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GENERAL STUDIES
Paper-I

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<p>1. The committee for preparation of final draft of National Education Policy has been constituted under the Chairmanship of</p> <p>(a) D. Subbarao (b) Professor Yashpal (c) Dr. C. Iyengar (d) Dr K. Kasturirangan</p> <p>2. 'EK Bharat Shreshtha Bharat' aims at</p> <p>(a) All round development of all the States (b) Uniform Civil Code (c) Cultural connect between different parts of the country (d) Equal distribution of Central resources amongst all the States</p> <p>3. Which of the following is an anti-submarine warfare corvette of the Indian Navy built under Project 28?</p> <p>(a) INS Kripan (b) INS Kripal (c) INS Kiltan (d) INS Talwar</p> <p>4. The first project for rural LED street lighting in the country under the Government of India's Street Lighting National Project (SLNP) has been taken up in</p> <p>(a) Andhra Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Haryana (d) Maharashtra</p> <p>5. INAM-Pro+ portal is a platform for</p> <p>(a) Infrastructure and Materials Providers (b) Agricultural Services (c) Pharmaceutical Industry (d) Defence Industry</p>	<p>6. Which of the following State is the top litchi producing State in the country?</p> <p>(a) Karnataka (b) Himachal Pradesh (c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Bihar</p> <p>7. The President of India, Shri Pranab Mukherjee has recently inaugurated the Indian Institute of Liver and Digestive Sciences in</p> <p>(a) Mumbai, Maharashtra (b) Gurugram, Haryana (c) Ranchi, Jharkhand (d) South 24 Parganas, West Bengal</p> <p>8. Tejas, the Light Combat Aircraft today successfully demonstrated an Air-to-Air Beyond Visual Range (BVR) missile firing capability by releasing Derby Air-to-Air BVR missile in RADAR guided mode.</p> <p>Derby (Alto) is a beyond visual range (BVR) air-to-air missile (AAM) developed by</p> <p>(a) USA (b) Russia (c) France (d) Israel</p> <p>9. "eVIN" is a Project of the Ministry of</p> <p>(a) Health and Family Welfare (b) Finance (c) Agriculture and Family Welfare (d) Housing and Urban Affairs</p> <p>10. Which of the following Committee was constituted to Review, Rationalize and Optimize the Functioning of Sector Skill Councils?</p> <p>(a) Y. V. Reddy Committee</p>
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<p>(b) Usha Thorat Committee</p> <p>(c) Amitabh Kant Committee</p> <p>(d) Sharada Prasad Committee</p> <p>11. Recently a stamp was released on the occasion of the one thousandth birth anniversary of</p> <p>(a) Shri Aryabhata</p> <p>(b) Shri Tulsidas</p> <p>(c) Shri Madhavacharya</p> <p>(d) Shri Ramanujacharya</p> <p>12. "Incheon Strategy" is related to</p> <p>(a) Nuclear Disarmament</p> <p>(b) Rights of persons with disabilities</p> <p>(c) Sustainable Development Goals</p> <p>(d) Elimination of ozone Depleting Substances</p> <p>13. 'Pradhan Mantri Mahila Shakti Kendra' focuses on</p> <p>(a) Priority to women in Bank Loans</p> <p>(b) Reservation of women in Panchayats</p> <p>(c) Medical help to needy women in rural areas</p> <p>(d) Women Empowerment through community participation</p> <p>14. India has recently become a member of</p> <p>(a) African Development Bank</p> <p>(b) European Bank for Reconstruction & Development</p> <p>(c) European Investment Bank</p> <p>(d) Islamic Development Bank</p> <p>15. The Union Cabinet chaired by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi has approved the setting up of the 15th Finance Commission. Under which of the following Article it is a Constitutional obligation to set up a Finance Commission at every five years?</p> <p>(a) Article 280 (1)</p>	<p>(b) Article 280 (2)</p> <p>(c) Article 280 (3)</p> <p>(d) Article 280 (4)</p> <p>16. Mahadayi river water sharing dispute is between</p> <p>(a) Karnataka and Kerala</p> <p>(b) Goa and Karnataka</p> <p>(c) Tamil Nadu and Kerala</p> <p>(d) Goa and Maharashtra</p> <p>17. Aanchal Thakur has won India's first international medal in</p> <p>(a) Skating</p> <p>(b) Skiing</p> <p>(c) Formula 1 racing</p> <p>(d) Judo</p> <p>18. Mission Seven Summits to scale highest peaks of seven different continents was recently taken up by</p> <p>(a) Border Security Force</p> <p>(b) Indian Army</p> <p>(c) Indo Tibetan Border Police</p> <p>(d) Indian Air Force</p> <p>19. