

Q1. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) is a non-UN, inter-governmental body.
2. In 2004, the FAO adopted the Right to Food Guidelines, offering guidance to states on how to implement their obligations on the right to food.
3. The FAO is headquartered in Rome, Italy.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. 1 and 2 only
- d. 2 and 3 only

Q2. The World Investment Report is published by –

- a. IMF
- b. World Bank
- c. UNCTAD
- d. World Economic Forum

Q3. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The Satavahana dynasty was based in the Deccan region.
2. They formed a cultural bridge and played a vital role in trade and the transfer of ideas and culture to and from the Indo-Gangetic Plain to the southern tip of India.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q4. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Atal Bhujal Yojana is focussed on promoting panchayat-led groundwater management and behavioural change at the community level.
2. It is funded entirely by the World Bank.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q5. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. Burkina Faso is a West African country that faces the Atlantic Ocean.
2. Formerly, it was a colony of France.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q6. Which of the following is/are correctly matched?

- 1. Global Competitiveness Index- World Economic Forum
- 2. Human Capital Index- World Bank
- 3. World Economic Outlook- IMF
- 4. Global Hunger Index- WHO
- 5. Gender Inequality Index- UNDP

Options:

- a. 1, 4 and 5 only
- b. 2, 3 and 4 only
- c. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5
- d. 1, 2, 3 and 5 only

Q7. Incirlik Air Base is in which country?

- a. Djibouti
- b. Saudi Arabia
- c. Turkey
- d. Indonesia

Q8. India is not a party to which of the following Pacts?

- 1. Rome Statute
- 2. Refugee Convention 1951
- 3. Australia Group
- 4. Wassenaar Arrangement

Options:

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 1, 2 and 3 only
- c. 3 and 4 only
- d. 2, 3 and 4 only

Q9. Which of the following is/are the protected areas within Nilgiri Biosphere Reserve?

- 1. Bandipur-Nagarhole Tiger Reserve
- 2. Mudumalai Wildlife Sanctuary
- 3. Wayanad Wildlife Sanctuary

Options:

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 1 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q10. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Interstate River Water Disputes Act, 1956 (IRWD Act) is an Act of the Parliament of India enacted under Article 263 of the Constitution of India.
2. River water use is included in the Union list of the 7th schedule of the Indian constitution.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q11. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The GST (Compensation to States) Act, 2017 mandates that compensation payable to a State shall be provisionally calculated and released at the end of every two months during the transition period of 10 years.
2. The projected nominal growth rate of revenue assumed for a state during the transition period shall be the average for the state over the previous five years.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q12. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) would act as the Permanent Chairman of the Chiefs of Staff Committee (COSC).
2. The CDS will be a part of the Defence Acquisition Council and Defence Planning Committee.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q13. Which of the following are incorrectly matched?

- a. Ratapani Wildlife Sanctuary: Madhya Pradesh
- b. Kuno National park: Uttar Pradesh
- c. Koyna Wildlife Sanctuary: Maharashtra
- d. Mitilaya Wildlife Sanctuary: Gujarath

Q14. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The National Nutrition Mission is under the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
2. The Mission aims to achieve improvement in nutritional status of children in the age group of 0-6 years only.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q15. Which one of the following best describes the term “Merchant Discount Rate”?

- a. The incentive given by a bank to a merchant for accepting payments through debit cards pertaining to that bank.
- b. The incentive given by the Government to customers when they use debit cards for financial transactions when purchasing goods or services.
- c. The charge to a merchant by a bank for accepting payments from his customers through the bank’s debit cards.
- d. The incentive given by the Government to merchants for promoting digital payments by their customers through Point of Sale (PoS) machines and debit cards.

Q16. Which of the following best describes the term “eBkray”?

- a. It is an e-auction platform to enable online auction of attached assets by banks.
- b. It is a platform for providing online loans for businesses in the textile sector.
- c. It is a platform for the government to receive quotations from the MSMEs for its mandatory procurement policy.
- d. It is an interactive platform for guiding startups in the food processing sector.

Q17. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- 1. The Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC) is a subsidiary of the Reserve Bank of India.
- 2. Presently, the DICGC offers an insurance coverage of up to ₹2 lakh on the deposits.
- 3. The deposit insurance facility is not available to depositors of NBFCs.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 3 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q18. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- 1. The Qutub Minar was built in honour of the first emperor of the slave dynasty, Qutubuddin Aibak.
- 2. The Alai Darwaza was built by Alauddin Khilji.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q19. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- 1. The Santhal Parganas Tenancy Act, 1876 prohibits the sale of Adivasi land to non-Adivasis in Santhal Pargana region.
- 2. Birsa Munda’s struggle against the exploitation and discrimination against tribals led to the passing of the Santhal Parganas Tenancy Act, 1876.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q20. Which of the following best describes Project 75?

