

71st BPSC Prelims Current Affairs

November 2024_One Liners

1. Female Footballer Aitana Bonmati won the Ballon d'Or 2024.
2. Indian Railways partnered with Switzerland for modernization.
3. Tihar Utsav was recently celebrated in Nepal.
4. Mansi Ahlawat won a bronze medal at the World Wrestling Championship.
5. 'Shrub La Mahotsav' was celebrated in Ladakh.
6. Karnataka launched the ELEVATE 2024 program/ Idea2PoC to identify innovative startups.
7. Piyush Goyal inaugurated the 'One District One Product' wall at Indian Embassy in Riyadh.
8. Himachal Pradesh's Durgesh Aranya Zoo got India's first IGBC certification.
9. 15th edition of 'Vajra-Prahar' joint military exercise began between India and America.
10. India's first 'Analog Space Mission' launched in Leh.
11. NTPC developed an indigenous catalyst for converting CO₂ into methanol.
12. North Korea tested the new ballistic missile Hasong-19.
13. Kami Badenock became leader of UK's Conservative Party on November 3, 2024.
14. 'Bali Padyami' festival was celebrated in Karnataka.
15. Krisha Verma won gold in the U-19 World Boxing Championship.
16. DD News celebrated its 21st anniversary on November 3.
17. RBI brought back 102 tons of gold to India from Bank of England.
18. 'Brat' was chosen as Collins Dictionary's Word of the Year 2024.
19. Singapore topped the 'AI Readiness Index 2023' with India ranked 72nd.
20. 'Mechuri' will become the 17th district of Nagaland.
21. Indonesian President to be chief guest for India's Republic Day 2025.
22. Assam CM demanded inclusion of 'Ho' language in the 8th Schedule.
23. 'Lewotobi' volcano erupted in Indonesia.
24. India was elected President of the International Solar Alliance (ISA).
25. Tamil Nadu declared 'heat wave' as a state-specific disaster.
26. 'Ship Samagam Mela 2024' started in New Delhi.
27. Andhra Pradesh launched the Deepam 2.0 Free Cylinder Scheme.
28. Mandeep Jangda won the 'Super Featherweight World Title' of the World Boxing Federation.
29. Rajasthan set 2030 as the target year to end child marriage, as per SC guidelines.
30. Fossils of 130-million-year-old male mosquitoes found in Lebanon.
31. Japan launched a satellite made of wood 'Lignosat' into space.
32. Madhya Pradesh approved 35% job reservation for women.
33. Ladakh inaugurated India's first "Polo Stadium".
34. Kamala Harris (Democratic Party) defeated Donald Trump in the 2024 US presidential election.
35. JD Vance elected as Vice President of the USA.
36. Dubai hosted the world's largest food and beverage industry event 'Gulffhost 2024'
37. IDFC First Bank started real-time international money transfer tracking.
38. India hosted the 'Ocean Summit'.
39. Anish Sarkar (Kolkata) became the youngest FIDE chess player globally.
40. Australia was declared the 'focus country' of the 55th International Film Festival of India.
41. Tanushree Pandey won a silver medal in the World Soft Tennis Championship.
42. Shiv Nadar topped the Hurun Philanthropy List 2024.
43. Usha Chilukuri Vance became the Second Lady of America.
44. The first integrated check post on the Bhutan-India border started on November 7, 2024.
45. 'Ningol Chakkouba Festival' was celebrated in Manipur.
46. Telangana started its 'statewide caste census'.
47. A 15-day 'Water Festival' began in Arunachal Pradesh.