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Food Security Act, 2013 (NFSA)?</p> <p>1. It provides for coverage of 75% of the rural and 50% of the urban population for receiving foodgrains at highly subsidized prices of Rs.1/2/3 per kg for coarse grains/wheat/rice respectively</p> <p>2. Antyodaya Anna Yojana is a part of NFSA</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>20. According to the just released SRS bulletin (2016) under-five child mortality (U5MR) of India in 2016 is</p> <p>(a) 43 (b) 41 (c) 40 (d) 39</p> <p>21. Which of the following Committee has been constituted to study and identify key data protection issues and recommend methods for addressing them?</p> <p>(a) Justice P.N. Bhagwati Committee (b) Justice J. S. Kehar Committee (c) Justice B.N. Srikrishna Committee (d) Justice R. C. Lahoti Committee</p> <p>22. When the International Solar Agreement Framework Agreement entered into force on December 6th, 2017, ISA formally became a de-jure treaty based International Intergovernmental Organization. It is headquartered at</p> <p>(a) Delhi (b) Gurugram (c) Mumbai (d) Bengaluru</p> <p>23. The Global Forum for Food and Agriculture (GFFA) is an international conference that focuses on central questions concerning the future of the global agri-food industry. It is held during International Green Week (IGW). It was founded in 1926 in</p> <p>(a) Berlin (b) Moscow (c) Paris (d) Geneva</p>	<p>24. National Investment and Infrastructure Fund (NIIF) has made its first investment for ports, terminals, transportation and logistics businesses in India in partnership with</p> <p>(a) France (b) Germany (c) UK (d) USA</p> <p>25. India's "Paris Pledge" aims to reduce the emission intensity of GDP by ---- percent over 2005 levels by the year 2030</p> <p>(a) 23-25 (b) 25-28 (c) 33-35 (d) 35-38</p> <p>26. Which of the following schemes are related to the Power Sector?</p> <p>1. UDAY 2. Saubhagya</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>27. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Health Protection Scheme under the newly announced Ayushman Bharat programme?</p> <p>1. It will cover over 10 crore poor and vulnerable families (approximately 50 crore beneficiaries) 2. It provides coverage upto 10 lakh rupees per family per year for secondary and tertiary care hospitalization</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>28. 'Operation Greens' aims to address</p> <p>(a) Crop insurance</p> <p>(b) Availability of good quality seeds</p> <p>(c) Increasing the productivity of Wheat and Rice Crops</p> <p>(d) Price volatility of perishable commodities like potatoes, tomatoes and onions</p> <p>29. The "NAMICA" and "HELINA" are the two versions of which of the following Missile?</p> <p>(a) Nag</p> <p>(b) Agni</p> <p>(c) Akash</p> <p>(d) Prithvi</p> <p>30. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. 'A Life with Wildlife: from Princely India to the Present' has been authored by Dr. M.K. Ranjitsinh</p> <p>2. , Dr. Ranjitsinh was a principal author of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>31. Match the following</p> <p>A. Bachendri Pal - 1. First Indian woman to win the Miss Earth title</p> <p>B. Nicole Faria - 2. India's first female Merchant Navy Captain</p> <p>C. Karnam Malleswari - 3. First Indian woman to reach the Mount Everest summit</p> <p>D. Radhika Menon - 4. First Indian weightlifter to win an Olympic medal</p> <p>(a) A-2, B-1, C-4, D-3</p> <p>(b) A-4, B-1, C-3, D-2</p> <p>(c) A-3, B-1, C-2, D-4</p> <p>(d) A-3, B-1, C-4, D-2</p> <p>32. The Ashgabat agreement of India, Iran, Kazakhstan, Oman, Pakistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan is related to</p> <p>(a) Avoidance of Double Taxation</p>	<p>(b) Educational and Cultural Exchange</p> <p>(c) Multimodal Transportation</p> <p>(d) Gas Pipeline</p> <p>33. The International North–South Transport Corridor (INSTC) is a project of</p> <p>(a) North America and South America</p> <p>(b) Asia and Africa</p> <p>(c) Central Asia and Europe</p> <p>(d) East Europe and Central Asia</p> <p>34. Which of the following statements are correct about the international Theatre Olympics?