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❖ **HENLEY PASSPORT INDEX 2026**

- **Released By** : Henley & Partners
- **Ranking basis** : Number of countries accessible visa-free
- **India's Rank** : **81st (Aug 2026)**; visa-free access to 55 countries
- **Top** : **1st Singapore**, 2nd Japan, South Korea & UAE (joint 2nd)
- **Last** : Afghanistan

❖ **GLOBAL PEACE INDEX 2026**

- **Released By** : Institute for Economics & Peace (IEP) - Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Societal safety & security, domestic/international conflict, militarisation
- **India's Rank** : **127th (2025-115th)**
- **Top** : **1st Iceland**, 2nd New Zealand, 3rd Switzerland
- **Last** : Russia (163rd)

❖ **WORLD HAPPINESS REPORT 2026**

- **Released By** : University of Oxford's Wellbeing Research Centre, with Gallup & UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : GDP per capita, social support, personal freedom, corruption, healthy life expectancy
- **India's Rank** : **116th (2025-118th)**
- **Top** : **Finland (1st, 9th consecutive year)**; 2nd Iceland; 3rd Denmark
- **Last** : Afghanistan (147th, last — 'unhappiest country in the world')

❖ **WORLD PRESS FREEDOM INDEX 2026**

- **Released By** : Reporters Without Borders — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Press freedom and journalist safety indicators
- **India's Rank** : **157th (2025-151st)**
- **Top** : **1st. Norway** (top for 10 years); 2nd Netherlands; 3rd Estonia
- **Last** : Eritrea (180th, last); North Korea (179th); China (178th)

❖ CORRUPTION PERCEPTIONS INDEX 2025

- **Released By** : Transparency International — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Perceived levels of public-sector corruption
- **India's Rank** : **91st**
- **Top 3** : **Denmark** (least corrupt, 8th straight year); 2nd Finland ; 3rd Singapore
- **Last** : South Sudan & Somalia (joint last/most corrupt)

❖ GLOBAL SOFT POWER INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Brand Finance — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Culture, diplomacy, values, innovation
- **India's Rank** : **32nd**
- **Top 3** : **1st USA**, 2nd China, 3rd Japan
- **Last** :— No official 'worst' list published — Brand Finance ranks all 193 UN member states but publicises only top performers

❖ GLOBAL HUNGER INDEX 2025

- **Released By** : Concern Worldwide & Welthungerhilfe — Yearly
- **Ranking basis**: Undernourishment, child stunting, child wasting, child mortality
- **India's Rank** : **102nd**
- **Top 3** : No individual top-3 — GHI jointly ranks 25 countries at rank 1 (score <5), incl. China, Kuwait, UAE, Türkiye, Uruguay, Chile, Croatia, Estonia;
- **Last** : Somalia (123rd, worst)

❖ ASIA POWER INDEX 2025

- **Released By** : Lowy Institute, Australia — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Economic resources, military capability, diplomatic influence, cultural reach, future resources
- **India's Rank** : **3rd** (first time crossing 'major power' threshold)
- **Top 3** : **1st USA**, 2nd China, 3rd India
- **Last** : Papua New Guinea (27th)

❖ GLOBAL INNOVATION INDEX 2025

- **Released By** : World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO)
- **Ranking basis** : Institutions, human capital & research, infrastructure, knowledge & technology outputs
- **India's Rank** : **38th** (top performer among lower-middle-income economies; innovation overperformer for 15 consecutive years)
- **Top 3** : **Switzerland (1st, 15th consecutive year)**; Sweden (2nd); USA (3rd)
- **Last** : Niger (139th)

❖ GLOBAL GENDER GAP INDEX 2025

- **Released By** : World Economic Forum (WEF): — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Economic Participation and opportunity, Educational Attainment, Health and Survival, Political Empowerment
- **India's Rank** : **131st** out of 145 countries (Score: 64.5%). (*India retained its 2025 rank*)
- **Top 3** : **Iceland**(16th consecutive year at #1), 2nd Finland , 3rd Norway
- **Last** : Chad (145th)