48. Sultanganj railway station in Bihar (Bhagalpur district) will be renamed 'Ajaibinath Dham'.
49. Anil Pradhan won the '3rd Rohini Nair Award'.
50. Australia may ban the use of mobile phones for children under 16 years of age.
51. Magnus Carlsen won the FIDE World Chess Championship.
52. Susie Wills appointed Chief of Staff of the White House.
53. Gujarat has launched India's first dedicated semiconductor policy.
54. Northeast Aadi Mahotsav was celebrated in Guwahati.
55. QS World University Rankings: Asia 2025- IIT Delhi (Rank 44), IIT Bombay (Rank 48)
56. On November 9, 2024, all members of the Human Rights Commission in Bangladesh resigned.
57. According to Global TB Report 2024, India saw a 17.7% reduction in TB cases.
58. Bengaluru opened India's first digital population clock on November 9, 2024.
59. Mohammad Nabi of Afghanistan announced retirement from ODI cricket.
60. Jan Zalezny is the new coach of Neeraj Chopra.
61. Zimbabwe launched the ZIMSAT-2 satellite to advance its space program.
62. Bihar won the Sub Junior Asian Hockey Championship Trophy 2024 held in Rajgir from November 11–20.
63. Uttarakhand celebrated the 'Igas Bagwal' festival.
64. Coco Gauff of America won the 2024 WTA Finals.
65. Canada announced fast-track visas for students from 14 countries on November 11, 2024.
66. The 29th annual UN climate change conference (COP 29 of UNFCCC) started on November 11, 2024, in Baku, Azerbaijan.
67. Eric Stefanik was appointed as the US Ambassador to India by President Donald Trump.
68. India's first aerial exercise 'Space Exercise 2024' was held in New Delhi on November 12, 2024.
69. Mike Waltz was declared National Security Advisor by US President Donald Trump.
70. Sunna Shirur was declared 'Coach of the Year' at Indian Sports Award 2024 on November 12.
71. India and Russia signed a MoU to acquire the 'Tantsir Air Defence System'.
72. IIT Ropar developed the 'Patented Mechanical Knee Rehab System'.
73. Pankaj Advani won the World Billiards Championship title.
74. Pankaj Tripathi was declared the face of 'Madhya Pradesh Tourism'.
75. India sent the first batch of 'Akash Weapon System' to Armenia.
76. Philip Noyce received the 'Satyajit Ray Lifetime Achievement Award'.
77. Dr. Devendra Kumar Dhodawat's book 'Man (Mother)' was released on November 13, 2024.
78. Aryna Sabalenka became WTA World No. 1 tennis player for 2024.
79. Samantha Harvey won the Booker Prize 2024 for the novel 'Orbital'.
80. 'Garuda Shakti' exercise was organized between India and Indonesia on November 13, 2024.
81. Tulsi Gabbard was appointed as 'Director of National Intelligence' by US President Donald Trump.
82. L Shrutu won the Women's World Billiards Championship 2024.
83. Justice Suryakant was nominated Chairman of the 'Supreme Court Legal Services Committee'.
84. Jhiri Mela was organized in Jammu and Kashmir.
85. Shaheen Afridi became the world's No. 1 ODI bowler.
86. President Droupadi Murmu inaugurated 'Swami Vivekananda Vidya Mandir School' in Silvassa.
87. World's first high-altitude para sports center to be set up in Leh.
88. The first 'Bodoland Mahotsav' was inaugurated in New Delhi.
89. Hyderabad Airport received a global award for digital innovations.
90. Delhi's 'Sarai Kale Khan Chowk' has been renamed as 'Birsa Munda Chowk'.
91. IISc Bangalore developed an eco-friendly biodegradable foam.
92. The famous 'Joljibi Fair' was inaugurated in Uttarakhand.
93. Jharkhand celebrated its Foundation Day on November 15.
94. The 'Boita Bandana' festival was celebrated in Odisha.
95. A special logo was issued to commemorate 75 years of India-Philippines diplomatic relations.