</p> <p>1. The international Theatre Olympics was held in India for the first time in 2018</p> <p>2. The Theatre Olympics was established in 1993 in Delphi, Greece</p> <p>3. Theodoros Terzopoulos is the initiator of the international Theatre Olympics</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 2 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>35. A National Seminar on Whither India was held in Kozhikode in connection with the commemoration of 40 years of</p> <p>Shri P.S. Sreedharan Pillai's professional career. Shri P.S. Sreedharan Pillai is well known as</p> <p>1. Advocate</p> <p>2. Political Leader</p> <p>3. Social Worker</p> <p>(a) 1</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>36. The Palace Queen Humsafar Express has been started between</p> <p>(a) Mysuru and Jaipur</p> <p>(b) Mysuru and Udaipur</p> <p>(c) Bengaluru and Udaipur</p>
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<p>(d) Bengaluru and Jodhpur</p> <p>37. WAVE is an acronym for "World against Violence and Extremism" suggested by Iranian President</p> <p>(a) Mahmoud Ahmadinejad</p> <p>(b) Ali Khamenei</p> <p>(c) Hassan Rouhani</p> <p>(d) Mohammad Khatami</p> <p>38. National Banana Festival, 2018 was held in</p> <p>(a) Mumbai</p> <p>(b) Thiruvananthapuram</p> <p>(c) Mysuru</p> <p>(d) Vaishali</p> <p>39. Which of the following measure (s) has/have been taken recently for the development of the North East Region?</p> <p>1. Amendment of the "Indian Forest Act of 1927" as a result of which "Bamboo", which was defined as a "Tree" under the Indian Forest Act of 1927, was changed, thereby doing away with the requirement of obtaining a permit for cutting of bamboo on non-forest land for economic use</p> <p>2. 100% funding by Central Government for projects in the NE, which were earlier being undertaken on the basis of Centre-State sharing in the ratio of 90:10</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>40. The World Sustainable Development Summit (WSDS) is a flagship event of</p> <p>(a) United Nations</p> <p>(b) The Energy and Resources Institute</p> <p>(c) World Bank</p> <p>(d) The International Energy Research Centre</p>	<p>41. Which of the following State has been declared 100% organic state?</p> <p>(a) Meghalaya</p> <p>(b) Tripura</p> <p>(c) Sikkim</p> <p>(d) Arunachal Pradesh</p> <p>42. Which of the following statements are correct about the Silk Road Economic Belt?</p> <p>1. It is a development strategy proposed by Chinese Government</p> <p>2. It focuses on connectivity and cooperation between Eurasian countries</p> <p>3. It was initially called One Belt and One Road</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>43. The Government has fixed procurement target for Rabi Marketing Season (RMS) 2018-19 as</p> <p>(a) 220 lakh tonnes</p> <p>(b) 300 lakh tonnes</p> <p>(c) 320 lakh tonnes</p> <p>(d) 350 lakh tonnes</p> <p>44. The 15th Finance Commission has been constituted by the Government on November 27, 2017 under the chairmanship of</p> <p>(a) Ashok Lahiri</p> <p>(b) Anoop Singh</p> <p>(c) N.K. Singh</p> <p>(d) Shaktikanta Das</p> <p>45. The international conference 'Agricon 2018' and 'Agriexpo 2018' was held at</p> <p>(a) Kanpur</p> <p>(b) Pusa</p> <p>(c) Mysuru</p>