❖ WOMEN, PEACE & SECURITY INDEX 2025/26

- **Released By** : Georgetown Institute for Women, Peace & Security + Peace Research Institute Oslo — Biennial (5th edition)
- **Ranking basis** : Women's inclusion, justice and security
- **India's Rank** : **131st**
- **Top 3** : **1st Denmark**, 2nd Iceland, 3rd Norway
- **Last** : Afghanistan

❖ GLOBAL DEMOCRACY INDEX

- **Released By** : Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Electoral Process & Pluralism, Government Functioning, Political Participation, Political Culture, & Civil Liberties
- **India's Rank** : **41st** (category: "Flawed Democracy")
- **Top 3** : **1st Norway** , 2nd New Zealand, 3rd Iceland
- **Last** : Afghanistan (167th)

❖ UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDG) INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network
- **Ranking basis** : Progress on the 17 SDGs (2030 Agenda)
- **India's Rank** : **94th** of 167 — updated from 99th in the 2025 edition; up 18 places from its 2015 baseline rank of 112th
- **Top 3** : **1st Finland**, **2nd Sweden**, **3rd Denmark**
- **Last** : South Sudan (167th)

❖ CLIMATE CHANGE PERFORMANCE INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Germanwatch, New Climate Institute & Climate Action Network
- **Ranking basis** : GHG emissions, renewable energy, energy use, climate policy
- **India's Rank** : **23rd**
- **Top 3** : Top 3 — Ranks 1-3 left vacant (no country judged sufficiently climate-ambitious); 4th: Denmark , 5th: United Kingdom
- **Last** : Saudi Arabia (Rank 67th)

❖ INVESTMENT FRIENDLINESS INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : NITI Aayog — Yearly (1st edition)
- **Ranking basis** : Infrastructure, business environment, resources, govt policy, regulatory ease, institutional environment, financial health, environmental resilience
- **Top 3** : **1st Gujarat** , **2nd Maharashtra**, **3rd Tamil Nadu**
- **Last** : Bihar, Jharkhand, West Bengal

❖ HUMAN DEVELOPMENT INDEX / HDR 2025

- **Released By** : UN Development Programme (UNDP) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Health, education, income, living conditions
- **India's Rank** : **130th** (up from 133rd)
- **Top 3** : **1st Iceland**, **2nd Norway**, **3rd Switzerland**
- **Last** : South Sudan (lowest HDI)

❖ RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY RANKING (IRENA)

- **Released By** : International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)
- **Ranking basis** : Total installed renewable energy capacity
- **India's Rank** : **3rd** (250.52 GW)
- **Top 3** : **1st China**, **2nd USA**, **3rd India**

❖ FREE SPEECH INDEX 2025 ('WHO IN THE WORLD SUPPORTS FREE SPEECH')

- **Released By** : The Future of Free Speech (US think tank, with YouGov)
- **Ranking basis** : Public support for free-speech principles
- **India's Rank** : **24th** of 33
- **Top 3** : **1st Norway**, **2nd Denmark**, **3rd Sweden**
- **Last** : No precise bottom-3 published; report notes Muslim-majority countries and the Global South scored lowest overall (e.g. Pakistan 57.0)

❖ ECONOMIC FREEDOM INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : The Heritage Foundation — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Rule of Law, Government Size, Regulatory Efficiency, & Open Markets
- **India's Rank** : **132nd** (category: "Mostly Unfree")
- **Top 3** : **1st Singapore**, **2nd Switzerland**, **3rd Ireland**
- **Last** : North Korea (176th)

❖ WORLD COMPETITIVENESS INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : International Institute for Management Development (IMD)
- **Ranking basis** : Economic Performance, Government Efficiency, Business Efficiency, & Infrastructure
- **India's Rank** : **44th** (among 70 economies)
- **Top 3** : **1st Singapore**, **2nd Hong Kong SAR**, **3rd Switzerland**
- **Last** : Venezuela (70th)

❖ GINI INDEX 2025 (WORLD BANK)

- **Released By** : World Bank — Yearly (reflects each country's latest available household survey year)
- **Ranking basis** : Income equality (lower score = more equal)
- **India's Rank** : **4th** most equal
- **Top 3** : **1st Slovak Republic**, **2nd Slovenia**, **3rd Belarus**
- **Last** : South Africa (63.0, most unequal, 2014 survey)

