

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – SEPTEMBER 22, 2024

ECONOMY

- **India Economy to be Third-Largest by 2030-31**
- ✓ India economy to be third-largest by 2030-31: S&P Global As per S&P Global India, India to become the world's third-largest economy by 2030–31.



- ✓ India is projected to grow at an annual rate of 6.7 per cent.
- ✓ India emerged as the fastest-growing large economy with gross domestic product (GDP) growth at the rate of 8.2 per cent in the financial year (FY) 2024.
- ✓ India's medium-term prospects are healthy and filled with opportunities in multiple sectors.

RANKING

- **State Food Safety Index (SFSI)**

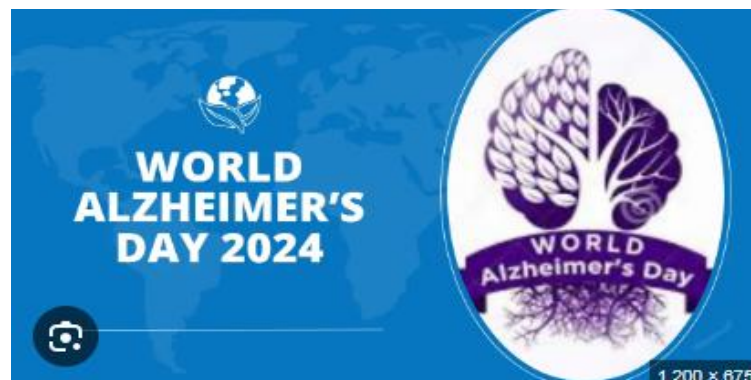
- ✓ Kerala secured first spot in the 2024 State Food Safety Index (SFSI). Kerala, Tamil Nadu, and Jammu & Kashmir are the top 3 performers on the State Food Safety Index 2024.



- ✓ State Food Safety Index (SFSI) has been released by the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI).
- ✓ The report has been unveiled at the inaugural session of the Global Food Safety Regulators Summit.
- ✓ The index evaluates state and union territories on five parameters: Human Resources and Institutional Data, Compliance, Food Testing Infrastructure and Surveillance, Training and Capacity Building, and Consumer Empowerment.

IMPORTANT DAYS

- **World Alzheimer's Day: September 21**
- ✓ World Alzheimer's Day is celebrated every year on 21 September. It is observed to raise awareness and challenge the stigma around Alzheimer's disease.



- ✓ German psychiatrist and pathologist, Alois Alzheimer described it for the first time in 1906. Its symptoms are memory-related difficulties, mood swings, and disorientation.

- ✓ It may be inherited genetically or caused by head injuries, depression, and hypertension.