96. Fast Bowler Anshul Kamboj of Haryana took 10 wickets in an inning in Ranji Trophy.
97. Himachal Pradesh launched the 'Come and Establish Solar Energy Projects' initiative.
98. 24 Villages of Odisha has been recognized by UNESCO as 'Tsunami Ready'.
99. Meghalaya's militant group 'Hynniewtre National Liberation Council' has been banned for five years.
100. Odisha organized the 'Bali Jatra' fair.
101. Indonesia and Australia started the joint naval exercise 'Keris Woomera' 2024 on November 17.
102. Shanghai is the top global greenhouse gas emitter.
103. New Zealand cricketer Tim Southee announced retirement from international cricket.
104. Arshdeep Singh became India's second-highest T20I wicket-taker.
105. Kazakhstan, Azerbaijan, and Uzbekistan signed the Green Energy Agreement at COP-29 in Baku.
106. Air India officially merged with Vistara on November 17, 2024.
107. Victoria Kjaer Thalvig of Denmark won Miss Universe 2024.
108. America returned more than 1,400 artifacts to India.
109. UAE launched the 'Global Energy Efficiency Alliance'.
110. 'Nugu Wild Life Sanctuary' is located in Karnataka.
111. Odisha won the 14th 'Hockey India Senior Men's National Championship'.
112. Germany announced 2 lakh skilled visas from November 18, 2024.
113. PM Modi gifted 'Silofar Panchamrit Kalash' to Nigeria's President on November 18, 2024.
114. Guru Ghasidas-Tamor Pingla Tiger Reserve in Chhattisgarh declared India's 56th tiger reserve.
115. India to host the first 'Kho-Kho World Cup' in New Delhi.
116. 'AIR Expo 2024' began in Abu Dhabi.
117. West Bengal topped the 'National Finns swimming Championship'.
118. Gabon approved a new constitution.
119. Dhudmaras village of Chhattisgarh received UN's Best Tourist Village Status.
120. 'Green World Environment Award' was given to Coal India on November 20, 2024.
121. Miss Charm India 2024 was won by Shivangi Desai.
122. India and Germany held the 'Purvi Prahar' joint military exercise on November 20, 2024.
123. Indian Army organized the HADR exercise 'Sanyukt Vimochan 2024' in Ahmedabad.
124. Guyana honoured PM Modi with the highest civilian award "The Order of Excellence".
125. Famous Tennis Player Rafael Nadal retired.
126. India won the Women's Asian Hockey Championship Trophy 2024; Runner Up- China.
127. India's first Night Safari Park is being built in Lucknow.
128. Japan was declared as partner country in the 25th 'Hornbill Festival' of Nagaland.
129. India ranked 10th in the 'Global Climate Index 2024'.
130. 'Karimganj' district in Assam has been renamed to 'Sribhumi'.
131. Hardik Pandya topped the ICC T20 All-Round Ranking.
132. Dominica awarded its highest national honor to PM Modi.
133. Prasar Bharati launched its OTT platform named 'WAVES' on November 21, 2024.
134. Ecuador declared an emergency due to water shortage.
135. A stand in Eden Garden named after Female Cricketer Jhulan Goswami.
136. Dr. Jitendra Singh launched the 'Vision Portal' for nurturing skill development in underprivileged children.
137. Shubh (Rapper) appointed as Global Brand Ambassador of Climate Advisor by UN.
138. India's first Constitution Museum inaugurated in Sonapat, Haryana.
139. India and Australia signed agreement for the 'Gaganyaan' mission.
140. 'Amur Falcon Festival' celebrated in Manipur.
141. Army of Nepal honored Indian Army Chief Upendra Dwivedi with honorary General Rank.
142. Bihar to host Khelo India Youth Games and Para Games in 2025.

