

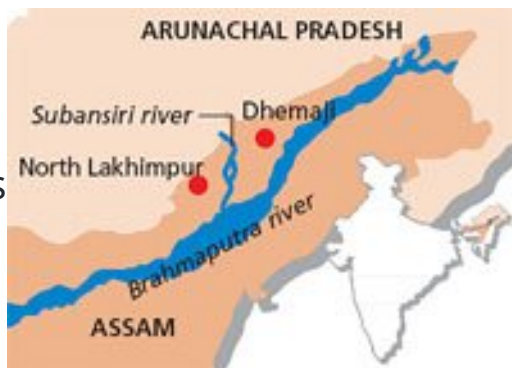
Daporijo Bridge

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Why in News

The **Border Roads Organisation (BRO)** constructed the **Daporijo bridge** over **Subansiri river** in **Arunachal Pradesh** in a **record span of just 27 days**.

Key Points



- The bridge is of utmost importance in strategic connectivity as it **links roads leading upto the Line of Actual Control (LAC)** between India and China.
- **Subansiri River**
 - Subansiri River (**gold river**), originates in the **Tibet Plateau** and **enters India through Miri hills in Arunachal Pradesh**.
 - It is the **largest tributary of Brahmaputra River**.

Border Roads Organisation

- It was **conceived and raised in 1960** by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru for coordinating the speedy development of a network of roads in the North and the North Eastern border regions of the country.
- It works under the administrative control of the **Ministry of Defence**.
- BRO is regarded as a symbol of nation-building, national integration and an inseparable component in maintaining the security and integrity of the country.

- It has diversified into a large spectrum of construction and development works comprising airfields, building projects, defence works and tunneling and has endeared itself to the people.

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