- a. Production of indigenous submarines
- b. Increasing the average speed of freight trains in India by 75 % by 2022
- c. Increasing the immunization cover to 75% by 2020
- d. Production of indigenous air-to-air missile system

Q21. In which of the following states is the Bandhavgarh National Park located?

- a. Uttar Pradesh
- b. Chhattisgarh
- c. Madhya Pradesh
- d. Jharkhand

Q22. Which of the following statements is/are correct with respect to the state of forest report 2019?

- 1. The country's forest cover has increased.
- 2. The forest cover within the Recorded Forest Area has decreased.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q23. Which of the following statements is/are correct with respect to the state of forest report 2019?

- 1. The sharpest decline in the forest cover was recorded in the northeaster states of Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur and Mizoram.
- 2. Among the states, Mizoram has the highest proportion of land under forest cover.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q24. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- 1. The SDG index is released by the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.
- 2. The SDG index considers all the indicators mentioned by the UN under the SDG goals.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only

- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q25. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. According to the Disturbed Areas Act, 1976, once declared 'disturbed', the area has to maintain status quo for a minimum of 6 months.
2. An area can be declared disturbed area only by the Ministry of Home affairs.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q26. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The Bureau of Energy Efficiency is an agency of the Government of India, under the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas.
2. It was created under the provisions of the National Renewable Energy Act.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q27. During the Third Anglo-Maratha War, the British East India Company fought against a band of Muslim mercenaries known as –

- a. Pindaris
- b. Mappilas
- c. Santhals
- d. Bhills

Q28. Who appoints the State Election Commissioner, for overseeing elections to the local bodies?

- a. President
- b. Ministry of Home Affairs
- c. Governor
- d. Chief Minister

Q29. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The Global Code of Practice on the International Recruitment of Health Personnel was adopted by the WHO's 63rd World Health Assembly in 2010.
2. It is the main international policy framework for addressing shortages and maldistribution of healthcare professionals.

Options:

- a. 1 only

- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q30. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

A cryogenic rocket engine uses a cryogenic fuel and/or oxidizer which is liquefied and stored at extremely low temperatures.

2. The upper stage of GSLV MK-III launch vehicle is powered by Cryogenic Engine (CE)-20.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q31. Consider the following statements about Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB):

- 1. CPCB is a statutory organization under the Ministry of Environment and Forests.
- 2. It was established under the Environment Protection Act, 1986.

Which of the above statements is/are incorrect?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both
- d) None

Q32. When will an elected member be disqualified under the Anti-Defection law?

- 1. If an elected member voluntarily gives up his membership of a political party.
- 2. If he votes or abstains from voting in such House contrary to any direction issued by his political party.
- 3. If a nominated member joins a political party after 6 months of nomination.

Options:

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3

Q33. Which of the following is/are correctly matched?

- 1. Tadoba Andhari Tiger Reserve- West Bengal
- 2. Satkosia Tiger Reserve – Odisha
- 3. Rajaji National Park- Uttarakhand
- 4. Buxa Tiger Reserve- Maharashtra

Options:

- a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1, 3 and 4 only

d) 1 and 4 only

Q34. Arrange the following from west to east:

1. Kanchenjunga
2. Annapurna
3. Dhaula Giri
4. Mt Everest

Options:

- a) 4-1-2-3
- b) 4-1-3-2
- c) 3-2-4-1
- d) 4-3-2-1

Q35. Which of the following states have been accorded special provisions under Article 371 of the Indian Constitution?

1. Sikkim
2. Karnataka
3. Tripura
4. Maharashtra
5. Mizoram
6. Nagaland

Options:

- a) 1, 3, 5 and 6
- b) 1, 5 and 6
- c) 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6
- d) 1, 2, 4 and 6

Q36. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Chairperson of the Rajya Sabha nominates the members of the privileges committee of Rajya Sabha.
2. The Privileges Committee of Rajya Sabha consists of ten members.

Options:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

Q37. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The six zonal councils in India have been created under the States Re-Organization Act, 1956.
2. The councils function under the aegis of the Ministry of Home Affairs' Inter-State Council Secretariat.

