

General Awareness

Q.1)**Who is the author of the book “My Country My life”?**

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| (a) L K Advani | (d) Rahul Gandhi |
| (b) Mamata Banerjee | (e) Prakash Javadekar |
| (c) N Chandrababu Naidu | |

Q.2)**Who is the Google policy head of India?**

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|------------------------|--------------------|
| (a) Sukant Vatsa | (d) Ramesh Kumar |
| (b) Archana Gulati | (e) Chandra Sekhar |
| (c) Ritika Singh Verma | |

Q.3)**Singareni coalfields are located in which state?**

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| (a) Telangana | (d) Karnataka |
| (b) Maharashtra | (e) Odisha |
| (c) Andhra Pradesh | |

Q.4)

Delimitation is defined as the act or process of fixing limits or boundaries of territorial constituencies in a country or a province having a legislative body. It is the process of redrawing boundaries of Lok Sabha and state Assembly seats to represent changes in the population. It's only after this exercise has been completed that an election can be conducted. Delimitation has happened in which State/UT recently?

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| (a) J&K | (d) Telangana |
| (b) Assam | (e) Lakshadweep |
| (c) Meghalaya | |

Q.5)**Which of the following state is the winner of Santosh Cup?**

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| (a) Uttar Pradesh | (d) Gujarat |
| (b) Arunachal Pradesh | (e) Kerala |
| (c) Assam | |

Q.6)**Who is the runner up of Pro-kabaddi league held recently?**

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| (a) Patna Pirates | (d) Puneri Paltan |
| (b) Dabang Delhi | (e) Telugu Titans |
| (c) Tamil Thalaivas | |

Q.7)**In which year was Federal Reserve established in USA?**

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|----------|----------|
| (a) 1913 | (d) 1967 |
| (b) 1998 | (e) 1955 |
| (c) 1987 | |

Q.8)**What is the ratio of ownership in an RRB by centre, state and sponsor banks at present?**

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|--------------|--------------|
| (a) 50:15:35 | (d) 75:15:10 |
| (b) 40:30:30 | (e) 35:15:50 |
| (c) 60:20:20 | |

Q.9)

PM Kisan is a Central Sector Scheme with 100% funding from Government of India. Under the scheme an income support of Rs.6,000/- per year in three equal installments will be provided to all land holding farmer families. The funds are directly transferred to the bank accounts of the beneficiaries. State Government and UT administration will identify the farmer families which are eligible for support as per scheme guidelines. Which of the following is the correct allocation of PM Kisan in the recent budget?

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|---------------------|---------------------|
| (a) Rs 90,000 crore | (d) Rs 68,000 crore |
| (b) Rs 18,000 crore | (e) Rs 57,000 crore |
| (c) Rs 45,500 crore | |

Q.10)**Where is Louvre Museum Located?**

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| (a) Paris, France |
| (b) Boston, USA |
| (c) Berlin, Germany |
| (d) Stockholm, Sweden |
| (e) Amsterdam, Netherlands |

Q.11)

National Family Health Survey is a survey carried out on a massive scale across the country to collect information on many parameters which would ultimately help the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoH&FW) to frame policies and programs to help in the upliftment of the vulnerable groups in India. National Family Health Survey-5 is the recent round of the survey carried out by the MoH&FW. According to NFHS-5, what is the male to female ratio in India?

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| (a) 1020 women for 1000 men |
| (b) 989 women for 1000 men |
| (c) 1001 women for 1000 men |
| (d) 997 women for 1000 men |
| (e) 1050 women for 1000 men |

Q.12)**According to the latest State of World's Forest report, what is the percentage of world forest cover?**

- (a) 27% (d) 50%
(b) 19% (e) 42%
(c) 31%

Q.13)

What is the venue of Climate Change Conference to be held in June 2022?