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<p>(d) Pantnagar</p> <p>46. The World Congress on Information Technology was held for the first time in India in Feb, 2018 at</p> <p>(a) Hyderabad</p> <p>(b) Bengaluru</p> <p>(c) New Delhi</p> <p>(d) Mumbai</p> <p>47. "GRAM" is related to</p> <p>(a) Rural Post Office</p> <p>(b) Rural Broadband Connectivity</p> <p>(c) Agricultural Market</p> <p>(d) New variety of Sorghum</p> <p>48. 'Ek Janpad –Ek Utpad' scheme was launched by which State?</p> <p>(a) Madhya Pradesh</p> <p>(b) Odisha</p> <p>(c) Rajasthan</p> <p>(d) Uttar Pradesh</p> <p>49. Which of the following statements are correct about the Aga Khan Development Network (AKDN)?</p> <p>1. The Aga Khan Development Network (AKDN) is a network of private, non-denominational development agencies founded by the Aga Khan</p> <p>2. It works primarily in the poorest parts of Asia and Africa</p> <p>3. It is a Shia faith rooted Nizari Ismaili Muslim supranational Union</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>50. The Indian Council of Agricultural Research - Research Complex for Eastern Region (ICAR-RCER) is located in</p> <p>(a) Kolkata</p>	<p>(b) Bhubhaneshwar</p> <p>(c) Patna</p> <p>(d) Guwahati</p> <p>51. Which of the following features are correct about the recently notified Electrical Bond Scheme?</p> <p>1. It aims to bring substantial transparency in political donations</p> <p>2. It has the provision of non disclosure of the identity of the person donating</p> <p>3. The bonds can be gifted to a political party registered under section 29A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 and has secured not less than one per cent of the votes polled in the last general election to the House of the People or the Legislative Assembly, as the case may be</p> <p>4. The bond shall be valid for fifteen (15) days from the date of issue and no payment shall be made to any payee political party if the bond is deposited after expiry of the validity period</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 2 and 4</p> <p>(c) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2, 3 and 4</p> <p>52. 'WatankoJano', is an initiative of the Ministry of</p> <p>(a) Defence</p> <p>(b) Rural Development</p> <p>(c) Foreign Affairs</p> <p>(d) Home Affairs</p> <p>53. 'Operation Greens' announced in the budget this year, would benefit farmers growing</p> <p>(a) Rice</p> <p>(b) Wheat</p> <p>(c) Coarse grains</p> <p>(d) Tomato, Onion and Potato</p>
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<p>54. The newly created National Urban Housing Fund (NUHF) for Rs.60,000 crores will be situated in</p> <p>(a) National Housing Bank</p> <p>(b) Housing and Development Finance Bank</p> <p>(c) National Building Construction Company</p> <p>(d) Building Materials and Technology Promotion Council</p> <p>55. The Cabinet approves proposal for Mahanadi Water Disputes – Constitution of a Tribunal under Inter-State River Disputes Act, 1956 – request from State of Odisha. The dispute is between Odisha and</p> <p>(a) West Bengal</p> <p>(b) Jharkhand</p> <p>(c) Chhattisgarh</p> <p>(d) Andhra Pradesh</p> <p>56. Which of the following provisions of the Inter-State River Water Disputes (ISRWD) Act, 1956 are correct?</p> <p>1. The Tribunal shall consist of a Chairman and two other Members nominated by the Chief Justice of India from amongst the Judges of the Supreme Court or High Court</p> <p>2. The Tribunal is required to submit its report and decision within a period of 3 years</p> <p>3. The period can be extended to a further period not exceeding 2 years due to unavoidable reasons</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>57. India has recently signed an Agreement on Film Co-production with</p> <p>(a) USA</p> <p>(b) Germany</p> <p>(c) Israel</p> <p>(d) UK</p>	<p>58. Indian Defence University is being setup at Binola and Bilaspur, in district</p> <p>(a) Mau</p> <p>(b) NOIDA</p> <p>(c) Gurugram</p> <p>(d) Panchmarhi</p> <p>59. The Banning of Unregulated Deposit Schemes Bill, 2018 is aimed at tackling the menace of illicit deposit taking activities in the country. Which of the following offences have been created by the Bill?