

World Wealth Report 2024

Source: TH

India's high net-worth individuals (HNWIs) increased by 12.2% in 2023 as compared to 2022, according to the Capgemini World Wealth Report. There are now 3.589 million HNWIs in the country.

- The financial wealth of India's HNWIs increased by 12.4% in 2023 to USD 1,445.7 billion, up from USD 1,286.7 billion in 2022.
- Globally, HNWI wealth and population rose by 4.7% and 5.1% in 2023.
- In 2023, India's:
 - Unemployment rate dropped from 7% in 2022 to 3.1% in 2023, alongside a 7.3% economic growth.
 - Market capitalisation surged by 29.0%, compared to a 6% increase in 2022.
 - National savings as a percentage of GDP rose from 29.9% in 2022 to 33.4% in 2023.
- HNWI are individuals with investable assets of USD 1 million or more, excluding their primary The Visio residence, collectables, consumables, and consumer durables.

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ABHA-Based Scan and Share Service

Source: PIB

Recently, the National Health Authority (NHA) has achieved a milestone of generating over 3 crore tokens for Out-Patient Department (OPD) registrations through the ABHA-based Scan and Share service.

- It enables patients to conveniently register for OPD appointments by scanning a QR code displayed at the OPD registration counter.
- It has eliminated the need to wait in long queues for appointments, benefiting vulnerable groups such as the elderly, pregnant women, and those with mobility challenges.
- Uttar Pradesh has generated the maximum tokens followed by Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Jammu and Kashmir.
- This service was launched under the Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM) in 2022.
- ABHA is a unique **14-digit number** used to link all the health records of a person, which intends to create a digital health ecosystem & aims to promote the digitisation of healthcare.

THE ABOM ECOSYSTEM



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Jolfa

Source: IE

Recently, **Iran's President** and Foreign Minister died, following a **helicopter crash** in the Jolfa, East Azerbaijan province of Iran.

• The helicopter was a **US-made Bell-212 helicopter**, known for its reliability despite its age.

Jolfa:

- Jolfa is a city in the Central District of Jolfa County, East Azerbaijan province, Iran.
- It serves as the capital of both the county and the district.
- Jolfa is separated by the **Aras River** from the **town of Julfa** on the **Azerbaijan** side of the border.



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