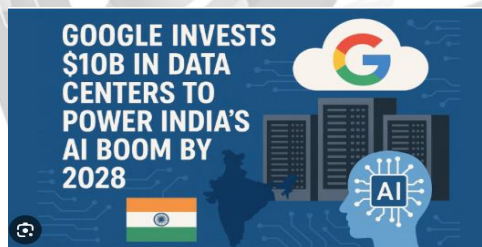


EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – OCTOBER 14, 2025

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- **Google Announced an Investment of \$10 Billion**
- ✓ A \$10 billion investment plan was announced by Alphabet Inc.'s Google to establish a data centre and AI hub in Andhra Pradesh.



- ✓ A 1-gigawatt data centre campus will be built by Google in the port city of Visakhapatnam, where AI infrastructure, large-scale energy sources, and an expanded fibre-optic network will be combined.
- ✓ This initiative comes amid intensifying competition among global tech firms investing heavily in AI-driven data facilities.

AWARDS

- **Global Sustainability Award**
- ✓ Sonali Ghosh, Director of Kaziranga National Park and Tiger Reserve, has become the first Indian to receive the prestigious Kenton R. Miller Award for innovation in protected area sustainability.



- ✓ Dr. Ghosh was honoured for her community-driven conservation model, which effectively blends traditional ecological knowledge with modern science, significantly benefiting landscapes like Kaziranga and Manas in Assam.

IMPORTANT DAYS

- **World Standards Day – October 14**
- ✓ World Standards Day is celebrated every year on 14th October to honor the contributions of experts and organizations developing international standards.



- ✓ The day is spearheaded by the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC), International Organization for Standardization (ISO), and the International Telecommunication Union (ITU).
- ✓ Theme: A Shared Vision for a Better World.