</p> <p>1. Running of Unregulated Deposit Schemes</p> <p>2. Fraudulent default in Regulated Deposit Schemes</p> <p>3. Wrongful inducement in relation to Unregulated Deposit Schemes</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 2 and 3</p> <p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>60. The Union Cabinet, chaired by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, has given its approval to introduce the Chit Funds (Amendment) Bill, 2018 in Parliament. In order to facilitate orderly growth of the Chit Funds sector and remove bottlenecks being faced by the Chit Funds industry. The Chit Fund Act was passed by the Parliament in</p> <p>(a) 1960</p> <p>(b) 1970</p> <p>(c) 1972</p> <p>(d) 1982</p> <p>61. State Highway 17 (SH-17) is a state highway connecting the cities of Bangalore and Mysore in the south Indian state of Karnataka. Bengaluru-Mysore highway is being upgraded to 6 lane and given status of</p> <p>(a) NH-273</p> <p>(b) NH-274</p>
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<p>(c) NH-275</p> <p>(d) NH-276</p> <p>62. Silkyara Bend - Barkot Tunnel is coming up in which State</p> <p>(a) Manipur</p> <p>(b) Jammu and Kashmir</p> <p>(c) Himachal Pradesh</p> <p>(d) Uttarakhand</p> <p>63. Kunwar Bai who died recently was in news as a</p> <p>(a) Noted Film Personality</p> <p>(b) Social worker</p> <p>(c) Swachch Bharat brand ambassador</p> <p>(d) Political leader</p> <p>64. A Sanskriti Mahotsav "Swachhagrah – Babu ko Kaaryaanjali" was organised at</p> <p>(a) Vadodara</p> <p>(b) Puri</p> <p>(c) Vijayawada</p> <p>(d) Varanasi</p> <p>65. Sauni Yojana is related to which State?</p> <p>(a) Rajasthan</p> <p>(b) Gujarat</p> <p>(c) Uttar Pradesh</p> <p>(d) Madhya Pradesh</p> <p>66. Technology Mission for Indian Railways (TMIR) is being launched as per vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister for "Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas". Which of the following Ministry is coordinating with Indian Railways in this endeavour?</p> <p>1. Ministry of Science and Technology</p> <p>2. Ministry of Human Resource Development</p> <p>3. Ministry of Defence</p> <p>(a) Only 2</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p>	<p>(d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>67. The allocation for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes have been worked out keeping the percentage of allocation</p> <p>by the Ministries/Departments prescribed as per the guidelines of</p> <p>(a) Dr. Raghuraman Committee</p> <p>(b) Dr. Rangarajan Committee</p> <p>(c) Ram Vilas Paswan Committee</p> <p>(d) Dr. Narendra Jadhav Committee</p> <p>68. Match the following Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed by India with different countries</p> <p>A. Oil and Gas Sector - 1. Belgium</p> <p>B. Information Communication Technology and Electronics (ICT&E) - 2. Italy</p> <p>C. Renewable Energy - 3. Israel</p> <p>(a) A-2, B-1, C-3</p> <p>(b) A-1, B-3, C-2</p> <p>(c) A-3, B-2, C-1</p> <p>(d) A-3, B-1, C-2</p> <p>69. India has recently tied up with which of the following country to improve Public Transport in India?</p> <p>(a) USA</p> <p>(b) UK</p> <p>(c) France</p> <p>(d) Italy</p> <p>70. The Union Cabinet chaired by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has approved amendments in the Model Concession Agreement (MCA) to make the which of the Projects more investor-friendly</p> <p>(a) Roads</p> <p>(b) Airways</p> <p>(c) Railways</p> <p>(d) Ports</p>
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<p>71. Cabinet has approved Jal Marg Vikas Project for enhanced navigation on the Haldia-Varanasi stretch of</p> <p>(a) National Waterway-1 (b) National Waterway-2 (c) National Waterway-3 (d) National Waterway-4</p> <p>72. The mandatory packaging of foodgrains and sugar in the jute material for the Jute Year 2017-18 requires that</p> <p>(a) 90% of the food grains and 20% of the sugar products shall be mandatorily packed in jute bags (b) 90% of the food grains and 80% of the sugar products shall be mandatorily packed in jute bags (c) 80% of the food grains and 90% of the sugar products shall be mandatorily packed in jute bags (d) 100% of the food grains and 100% of the sugar products shall be mandatorily packed in jute bags</p> <p>73. Which of the following statements are correct?