

Q1. Arrange the following from North to South:

1. Spratly Islands
2. Paracel Islands
3. Scarborough shoal
4. Natuna Islands

Choose the correct option:

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

Q2. Consider the following statements with respect to Members of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme (MPLADS):

1. MPLADS is a Central Sector scheme fully funded by the government of India.
2. Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation is responsible for the policy formulation, release of funds and prescribing monitoring mechanism for implementation of the Scheme.
3. The funds released under the scheme are non-lapsable.

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

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 3 only
- c. All of the above
- d. None of the above

Q3. Consider the following statements:

1. India is the largest producer of pulses in the world.
2. India has the world's largest area under cultivation of pulses.

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

Q4. Which of the following tribes belong to the Andaman and Nicobar Islands?

1. Onge
2. Toto
3. Shompen
4. Jarawa
5. Sentinelese

Choose the correct option:

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

Q5. The Nord Stream twin pipeline system route crosses through the Exclusive Economic Zones of which of the following countries?

1. Russia
2. Finland
3. Sweden
4. Denmark
5. Germany

Choose the correct option:

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

Q6. Consider the following statements with respect to National Investigation Agency (NIA):

- 1. The NIA can investigate terror cases across the country without having to get permission from the states.
- 2. NIA is not empowered to investigate terror attacks committed outside India.
- 3. NIA is headquartered in Hyderabad, Telangana.

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

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

Q7. Consider the following statements with respect to Counter Cyclical capital Buffer (CCCB):

- 1. The CCCB aims to ensure that banking sector capital requirements take account of the macro-financial environment in which banks operate.
- 2. It is intended to protect the banking sector against losses that could be caused by cyclical systemic risks.
- 3. It requires banks to add capital at times when credit is growing rapidly so that the buffer can be reduced when the financial cycle turns.

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

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

Q8. Consider the following statements with respect to "Ways and Means Advances" (WMA):

- 1. It is a loan facility given by the Reserve Bank of India to the Centre and State governments.
- 2. Interest rate for WMA for the Government of India is charged at the repo rate.

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

Q9. Which of the following countries are currently under FATF "Grey List":

- 1. Iran
 - 2. Pakistan
 - 3. Yemen
 - 4. Zimbabwe
 - 5. North Korea
- a. 1, 2, 3 and 4 only
 - b. 2, 3, and 4 only
 - c. 1, 2, 4 and 5 only
 - d. 2, 3, 4 and 5

Q10. Recently, tonnes of essential medicines and hospital consumables were airlifted by the Indian Air Force to Maldives under:

- a. Operation Sanjeevani
- b. Operation Amrut
- c. Operation Sahyog
- d. Operation Vanilla

Q11. "BCG vaccine" or "Bacille Calmette-Guérin vaccine" is administered to children to prevent:

1. Measles
 2. Tuberculous Meningitis
 3. Miliary Tuberculosis
 4. Leprosy
- a. 1 and 2 only
b. 2 and 3 only
c. 2, 3 and 4 only
d. 1, 2, 3 and 4

Q12. Consider the following statements with respect to Agasthyamala Biosphere Reserve:

1. It is a protected area in the Eastern Ghats.
 2. It is a part of the World Network of Biosphere Reserves under the UNESCO Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Programme.
 3. Shendurney, Peppara and Neyyar wildlife sanctuaries are located in Agasthyamala Biosphere Reserve.
- Which of the given statement/s is/are correct?

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

Q13. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct with respect to 'Voluntary Retention Route'?

1. It deals with Foreign Investments in India.
 2. It is applicable to both equities and debt market transactions.
- Options:
a. 1 only
b. 2 only
c. Both 1 and 2
d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q14. In which of the following agricultural products, is India both the largest producer and the largest exporter in the world?

1. Rice
 2. Cotton
 3. Mango
- Options:
a. 1 only
b. 1 and 2
c. 1, 2 and 3
d. None of the above

Q15. The Energy Statistics 2019 document is published by:

- a. Ministry of Power
- b. Ministry of New and renewable energy
- c. Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation
- d. Ministry of Commerce and industry

Q16. Which of the following statement/s is/are incorrect with respect to Minimum support price Based procurement for Minor Forest Produce?