Options:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only



- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

Q38. Arrange the following ports from north to south:

1. Krishnapatnam port
2. Vishakapatnam port
3. New Mangalore port
4. Mormugao port
5. Ennore port

Options:

- a) 2, 4, 1, 5, 3
- b) 2, 1, 4, 3, 5
- c) 2, 4, 1, 3, 5
- d) 1, 2, 4, 3, 5

Q39. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The Eat Right India Movement is an initiative of the Ministry of Women and Child Development.
2. It involves providing fortified food to infants and lactating mothers at Anganwadi Centres.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q40. The term Miyawaki is associated with which of the following?

- a. Traditional dance of Tibet
- b. Afforestation method
- c. A musical instrument from Arunachal Pradesh
- d. Traditional silk weaving technique

Q41. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. The Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana provides an insurance cover of Rs.5 lakh per individual.
2. The PMJAY beneficiaries get an e-card that can be used to avail services at any hospital, public or private, anywhere in the country.
3. The eligibility for the PMJAY is based on the SECC 2011 data.
- 4.

Options:

- a. 1, 2 and 3
- b. 1 and 3 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 3 only

Q42. Arrange the following cities from North to South:

1. Sydney
2. Perth

3. Brisbane
4. Melbourne
5. Canberra

Options:

- 3, 2, 1, 5, 4
- 3, 1, 2, 5, 4
- 2, 3, 1, 4, 5
- 2, 3, 4, 1, 5

Q43. India is a member of which of these?

1. Belt and Road Initiative
2. The Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership
3. The Indo-Pacific Business Forum
4. The Blue Dot Network
5. Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation

Options:

- 3, 4 and 5 only
- 2, 3 and 5 only
- 4 only
- None of the above

Q44. "The Blue Dot Network" is associated with:

- The international protocol for internet connectivity
- The network of countries involved in the blue flag certification of their beaches
- Infrastructure development in the Indo-Pacific region
- A group of countries working towards enhancing port infrastructure

Q45. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. Bibi Ka Maqbara was commissioned by Mughal Emperor Jahangir.
2. It is located in Aurangabad, Maharashtra.

Options:

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 and 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

Q46. The term Drosophila is associated with which of the following?

- Bacteria
- Fungi
- Flies
- Fish

Q47. Consider the following statements with respect to River Beas:

1. It is one of the major tributaries of River Indus.
2. The river originates near the Rohtang Pass, on the southern end of the Pir Panjal Range.
3. The river lies entirely within the Indian Territory.

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) 2 and 3 only
- d) None of the above

Q48. Consider the following statements with respect to Indian Council of Agricultural Research:

1. The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) is an autonomous organisation under the Department of Agricultural Research and Education.
2. The Council is the apex body for coordinating, guiding and managing research and education in agriculture including horticulture, fisheries and animal sciences in India.
3. The Union Minister of Agriculture is the President of ICAR.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 1, 2 and 3 only
- d) 2 and 3 only

Q49. Consider the following statements:

1. Lysosomal Storage Diseases (LSD) are a group of rare inherited metabolic disorders.
2. LSD occurs due to mutations that occur in the nuclear genes.
3. Gaucher's Disease is a type of LSD.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- b) 2 only
- c) 1 only
- d) 3 only

Q50. Consider the following statements with respect to Prompt Corrective Action (PCA):

1. PCA is a framework under which banks with weak financial metrics are put under watch by the World Bank.
2. The PCA framework deems banks as risky if they slip below certain norms on three parameters namely capital ratios, asset quality and profitability.

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

Q51. Consider the following statements with respect to the Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA):

1. PFRDA is a statutory body having executive, legislative and judicial powers.
2. PFRDA is responsible for regulating and administering both the National Pension System (NPS) and the Atal Pension Yojana (APY).
3. The President of India is the guardian of PFRDA.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 2 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3

Q52. Consider the following statements with respect to the Model Code of Conduct (MCC):

1. The MCC is a set of guidelines issued by the Government of India to regulate political parties and candidates prior to elections to ensure free and fair elections.
2. The MCC is operational from the date that the election schedule is announced until the date that results are announced.
3. The MCC is not enforceable by law.
- 4.

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a) 1 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 2 and 3 only

Q53. Which among the following is the most toxic Indian Snake?