- (a) Bonn, Germany (d) Paris, France
(b) New York, US (e) Madrid, Spain
(c) Seattle, US

Q.14)

First-generation bio-alcohols (bioethanol) are produced via yeast (*Saccharomyces cerevisiae*) fermentation of plant sugars and starches obtained from crops such as sugarcane (*Saccharum* sp.), sugar beet, and corn (*Zeamays*). Obtaining ethanol from food crops is also a practice of producing the first-generation biofuel. The 1st food-grain based ethanol factory is situated in which state?

- (a) Bihar (d) Rajasthan
(b) Madhya Pradesh (e) Gujarat
(c) Uttar Pradesh

Q.15)

Coal Miners' Day is observed on _____ to honour the coal miners. The day is celebrated to highlight the contributions of coal miners in meeting our energy demands.

- (a) April 8 (d) July 17
(b) May 4 (e) August 19
(c) June 12

Q.16)

T+1 was implemented by which country for the first time?

- (a) China (d) USA
(b) Singapore (e) Germany
(c) Japan

Q.17)

Street vendors represent a very important constituent of the urban informal economy and play a significant role in ensuring availability of the goods and services at affordable rates at the doorstep of the city dwellers. The COVID-19 pandemic and consequent lockdowns have adversely impacted the livelihoods of street vendors. Therefore, the Central Government launched the PM-Svanidhi scheme, a Central Sector Scheme, which is fully funded by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs. Which of the following statement(s) is/are correct with respect to the objectives of this scheme?

- 1) To facilitate working capital loan up to Rs 10,000
- 2) The loan will be provided for a period of 18 months
- 3) On early repayment, the vendors will be eligible for the next

cycle of working capital loan with an enhanced limit i.e., Rs 15,000

- (a) Only 1 (d) Only 3
(b) Only 1 and 2 (e) Only 1 and 3
(c) Only 2 and 3

Q.18)

In budget 2022, how much allocation has been made to the Jal Jeevan Mission?

- (a) Rs 20,000 crore (d) Rs 49,000 crore
(b) Rs 60,000 crore (e) Rs 70,000 crore
(c) Rs 1,00,000 crore

Q.19)

Repo Rate and CRR have been revised recently by RBI. On which date was the revision made and from which date has it been implemented?

- (a) 2nd June 2022 and 18th August 2022
(b) 4th May 2022 and 21st May 2022
(c) 18th July 2022 and 1st August 2022
(d) 15th July 2022 and 31st August 2022
(e) 10th June 2022 and 1st September 2022

Q.20)

The 2022 edition of 'The State of the World's Forests Report' was released on the first day of the World Forestry Congress, 2022. This year's report explores the potential of three forest pathways for achieving green recovery and tackling environmental crises, including climate change and biodiversity loss against the backdrop of the Glasgow Leaders' Declaration on Forests and Land Use and the pledge of 140 countries to eliminate forest loss by 2030 and to support restoration and sustainable production and consumption. The World State of the Forest Report is published by which organization?

- (a) FAO (d) IUCN
(b) IFAD (e) WMO
(c) UNEP

Q.21)

What is India's rank in the global fish production?

- (a) 5th (d) 9th
(b) 2nd (e) 10th
(c) 8th

Q.22)

What is the relationship between bond yields/rates and prices?

- (a) Inverse relationship
(b) Direct relationship
(c) Not related

- (d) Proportional relationship
(e) Indirect relationship

Q.23)

Which of the following statement(s) is/are incorrect about the ASEEM portal?

- I. Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) has launched ASEEM portal to help skilled people find sustainable livelihood opportunities
- II. ASEEM stands for Atmanirbhar Skilled Employee Employer Mapping
- III. It will improve the information flow and bridge the demand-supply gap in the skilled workforce market

- (a) Only II and III (d) None are incorrect
(b) Only I and II (e) All are incorrect
(c) Only I, II, and III

Q.24)

The Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) has been chosen by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India to set up the DACE centres. The objective of DACE is to empower the Scheduled Caste (SC) candidates by providing them high quality coaching absolutely free of cost for civil services examinations (Prelims and Mains). In DACE portal, E stands for?

