

# Current Affairs - September 3rd, 2024

## National

### 1. Semiconductor Unit in Gujarat:



The Union Cabinet approved the establishment of a semiconductor manufacturing unit in Sanand, Gujarat, by Kaynes Semicon Pvt Ltd. This is a significant step towards India's goal of becoming a global leader in semiconductor manufacturing.

## States

### 2. Uttar Pradesh Invests in IT:



The Uttar Pradesh government plans to invest Rs 33,500 crore over the next five years to develop IT and ITes hubs in five major cities.

## Appointments

### 3. Philips Appoints New MD for India:



Philips has appointed Bharath Sesha as the new Managing Director for India, effective September 1st.

## Business

### 4. Bisleri Partners for Waste Management:



Bisleri International Pvt. Ltd. partnered with the Government of Goa to improve plastic waste management through the "Bottles for Change" initiative.

### 5. RIL First Company to Cross ₹10 Lakh Crore Revenue:



Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) became the first Indian company to exceed ₹10 lakh crore in annual revenue.

## Science and Technology

### 6. Google DeepMind's AI for Indic Languages:



Google DeepMind's India unit is developing an AI project called Morni to cover 125 Indic languages and dialects.

## Sports

### 7. Lord's to Host ICC World Test Championship Final:



Lord's Cricket Ground in London will host the final of the ICC World Test Championship (WTC) in June 2025.

#### **8. NorthEast United Wins Durand Cup:**



NorthEast United Football Club won their first Durand Cup title, defeating Mohun Bagan Super Giant in the finals.

## **Paralympics 2024:**

#### **9. India Wins Archery and Badminton Medals:**



- Sheetal Devi and Rakesh Kumar secured bronze in the mixed team compound archery competition.



- Suhas Yathiraj won silver in the men's singles SL4 category of badminton.



- Thulasimathi Murugesan and Manisha Ramadass won silver and bronze, respectively, in the women's singles SU5 class of badminton.