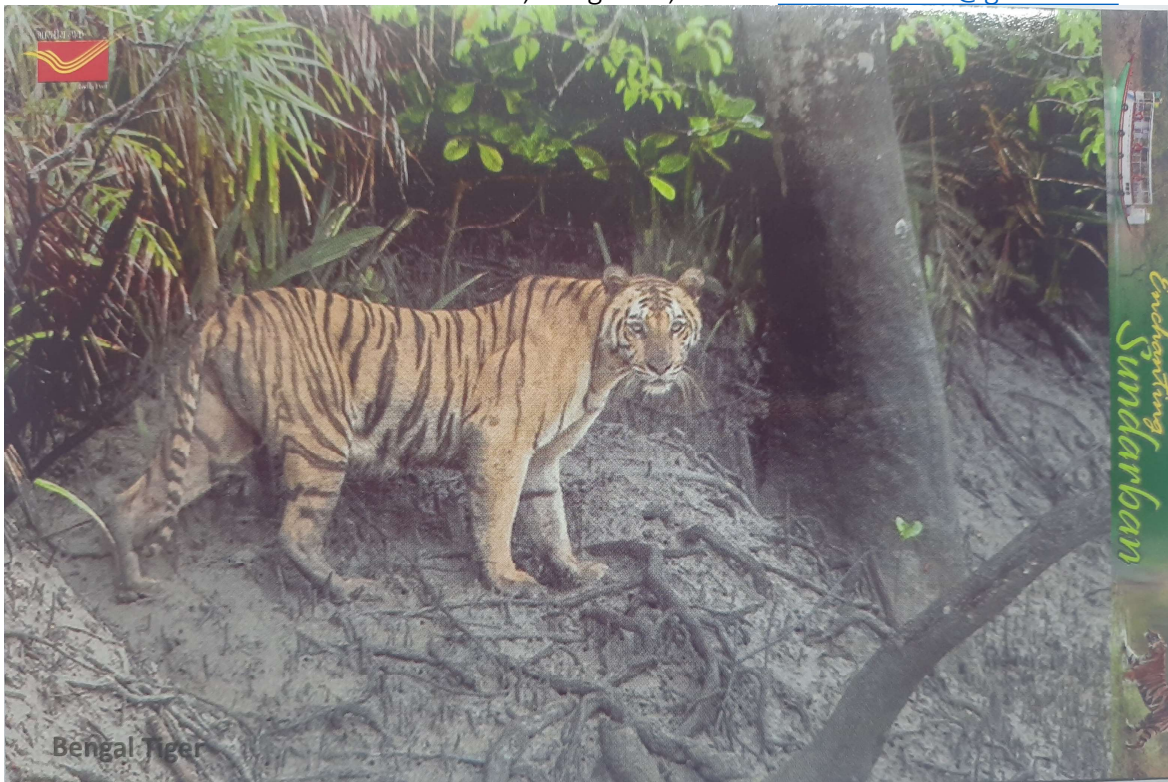


Commemorating the Year of the Tiger

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“Bengal Tiger” Postcard Release from India Post in the set Enchanting Sundarbans



Tiger Kites 2001 Taiwan (ROC)



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The national animal of India & Bangladesh is **the magnificent Royal Bengal Tiger**. Its scientific name is *Panthera Tigris*. The Bengal Tiger is a striped animal with a thick yellow coat of fur with dark stripes. India is home to more than 70% of worlds Tiger population



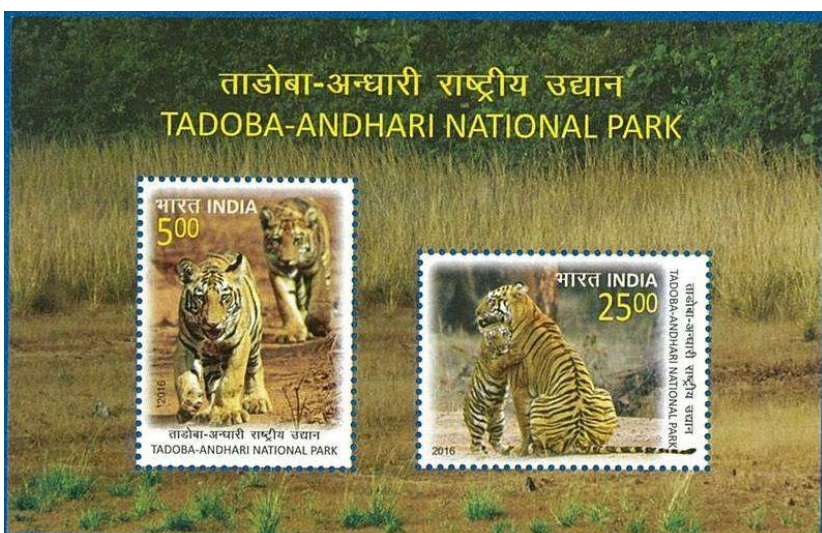
Lunar New year stamp 2022 – Taiwan (ROC)



Lunar New year stamp 2022 -USA



This year 2022 is the year of the Tiger as per the lunar new year. Tiger is the 3rd of the 12-year cycle of animals. Tigers’ positive qualities include being kind, adventurous and enthusiastic. Their negative attributes can include being aggressive, short-tempered and anxious.



Amol Bais, a wildlife photographer and headmaster of a school for tribal students was in the jungle for the morning safari, when at around 9 am he saw tigress Maya crouching for a kill, igniting the photographer with the hopes of capturing some action. “Somehow the spotted deer in front of her were alerted and they took to their heels, leaving Maya with a dejected look. Disappointed she was growling faintly. Her young one emerged from the bushes. He saw the cub standing on its hind paws and holding her mother with its front paws as if almost consoling her”