❖ INTERNATIONAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY (IP) INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : U.S. Chamber of Commerce (Global Innovation Policy Center)
- **Ranking basis** : Patents, Copyrights, Trademarks, Enforcement, Trade Secrets, & IP Monetization (55 indicators across 55 global economies)
- **India's Rank** : **42nd** (among 55 economies)
- **Top 3** : **1st United States**, 2nd United Kingdom , 3rd France
- **Last** : Venezuela (55th)

❖ GLOBAL FIREPOWER INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Global Firepower (GFP) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Over 60 factors including troop manpower, equipment, geography, logistics, & defense budget (PowerIndex score)
- **India's Rank** : **4th** (among 145 countries)
- **Top 3** : **1st United States**, 2nd Russia, 3rd China
- **Last** : Bhutan (145th)

❖ WORLD ENERGY TRANSITION INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : World Economic Forum (WEF) in collaboration with Accenture — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : System Performance (Equitable, Secure, Sustainable Energy) & Transition Readiness
- **India's Rank** : **70th** (out of 120 countries)
- **Top 3** : **1st Sweden**, 2nd Finland, 3rd Denmark
- **Last** : Democratic Republic of the Congo (120th)

❖ HURUN GLOBAL UNICORN INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Hurun Research Institute — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Privately held startups founded in the 2000s valued at US\$1 billion or more (not yet listed on a public exchange)
- **India's Rank** : **4th** (with 61 unicorns; Bengaluru as top Indian city with 25)
- **Top 3** : **1st United States** (806 unicorns), 2nd China (381), 3rd UK
- **Most Valuable Unicorn** : Anthropic (US)

❖ HURUN INDIA RICH LIST 2026

- **Released By** : Hurun Report — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Net worth of India's wealthiest individuals
- **Top 3** : **Gautam Adani & family** (₹9.23 lakh crore), Mukesh Ambani & family (₹8.63 lakh crore), L N Mittal & family (₹3.39 lakh crore)

❖ GLOBAL TERRORISM INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Institute for Economics and Peace (IEP) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Incidents, Fatalities, Injuries, & Property Damage (weighted average over 5 years across 163 countries)
- **India's Rank** : 13th
- **Top 3 (Most Impacted)** : 1st **Pakistan**, 2nd Burkina Faso, 3rd Mali
- **Least Impacted** : 25 countries tied at 139th (including Iceland, Finland, Bhutan)

❖ HUMAN FREEDOM INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Cato Institute (USA) & Fraser Institute (Canada) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Personal, Civil, & Economic Freedoms
- **India's Rank** : 110th
- **Top 3** : 1st **Switzerland**, 2nd Denmark, 3rd New Zealand
- **Last** : Syrian Arab Republic (165th)

❖ ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE INDEX (EPI) 2026

- **Released By** : Yale Center for Environmental Law & Policy and Columbia University (Biennial)
- **Ranking basis** : Environmental Health, Ecosystem Vitality, & Climate Change
- **India's Rank** : 176th (among 177 countries)
- **Top 3** : 1st **Estonia**, 2nd Luxembourg, 3rd United Kingdom
- **Last** : Laos (177th)

❖ GLOBAL LIVEABILITY INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Stability, Healthcare, Culture & Environment, Education, & Infrastructure (across 173 cities)
- **India's Top Cities** : **Delhi (120th)**, Mumbai (121st), Chennai (123rd), Bengaluru
- **Top 3** : 1st **Copenhagen**, 2nd Vienna, 3rd Melbourne
- **Last** : Damascus, Syria (173rd)

❖ GOVERNMENT AI READINESS INDEX 2026

- **Released By** : Oxford Insights — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Government Pillar, Technology Sector, & Data and Infrastructure (across 195 countries)
- **India's Rank** : 27th (leads South & Central Asia)
- **Top 3** : 1st **United States**, 2nd Singapore, 3rd United Kingdom
- **Last** : South Sudan / Central African Republic

