

# Seychelles



## Context

Prime Minister Narendra Modi announced a \$175 million Special Economic Package for Seychelles during the visit of Seychelles President Dr. Patrick Herminie to India.

## Seychelles: Archipelago Nation

It is an archipelago nation of 115 islands in the western Indian Ocean, northeast of Madagascar, known as Africa's smallest and least populous country.

- Its capital is Victoria on Mahé island.

## Biodiversity

It is known for rare species like the Coco de Mer, the Aldabra giant tortoise, and the rare black parrot.

