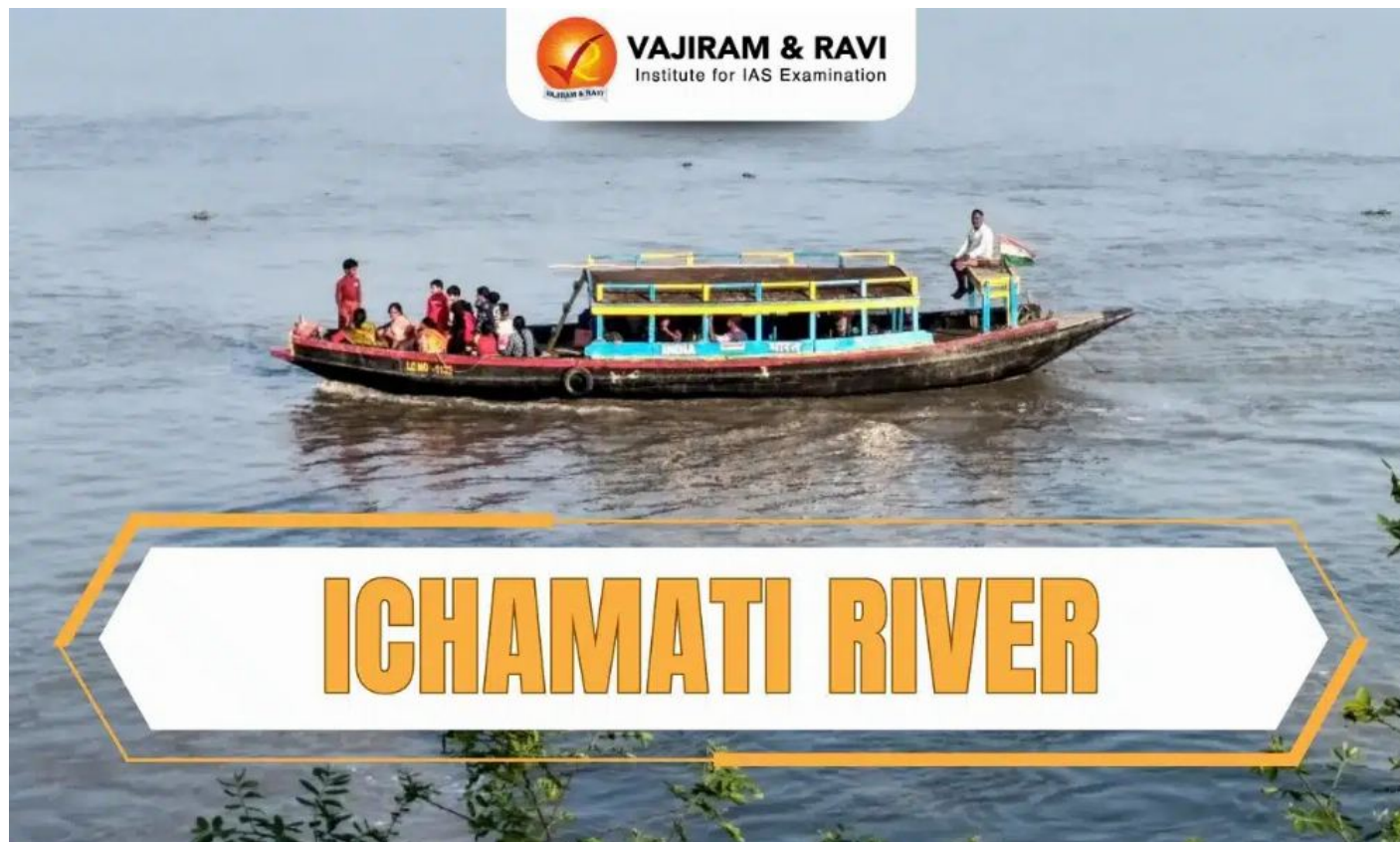


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As the Durga Puja immersions commenced on the Ichamati river, a heightened security presence was initiated on the India-Bangladesh border.

About Ichamati River

- It is a **trans-boundary river** which flows through **India and Bangladesh**.
- It also forms **part of the boundary between the two countries**.
- **Course:**
 - It is one of the **bifurcations of the Mathabhanga River** (a distributary of the Padma) and **originates** at Mahjdia village in the **Nadia district of West Bengal**.
 - It flows through the **Nadia and North 24 Parganas districts of West Bengal**.
 - Then it **forms part of the India-Bangladesh international border**. Later, it **enters Bangladesh's** Satkhira and Khulna districts.

- It covers a distance of around **216 km before discharging into the Kalindi** River at Hasnabad **in North 24 Parganas District** and **finally outfalls into the Bay of Bengal** near Moore Island.
- **Ichhamati River and its tributaries form a large oxbow lake** complex **in North 24-Paraganas** district near Bangaon.
- The river is **facing siltation** leading to **thin flow of water in the dry season** and **floods in the rainy season**.

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