❖ NATURE CONSERVATION INDEX (NCI)

- **Released By** : Israel's Ben-Gurion University of the Negev (Goldman Sonnenfeldt School) & BioDB — First published in late 2024
- **Ranking basis** : Land management, threat to biodiversity, capacity & governance, and future trends (across 180 countries)
- **India's Rank** : **176th** (among 180 countries)
- **Top 3** : **1st Luxembourg**, 2nd Estonia, 3rd Portugal
- **Last** : Kiribati (180th)

❖ WORLD AIR QUALITY REPORT 2025

- **Released By** : IQAir (Swiss Air Quality Technology Company) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Annual average PM2.5 concentrations compared with WHO Air Quality Guidelines
- **India's Rank** : **6th** most polluted country globally
- **Most Polluted Region / City** : **Loni, Uttar Pradesh** (Ghaziabad district — 1st globally)
- **Most Polluted Countries** : 1st Pakistan, 2nd Bangladesh, 3rd Chad
- **Most Polluted Capital** : New Delhi, India

❖ GLOBAL AVIATION SAFETY RANKING (ICAO)

- **Released By** : International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)
- **Ranking basis** : Universal Safety Oversight Audit Programme (USOAP) assessing 8 Core Parameters (Legislation, Licensing, Operations, Airworthiness, Accident Investigation, etc.)
- **India's Rank** : **48th**
- **Top 3** : **1st Singapore**, 2nd UAE, 3rd South Korea
- **Key Highlight** : India achieved its highest-ever ranking in ICAO safety audits, jumping significantly from its earlier position of 102nd.

❖ FISCAL HEALTH INDEX 2026 (NITI AAYOG)

- **Released By** : NITI Aayog — Yearly (2nd edition)
- **Ranking basis** : Quality of Expenditure, Revenue Mobilisation, Fiscal Prudence, Debt Index, & Debt Sustainability
- **Top 3** : **1st Odisha** , 2nd Goa , 3rd Jharkhand
- **Lowest Ranked Major States** : Punjab, Kerala, & West Bengal

❖ EXPORT PREPAREDNESS INDEX (EPI)

- **Released By** : NITI Aayog
- **Ranking basis** : Export Infrastructure, Business Ecosystem, Policy & Governance, & Export Performance
- **Top 3** : **1st Maharashtra**, 2nd Tamil Nadu , 3rd Gujarat
- **Last** : Uttarakhand

❖ SDG INDIA INDEX

- **Released By** : NITI Aayog (in collaboration with United Nations)
- **Ranking basis** : Progress on 17 Sustainable Development Goals across 113 indicators
- **Top States** : **1st Kerala & Uttarakhand** (Joint Top), Tamil Nadu(2nd)
- **Top UT** : Chandigarh
- **Last** : Bihar

❖ INDIA INNOVATION INDEX (NITI AAYOG)

- **Released By** : NITI Aayog
- **Ranking basis** : Enablers (Human Capital, Investment, Knowledge Workers, Business Environment, Safety & Legal) & Outputs (Knowledge Output & Diffusion)
- **Top 3** : **1st Karnataka**, 2nd Telangana , 3rd Haryana
- **Top UT** : Chandigarh
- **Last** : Chhattisgarh

❖ QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2027

- **Released By** : Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) — Yearly
- **Ranking basis** : Academic reputation, employer reputation, citations, faculty ratio, internationalisation
- **Top Indian institute: IIT Delhi** (118th globally)
- **Top 3** : **MIT (1st)**; Imperial College London & Stanford (joint 2nd); Oxford (3rd)

❖ SMART CITY INDEX 2025

- **Released By** : International Institute for Management Development (IMD)
- **Ranking basis** : Economic and technological dimensions of urban life
- **Top Indian city** : **New Delhi** (104th globally); Mumbai (106th), Hyderabad (109th), Bengaluru (110th) also featured
- **Top 3** : **1st Zurich**, 2nd Oslo, 3rd Geneva

➤ **QUESTIONS PRACTICE :**

Q1. As per the Henley Passport Index released in August 2026, what position does India hold?