1. The Scheme has been implemented in eight States having Schedules Areas as listed in the Fifth Schedule of the Constitution of India.
 2. The Ministry of Tribal affairs will directly undertake the purchasing of Minor Forest Produce at Minimum Support Price.
- Options:

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

Q17. The National Strategy for Artificial Intelligence report has been prepared by:

- a. NITI Aayog
- b. Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology
- c. Ministry of Science and Technology
- d. PM scientific advisory council

Q18. Which of the following types of power plants are capable of handling sudden changes in demand loads?

- 1. Coal based power plants
- 2. Wind turbine power plant
- 3. Gas fired power plants
- 4. Hydropower based plants
- 5. Nuclear power plants
- 6. Solar photovoltaic based plants

Options:

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

Q19. Which of the following constitutes the largest share among the renewable energy capacity in India?

- a. Hydroelectricity
- b. Solar power
- c. Wind power
- d. Bio energy

Q20. Which of the following states has the largest percentage of forest cover with respect to its total geographical area?

- a. Madhya Pradesh
- b. Arunachal Pradesh
- c. Mizoram
- d. Assam

Q21. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

- 1. The Real-Time Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction (RT-PCR) method helps measure the amount of a specific RNA in a sample.
- 2. It can identify both active cases as well as identify people with previous exposure to virus.

Options:

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

Q22. Which of the following statement/s is/are incorrect?

- 1. The AarogyaSetu App has been developed by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
- 2. The AarogyaSetu App will help assess the risk of being infected by Coronavirus.

Options:

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

d. Neither 1 nor 2

Q23. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct with respect to the Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB PM-JAY)?

1. It provides free health coverage at the primary, secondary and tertiary level to the poor and vulnerable population.
2. The scheme provides a cover of 5 lakh per individual per year for medical treatment in empanelled hospitals, both public and private.
3. The National Health Authority is the apex body responsible for implementing AB PM-JAY.
4. All the states and union territories have adopted the scheme.

Options:

- a. 1 and 4 only
- b. 1, 2, 3 and 4
- c. 3 only
- d. None of the above

Q24. Which of the following Indian Biosphere Reserves is not part of the UNESCO's World Network of Biospheres?

- a. Great Nicobar
- b. Nokrek
- c. Nilgiri
- d. Manas

Q25. Consider the following statements:

1. Madhya Pradesh has the highest number of tigers and Uttarakhand, the second highest.
2. Madhya Pradesh has the highest number of Tiger Reserves in India.

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

Q26. Which of the following countries border the Red Sea?

1. Egypt
2. Libya
3. Saudi Arabia
4. Sudan
5. Djibouti

Options:

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

Q27. Consider the following statements with respect to BIMSTEC:

1. It came into force through the Bangkok Declaration.
2. BIMSTEC does not have a permanent secretariat.
3. The regional multilateral organisation has members from South Asia and Southeast Asia only.

Choose the correct option:

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

Q28. Consider the following statements:

1. Parambikulam Tiger Reserve is a protected area located in Tamil Nadu.
2. Parambikulam Tiger Reserve implements the Participatory Forest Management Scheme (PFMS).

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

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

Q29. Consider the following statements with respect to Interpol:

- Interpol is global police co-operation agency and a non-governmental organization (NGO).
- It is headquartered at Geneva, Switzerland.
- Interpol Purple Notice is issued to locate, identify or obtain information on a person of interest in a criminal investigation.

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

- 1 and 2 only
- 1 and 3 only
- 1, 2 and 3 only
- 1 only

Q30. Which of these South Indian state/s share boundaries with the maximum number of states?

- Karnataka only
- Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka
- Karnataka and Telangana
- Andhra Pradesh only

Q31 Consider the following statements:

- Global Initiative on Sharing All Influenza Data (GISAID) is a public platform started by India in 2008.
- It is headquartered in New Delhi, India.

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

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

Q32. Consider the following statements:

- Gaganyaan is an Indian human space flight programme.
- GSLV Mk III will be used to launch Gaganyaan.
- India has its own Cryogenic engine technology.

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

- 1 and 2 only
- 2 only
- 1 and 3 only
- 1, 2 and 3

Q33. Consider the following statements with respect to the National Board for Wildlife (NBWL):

- It is chaired by the Prime Minister.
- It is a statutory organisation.
- No alternation of boundaries in national parks and wildlife sanctuaries can be done without approval of the NBWL.
- Its recommendations are binding on the Central Government while framing policies and measures for conservation of wildlife in the country.