- (a) Excellence (d) Environment
(b) Enterprise (e) Expedition
(c) Expertise

Q.25)

The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development is an intergovernmental organisation with 38 member countries to stimulate economic progress and world trade. The majority of OECD members are high-income economies with a very high Human Development Index (HDI), and are regarded as developed countries. It is a forum whose member countries describe themselves as committed to democracy and the market economy, providing a platform to compare policy experiences, seek answers to common problems, identify good practices, and coordinate domestic and international policies of its members.

When was the OECD established?

- (a) 1961 (d) 1988
(b) 1987 (e) 1999
(c) 1954

Q.26)

The Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation (BIMSTEC) is a regional

organization. Initially known as BIST-EC (Bangladesh-India-Sri Lanka-Thailand Economic Cooperation), the organisation is now known as BIMSTEC and comprises seven Member States with the admission of Myanmar on 22 December 1997, and Bhutan and Nepal in February 2004.

When was BIMSTEC established?

- (a) 1989 (d) 1990
(b) 1997 (e) 1991
(c) 1929

Q.27)

Which is the 1st Geological Park in India?

- (a) Lamheta (d) Barmer
(b) Kurnool (e) Jaisalmer
(c) Anantapur

Q.28)

Under the Reserve Bank of India Act of 1934, RBI is entrusted with the responsibility of conducting monetary policy in India with the primary objective of maintaining price stability while keeping in mind the objective of growth. RBI Act, 1934 provides for an empowered monetary policy committee (MPC) to be constituted by the Central Government for fixing the benchmark interest rate in India. The Monetary Policy Committee consists of _____ members?

- (a) Seven (d) Six
(b) Ten (e) Two
(c) Five

Q.29)

National Centre for Financial Education (NCFE) is a Not-for-Profit Company promoted by Reserve Bank of India (RBI), Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) and Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA), under the aegis of Financial Stability and Development Council (FSDC), Ministry of Finance, Government of India. When was NCFE established?

- (a) 2013 (d) 2017
(b) 2018 (e) 2012
(c) 2019

Q.30)

ECLGS- Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme has been expanded by _____ to Rs 5 lakh crore?

- (a) Rs 50,000 crore (d) Rs 20,000 crore
(b) Rs 30,000 crore (e) Rs 15,000 crore
(c) Rs 25,000 crore

Q.31)

A non-profit organization can be setup under which section of the Companies Act?

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|----------------|----------------|
| (a) Section 8 | (d) Section 28 |
| (b) Section 4 | (e) Section 13 |
| (c) Section 30 | |

Q.32)

In India, highest employment is generated in which sector after agriculture sector?

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| (a) Iron and Steel Industry | (d) Software and IT |
| (b) Textile | (e) Pharma |
| (c) Automobile | |

Q.33)

How does the Monetary Policy Committee ensure transparency in inflation measurement?

- (a) MPC increases/decreases policy rates
(b) MPC prepares the CPI index to measure inflation
(c) MPC monitors the residex to monitor housing prices
(d) Only A and B
(e) Only B and C

Q.34)

The Employee Provident Fund's interest rate was cut to a decade low of ____ in 2021-22 fiscal?

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| (a) 8.1% | (d) 7.1% |
| (b) 7.8% | (e) 7.5% |
| (c) 8.9% | |

Q.35)

If x is 18 years old and wants to have a pension of Rs 5000 when he retires under Atal Pension Yojana, then how much should he contribute regularly under Atal Pension Yojana?

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| (a) 300 | (d) 210 |
| (b) 180 | (e) 250 |
| (c) 150 | |

Q.36)

In order to provide skilling and livelihood opportunities, the Government of India implements various kinds of schemes from time to time. Recently, the Finance Minister of India Nirmala Sitharaman launched the DESH Stack e-portal. Through this portal, a digital ecosystem will be developed for skilling and livelihood. What does 'e' stand for in the DESH portal?