- A) 87 B) 77 C) 81 D) 90

Answer: C

Q2. What is India's national ranking on the Global Peace Index for the year 2026?

- A) 115th B) 127th C) 120th D) 134th

Answer: B

Q3. According to Reporters Without Borders' World Press Freedom Index 2026, what place is assigned to India?

- A) 120 B) 140 C) 170 D) 157

Answer: D

Q4. Which country topped the Global Unicorn Index 2026 with 806 unicorns?

- A) India B) China C) UK D) USA

Answer: D

Q5. Which country topped the World Happiness Report 2026 for the 9th consecutive year?

- A) Iceland B) Norway C) Denmark D) Finland

Answer: D

Q6. What was India's rank in the World Happiness Report 2026?

- A) 126th B) 118th C) 116th D) 136th

Answer: C

Q7. Which country topped the World Press Freedom Index 2026 for the 10th consecutive year?

- A) Denmark B) Estonia C) Norway D) Netherlands

Answer: C

Q8. On Brand Finance's Global Soft Power Index 2026, which spot does India secure?

- A) 32 B) 28 C) 40 D) 50

Answer: A

Q9. What rank was given to India in Transparency International's Corruption Perceptions Index 2025?

- A) 84 B) 91 C) 96 D) 102

Answer: B

Q10. What position does India occupy in the Asia Power Index 2025 compiled by the Lowy Institute?

A) 4th B) 3rd C) 5th D) 6th **Answer: B**

Q11. Where does India rank in the Women, Peace & Security Index 2025/26 assessment?

A) 110th B) 75th C) 181st D) 131st **Answer: D**

Q12. The IMD World Competitiveness Ranking 2026 placed which country at the top overall?

A) USA B) Switzerland C) Singapore D) Hong Kong **Answer: C**

Q13. What was India's overall rank in the IMD World Competitiveness Ranking 2026?

A) 39 B) 44 C) 41 D) 50 **Answer: B**

Q14. Which country topped the Global Gender Gap Index 2025 for the 16th consecutive year?

A) Finland B) Sweden C) Iceland D) Norway **Answer: C**

Q15. What was India's rank in the Global Gender Gap Index 2025?

A) 120 B) 127 C) 135 D) 131 **Answer: D**

Q16. According to Concern Worldwide & Welthungerhilfe, what was India's placement in the Global Hunger Index 2025?

A) 100 B) 105 C) 102 D) 112 **Answer: C**

Q17. Based on the World Bank's Gini Index for 2025, where does India rank globally in terms of income equality?

A) 2nd B) 4th C) 6th D) 8th **Answer: B**

Q18. In 'Who in the World Supports Free Speech' report (Free Speech Index 2025), where did India rank out of 33 countries?

A) 15th B) 18th C) 30th D) 24th **Answer: D**

Q19. Which country topped the Henley Passport Index 2026, with 192 visa-free destinations?

A) Singapore B) South Korea C) Germany D) Japan **Answer: A**

Q20. Which country topped the Climate Change Performance Index 2026, given that ranks 1-3 remained vacant?

A) Norway B) UK (5th) C) Denmark (4th) D) Sweden **Answer: C**

Q21. What was India's rank in the Climate Change Performance Index 2026, issued by Germanwatch?

A) 23 B) 10 C) 7 D) 15 **Answer: A**

Q22. Which country topped the Global Peace Index 2026 for the 18th consecutive year (since 2008)?

A) Iceland B) Bhutan C) Norway D) Switzerland **Answer: A**

Q23. Which country topped the Global Firepower Index 2026, with India ranking 4th?

A) USA B) Russia C) India D) China **Answer: A**

Q24. Which Indian state secured the top position among major states in NITI Aayog's Investment Friendliness Index 2026?

A) Maharashtra B) Gujarat C) Tamil Nadu D) Odisha **Answer: B**

Q25. Which maritime facility achieved the highest global ranking among Indian container ports in the CPPI 2025?

A) Mundra Port B) Jawaharlal Nehru Port C) Visakhapatnam Port
D) Chennai Port **Answer: B**

Q26. Under the Sagar Aankalan initiative, which facility claimed first place in the dry bulk cargo section of the LPPI 2024–25?

