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Which of the following Indian fertilizers companies recently introduced the world's first Nano Urea Liquid for the farmers?

- A. Madras Fertilizers Ltd
- B. Nagarjuna Fertilizers & Chemicals Ltd
- C. Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Ltd
- D. Hindustan Fertilizer Corporation Limited

**Points to Know (PTN):**

Nano Urea Liquid increases crop production with improved nutritional quality. It will also give a huge positive impact on the quality of underground water and significant reduction in the global warming.

Which of these PSU companies of India has recently become a signatory of UN Global Compact's CEO Water Mandate?

- A. Power Grid
- B. BPCL
- C. SAIL
- D. NTPC

**PTN:**

CEO Water Mandate is a UN Global Compact initiative which demonstrates commitment and efforts of companies to enhance their water and sanitation agendas in line with Sustainable Development Goals.

Indian Oil Corporation Limited has signed a MoU with the \_\_\_\_\_ state government to set up six petrochemical projects.

- A. Madhya Pradesh
- B. Gujarat
- C. Tamil Nadu
- D. Kerala

**PTN:**

The projects will create employment opportunity for 25,000 people around Vadodara and will entail an investment of ₹24,000 crore.

Which of the following online payments app has acquired 100% stake of Payback India, a multi-brand loyalty programme?

- A. PhonePe
- B. Mobikwik
- C. Paytm
- D. BharatPe

**PTN:**

BharatPe has acquired Payback India from American Express and ICICI Investments Strategic Fund for an undisclosed amount. Payback claims to have 100 million users in India.

Which of the following country's government joins Indian microblogging platform Koo?

- A. Uganda
- B. South Africa
- C. Egypt
- D. Nigeria

**PTN:**

The development comes in the backdrop of a standoff between the Nigerian government and Koo rival, Twitter. Last week, the Nigerian government had announced an indefinite suspension of the US social media platform in that country.

Which of the following company has been awarded contracts to design two spacecraft that will go to Mars as part of a NASA mission?

- A. SpaceX
- B. Blue Origin
- C. Rocket Lab
- D. Skyroot aerospace

**PTN:**

The California-based company also aims to launch its own private life-hunting Venus mission in 2023, has been awarded this contract to design the twin spacecraft for NASA's potential ESCAPEDE Mars mission.

Name the tech giant which has partnered with The Healthy Indian Project (THIP Media), a company that focuses on providing verified health-related information in five Indian languages?

- A. Facebook
- B. Twitter
- C. Microsoft
- D. Google

**PTN:**

Facebook said the partnership is part of its efforts to police covid-19 related misinformation spreading online.



Who has been recently named as the Chairman of Microsoft Corp?

- A. Bill Gates
- B. Satya Nadella
- C. John Thompson
- D. Melinda Gates

**PTN:**

The company said Thompson, who took over as chairman from the software giant's co-founder Bill Gates in 2014, will serve as lead independent director.

Name the only PSU to have consistently featured in India's Top 50 Best Workplaces in 'Great Place to Work' India ranking?

- A. ONGC
- B. GAIL
- C. NTPC
- D. None of these

**PTN:**

NTPC is the only PSU to consistently feature in India's Top 50 Best Workplaces. This year NTPC ranked 38th, up from 47th position last year. It also won its first-ever recognition of India's Best Employers among Nation-Builders 2021.

Over 50 countries has shown interest in India's vaccination drive's platform named \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. ArogyaSetu
- B. Co-Win
- C. Covid-Cure
- D. None of these

**PTN:**

PMO India has directed the head of CoWIN portal RS Sharma to create an open-source version of CoWIN free of cost to any interested country.

Which of these detergent brands is making the world's first space detergent to enable astronauts wash clothes in space?

- A. Ariel
- B. Tide
- C. Surf-Excel
- D. Wheel

**PTN:**

Astronauts need about a total of 68 kgs of clothes in space per year. Cargo ships are expensive, so NASA is looking for ways to not use that to ship clothes. Tide is an American brand of laundry detergent marketed by Procter & Gamble.

Which of the these companies is investing in India's first world-scale carbon fibre plant for supporting hydrogen and solar energy ecosystems?

- A. TATA Group
- B. Reliance Industries
- C. Adani Group
- D. Birla Group

**PTN:**

Over the next 3 years RIL plans to invest over Rs 60,000 crore to develop a fully integrated, end-to-end renewables energy eco-system.

Which of the these healthcare startup firms has acquired a 66.1% stake in Thyrocare, which runs a diagnostic lab chain in India?

- A. MedLife
- B. Img
- C. PharmEasy
- D. Netmeds

**PTN:**

The deal is worth close to \$613 million.  
Parent firm of PharmEasy: API Holdings

Name the insurance firm which has partnered with Microsoft recently in order to enhance its customer support.

- A. ICICI Lombard
- B. Bajaj Allianz Life Insurance
- C. Bharti Axa
- D. LIC

**PTN:**

Country's largest private sector general insurer ICICI Lombard has tied up with Microsoft to strengthen & automate the quality control processes. The insurer will make use of Microsoft's Azure Speech Services and Natural Language Processing.

Name the bank which partnered with Indiabulls Housing Finance Ltd & IIFL Home Finance Ltd towards co-lending housing loans under Priority Sector lending?

- A. Bank of Baroda
- B. Central Bank of India
- C. Axis Bank
- D. ICICI Bank

**PTN:**

Under this arrangement, non-banking finance companies (NBFCs) will originate and process retail home loans while Central Bank of India will take into its book 80 per cent of the housing loan.



CBSE has partnered with which of the following tech giants to introduce a new coding and data science curriculum for students of Classes 8 to 12?

- A. Google
- B. Microsoft
- C. Facebook
- D. Wipro

**PTN:**

The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) introduced Coding for Classes 6 to 8 and the Data Science curriculum for Classes 8 to 12 in collaboration with Microsoft.

## Assignment!

1. Which company signed an MoU with the Indian Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ISHRAE) for implementing clean energy solutions in the Refrigerators sector?
2. Name the company that partnered with SBI Cards to issue co-branded Contactless Credit Cards to issue rewards on shopping?

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