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

- 2 and 3 only
- 1, 2 and 3 only
- 2, 3 and 4 only
- 1, 2, 3 and 4

Q34. Arrange the following water bodies in South East Asia from North to South:

1. South China Sea
2. East China Sea
3. Yellow Sea
4. Bohai Sea

Choose the correct option:

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

Answer: a

Q35. Consider the following statements about Maulana Abul Kalam Azad:

1. He was the youngest person to serve as President of Indian National Congress.
2. He founded the Indian Council for Cultural Relations.
3. He was independent India's first Education Minister.

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

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

Q36. Consider the following statements with respect to National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA):

1. NTCA is a statutory body under the Union Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate change.
2. The Annual Report prepared by NTCA has to be laid in the Parliament along with the Audit Report.
3. NTCA is chaired by the Minister of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

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

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

Q37. The National Health Mission aims to reduce:

1. Total Fertility Rate (TFR) to 2.1.
2. Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) to 25 per 1000 live births.
3. Maternal Mortality Rate (MMR) to 1 per 1000 live births.

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

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

Q38. Consider the following statements:

1. Inter-State migration and quarantine fall under the Union List.
2. Prevention of infectious diseases moving from one State to another is under the State List.

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

Q39. Consider the following statements:

1. In the blood, apart from RBC, WBC and platelets, all the other fluid content is known as Plasma.

2. The main role of plasma is to carry hormones, nutrients and proteins to different parts of the body.
3. Plasma constitutes 30% of the total blood volume.

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

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

Q40. Consider the following statements with respect to the Strait of Hormuz:

1. It is a strait between the Persian Gulf and the Gulf of Oman.
2. About half of the global oil consumption passes through the Strait.
3. It provides the only sea passage from the Persian Gulf to the open ocean.

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

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

Q41. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct for the 2018-2019 fiscal year?

1. India imports the largest value of goods and services from China.
2. India exports the largest value of goods and services to the U.S.
3. Mineral fuels account for the largest share of exports from India.

Options:

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

Q42. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. India through its Intended Nationally Determined Contribution (INDC), has pledged to increase the share of non-fossil fuels-based electricity to 40 per cent by 2030.
2. India has set itself a domestic target of installing 175 GW of renewable power capacity by 2030.

Options

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

Q43. Which of the following countries is not part of the OPEC+ framework?

- a. Mexico
- b. U.S.
- c. Azerbaijan
- d. Kazakhstan

Q44. Which of the following statement/s is/are incorrect regarding the National Human rights Commission (NHRC)?

1. The NHRC is a statutory body.
2. Chairpersons of NHRC (except those appointed as acting chairperson) have always been a Retired Chief Justice of India.
3. The home minister and chairman of the Rajya Sabha are part of the committee which recommends the members of the NHRC to the president.

Options:

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

Q45. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. Enforcement Directorate is part of the department of economic affairs, Ministry of Finance.
2. Enforcement Directorate is responsible for enforcement of the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 (FEMA) and certain provisions under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act.

Options:

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

Q46. Which of the following is/are not a predominant kharif crop/s?

1. Rice
2. Maize
3. wheat
4. Mustard
5. Barley
6. Ragi
7. Cotton
8. Groundnut

Options

- a. 1,2,6 and 7
- b. 1,3,6 and 7
- c. 3,4 and 5
- d. 3,4,7 and 8

Q47. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. The State election commissioner is appointed by the Governor.
2. The state election commissioner can be removed by the Governor.

Options:

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

Q48. The largest expatriate Indian population is based in which of the following country?

- a. United States of America
- b. Kuwait
- c. United Arab Emirates
- d. United Kingdom

Q49. Which of the following pairs of cyclones and the affected regions is/are correctly matched?

1. Ciara: Western Europe
2. Fani: Eastern India
3. Ava: Madagascar
4. Kyarr: Western coast of India and West Asia

Options:

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

Q50. Which of the following pairs of martial arts and associated states is wrongly matched?

- a. Kalaripayattu: Kerala

- b. Sqay: Jammu and Kashmir
- c. Cheibi gad-ga: Sikkim
- d. Thangta: Manipur

Q51. Which of the following pairs of art forms and associated regions is wrongly matched?

