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## Jitu, Heena win medals at Asian Airgun Championships

- ✓ Pistol aces Jitu Rai and Heena Sidhu bagged a bronze each to continue India's medal charge at the 10th Asian Championship 10m Rifle/Pistol in Wako City, Japan.
- ✓ Jitu won an individual bronze in the men's 10m Air Pistol, which also helped the Indian team comprising Shahzar Rizvi and Omkar Singh besides Jitu, to bag the Team gold in the event.
- ✓ Heena claimed an individual bronze in the women's 10m Air Pistol. Her effort, along with teammates Shri Nivetha Paramantham and Harveen Srao, helped the Team clinch a silver.

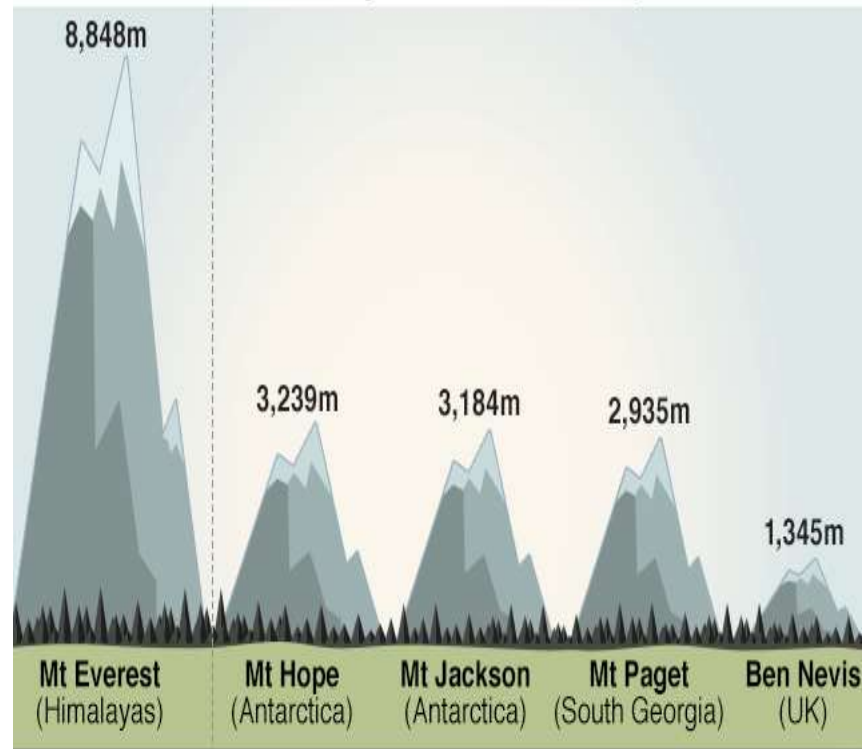


# Mount Hope is crowned the highest peak on UK territory

✓ Mount Hope is crowned the highest peak on UK territory at 3,239 metres after satellites reveal it is nearly 400 metres TALLER than first thought. Mount Hope in the British Antarctic Territory was recently remeasured, was found to be 377 metres (1,237 ft) taller than thought.

✓ This means it overtakes Britain's previous record holder Mount Jackson - also found in the UK's section of the Antarctic - by 55 metres (180 ft).

How do British territory mountains compare?



## International Conference on Groundwater Organized in Delhi

✓ An International conference is being organized on the Groundwater issues in the country from 11th-13th December in New Delhi.

✓ The conference has been organized by the National Institute of Hydrology (NIH), Roorkee and Central Ground Water Board (CGWB) under the aegis of Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation.

✓ Theme: “Groundwater Vision 2030- Water Security, Challenges, and Climate Change Adaptation”.





## Electronics and IT Ministry Ravi Shankar Prasad Launched First NIC-CERT

- ✓ Electronics and Information Technology Minister Ravi Shankar Prasad has launched first NIC-CERT, a setup of National Informatics Centre to prevent and predict cyber attacks on government utilities on 11/12/2017.
- ✓ NIC-CERT has been set up with the objective of creating a comprehensive framework that integrates world-class security components and inbuilt threat intelligence for detection, prevention and incident response.



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