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Q. Rising Current Account Deficit is Best Bridged through higher exports, rather than Foreign Direct Investment flows.

↳ Current Account Deficit

It occurs when the total value of goods and services a country imports exceeds the total value of goods it exports.

↳ CAD through higher exports After COVID 19

↳ Export growth in the beginning of 2021 were increased in merchandise exports of Agricultural, manufacturing exports and also service exports are also increased.

↳ High trade imbalance

↳ Even though In 2021-22, even the fiscal deficit staying well above the FEBM target, when a low CAD 1.2% of GDP of imports.

↳ It seriously challenged twin deficit problem

↳ Trade Deficit - increase in imports caused widening of trade deficit due to rise in crude oil prices following Russia-Ukraine war.

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↳ These higher Merchandise imports shows an import dependent economy.

↳ Achieve higher exports

Challenges.

↳ Rising imports become inevitable due to structural characteristic of India Economy.

↳ under performance of Non petroleum exports is major afflicting India's External Sector.

↳ Service Trade slower than imports

↳ In most time CAD upheld by non-debt creating forms which is Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)

↳ Achieve Higher Exports

↳ India's Policy maker have been well aware of limitations of FDI

↳ Government should work towards an effective solution for the chronic CAD by improving export competitiveness of India's Producers.

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Q. Discuss in detail about the Competition Commission of India imposing fine on Google and its implications. (200 words)

↳ Recently Competition Commission of India (CCI) imposed penalty of ₹136.40 crores on Google for abusing its dominant position in markets related to Android mobile device ecosystem.

↳ Issue

↳ Google unfair Business practices Investigation was ordered by CCI complaints by consumers of Android based smartphones in the country

↳ Google had mandated pre-installation of entire Google mobile suite (GMS) by OEMs under Mobile Application Distribution Agreement (MADA)

↳ This action of Google amounted to imposition of Unfair conditions on the device manufacturers and thereby violated section 4 of the Competition Act.

↳ related to abuse of dominant position.

↳ Implications

↳ Google remains a de facto monopoly in cyberspace.

↳ Itself a service provider of offered services.

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↳ It performs a public service by providing a search engine platform

↳ Thus regulating digital advertisement and search related marketplaces through laws and principles that govern more conventional business is difficult.

↳ CCI It is part of the commission to eliminate practices having adverse effect on competition, ensure freedom of trade in the markets of India.

↳ The commission also required to give opinion on competition issues on a reference received from any statutory Authority.
conclusion.

~~The~~ Google is likely to appeal orders of CCI before National Company Law Appellate Tribunal. Tribunal says penalty on deposit of 10% of penalty amount.

↳ ~~unsuccessful~~ Google can appeal.