- a. Pattachitra: Odisha
- b. Manoti: Rajasthan
- c. Chikankari: Lucknow
- d. Rabari: Himachal Pradesh

Q52. The Directorate General of Foreign Trade comes under which of the following Ministries?

- a. Ministry of Commerce and Industry
- b. Ministry of Finance
- c. Ministry of External Affairs
- d. Ministry of Corporate Affairs

Q53. Consider the following statements with respect to Poona Pact of 1932:

1. Poona Pact followed the communal award made by the British Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald.
2. It was signed by Dr. B.R.Ambedkar and M.K Gandhi.
3. As per the pact, depressed class candidates were to be elected by a joint electorate instead of the separate electorate.

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

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

Q54. Consider the following statements with respect to Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC):

1. OPEC is a permanent, intergovernmental organization, created at the Baghdad Conference.
2. It is headquartered in Vienna, Austria.
3. Gabon is no longer a member of the OPEC.

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

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

Q55. Consider the following statements:

1. The Governor of a State has emergency powers to meet the situation arising from external aggression.
2. The Governor can summon, prorogue and dissolve the State Assembly.
3. The Governor addresses the first session of the Legislative Assembly after elections.

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

Q56. Which of the following magazines were started by Dr. B.R.Ambedkar?

1. Mooknayak
2. Equality Janta
3. Rast Goftar
4. Bahishkrit Bharat

Choose the correct option:

- a. 1 and 3 only

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

Q57. Consider the following statements:

- 1. River Yamuna originates in the Banderpooch peak in the Lower Himalayas.
- 2. The river flows through the states of Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand and Himachal Pradesh.

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

Q58. In the IUCN Red List, Greater One-Horned Rhino is classified as:

- a. Endangered
- b. Vulnerable
- c. Critically Endangered
- d. Near Threatened

Q59. Which of the following is/are correctly matched?

- 1. Global Financial Stability Report – World Bank
- 2. The World Economic Outlook – International Monetary Fund
- 3. Global Competitiveness Report – World Economic Forum

Options:

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

Q60. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Measles is a highly contagious bacterial disease.
- 2. Bhutan, Maldives and Sri Lanka have eliminated Measles.
- 3. Vaccine for Measles is covered under Mission Indradhanush of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.

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

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

Q61. Consider the following statements with respect to Indian Monsoons:

- 1. South-west Monsoons are formed due to intense low pressure system formed over the Tibetan Plateau.
- 2. North-east Monsoons are associated with high pressure cells over Tibetan and Siberian plateaus.

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

Q62. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Antibodies are proteins produced and secreted by B cells.
- 2. Antibodies bind to foreign substances that invade the body, such as pathogens.
- 3. ELISA is carried out to detect and measure antibodies in the blood.

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

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

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

Q63. Consider the following statements with respect to the National Food Security Act, 2013:

- 1. NFSA gives legal entitlement to 67% of the population to receive highly subsidized food grains.
- 2. NFSA provides for the payment of food security allowance to entitled persons by the Central Government in case of non-supply of entitled quantities of food grains.

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

Q64. Consider the following statements with respect to the World Health Organisation (WHO):

- 1. WHO membership is free for all the countries.
- 2. China is the single-biggest contributor to the WHO, followed by the U.S.
- 3. Voluntary contributions are the biggest category of funding that the WHO receives.

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

Q65. Consider the following statements with respect to New START Treaty:

- 1. New START is a nuclear arms reduction treaty between the United States and China.
- 2. New START restricts both the parties from deploying not more than 1,550 strategic nuclear warheads and bombs.
- 3. The Treaty's duration is fifty years, unless superseded by a subsequent agreement.

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

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

Q66. Arrange the following from North to South:

- 1. Golan Heights
- 2. Gaza Strip
- 3. West Bank
- 4. Dead Sea

Options:

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

Q67. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Ethanol can be produced from sugarcane, maize, wheat.
- 2. At 95% purity, ethanol is used for blending with petrol as it allows the engine to more completely combust the fuel resulting in fewer emissions.
- 3. Once blended, Ethanol cannot be separated from Petrol.

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

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

d. 1 and 3 only

Q68. Which of the following countries have signed and ratified the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty?

