traditional payment systems.
- **Six Pillars of Utkarsh 2029 Strategy**
- Robust regulations to ensure the stability and innovation
- Customer centric and inclusive finance approach
- Competitive financial markets
- Effective use of technology in the sector
- Future-ready organizational structure
- Global integration of the India's financial system



National Safe Motherhood Day 2026

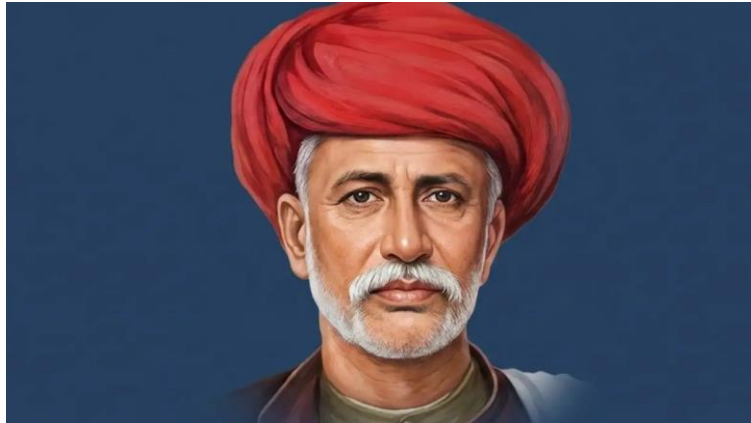
- The day also serves as the reminder that well being of mothers is not just the personal concern but it is the national priority. By increasing the awareness and policy focus steps India continues to strengthen the healthcare system across the India by providing different type of supports.

- The theme for 2026 is the 'Equity in Maternal Healthcare: Leaving No Mother Behind' which highlights the urgent need to provide the equal healthcare access to all the women regardless of the socio-economic background.
- This theme also focuses on bridging gaps in,
 - To access the healthcare services in rural and underserved areas
 - Also availability of the skilled birth attendants
 - The awareness about the prenatal and postnatal care
 - Improving maternal health will helps to,
 - Reduce the maternal and infant mortality rates
 - Also to ensure the healthy development of newborns
 - To strengthen the overall family and community well-being



Jyotirao Phule Jayanti 2026

- India commemorates the birth anniversary of Mahatma Jyotirao Phule on the 11th of April every year. He was one of the greatest social reformers in the Indian history. In 2026, it year holds the special importance as it marks the beginning of the 200th birth anniversary celebrations of Phule Ji and which making it more than the remembrance.



REVIEW QUESTIONS

1. Which port has recently become India's largest automobile export hub?

- A. Kandla Port
- B. Mumbai Port
- C. Visakhapatnam Port
- D. Mundra Port

Answer: D. Mundra Port

Explanation: Mundra Port set a national record by exporting 6,008 cars in a single vessel, making it India's largest automobile export hub.

2. Mundra Port is operated by which company?

- A. Reliance Industries
- B. Tata Group
- C. Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone
- D. L&T

Answer: C. Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone

Explanation: The port is managed by Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone, which plays a key role in India's logistics sector.

3. What does RoRo stand for in port operations?

- A. Roll-on/Roll-off
- B. Run-on/Run-off

- C. Rapid-on/Rapid-off
- D. Rail-on/Rail-off

Answer: A. Roll-on/Roll-off

Explanation: RoRo terminals allow vehicles to be driven directly onto ships, making loading faster and cost-effective.

4. Justice Yashwant Varma resigned from which High Court?

- A. Bombay High Court
- B. Delhi High Court
- C. Allahabad High Court
- D. Madras High Court

Answer: B. Delhi High Court

Explanation: Yashwant Varma served as a judge in the Delhi High Court before his resignation.

5. Under which Articles of the Constitution can judges be removed?

- A. Articles 19 and 21
- B. Articles 32 and 226
- C. Articles 124 and 218
- D. Articles 370 and 371

Answer: C. Articles 124 and 218

Explanation: These Articles provide the constitutional provisions for removal of Supreme Court and High Court judges.

6. Who is the current President of India to whom Justice Varma submitted his resignation?

- A. Ram Nath Kovind
- B. Pranab Mukherjee
- C. Droupadi Murmu
- D. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam

Answer: C. Droupadi Murmu

Explanation: Droupadi Murmu is the current President of India.

7. What is the name of RBI's medium-term strategy framework launched for 2026–2029?

- A. Vision 2030
- B. Utkarsh 2029
- C. Digital India Plan
- D. FinTech Mission

Answer: B. Utkarsh 2029

Explanation: The Reserve Bank of India launched Utkarsh 2029 to strengthen financial systems.

8. What is one major focus of RBI's Utkarsh 2029 strategy?

- A. Space exploration
- B. Agricultural reforms
- C. Expansion of CBDC
- D. Defense modernization

Answer: C. Expansion of CBDC

Explanation: The plan emphasizes expanding Central Bank Digital Currency for faster and efficient transactions.

9. What is the theme of National Safe Motherhood Day 2026?

- A. Healthy India, Strong India
- B. Save Mothers, Save Future
- C. Equity in Maternal Healthcare: Leaving No Mother Behind
- D. Women First Policy

Answer: C. Equity in Maternal Healthcare: Leaving No Mother Behind

Explanation: The theme focuses on equal access to maternal healthcare services.

10. Jyotirao Phule is best known as a:

- A. Scientist
- B. Freedom fighter
- C. Social reformer
- D. Industrialist

Answer: C. Social reformer

Explanation: Jyotirao Phule was a pioneer of social reform, promoting education and equality.