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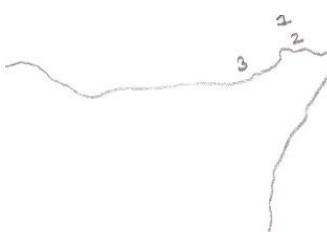
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<p>1. Which of the following pairs is/are correctly matched?</p> <p>Theory/law : Associated Scientist 1. Continental Drift : Edwin Hubble 2. Expansion of Universe : Alfred Wegener 3. Photoelectric Effect : Albert Einstein</p> <p>Select the correct answer using the code given below :</p> <p>(a) 2 and 3 only (b) 3 only (c) 2 only (d) 1 only</p> <p>2. The UNAI is concerned with</p> <p>(a) Environment (b) Poverty eradication (c) Universities (d) Sanitation</p> <p>3. Arrange the following Vice Presidents in the chronological order?</p> <p>1. Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan 2. Dr. Zakir Husain 3. Varahagiri Venkata Giri 4. Gopal Swarup Pathak</p> <p>(a) 1, 2, 3 and 4 (b) 1, 3, 2 and 4 (c) 1, 4, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 4 and 3</p> <p>4. The programme "Himayat" has been launched by</p> <p>(a) Ministry of Health (b) Ministry of Textiles (c) Ministry of Overseas affairs (d) Ministry of Rural Development</p> <p>5. The World's longest periscope developed by India is being used in</p> <p>(a) Aviation (b) Radioisotope production (c) Nuclear reactor</p>	<p>(d) Missile development</p> <p>6. The existence of two distinct forms of an organism is known as</p> <p>(a) Variation (b) Diapause (c) Mutation (d) Dimorphism</p> <p>7. The increasing atmospheric concentration of which of the following gases is not recognized as a cause of global warming</p> <p>(a) Methane (b) Chlorofluorocarbons (c) Nitrous oxide (d) Sulphur dioxide</p> <p>8. The bright colouration of the wings of Monarch Butterflies serves the function of?</p> <p>(a) Camouflage (b) Advertising sexual maturity to prospective mates (c) Increased heat absorption (d) Advertising noxiousness to predators</p> <p>9. The three-on-three half-court (3x3) is a version of</p> <p>(a) Hockey (b) Basketball (c) Table Tennis (d) Kabaddi</p>
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<p>10. Consider the following map of the north-eastern region and match the hills</p>  <p>(a) 1-Namcha Barwa, 2-Dafla Hills, 3-Mishmi Hills (b) 1-Mishmi Hills, 2-Namcha Barwa, 3-Dafla Hills (c) 1-Namcha Barwa, 2-Mishmi Hills, 3-Dafla Hills (d) 1-Dafla Hills, 2-Mishmi Hills, 3-Namcha Barwa</p> <p>11. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. "Arise, awake, and stop not till the goal is reached" was Swami Vivekananda's message to the Hindus to get out of their hypnotized state of mind 2. Swami Vivekananda is identified as the author of this sloka of Katha Upanishad</p> <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p> <p>12. What is the wetland ecosystem that is highly acidic and has an accumulation of decomposed plants known as peat ?</p> <p>(a) watershed (b) estuary (c) bog (d) mangrove</p> <p>13. Which of the minerals are found in a natural way in the State of Chhattisgarh?</p> <p>1. Bauxite 2. Dolomite 3. Iron ore 4. Tin</p>	<p>Select the correct answer using the code given below :</p> <p>(a) 1, 2 and 3 only (b) 1 and 3 only (c) 2 and 4 only (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>14. What is the community of plants living in salty soil that is flooded and exposed by alternating tides found along the shores of oceans, bays and rivers ?</p> <p>(a) salt marsh (b) mangrove (c) freshwater marsh (d) riparian forest</p> <p>15. Which of the following statements about Agni-IV are correct?</p> <p>1. Agni-IV is a two-stage missile powered by solid propellant. 2. Agni-IV is capable of carrying nuclear warheads. 3. Agni-IV was earlier called Agni-II Prime and the first flight of Agni-II Prime in December 2010 was a success</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>16. What is the broadened bottom of a tree trunk that helps to stabilize a tree growing in wet soil or water called ?</p> <p>(a) buttress (b) rhizome (c) knee (d) bench</p> <p>17. How is the rectilinear drainage pattern formed where two sets of structural controls occur at right angles?</p> <p>(a) Rectangular (b) Radial (c) Dendritic (d) Trellis</p>
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<p>18. The Election Commission of India recently raised the cap of minimum votes a political party must secure in election to get the status of a State party or maintain it further, from</p> <p>(a) 6 percent to 8 percent (b) 7 percent to 8 percent (c) 6 percent to 9 percent (d) 6 percent to 10 percent</p> <p>19. GCV pricing system is concerned with</p> <p>(a) Coal (b) Steel (c) Fertiliser (d) Wheat</p> <p>20. Which of the following play a major role as amplifying hosts of Japanese encephalitis?</p> <p>(a) Cows and Buffaloes (b) Cows and Goats (c) Water birds and Pigs (d) Water birds and Chicken</p> <p>21. The main objective of the Finance Ministry's Cash Management System is to</p> <p>(a) control expenditure (b) even the budgeted expenditure (c) weed out infructuous expenditure (d) balance the estimates and the expenditure</p> <p>22. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. The sea water temperature of Red Sea is higher than that of Persian Gulf 2. The Baltic Sea water is more saline than that of Black Sea</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>23. Shyamala Gopinath Committee was related to</p>	<p>(a) Micro Finance Institutions (b) Cooperative Banks (c) Small savings schemes (d) Rural credit</p> <p>24. Which of the following are the harvest dances</p> <p>1. Domrua 2. Hero Parab 3. Batauli Nach 4. Nom-Jama</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 3 and 4 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>25. The following map shows the major producing area of</p>  <p>(a) Bajra (b) Jowat (c) Barley (d) Ragi</p> <p>26. Which of the following were invented in India?</p> <p>1. Number System 2. Zero 3. Chess</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p>
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<p>27. Which of the following statements are correct about Indo-Japan relationships?</p> <p>1. Japan is cumulatively the 4th largest foreign direct investor in India. 2. Most of the collaborations are in the steel and power sector.</p> <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p> <p>28. The value of "pi" was first calculated by</p> <p>(a) Bhaskaracharya (b) Mahaviracharya (c) Budhayana (d) Aryabhatta</p> <p>29. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Anthem of India?</p> <p>1. The Indian National anthem was originally composed in Bengali by Rabindranath Tagore 2. It was adopted in its Hindi version by the Constituent Assembly as the National Anthem of India on 26 January 1950 3. The complete song consists of five stanzas 4. Playing time of full version of the National Anthem is approximately 52 seconds</p> <p>(a) 1 and 3 (b) 1, 2 and 3 (c) 1, 2 and 4 (d) 1, 3 and 4</p> <p>30. High-altitude, wispy clouds composed of ice crystals may precede a cold front. These clouds are _____ clouds</p> <p>(a) cumulus (b) stratocumulus (c) cirrus (d) altocumulus</p> <p>31. The level of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere is currently around</p> <p>(a) 350ppm</p>	<p>(b) 360ppm (c) 390ppm (d) 450ppm</p> <p>32. Which of the following Stupa is the oldest</p> <p>(a) Nalanda (b) Sanchi (c) Bharhut (d) Amravati</p> <p>33. Which of the following state is the largest producer of soyabean</p> <p>(a) Tamil Nadu (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Gujarat</p> <p>34. Which of the following route is covered by National Highway 1</p> <p>(a) Pinjore-Swarghat (b) Jalandhar-Jammu-Srinagar-Uri (c) Delhi-Agra-Kanpur-Varanasi-Dhanbad-Kolkata (d) Delhi-Ambala-Jalandhar-up to Indo-Pak border</p> <p>35. Arrange the following states in the increasing order of number of districts</p> <p>1. Andhra Pradesh 2. Madhya Pradesh 3. Bihar 4. Tamilnadu</p> <p>(a) 1, 4, 3, 2 (b) 1, 4, 2, 3 (c) 4, 1, 3, 2 (d) 4, 1, 2, 3</p> <p>36. The Keystone System is related to</p> <p>(a) Urban transportation (b) Transportation of crude oil (c) Circuitry of ballistic missile (d) Path monitoring of airplanes</p>
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<p>37. Which of the following statements are correct about the Sthombs</p> <p>1. A stambha consists of a circular column or shaft slightly tapering towards the summit 2. On top of this shaft is the Persepolitan bell or the inverted lotus shaped base 3. Above this is the abacus on top of which rests the crowning sculpture 4. These three portions were carved out of a single stone</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>38. The following map shows the major producing area of</p>  <p>(a) Rubber (b) Cardamom (c) Cashewnut (d) Coffee</p> <p>39. Electromagnetism proved a powerful tool for engineers all over the world. Thomas Edison, for instance, made a lot of inventions, but his most successful was probably the common light bulb. Do you know which material the wire in a light bulb is usually made of</p> <p>(a) Steel (b) Rubidium (c) Copper (d) Tungsten</p> <p>40. The Michelson-Morley experiment was an experiment intended to determine</p> <p>(a) The existence of an aether in outer space in which light waves could propagate</p>	<p>(b) The existence of photons (c) The speed of light (d) The speed of sound waves in outer space</p> <p>41. Which amendment to the Constitution made it necessary on the part of the President to accept the advice given by the Council of Ministers?</p> <p>(a) 24th amendment (b) 25th amendment (c) 41st amendment (d) 42nd amendment</p> <p>42. From which constitution did we borrow the concept of our Federation?</p> <p>(a) Canadian Constitution (b) Australian Constitution (c) Irish Constitution (d) German Constitution</p> <p>43. Which of the following is not a language included in the eighth schedule of the constitution?