</p> <p>1. India presently ranks third in number of reactors under construction after China and Russian Federation 2. India stands seventh in number of reactors in operation</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>74. Which of the following statements are correct about the coal produced in India?</p> <p>1. Ash content of coal produced in the country is generally 25 to 45 % 2. Indian Coal has comparatively higher ash content than imported coal due to drift theory of formation of coal deposits in India</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) Only 2 (c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>	<p>75. In the pre-2020 period, India announced its voluntary goal to reduce the emission intensity of its Gross Domestic Product (GDP) by 20-25 per cent from 2005 levels by 2020. According to Biennial Update Report submitted by Government of India to United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) in 2016, India has achieved how much reduction in emission intensity between 2005 and 2010</p> <p>(a) 2% (b) 6% (c) 10% (d) 12%</p> <p>76. Guru Shishya Parampara Scheme is related to</p> <p>(a) Sports (b) Dance (c) Music (d) Folk art, indigenous art and craft</p> <p>77. Which of the following Committee was constituted by Ministry of Defence to recommend measures to enhance combat capability and rebalance defence expenditure of the armed forces?</p> <p>(a) Gen (Retd) V. K. Singh Committee (b) Lt Gen (Retd) DB Shekatkar Committee (c) Lt Gen (Retd) Kamal Davar Committee (d) Gen (Retd) Panag Committee</p> <p>78. Which of the following Very Severe Cyclonic Storm devastated parts of Sri Lanka and India?</p> <p>(a) Nikki (b) Meiki (c) Torchi (d) Ockhi</p> <p>79. India Meteorological Department (IMD) issues three types of forecasts during the monsoon season. Which of the following are correct?</p>
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<p>1. Seasonal forecast (for the whole season) 2. Extended range forecast (10- 20 days) 3. short-medium range forecast (0-10 days)</p> <p>(a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>80. The Union Cabinet chaired by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has recently approved the Agreement on Land Border Crossing with</p> <p>(a) Myanmar (b) Bhutan (c) Bangladesh (d) Pakistan</p> <p>81. Which of the following is India's new emergency number for help during emergency situations such as availing services of police, ambulance and the fire department?</p> <p>(a) 100 (b) 110 (c) 111 (d) 112</p> <p>82. Match the following women with their achievements</p> <p>A. Anju Mangla - 1. India's First woman to Play Professional Poker B. Muskan Sethi - 2. First woman Superintendent in Tihar Men's Jail C. Chhavi Rajawat - 3. India's first F1 women racer, India's first female national racing champion D. Alisha Abdullah - 4. India's first woman Sarpanch</p> <p>(a) A-2, B-1, C-4, D-3 (b) A-2, B-1, C-3, D-4 (c) A-1, B-2, C-4, D-3 (d) A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1</p>	<p>83. Match the following women with their achievements</p> <p>A. Upasna Makati - 1. Creator of India's first English lifestyle magazine in Braille B. Nivedita Joshi - 2. First yoga book in Braille C. Padma Sachdev - 3. First modern woman poet of Dogri language D. Kalamandalam Hemalatha - 4. Sets Guinness World Record for Longest Dance</p> <p>(a) A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1 (b) A-4, B-2, C-3, D-1 (c) A-1, B-3, C-2, D-4 (d) A-1, B-2, C-3, D-4</p> <p>84. Mission Innovation (MI) is a global initiative of 22 countries and the European Union to</p> <p>(a) accelerate research in Genetically Modified Crops (b) accelerate research in life saving drugs (c) accelerate global food production (d) accelerate global clean energy innovation</p> <p>85. Which of the following statements are correct about the 'demographic dividend' of India?</p> <p>1. India has the largest population of the young in the world 2. 65% of India's population is below the age of 35 years 3. The working age population (15-64 years) is over 25%</p> <p>(a) Only 1 (b) 1 and 2 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 3</p> <p>86. Which of the following statements are correct about the Intermodal Stations being developed by the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI)?</p> <p>1. Fifteen cities across the country have been prioritized for development of Intermodal Stations 2. Nagpur and Varanasi have been selected as pilot projects</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p>