1. Russia
2. U.S.A
3. France
4. China
5. Britain

Options:

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

Q69. Special Drawing Rights (SDR) is associated with which of the following?

- a. World Bank
- b. International Monetary Fund
- c. G-20
- d. Asia development Bank

Q70. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. The Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution is in charge of the central sector scheme for marketing of Minor forest produce through the Minimum Support Price mechanism.
2. The Minimum Support Price for Minor forest produce is decided by the Commission for agricultural costs and prices.

Options:

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

Q71. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. The International Development Association (IDA) is an international financial institution which offers concessional loans and grants to the world's poorest developing countries.
2. The International Development Association is part of the World Bank.
3. India is not eligible for IDA support.

Options:

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

Q72. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. Ways and Means Advances option can be exercised only by the central government.
2. The interest rate for Ways and Means advances is aligned with the reverse repo rate.

Options:

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

Q73. Which of the following is wrongly matched?

- a. Ravanchhaya: Odisha
- b. Tolpava Kuthu: Kerala

- c. Togalu Gombeyatta: Andhra pradesh
- d. Chamadyacha Bahulya: Maharashtra

Q74. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct with respect to the traditional practice of Pachoti?

- 1. It is a folk festival which celebrates the birth of a baby, particularly a male infant, with relatives and neighbours.
- 2. It is practised in the state of Assam.

Options:

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

Q75. Which of the following place/s is/are housing the strategic oil reserve facility in India?

- 1. Mangaluru
- 2. Padur
- 3. Chandikhole
- 4. Visakhapatnam
- 5. Barmer

Options:

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

Q76. Select the right option:

Assertion (statement A): Unlike antibiotics for Bacterial infections, there are no antiviral drugs for Viruses and the treatment for viral disease involves treatment for the symptoms of the disease.

Reason (statement B): Unlike Bacterium Viruses remain inactive outside a host organism.

Options:

- a. Both statement A and B are true and statement B is the correct explanation for A.
- b. Both Statement a and B are true and statement B is not the correct explanation for A.
- c. Statement A is true, Statement B is false
- d. Statement B is true, Statement A is false.

Q77. Which of the following countries is/are member/observers of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation?

- 1. Syria
- 2. Russia
- 3. Thailand
- 4. India
- 5. China

Options:

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 4 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. All of the above

Q78. Which of the following pairs is wrongly matched?

- a. Tulaipanji rice: West Bengal
- b. Nilambur teak: Tamil Nadu
- c. Sirsi supari: Karnataka
- d. Araku valley Arabica coffee: Andhra Pradesh

Q79. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. The World Health Organization is a specialized agency of the United Nations.
2. World Health Report is a publication of the World Health Organization.

Options:

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

Q80 .Which of the following is/are part of the UNESCO's List of Intangible Cultural Heritage for India?

1. Mudiyettu
2. Chhau
3. Kolam
4. Yoga
5. Pachoti
6. Sankirtan
7. Nawrouz

Options:

- a. 1, 2, 3 and 5 only
- b. 3, 5 and 6 only
- c. 1, 2, 4, 6 and 7 only
- d. All of the above

Q81. Consider the following statements with respect to Adilabad Dokra:

1. It is a form of ancient bell metal craft practiced by the Woj community native to Andhra Pradesh.
2. It is a technique where duplicate metal sculpture is cast from an original sculpture.
3. It has been awarded Geographical Indication (GI) Tag.

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

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

Q82. Consider the following statements with respect to Fugitive Economic Offenders Act:

1. Only those economic offences involving at least Rs. 500 crore or more will come under this Act.
2. Upon declaration as a Fugitive Economic Offender, properties of the person will be confiscated and vested in the central government, free of rights and claims in the property.
3. No appeals are allowed before any court against the orders of the special court.

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

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

Q83. Consider the following statements:

1. As per the WTO rules, a member country cannot discriminate between its trade partners.
2. Special status granted to a trade partner must be extended to all members of the WTO.
3. While India had granted MFN status to Pakistan in 1996, Pakistan hasn't accorded MFN status to India.

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

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

Q84. Consider the following statements with respect to Amir Khusrau:

1. He invented the Sitar.
2. His work, Khaliq-e-bari, is the oldest known printed dictionary.
3. He was known as Tuti-e-Hind.