</p> <p>(a) English (b) Konkani (c) Sindhi (d) Kashmiri</p> <p>44. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. A candidate seeking election to a state legislative assembly must have completed 21 years 2. The minimum age for becoming a candidate for Lok Sabha is 25 years</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 2 only (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>45. Which of the following is not a post mentioned in the Constitution of India?</p> <p>(a) The Deputy Speaker of the Lok Sabha (b) The Deputy Prime Minister (c) The Deputy speaker of the state legislative assemblies (d) The Deputy chairman of the Rajya Sabha</p> <p>46. Who among the following can propose the name of a candidate for the office of President of India?</p> <p>(a) any five citizens of India (b) any five members of parliament (c) any ten member of the electoral college (d) any fifty members of the electoral college</p> <p>47. Which of the following tax is levied and collected by the union but wholly assigned to the states?</p> <p>(a) taxes on railway fares and freights (b) stamp duties (c) sales tax (d) custom duties</p> <p>48. Which of the following statements are correct about the Attorney General of India?</p> <p>1. The Attorney General of India is appointed by the President of India 2. He should be qualified to be appointed as a judge of the Supreme Court 3. He has the right of audience in all courts in the territory of India 4. The duty of the Attorney General is to advise the Prime Minister on legal matters 5. He has the right to speak and take part in the proceedings of either House of Parliament 6. He can be a member of any Parliamentary Committee and is entitled to vote</p> <p>(a) 1, 2, 3 and 6 (b) 1, 2, 3 and 4 (c) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 5</p> <p>49. Who among the following presidents of India held the office for two successive terms?</p>	<p>(a) V V Giri (b) Dr S Radhakrishnan (c) Dr Zakir Hussain (d) Dr Rajendra Prasad</p> <p>50. The Fundamental Duties were added to the constitution for the first time in</p> <p>(a) 1974 (b) 1975 (c) 1976 (d) 1977</p> <p>51. Development means economic growth with</p> <p>(a) price stability (b) social change (c) inflation (d) deflation</p> <p>52. Which one of the following is more effective in controlling prices in the long run?</p> <p>(a) decrease in production (b) increase in production (c) decrease in the rate of interest (d) increase in the rate of employment</p> <p>53. Through open market operations, the RBI purchases and sells</p> <p>(a) foreign exchange (b) gold (c) government securities (d) all of these</p> <p>54. A firm is said to be of optimum size when</p> <p>(a) average total cost is at a minimum (b) marginal cost is at a minimum (c) marginal cost is equal to marginal revenue (d) the firm is maximizing its profit</p>
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<p>55. All revenues received, loans raised and money received in repayment of loans by the Union government go into</p> <p>(a) Public account of India (b) Contingency fund of India (c) Consolidated fund of India (d) None of the above</p> <p>56. The law of demand states that</p> <p>(a) demand increases with increase in income (b) when income and prices rise, the demand also rises (c) when price falls, demand increases (d) when price increases, demand increases</p> <p>57. The balance of payment comprises</p> <p>(a) a current account of goods and services only (b) a capital account of financial assets only (c) official settlement accounts only (d) all of these</p> <p>58. What is Net National Product?</p> <p>(a) The money value of final goods and services produced annually in the economy (b) The money value of annual service generation in the economy (c) The money value of tangible goods produced annually in the economy (d) The money value of tangible goods available in the economy</p> <p>59. Other things being equal, what causes a decrease in demand?</p> <p>(a) rise in the price of the substitute (b) fall in the price of the commodity (c) rise in the income of the consumer (d) rise in the price of the commodity</p> <p>60. Deflation is</p> <p>(a) deficit budget</p>	<p>(b) reduction in taxation (c) contraction in volume of money or credit that results in a decline of price level (d) increase in public expenditure</p> <p>61. The United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) was held for the first time in</p> <p>(a) 1972 (b) 1979 (c) 1982 (d) 1985</p> <p>62. The United Nations General Assembly adopted the World Charter for Nature in</p> <p>(a) 1982 (b) 1983 (c) 1985 (d) 1988</p> <p>63. The focal depth of a deep earthquake is</p> <p>(a) 60 to 300 kms from the earth surface (b) 100 to 500 kms from the earth surface (c) 300 to 700 Kms from the earth surface (d) 700 to 1000 Kms from the earth surface</p> <p>64. Which element is depleted most from the soil after a crop is harvested?</p> <p>(a) Nitrogen (b) Potassium (c) Phosphate (d) Fluoride</p> <p>65. On this day in 1972, the Stockholm Conference on Human Environment was held in Sweden. Since then the World Environment Day is celebrated on this day. State the date</p> <p>(a) March 8 (b) June 5 (c) May 22 (d) October 8</p>
