



## Dikshant IAS - Daily Current Quiz

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**1. In the fifth England-India Test match played in Dharamshala (Himachal Pradesh), who is the other bowler to have achieved the feat of taking the 700th wicket by dismissing Kuldeep Yadav?**

- (A) Anil Kumble (India)
- (B) Muttiah Muralitharan (Sri Lanka)
- (C) Shane Warne (Australia)
- (D) (B) and (C) both

**Answer: (D)**

- The other bowler to achieve this feat is Muttiah Muralitharan (Sri Lanka) and Shane Warne (Australia).

**2. Which of the following statements about 'INS Jatayu', which has been in the headlines, is true?**

1. INS Jatayu is an Indian Navy base established on Minicoy Island in Lakshadweep.
2. INS Jatayu will help in controlling piracy activities and illegal trade of narcotics in the Arabian Sea.

Correct pair is:

- (A) Only 1
- (B) Only 2
- (C) Both 1 and 2
- (D) Neither 1 nor 2

**Answer: (C)**

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**3. According to the Human Development Report 2023-24 released by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), what is India's rank in the Human Development Index in 2022?**

- (A) 131st
- (B) 132nd
- (C) 133rd
- (D) 134th

**Answer: (D)**



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- According to the Human Development Report 2023-24 released by the United Nations Development Programme, India's rank in the Human Development Index in 2022 was 134th.

### 4. Consider the following statements in the context of the Human Development Report 2023-24 released by the United Nations Development Programme on 13th March 2024:

- Switzerland is ranked first in the Human Development Index 2022.
- India's rank in the Human Development Index 2022 is below that of its neighboring countries.
- None of the top 10 countries in the Human Development Index 2022 includes an Asian country.
- Per capita Gross National Income (GNI) is a component of the Human Development Index.

How many of the above statements are correct?

- (A) Only 1  
(B) Only 2  
(C) Only 3  
(D) All 4

**Answer: (B)**

- India's rank in the Human Development Index 2022 is 134th, China's is 75th, Sri Lanka's is 78th, Bhutan's is 125th, Bangladesh's is 129th, Nepal's is 146th, and Pakistan's is 164th.
- Statement II is incorrect. Singapore, an Asian country, ranks 9th in the top 10 countries.
- Statement III is incorrect.
- Statements I and IV are correct.

### 5. Who recently won the prestigious Times Power Icon Award 2024?

- (a) Vijay Jain  
(b) Kamal Kishore  
(c) Nidhu Saxena  
(d) S. Raman

**Answer: (a)**



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- Recently, at an event organized by The Times Group in Noida, Star Estate's Managing Director, Vijay Jain, was honored with the prestigious Times Power Icon Award 2024.
- This event celebrated the top leaders of the industry and honored them. Industry leaders and famous personalities were present at this event, including cine icon Ada Sharma, who also honored Vijay Jain with the award.