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<p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>87. Which of the following statements are correct about the National Technology Centre for Ports, Waterways and Coasts (NTCPWC)?</p> <p>1. National Technology Centre for Ports, Waterways and Coasts (NTCPWC) is being set up under the Shipping Ministry's flagship programme Sagarmala</p> <p>2. It is being set up at IIT Mumbai</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>88. Who of the following have been awarded International Gandhi Award 2017?</p> <p>1. Dr. M.D. Gupte</p> <p>2. Anna Hazare</p> <p>3. Dr. Atul Shah</p> <p>4. Kailash Satyarthi</p> <p>(a) 1 and 2</p> <p>(b) 1 and 3</p> <p>(c) 2 and 4</p> <p>(d) 3 and 4</p> <p>89. Which of the following pre independence Ashrams recently observed its golden jubilee celebrations?</p> <p>(a) Auroville</p> <p>(b) Sabarmati</p> <p>(c) Wardha</p> <p>(d) Sevagram</p> <p>90. Which of the following State launched the unique 'Trash Mahotsav' to spread awareness about reusing waste creatively and recycling garbage?</p> <p>(a) Kerala</p>	<p>(b) Sikkim</p> <p>(c) Chhattisgarh</p> <p>(d) Uttarakhand</p> <p>91. The multinational mega event MILAN 2018 is related to</p> <p>(a) Non Resident Indians</p> <p>(b) Indian Navy</p> <p>(c) Indian Army</p> <p>(d) Indian Air Force</p> <p>92. The DRDO Rustom is a</p> <p>(a) Land Mine Detector</p> <p>(b) Submarine</p> <p>(c) Medium Range Gun</p> <p>(d) Unmanned Aerial Vehicle</p> <p>93. The 20th Conference of the Commonwealth Education Ministers (20CCEM) held in</p> <p>(a) Cape Town, South Africa</p> <p>(b) Nadi, Fiji</p> <p>(c) London, UK</p> <p>(d) New Delhi, India</p> <p>94. The 21st National Conference on e-Governance on February 26- 27, 2018 was held in</p> <p>(a) Bengaluru</p> <p>(b) Hyderabad</p> <p>(c) Mumbai</p> <p>(d) Gurugram</p> <p>95. The IMF World Economic Outlook has projected India's growth as</p> <p>1. 7.2 per cent in 2017</p> <p>2. 7.7% in 2018</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p>
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<p>96. India's share of the world GDP has risen from 2.4% in 2013, to ---- in 2017</p> <p>(a) 2.6%</p> <p>(b) 2.8%</p> <p>(c) 3.1%</p> <p>(d) 4.1%</p> <p>97. Coffee Board has applied for registration of which of the following coffee under Geographical Indications</p> <p>(a) Chikkamagaluru</p> <p>(b) Kodagu</p> <p>(c) Malabar</p> <p>(d) Araku</p> <p>98. Which of the following statements are correct about India's Intangible cultural heritage (ICH) elements?</p> <p>1. A total of 13 Intangible cultural heritage (ICH) elements from India have been inscribed till date on the UNESCO's Representative List of the Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity</p> <p>2. Yoga is the latest to be added as India's Intangible cultural heritage</p> <p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) Only 2</p> <p>(c) Both 1 and 2</p> <p>(d) Neither 1 nor 2</p> <p>99. (HRIDAY), a Central Sector Scheme is administered by the Ministry of</p> <p>(a) Health and Family Welfare</p> <p>(b) Agriculture and Farmer's Welfare</p> <p>(c) Minority Affairs</p> <p>(d) Housing & Urban Affairs</p> <p>100. Which of the following is/are the War Game (s) organised by Indian Navy in 2018?</p> <p>1. ENCORE</p> <p>2. Poorv Lehar</p> <p>3. Paschim Lehar</p>	<p>(a) Only 1</p> <p>(b) 1 and 2</p> <p>(c) 1 and 3</p> <p>(d) 2 and 3</p>
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