A) Paradip Port B) Mundra Port C) JNPA D) Deendayal Port **Answer: A**

Q27. As per SIPRI figures covering 2021–25, which nation recorded the highest volume of global arms imports?

A) India B) China C) Saudi Arabia D) Ukraine **Answer: D**

Q28. Which body brought out the Fiscal Health Index 2026 evaluating financial governance across states?

A) Finance Ministry B) Reserve Bank of India C) NITI Aayog D) SEBI **Answer: C**

Q29. Which state emerged as the top performer in the large states category in NITI Aayog's 4th Export Preparedness Index 2024?

A) Gujarat B) Tamil Nadu C) Bihar D) Maharashtra **Answer: D**

Q30. Who was listed as India's wealthiest individual in the Hurun India Rich List 2026?

- A) Gautam Adani B) Mukesh Ambani C) Shiv Nadar
D) Cyrus Poonawalla

Answer: A

Q31. Which higher education institution was ranked highest among Indian entries in the QS World University Rankings 2027?

- A) IIT Bombay B) IIT Madras C) IIT Delhi D) IISc Bengaluru **Answer: C**

Q32. Which country topped the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) Index 2026?

- A) Sweden B) Norway C) Finland D) Denmark **Answer: C**

Q33. Which country topped the Global Innovation Index 2025 for the 15th consecutive year?

- A) USA B) Sweden C) South Korea D) Switzerland **Answer: D**

Q34. Which country topped the Human Development Report 2025?

- A) Norway B) Iceland C) Denmark D) Switzerland **Answer: B**

Q35. Which country topped the World Air Quality Report 2026 as the most polluted country?

- A) Bangladesh B) Pakistan C) India D) Chad **Answer: B**

Q36. Which country topped the Corruption Perceptions Index (CPI) 2025 for the 8th consecutive year?

- A) New Zealand B) Denmark C) Singapore D) Finland **Answer: B**

Q37. In the Global Innovation Index 2025 compiled by WIPO, what rank is held by India?

- A) 20 B) 30 C) 38 D) 60 **Answer: C**

Q38. Which educational institute secured 1st rank overall in the Ministry of Education's NIRF 2025 rankings?

- A) IIT Bombay B) IIT Madras C) IIT Delhi D) IISc Bangalore **Answer: B**

Q39. What was India's position globally among defence spenders in 2025 according to SIPRI data released in 2026?

- A) 3rd B) 5th C) 7th D) 10th **Answer: B**

Q40. What was India's position in UNDP's Human Development Index (HDI 2025 reporting 2023 data)?

A) 120 B) 125 C) 130 D) 135 **Answer: C**

Q41. As per International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA) metrics, what rank does India hold in total installed renewable capacity?

A) 1st B) 2nd C) 3rd D) 4th **Answer: C**

Q42. Where does India stand in the Climate Change Performance Index (CCPI) 2026 presented at COP30?

A) 23rd B) 11th C) 8th D) 12th **Answer: A**

Q43. In Germanwatch's Global Climate Risk Index 2025, what single-year rank was assigned to India for 2024?

A) 12th B) 15th C) 18th D) 21st **Answer: B**

Q44. According to the Time Out City Life Index 2025, which Asian city was named the happiest city in Asia?

A) Delhi B) Bangkok C) Shanghai D) Mumbai **Answer: D**

Q45. Which Indian tech hub ranked highest in Counterpoint Research's Global AI City Index 2025?

A) Bengaluru B) Mumbai C) Delhi D) Chennai **Answer: A**

Q46. Which global city attained the top rank in IMD's Smart City Index 2025?

A) Zurich B) Oslo C) Dubai D) Singapore **Answer: A**

Q47. Which state achieved 1st rank in the Panchayati Raj Ministry's maiden Panchayat Advancement Index (PAI) for 2022-23?

A) Telangana B) Maharashtra C) Gujarat D) Tamil Nadu **Answer: C**

Q48. According to Skytrax World Airport Awards 2025, which country's main hub (Changi) claimed the top global airport title?

A) Qatar B) Singapore C) Japan D) United Arab Emirates **Answer: B**

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