- a) Sind Krait
- b) Spectacled cobra
- c) Russell's viper
- d) Saw-scaled viper

Q54. "The final value of the goods and services produced within the geographic boundaries of a country during a specified period of time" is termed as:

- a) Net National Product
- b) Gross Domestic Product
- c) Gross National Product
- d) Purchasing Power Parity

Q55. Consider the following statements:

1. The Supreme Court has the ability to review any judgment declared by it.
2. Review Petition, Curative Petition and Presidential Pardon are the resources available to those seeking relief from an Order of the Supreme Court.
3. Curative Petition is the last judicial resort available for redressal of grievances in court.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 and 3 only
- b. 1 and 2 only

- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q56. Consider the following statements with respect to the European Council (EUCO):

1. EUCO is a collective body that defines the European Union's overall political direction and priorities.
2. It comprises the heads of state or government of the EU member states, along with the President of the European Council and the President of the European Commission.
3. The European Council has legislative powers.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 and 3 only
- b. 1 and 2 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q57. Consider the following statements with respect to the National Green Tribunal (NGT):

1. It is a Constitutional Body that draws inspiration from India's constitutional provision of Article 21.
2. It has Original Jurisdiction on matters of substantial question relating to environment and damage to the environment due to specific activity (such as pollution).

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q58. Consider the following statements:

1. National Crime Record Bureau (NCRB) is under the Ministry of Home Affairs.
2. NCRB publishes the 'Crime in India' report.
3. NCRB is entrusted with the responsibility for monitoring, coordinating and implementing the Crime and Criminal Tracking Network & Systems (CCTNS) project.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 only
- c. 1, 2 and 3
- d. 3 only

Q59. Which among the following is/are not Stringed instruments?

1. Ghatam
2. Khol
3. Kamaicha

- a. 1, 2 and 3
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 1 and 2 only
- d. 3 only

Q60. "Brickfielder" in Geography refers to:

- a. Showers that help crops grow during spring.
- b. Grasslands in Mid Africa.
- c. Hot, dry and dusty winds in Southern Australia.
- d. A rift valley lake.

Q61. Which of the following are offences against the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes?

- 1. Compelling a member of the Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe to dispose or carry human or animal carcasses, or to dig graves.
  - 2. Garlanding with footwear or parading naked or semi-naked, a member of a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe.
  - 3. Corrupting the water of any spring, reservoir or any other source ordinarily used by members of the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes.
  - 4. Destroying, damaging or defiling any object generally known to be held sacred or in high esteem by members of the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes.
- a. 1, 2 and 3 only
  - b. 1, 2 and 4 only
  - c. 1, 2, 3 and 4
  - d. 2, 3 and 4 only

Q62. With reference to Vembanad Lake, consider the following statements:

- 1. It is the largest lake in Tamil Nadu.
- 2. The Vembanad Wetland system is included in the list of wetlands of international importance, as defined by the Ramsar Convention.

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q63. The red line campaign is associated with:

- a) Creating awareness on HIV-AIDS among the masses.
- b) Part of government's Anti-Microbial resistance awareness campaign
- c) Creating awareness about the critically endangered species in India
- d) Campaign against sexual harassment at workplace.

Q64. The term Candida auris is associated with:

- a) Disease causing fungi
- b) Disease causing virus
- c) Bacteria used in production of biofuels
- d) Bacteria used extensively for production of antibiotics

Q65. The Annamalai tiger reserve is situated in which of the following states?

- a) Kerala

- b) Tamil Nadu
- c) Karnataka
- d) Telangana

Q66. Which of the following is wrongly matched?

- a) Bihu: Assam
- b) Lavani: Maharashtra
- c) Dollu Kunitha: Karnataka
- d) Pulikali: Tamil Nadu

Q67. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. Petroleum And Explosives Safety Organisation (PESO) comes under the Ministry of petroleum and natural gas.
2. The Headquarters of PESO is in New Delhi.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q68. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Kisan Credit Card scheme was prepared by the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development.
2. Participating institutions under this scheme include only the commercial banks.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q69. Arrange the following cities from east to west:

1. Muscat
2. Tehran
3. Sanaa
4. Kuwait city
5. Tripoli

Options:

- a. 1,2,4,3,5
- b. 4,2,1,5,3
- c. 2,1,4,3,5

d. 2,4,1,3,5

Q70. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Vembanad Lake is included in the list of wetlands of international importance, as defined by the Ramsar Convention.
2. The government of India has identified the Vembanad wetland under the National Wetlands Conservation Programme.