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<p>66. The state's and citizens' responsibilities for environmental protection is enshrined in the Constitution of India in the following two articles:</p> <p>(a) 38G and 58A (b) 55B and 51D (c) 48A and 51-A(g) (d) 59B and 12D</p> <p>67. Which of the following statements are correct about the variation in hiring practices across firms of different sizes in India?</p> <p>1. The job creation rate is much smaller for small firms than for large ones 2. The job destruction rate is higher in small firms</p> <p>(a) Only 1 is correct (b) Only 2 is correct (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct</p> <p>68. Wind erosion is one of the key causes of desertification and occurs when soil is left bare of vegetation. State the major cause of wind erosion in arid and semi-arid lands where this problem is most severe</p> <p>(a) Cleaning of land for agriculture (b) Deforestation (c) Overgrazing by livestock (d) Forest fires</p> <p>69. India's foreign exchange reserves comprise of</p> <p>1. Foreign currency assets (FCA) 2. Gold 3. Special drawing rights (SDRs) 4. Reserve tranche position (RTP) in the International Monetary Fund (IMF)</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2 (b) 1, 3 and 4 (c) 2, 3 and 4 (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>70. Name the gas released from landfills, decaying organic matter under shallow water in marshes and bogs, flooded paddy fields, by ruminant animals & termites, and by the burning of biomass.</p>	<p>A molecule of this gas has 21 times more global warming potential than a molecule of CO₂.</p> <p>(a) Sulphur dioxide (b) Methane (c) Ammonia (d) Nitrous Oxide</p> <p>71. On August 9 1942 the Congress Party's Working Committee, or national leadership was arrested all together and imprisoned at the</p> <p>(a) Ahmednagar fort (b) Yervada jail (c) Aga Khan Palace (d) Andaman and Nicobar islands</p> <p>72. The Royal Indian Navy Mutiny took place on</p> <p>(a) 18 February 1945 (b) 18 February 1946 (c) 17 February 1946 (d) 19 February 1946</p> <p>73. Which of the following flags were hoisted by the Royal Indian Navy during their strike</p> <p>(a) The Congress (b) The Muslim League (c) The Communist Party of India (d) All of the above</p> <p>74. Pakistan was declared a separate nation from India on</p> <p>(a) 13 August 1947 (b) 14 August 1947 (c) 15 August 1947 (d) 14 August 1946</p>
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<p>75. Operation Polo was launched by Sardar Patel to integrate which of the Princely state into Indian Union</p> <p>(a) Junagarh (b) Jammu and Kashmir (c) Hyderabad (d) Gwalior</p> <p>76. Goa was taken from Portuguese control in</p> <p>(a) 1947 (b) 1950 (c) 1961 (d) 1970</p> <p>77. The Constituent Assembly completed the work of drafting the constitution on</p> <p>(a) 26 November 1948 (b) 26 November 1949 (c) 26 November 1950 (d) 26 January 1950</p> <p>78. Pondicherry was ceded by French to India in</p> <p>(a) 1950-1951 (b) 1952-1953 (c) 1953-1954 (d) 1954-1955</p> <p>79. How many Princely states existed at the time of India's independence</p> <p>(a) 550 (b) 552 (c) 565 (d) 570</p> <p>80. The first General elections in India took place in</p> <p>(a) 1950 (b) 1952 (c) 1954 (d) 1955</p>	<p>81. During which Vice Roy's tenure the institution of local self government was strengthened</p> <p>(a) Lord Lytton (b) Lord William Bentick (c) Lord Ripon (d) Lord Cornwallis</p> <p>82. Which of the following is not true about Ilbert Bill</p> <p>1. It was drafted by Mr. Ilbert, law member of Vice Roy 2. It authorised the Indian Judges to hear cases against the Europeans 3. It was opposed by Europeans 4. The Bill was finally adopted by the assent of Vice Roy Lord Ripon</p> <p>(a) 4 (b) 3 (c) 2 (d) 1</p> <p>83. Who said "You will be nearer to Heaven through playing football than through the study of the Gita"</p> <p>(a) Dayananda Saraswati (b) Swami Vivekananda (c) Rabindra Nath Tagore (d) Raja Ram Mohan Roy</p> <p>84. The Suddhi movement by which Non Hindus and untouchables could be converted to Hinduism was initiated by</p> <p>(a) Dayananda Saraswati (b) Swami Vivekananda (c) Ramanuja (d) Raja Ram Mohan Roy</p> <p>85. Seaweeds are classified into three groups: Chlorophyta (green), Rhodophyta (red) and</p> <p>(a) Silverphyta (silver) (b) Aquaphyta (blue) (c) Phaeophyta (brown) (d) Orophyta (gold)</p>
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86. The subject matter of the songs of Carnatic museum is mainly

