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One Liners

PIB

Tele density

It is the <u>number of telephone connections for every 100 individuals</u> living within an area.
Largest - Among states (Goa 160.06%) and among UTs (Ladakh 195%).

Mobile Penetration

• As on May 2024, the % of the population covered by

- Mobile network is 99.21%.

- At least a 3G mobile network is 99.0%.

<u>BharatNet project</u>

• It was earlier known as National Optical Fiber Network.

• Launched in - 2011

• **Aim** – To provide broadband connectivity to <u>all Gram Panchayats (GPs) (approximately</u> <u>2.5 lakh)</u> in the country.

• Funded by – Digital Bharat Nidhi (DBN).

21st Health Summit of the

Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)

• It will explore transformative pathways toward achieving a robust, inclusive healthcare system in India by 2047.

• Theme - "Transforming Healthcare for Viksit Bharat 2047".

• India is the 4^{th} largest medical devices market in Asia after Japan, China, and South Korea and among the top 20 global medical devices markets in the world.

• Unleashing AI Power is one of the key pillars under it.

Archaeological Survey of India (ASI)

• Formed in - 1861

• **Activity** – It undertakes co<u>nservation, restoration, maintenance & development works</u> of ancient monuments & archaeological sites.

• It works as per the National Policy for Conservation and provisions of the <u>Ancient</u> <u>Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains (AMASR) Act, 1958</u>.

• There are <u>3698 centrally protected monuments/sites</u> under care and maintenance of ASI. Indian Cyber Crime Coordination Centre' (I4C)

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• Set up by - <u>Ministry of Home Affairs</u> as an attached office.

• **Aim** – To deal with all types of cybercrime in the country, in a coordinated and comprehensive manner.

National Cyber Crime Helpline Number 1930

• It is a toll free helpline which operates 24*7*365.

• Launched in – <u>2020</u>

• **Aim** – To provide guidance on how victims, particularly women and children, can report cybercrimes such as online harassment, identity theft, or financial fraud.

<u>Citizen Financial Cyber Fraud</u>

Reporting and Management System

• Launched in - 2021 under I4C.

• **Aim** – For immediate reporting of financial frauds and to stop siphoning off funds by the fraudsters.

<u>CyTrain portal</u>

• It is Massive Open Online Courses (MOOC) <u>to police officers/judicial officers</u> for the critical aspects of cyber-crime investigation, forensics, prosecution etc.

<u>Cyber Dost</u>

• An online safety through various media channels that include <u>dissemination of messages</u> through SMS, and I4C social media account.

<u>Dekho Apna Desh Campaign</u>

- Launched by Ministry of Tourism, in 2020.
- Aim To promote domestic tourism in the country.

• It promotes tourism destinations and products of India through various activities such as - Webinars, Quiz, Pledge, Seminars, Tourism Promotional Events, Fam tours, Website, Social Media and so on.

Down To Earth

Ophryocystis elektroscirrha (OE)

• **OE** – It is a *parasite* that infects monarch, queen, and lesser wanderer butterflies.

• It is a *single-celled organism* known as a protozoan, a living thing that has many of the same characteristics as animals.

• **Growing conditions** – It must live within a host to grow and multiply.

• However, when it is not inside a host, it survives in the environment as spores, which are resistant to extreme conditions.

Impact of Bushfire on Solar Electricity

• Bushfires release atmospheric aerosols in the form of smoke particles, which <u>scatter and</u> <u>absorb the Sun's rays</u> thereby reducing the amount of electricity produced by solar cells.

• Particles released by fires can also <u>settle on solar panels</u>, again reducing their electricity output.

• It can *damage infrastructure* such as transmission lines and towers, causing power disruptions and making it harder to keep the grid running smoothly.