Options:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

Q71. Consider the following statements with respect to Volcano Taal:

1. It is one of the world's smallest active volcanoes.
2. It lies along the Pacific "Ring of Fire".

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q72. Consider the following statements with respect to Input Tax Credit (ITC):

1. ITC is the tax that a business pays on a purchase that can be used to reduce the tax liability when it makes a sale.
2. ITC is not available for goods or services exclusively used for personal use.
3. Only a business under composition scheme can avail ITC.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q73. Consider the following statements with respect to Raisina Dialogue:

1. The Raisina Dialogue is a multilateral conference held bi-annually in India.
2. The conference is hosted by the Observer Research Foundation (ORF).

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 only



- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q74. Consumer Price Index (CPI) is released by:

- a. Reserve Bank of India
- b. Central Statistics Office, Ministry of Statistics and Program Implementation
- c. Office of the Economic Advisor, Ministry of Commerce and Industry
- d. Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices (CACP), Department of Agriculture and Co-operation

Q75. The Supreme Court has original jurisdiction in:

- 1. Disputes between the Centre and State(s).
- 2. Matters regarding the enforcement of Fundamental Rights.
- 3. Any dispute between the Indian Government and one or more States on one side and one or more States on the other side.
- 4. Disputes between States.

Choose the correct option:

- a. 1 and 4 only
- b. 1 and 2 only
- c. 1, 2 and 4 only
- d. 1, 2, 3 and 4

Q76. Which of the following is/are Critically Vulnerable Coastal Areas as per the CRZ Regulations?

- 1. Gulf of Khambat
- 2. Karwar
- 3. Bhaitarkanika

Choose the correct option:

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 3 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q77. Consider the following statements with respect to Monetary Policy Committee (MPC):

- 1. MPC is a committee constituted by the Government of India for fixing the benchmark policy interest rate to restrain inflation within the particular target level.
- 2. The MPC consists of six members.
- 3. The MPC is required to meet at least four times in a year.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 and 3 only

- c. 1 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q78. Which of the following is the last judicial resort available for redressal of grievances in the court?

- a. Curative petition
- b. Review Petition
- c. Presidential Pardon
- d. None of the above

Q79. Consider the following statements with respect to Multiple Myeloma:

- 1. It is a cancer that forms in a type of white blood cell called a plasma cell.
- 2. It causes cancer cells to accumulate in the bone marrow.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q80. Consider the following statements with respect to Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO):

- 1. SCO is a Eurasian Economic, Political and Security organization.
- 2. It has eight member nations.
- 3. India, Pakistan and Iran are among the permanent members of SCO.

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a. 1 only
- b. 3 only
- c. 1 and 3 only
- d. 1 and 2 only

Q81. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Bru tribals inhabit parts of Assam, Mizoram and Tripura.
- 2. They are recognised as a Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Group (PVTG).

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q82. Consider the following statements with respect to Regional Antiterrorism Structure (RATS):

- 1. RATS was established at the Asthana Summit of Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO).

2. RATS is a permanent organ of the SCO.
3. It is engaged in furthering cooperation between member countries on concerns of terrorism, security, drug trafficking and cyber warfare.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 2 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q83. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Central Administrative Tribunal (CAT) has been established in pursuance of Article 323A of the Indian Constitution.
2. The members of the defence forces, officers, staff of the Supreme Court and the secretarial staff of the Parliament are not covered under the jurisdiction of CAT.
3. The appeal against the orders of CAT could be made only in Supreme Court.

Options:

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 1 and 3 only
- d. 1,2 and 3

Q84. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The Constitutional Amendments with respect to federal provisions will need the ratification by at least 50 per cent of the state assemblies.
2. The states are required to ratify the bill within 6 months of passage by the parliament, failing which the bill lapses.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q85. Which of the following statements are correct?

1. The GSAT-30 is a communication satellite of India which was placed in the geostationary orbit by the Ariane launch vehicle.
2. The GSLV-MkIII launch vehicle has a capacity of placing 4 tonne class satellites of the GSAT series into Geosynchronous Transfer Orbits.

Options:

- a. 1 only

- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q86. Which of the following statements are correct?

- 1. The “Blue Dot Network” (BDN) encourages private investment in infrastructure projects in the Indo-Pacific region by offering public loans to viable infrastructural projects.
- 2. Currently, the U.S., Japan, Australia and India are its members.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q87. The Broad Based Trade and Investment Agreement of India is associated with which of the following?

- a. The European Union
- b. South Korea
- c. United States of America
- d. Japan

Q88. Which of the following statements are correct?

