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History, Art and Culture

Jatan - Virtual Museum Builder

- It is the software for <u>digitizing records of antiquities</u> that are displayed in a common portal for the public view.
- **Inaugurated in -** 2014, by Ministry of culture.
- Nodal unit Digitization Cell of National Museum.
- Developed by Centre for Development for Advanced Computing (C-DAC).
- **Integrated in -** *National digital repository*
- **Significance** It helps in tracking its location, conservation details, etc.

Centre for Development for Advanced Computing (C-DAC)

- **C-DAC** It is research & development organization.
- Setup in 1988, by Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY).
- **Aim** To emerge as the premier R&D institution for the design, development and deployment of world class *electronic and IT solutions* for economic and human advancement.

Geography

Dam Rehabilitation and Improvement Project (DRIP)

Phase II & III

- **Nodal ministry** Ministry of Jal Shakti.
- Co-financed by World Bank & Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank.
- Funding pattern 70:30 (External: Counterpart) for General Category, 80:20 for Special Category, & 50:50 for Central Agencies.
- Loan disbursements on a *quarterly basis*.
- **Objectives** To <u>strengthen the institutional framework</u> for dam safety management.
- To rehabilitate and improve dams, enhance dam operations, and promoting better dam management practices.

Economy

e-SHRAM Platform

- It is a *centralized database of all unorganized workers* to be seeded with Aadhaar.
- Launched in 2021, by Ministry of Labour and Employment.
- **Aim** To create a comprehensive database of unorganised workers.

e-Shram's "One-Stop-Solution"

- It integrates different social security/ welfare schemes at single portal.
- Announced in Budget 2024-25.
- Integration of 14 schemes of different Central Ministries & Departments.

'MSE TEAM (Trade Enablement and Marketing)' Initiative

- Launched by Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises.
- **Umbrella scheme -** "Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance (RAMP)" Programme by World Bank.
- **Aim** To empower Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) with digital tools and guidance to effectively utilize the e-commerce marketplace by integrating them with the Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC).

Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance (RAMP)

- **RAMP** It is a *Central Sector Scheme* supported by World Bank.
- Nodal ministry Ministry of Micro, Small, & Medium Enterprises.
- **Objectives** To improve <u>access to market, finance and technology</u> upgradation by enhancing the outreach of existing schemes.
- To strengthen institutions at the Central and State level, and to enhance Centre- State collaboration.

Environment

Jalaj Centers

- Holistic centres in Ganga basins For overall community well-being, conservation education and livelihood trainings.
- It represents the *culture & communities indigenous* to that area.
- Established by National Mission for Clean Ganga, Ministry of Jal Shakti.
- Managed by Ganga Praharis, as local community members trained as volunteers.
- **Features** Dolphin Safaris, Home Stays, Livelihood Centers, Awareness and Sale Points etc.

National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG)

- It is an *Integrated Conservation Mission*, approved as 'Flagship Programme'.
- Established in 2014, Ministry of Jal Shakti.
- **Registered under -** Societies Registration Act 1860.
- Implemented by National Ganga Council.
- Objectives -
 - To create sewerage treatment infrastructure & river-front development.
 - Biodiversity conservation, afforestation & public awareness.
 - Industrial effluent monitoring & establishing Ganga Gram.

Miscellaneous

Fit India Campaign

Recently, 35^{th} edition of Fit India Sundays on Cycle, held ahead of Independence Day.

- Launched in 2019 by Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.
- **Objectives** To promote fitness as easy, fun and free.
- To spread *awareness on fitness and various physical activities* that promote fitness through focused campaigns.
- To encourage *indigenous sports*.
- To make fitness reach every school, college/university, panchayat/village, etc.

