



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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EXPLANATION

1. Ans. b

Recently, the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) launched an Earth observation Satellite (EOS-04) along with two other smaller satellites into space using a PSLV (Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle) rocket. This was the 54th flight of the PSLV rocket.

2. Ans. b

The Government has approved the scheme of Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) for continuation till 31st March 2026 or till further review, whichever is earlier. It is the centrally sponsored scheme launched in October 2013 that aims at providing strategic funding to higher education institutions throughout the country.

3. Ans. a

4. Ans. d

5. Ans. a

6. Ans. b

7. Ans. c

8. Ans. c

9. Ans. b

IUCN status is Least Concern It is found in arid and semi-arid regions of India which includes Gujarat, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra.

10. Ans. d

The objectives of EPR are as follows:

- Integration of environmental costs
- Improved waste management

- Reduction of disposal
- Reduction of burden on municipalities
- Design of environmentally sound products