143. New Zealand topped the 'Sustainable Business Index 2024'.
144. Armenia became the 104th member of the International Solar Alliance.
145. Scott Besant appointed Finance Minister by Donald Trump (nominee).
146. South Africa declared 'food-borne diseases' a national disaster on November 23, 2024.
147. RBI increased UPI 123 Pay transaction limit from ₹5000 to ₹10,000.
148. PM Modi received the 'World Peace Award' in America.
149. India and Maldives signed an agreement for local currency transactions.
150. Daniel Barenboim and Ali Abu Awad won Indira Gandhi Peace Prize on November 24, 2024.
151. Andhra Pradesh government announced a 'new pension scheme' for senior citizens.
152. Italy won the Davis Cup 2024 title.
153. Union Minister Annapurna Devi launched 'Ab Koi Bahane Nahi' campaign on November 25, 2024 to end gender-based violence.
154. Andhra Pradesh abolished the 'garbage tax'.
155. Oxford University ranked 1st in the Times Higher Education 2025 Rankings.
156. Reetika Hooda won the **Gold medal** in the World Military Championship.
157. Emma McKeon retired as the most successful Olympian of **Australia**.
158. Bajrang Punia has been suspended by NADA for **4 years**.
159. **Professor Projit Bihari Mukherjee** won the 'Pfizer Prize 2024'.
160. **Rishabh Pant** became the most expensive player in IPL auction history (₹27 crores).
161. **Vaibhav Suryawanshi (Samastipur, Bihar)** became the youngest player (14 Years) to be sold in IPL history.
162. 'Nagusaba Gorang' festival celebrated in **Bali**.
163. The 'Child Marriage Free India' portal was launched by **Women and Child Development Minister Annapurna Devi**.
164. **India** signed the 'Riyadh Design Law Treaty' to promote inclusive development.
165. 'RAK Energy Summit' held in **UAE**.
166. **Alyssa Neher**, USA's goalkeeper, announced retirement on 29 November 2024.
167. **Cyclone Fengal (named by Saudi Arabia)** developed in Bay of Bengal, hit the coastal area of **South India and Sri Lanka**.
168. **Kochi** hosted the 'National Maritime Search and Rescue Exercise' organised by Indian Coast Guard on 30 November 2024.
169. **Jasprit Bumrah** became the world's number 1 Test bowler as of 30 November 2024.
170. **Shivraj Singh Chauhan** launched 'Nai Chetna' campaign against gender based violence.
171. Endangered bird species Dunlin was seen in Kerala.
172. The '40th All India Governor Gold Cup' International Football Tournament concluded in **Gangtok**.
173. **Manik Kotwal** released the book 'Beyond the Higgs Boson'.
174. The 'Indian Constitution' has been unveiled in **Sanskrit and Maithili** on 30 November 2024.
175. The central bank of **Sri Lanka** started the 'Overnight Policy Rate' at 8%.
176. **Keith Kellogg** nominated by Donald Trump as Special Envoy for Russia and Ukraine.
177. Ministry of Panchayati Raj won **Bronze medal** at IITF (India International Trade Fair) 2024 for excellence.
178. **India-Singapore** bilateral exercise 'Agniwarrior 2024' has started.
179. **IIT Kanpur** developed the 'Anlakshya MSCS 1' stealth technology for enhancing stealth capabilities and countering radar imaging.
180. India's first **Green Hydrogen Fuel Station** inaugurated on 30 November 2024 in **Leh**.
181. India ranked **49th** in the 'Network Readiness Index 2024'.
182. The 'International Tourism Mart' was organized on 30 November 2024 at **Kaziranga National Park**.
183. **Vikrant Massey** received the 'Indian Film Personality of the Year' award on 30 November 2024.

184. **Gujarat's Gharchola**, cultural handicraft heritage, got **GI tag**.
185. **Piyush Goyal** launched the 'Ease of Doing Business' portal.
186. **Lithuanian Film 'Toxic'** received the 'Golden Peacock Award' at the 55th International Film Festival of India.
187. **Varanasi** hosted the 13th National Seed Conference on 30 November 2024.
188. 500 new Panchayat Ghar i.e., Gram Parishad approved in **Jammu and Kashmir** by Panchayati Raj Ministry.
189. **Sikkim** declared as participating state in the Hornbill Festival on 30 November 2024.
190. **Bihari Mukherjee** awarded the '2024 Pfizer Prize' for his book "Brown Skins, White Coats: Race Science in India, 1920–66".
191. Two-day 'Mahabodhi Mahotsav' began on 30 November 2024 in **Madhya Pradesh**.
192. **Dr. Basant Goyal** won the 'United Nations Global Excellence Award' on 30 November 2024.
193. Two-day 'Megong Festival' celebrated in **Kerala**.
194. Bus Sangwari app launched in **Chhattisgarh**.
195. **Nagaland** celebrated its 62nd Statehood Day on 1st December.
196. **Arunachal Pradesh** launched 'Mission Arun Himveer' to support horticulture.
197. India's Artificial Intelligence Centre will be established in **Haryana** with World Bank help.
198. Border Security Force's foundation day celebrated on 1 December 2024 — **59th anniversary**.
199. **Uttarakhand** hosted the 'Khel Mahakumbh 2024' inaugurated on 2 December 2024.
200. **Mahakumbh Mela** became 76th district of Uttar Pradesh.