- 1. Share of natural gas in India’s energy basket is higher compared to the global average.
- 2. India is more dependent on LNG imports as compared to crude oil imports.

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q89. The term “The Blob” is associated with which of the following?

- a. Cold current off the coast of Peru
- b. Marine Heat waves in northeast Pacific
- c. Heat wave in North America
- d. Depression off the coast of South America

Q90. Which of the following statements are correct with respect to the Sun temple at Konark?

- 1. It is attributed to King Narasimhadeva I of the Eastern Ganga dynasty.
- 2. It is a classic illustration of the Kalinga Architecture.

Options:

1. 1 only
2. 2 only
3. Both 1 and 2
4. Neither 1 nor 2

Q91. Which of the following statements are correct with respect to The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013?

1. The constitution of an Internal Complaints Committee is a statutory requirement under the act for all establishments.
2. The Internal Complaints Committee is always headed by a female member.
3. The Internal Complaints Committee consists of only internally selected members.

Option:

- a. 1 and 2
- b. 2 and 3
- c. 2 only
- d. 1 only

Q92. The term euryhaline implies

- a. Can tolerate only low salinity environments
- b. Needs high salinity environments
- c. Can tolerate a wide range of salinity
- d. Salinity observed at high depths of the oceans

Q93. The successfully tested K-4 is

- a. Submarine-launched ballistic missile
- b. Supersonic cruise missile
- c. Air to air beyond visual range missile
- d. Anti-tank missile

Q94. The recently released MANI app has been developed by

- a. Ministry of Social justice and Empowerment
- b. Ministry of Finance
- c. National Payments council of India
- d. Reserve Bank of India

Q95. Consider the following statements with respect to the UDAN Scheme:

1. It is a part of the National Civil Aviation Policy (NCAP).
2. The Scheme is funded jointly by the Centre and the State governments.
3. The primary objective of the Scheme is to facilitate regional air connectivity.

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 2 only

- c. 1, 2 and 3 only
- d. None of the above

Q96. World Economic Outlook report is published by:

- a. International Monetary Fund (IMF)
- b. World Trade Organisation (WTO)
- c. United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)
- d. Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Q97. Consider the following statements with respect to the Financial Action Task Force (FATF):

- 1. It was founded on the initiative of G 20.
- 2. It is responsible for setting global standards on anti-money laundering (AML) and combating the financing of terrorism (CFT).
- 3. India is a full-time member of FATF.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 2 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 1 and 3 only

Q98. Consider the following statements with respect to BrahMos:

- 1. It is a long-range ramjet supersonic cruise missile.
- 2. It can be launched from submarine, ships, aircraft, or land.
- 3. It is the fastest supersonic cruise missile in the world.

Which of the given statement/s is/are incorrect?

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 1 only
- d. 3 only

Q99. Consider the following statements with respect to Coronaviruses:

- 1. Coronavirus has regularly arranged protrusions on its surface.
- 2. SARS Coronavirus and MERS Coronavirus, both cause severe respiratory diseases.
- 3. All Coronaviruses are zoonotic.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. 1 and 2 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Q100. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Citizenship is listed in the Union List and is under the exclusive jurisdiction of Parliament.

2. "Deprivation" is the compulsory termination of the Citizenship of India obtained by Registration or Naturalisation.
3. A person registered as Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) cannot acquire the citizenship of India.

Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 1 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

### Set 2 – Answer Key

1. d	11. d	21. c	31. b	41. d	51. b	61. c	71. d	81. c	91. c
2. c	12. c	22. c	32. d	42. a	52. a	62. a	72. a	82. c	92. c
3. c	13. b	23. c	33. b	43. d	53. a	63. b	73. b	83. a	93. a
4. a	14. d	24. d	34. c	44. c	54. b	64. a	74. b	84. a	94. d
5. b	15. c	25. d	35. c	45. b	55. d	65. b	75. d	85. c	95. d
6. d	16. a	26. d	36. c	46. c	56. b	66. d	76. d	86. d	96. a
7. c	17. b	27. a	37. b	47. d	57. b	67. d	77. b	87. a	97. c
8. a	18. b	28. c	38. a	48. c	58. c	68. a	78. a	88. d	98. c
9. d	19. a	29. c	39. d	49. a	59. c	69. a	79. c	89. b	99. c
10. d	20. a	30. c	40. b	50. a	60. c	70. c	80. b	90. c	100. a