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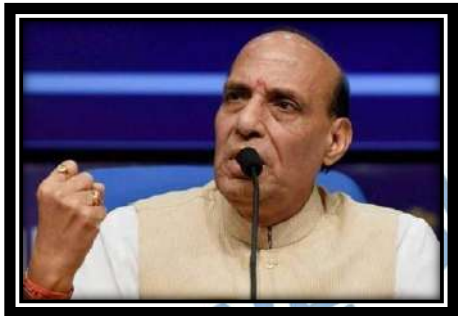
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1st INDIAN BRAIN ATLAS CREATED

COMPARISON OF BRAIN SIZE AND SHAPE OF INDIAN ATLASSES AND OTHER ATLASSES

	Length	Width	Height	Volume
	(mm)			(dm ³)
IBA100	160	130	88	1.39
MNI305	181	142	111	2.39
Chinese	175	145	100	1.89
Korean	160	136	92	1.63

NATIONAL NEWS

- The state of Jammu and Kashmir has been **bifurcated** into **two Union Territories of J&K and Ladakh with effect from 31 October**. IAS officers Girish Chandra Murmu have been appointed the new Lieutenant Governor (LG) for the Union territories (UTs) of Jammu and Kashmir.
 - Also and R K Mathur has been appointed as the LG for Ladakh.
 - **Related Keys**
 - This is due to the Cancellation of law 370 on August 5th.
 - Ladakh Capital – Leh
 - Jammu and Kashmir Capital - Jammu (Winter), Srinagar (Summer).
- In a unique gesture to mark **550th Birth Anniversary of Sri Guru Nanak Dev ji**, **Air India** has **depicted** Sikh religious symbol '**Ek Onkar**' on the tail of one of its aircraft. The flight is set to fly from Amritsar to Stansted in the United Kingdom.
 - Air India will fly its aircraft thrice a week on the Mumbai-Amritsar-Stansted route.
 - **Related Keys**
 - Air India CEO: Pradeep Singh Kharola
 - Air India Founded 15 October 1932
 - Air India Headquarters – Delhi
- Defence Minister Raj Nath Singh is to attend key meeting of the **Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO)** at **Tashkent, Uzbekistan**. He will also participate in bilateral engagements with the Uzbekistan Government.
 - The Minister is to represent India in the meeting of Council of Heads of Government (CHG) of SCO at Tashkent.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- **PM Modi** will embark a three-day **visit** to **Thailand** to participate in the **ASEAN, East Asia and RCEP summits**. In 2018, India had hosted the Indo-ASEAN summit commemorating its 25th anniversary, where all the 10 ASEAN leaders participated.
 - Related Keys
 - Thailand Capital – Bangkok
 - Thailand Currency- Baht

SCIENCE AND TECH UPDATES

- Researchers at the **International Institute of Information Technology Hyderabad** said that the first-ever **Indian Brain Atlas** (IBA) has been created. They stated that the next step is to prepare atlases for different age groups to study age-related effects on brain anatomy.
 - The average brain size of an Indian was smaller in height, width and volume in comparison to people of the Caucasian and eastern races.
 - Related Keys
 - International Institute of Information Technology Hyderabad Founded – 1998
 - International Institute of Information Technology Hyderabad Director - P. J. Narayanan.

WORD OF THE DAY

- **Galvanize** - shock or excite (someone) into taking action
 - Similar Words - jolt, shock ,startle
 - Antonyms - demotivate , discourage
- **Gentry** - the most powerful members of a society.
 - Similar Words - titled people , Upper Classes
 - Antonyms - Laboring Class, Commoner.