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

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

Q85. Consider the following statements with respect to Indian Ocean Commission (IOC):

1. It is an intergovernmental organisation headquartered in Seychelles.
2. India has recently been accepted as a member of IOC.
3. China and Pakistan are observers of IOC.

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

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

Q86. Which of the following are Zoonotic diseases?

1. Tuberculosis
2. Rabies
3. Toxoplasmosis
4. Malaria

Choose the correct option:

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

Q87. Consider the following statements with respect to South China Sea:

1. It is an arm of the Western Pacific Ocean in Southeast Asia.
2. It is to the west of the Philippines and east of Vietnam.
3. It is to the south of the island of Borneo.

Which of the above is/are correct?

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

Q88. Consider the following statements with respect to the Financial Action Task Force (FATF):

1. FATF is an international organization developed to combat terrorism and money laundering.
2. FATF also deals with issues related to low tax jurisdiction or tax competition.
3. It was established by a Group of Seven (G-7) Summit in Paris.

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

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

Q89. Consider the following statements:

1. Earth Bio-Genome Project will sequence and catalog the DNA of all of Earth's eukaryotic biodiversity.
2. Eukaryotic species include all plants, animals, fungi and other organisms whose cells have a clearly defined nucleus surrounded by a membrane.

3. Eukaryotic cells are typically much larger than those of prokaryotes.

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

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

Q90. Consider the following statements with respect to Nutrient Based Subsidy (NBS) Scheme:

- 1. Under the Scheme, a fixed amount of subsidy is decided by the government on an annual basis and is provided on each grade of subsidized Phosphatic and Potassic (P&K) fertilizers, including Urea.
- 2. In India, urea is the only controlled fertilizer and is sold at a statutory notified uniform sale price.

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

Q91. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Both the Central and State governments have the power to fix the price of sugarcane under the Concurrent List of the Constitution.
- 2. The Centre has complete authority to set the statutory minimum price for Sugarcane.
- 3. States can't fix sugarcane price higher than the statutory minimum price fixed by the Centre.

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

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

Q92. Consider the following statements with respect to Reverse Vaccinology:

- 1. It is the technique of identifying the proteins that are exposed on the surface by using genome instead of the microorganism.
- 2. Reverse vaccinology employs bioinformatics.
- 3. It has been used on several bacterial vaccines.

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

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

Q93. The annual Hindu festival held at Kamakhya Temple in Guwahati symbolising the fertility cult of goddess is called:

- a. Tuloni Biya
- b. Ambubachi Mela
- c. Dehing Patkai Festival
- d. Majuli Festival

Q94. Consider the following statements with respect to Wayanad Wildlife Sanctuary:

- 1. Wayanad Wildlife Sanctuary is part of the Nilgiri Biosphere Reserve.
- 2. It is contiguous to the protected areas of Nagarhole and Bandipur of Karnataka and Mudumalai of Tamil Nadu.

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

Q95. Arrange the following from South to North:

1. Paracel Islands
2. Spratly Islands
3. Senkaku Islands
4. Pratas Islands

Options:

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

Q96. Which of the following Geographical Tags are credited to the state of Karnataka?

1. Devanahalli Pomelo
2. Appemidi mango
3. Kinhal toys
4. Gulegudd Khana fabric

Choose the correct option:

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

Q97. Which of the following statement/s is/are correct?

1. The National Board for Wildlife is a statutory body under the Environment Protection Act, 1986.
2. The National Board for Wildlife is chaired by the Minister of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.
3. No alternation of boundaries in national parks and wildlife sanctuaries can be done without the approval of the NBWL.

Options:

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

Q98. The Tadoba Andhari tiger reserve is located in which of the following states?

- a. Maharashtra
- b. Madhya Pradesh
- c. Chattisgarh
- d. Jharkhand

Q99. Which of the following pairs is/are correctly matched?

1. Ajrakh textiles: Kutch
2. Sanjhi paper art: Mathura
3. Madhubani art: Bihar

Options:

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

Q100. Which of the following pairs is/are wrongly matched?

1. Leather footwear industry: Agra and Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh
2. Non-leather footwear industry: Bahadurgarh, Haryana
3. Sports articles and surgical goods: Jalandhar, Punjab

Options:

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

SET 3 Answer Key

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