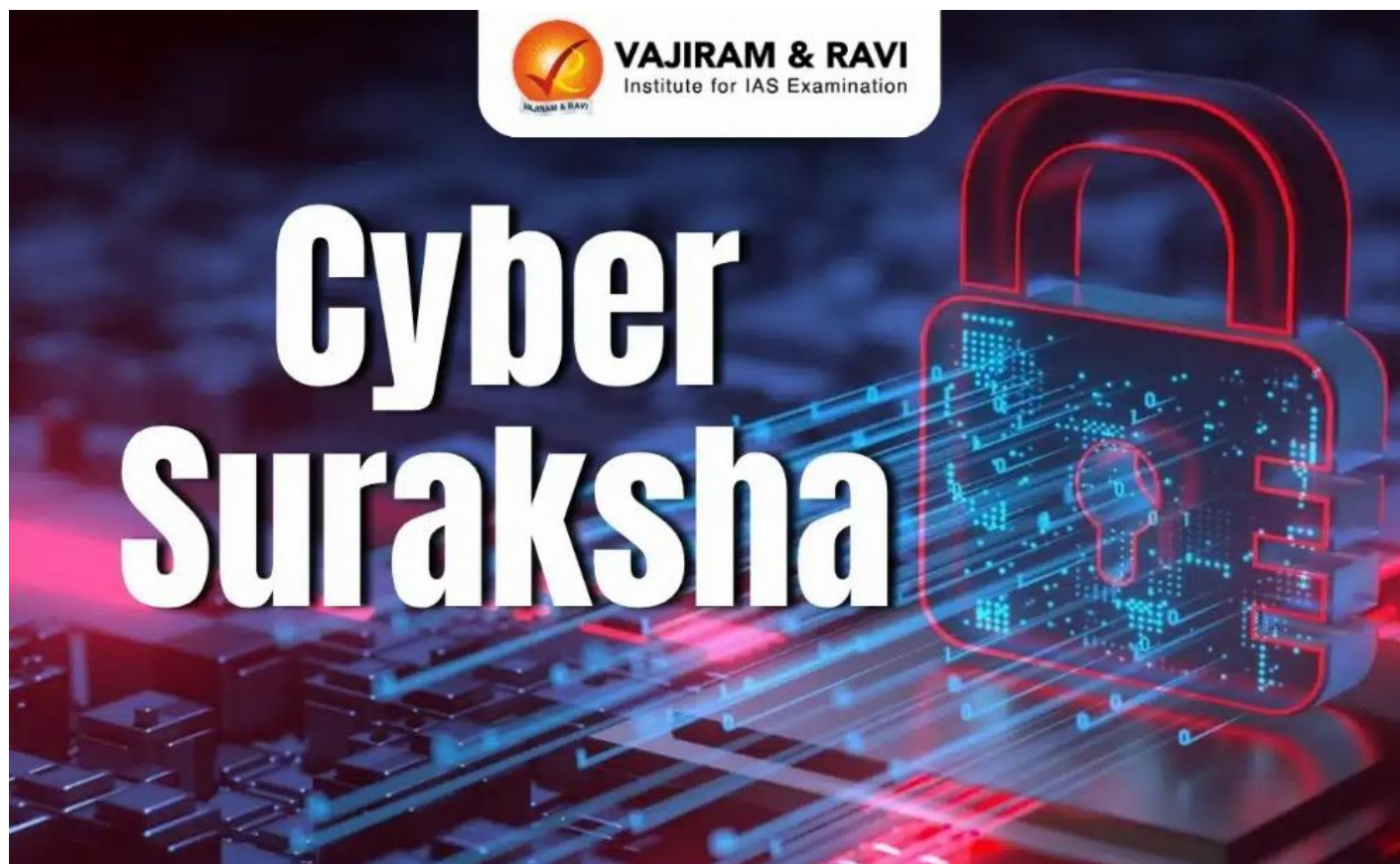


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Recently, the Defence Cyber Agency 'Cyber Suraksha', a comprehensive cybersecurity exercise organised under the aegis of the Integrated Defence Staff headquarters.

About Cyber Suraksha

- It is a **multi-phased proactive** step towards bolstering **cyber resilience** at national level.
- It encompasses the conduct of **targeted training sessions**, evaluation and an engaging capsule for leadership.
- It is designed to simulate **real-world cyber threats**, **reinforce secure practices**, and test the analytical and defensive cyber skills of participants in a high-paced, gamified environment.
- Combining structured learning with dynamic hands-on challenge environments will empower participants to act decisively in the face of cyber threats.
- It was **organized by the Defence Cyber Agency** and it plans to conduct such exercises on a regular basis to maintain a state of readiness and cultivate a security-first culture across all levels.

What is the Defence Cyber Agency?

- It is a **tri-service command** of the Indian Armed Forces and tasked with handling **cyber security threats**.
- It was **formally created in 2019**, and its establishment marked a significant milestone in the country's efforts to strengthen its cybersecurity posture.
- It was fully operational with respective Cyber Emergency Response Teams (CERT) set up by each military branch.
- The DCyA draws **personnel from all three branches** of the Armed Forces.
- The head of the DCyA is an **officer of two-star rank**, and reports to the **Chief of Defence Staff** (CDS) through the Integrated Defence Staff (IDS).
- **Headquarter:** New Delhi

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