- (a) Patriotism
- (b) Various Gods and Goddesses
- (c) Love
- (d) Natures bounty

87. How many units does a "Taal" have

- (a) 6
- (b) 7
- (c) 8
- (d) 10

88. Which of the following is the correct sequence of the rivers from west to east?

- (a) Ghaghara, Yamuna, Ganges, Gomati
- (b) Yamuna, Ganges, Ghaghara, Gomati
- (c) Ganges, Yamuna, Gomati, Ghaghara
- (d) Yamuna, Ganges, Gomati, Ghaghara

89. Which of the following statements are correct about the Abel Prize?

- 1. The Abel Prize is an international prize presented by UK
- 2. It is given to one or more outstanding scientists
- (a) Only 1 is correct
- (b) Only 2 is correct
- (c) Both 1 and 2 are correct
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2 is correct

90. Consider the following map of southern India. Which of the following are the correct locations of the religious places shown in the map?



(a) 1-Sringeri, 2-Sravanabelagola, 3-Badami, 4-Tirupati

(b) 1-Badami, 2-Sravanabelagola, 3-Sringeri, 4-Tirupati

(c) 1-Badami, 2-Sringeri, 3-Sravanabelagola, 4-Tirupati

(d) 1-Sringeri, 2-Sravanabelagola, 3-Tirupati, 4-Badami

91. What is a seismic zone extending at an angle of about 45° from the base of an ocean trench, down through lithosphere to the asthenosphere known as?

- (a) Appleton layer
- (b) Benioff zone
- (c) Conrad discontinuity
- (d) Convergence zone

92. Vegetable oils are hydrogenated in the presence of finely divided

- (a) alumina
- (b) nickel
- (c) charcoal
- (d) silica

93. Our stomach plays an important part in the digestion process. What is the name of the acid present in our stomach used for digestion

- (a) hydrochloric acid
- (b) hydrofluoric acid
- (c) sulphuric acid
- (d) phosphoric acid

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<p>94. Which of the following is the correct sequence of the hill stations from west to east?</p> <p>(a) Gulmarg, Srinagar, Ladakh, Leh (b) Gulmarg, Srinagar, Leh, Ladakh (c) Srinagar, Gulmarg, Leh, Ladakh (d) Srinagar, Gulmarg, Ladakh, Leh</p> <p>95. This gas becomes liquid at -196oC. It is essential to life, and is a component of all proteins</p> <p>(a) air (b) oxygen (c) nitrogen (d) hydrogen</p> <p>96. Which of the following state is the largest producer of Pulses in India</p> <p>(a) Maharashtra (b) Rajasthan (c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Punjab</p> <p>97. Winter rains in North West India are due to</p> <p>(a) Westerlies (b) Western disturbances (c) Monsoon (d) Retreating monsoons</p> <p>98. Which among the following was the chief cause of the Second Anglo-Maratha War?</p> <p>(a) Wellesley's desire to destroy the Maratha power (b) Interference of the English in the mutual conflicts of the Marathas (c) English intrigues with Peshwa Baji Rao (d) English intervention in the conflict between the Marathas and the Nizam</p>	<p>99. Brahmaputra takes hairpin turn from China to India from</p> <p>(a) Namcha Barwa (b) Brahmgiri (c) Kanchengunja (d) Tsango Point</p> <p>100. Black soil is predominantly found in</p> <p>(a) Himachal Pradesh and Punjab (b) Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu (c) Gujarat and Maharashtra (d) West Bengal and Bihar</p>
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