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| (a) Enterprise | (d) Encore |
| (b) Ecosystem | (e) Establishment |
| (c) Effort | |

Q.37)

Peacekeeping medals were given by the United States to which country?

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| (a) South Sudan | (d) Gambia |
| (b) India | (e) Kenya |
| (c) Zambia | |

Q.38)

What is the urban and rural sex ratio in India respectively?

- (a) Rural- 924; Urban- 918
(b) Rural- 904; Urban- 998
(c) Rural- 933; Urban- 965
(d) Rural- 817; Urban- 980
(e) Rural- 898; Urban- 920

Q.39)

When is a bank customer eligible to be insured under DICGC for his deposits made in a bank?

- (a) Liquidation or Cancellation of bank's licence
(b) Amalgamation and merger
(c) Reconstruction or arrangement
(d) Only A and B
(e) Only A, B and C

Q.40)

Union Minister for Finance and Corporate Affairs, Smt Nirmala Sitharaman, launched the asset monetisation pipeline of Central ministries and, public sector entities named as the 'National Monetisation Pipeline'. NITI Aayog has developed the pipeline, in consultation with infrastructure ministries, based on the mandate for 'Asset Monetisation' under Union Budget 2021-22. NMP estimates aggregate monetisation potential of ____?

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| (a) Rs 4 lakh crore | (d) Rs 10 lakh crore |
| (b) Rs 6 lakh crore | (e) Rs 40 lakh crore |
| (c) Rs 8 lakh crore | |

Q.41)

What is the minimum NOF requirement for a public company to be incorporated as a Nidhi company?

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| (a) Rs 20 lakh | (d) Rs 15 lakh |
| (b) Rs 40 lakh | (e) Rs 25 lakh |
| (c) Rs 30 lakh | |

Q.42)

How many beneficiaries are covered in Jal Jeevan Mission?

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|----------------|---------------|
| (a) 4.5 crore | (d) 3.8 crore |
| (b) 2.7 crore | (e) 6.6 crore |
| (c) 11.1 crore | |

Q.43)

In which month of 2022, GST collection has exceeded Rs. 1.5 Lakh Crore mark?

- (a) Rs 1.68 Lakh Crores in April 2022
- (b) Rs 2.0 Lakh Crores in March 2022
- (c) Rs 1.72 Lakh Crores in July 2022
- (d) Rs 1.8 Lakh Crores in August 2022
- (e) Rs 2.2 Lakh Crores in June 2022

Q.44)

After National Education Policy, what is the allocation for education in Union Budget 2022?

- (a) Rs 1,54,000 crore
- (b) Rs 1,04,278 crore
- (c) Rs 2,90,800 crore
- (d) Rs 1,07,900 crore
- (e) Rs 3,40,500 crore

Q.45)

Azadi se Antyodaya Tak Inter-ministerial campaign has been announced for?

- (a) 50 days
- (b) 60 days
- (c) 80 days
- (d) 90 days
- (e) 75 days

Q.46)

Jharokha scheme has been launched in how many states?

- (a) 19
- (b) 13
- (c) 20
- (d) 6
- (e) 10

Q.47)

The Sagarmala programme has a target of developing how many kms of inland waterways?

- (a) 27,800 km
- (b) 18,900 km
- (c) 14,500 km
- (d) 25,600 km
- (e) 10,800 km

Q.48)

How much additional subsidy is allocated to the fertilizer sector by the government?

- (a) 2.78 lakh crore
- (b) 2.55 lakh crore
- (c) 0.80 lakh crore
- (d) 1.10 lakh crore
- (e) 2.07 lakh crore

Q.49)

What is the name of the new initiative launched by the Indian Air Force and the Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.?

- (a) Slice Supre Card
- (b) Fleet Card - Fuel on Move

(c) OneCard Credit Card

(d) Uni Card 1/3rd card

(e) Gold credit card

Q.50)

UPI and PayNow have been integrated to enable users of each of the two fast payment systems to make instant, low-cost fund transfers on a reciprocal basis without a need to get onboarded onto the other payment system. Which country does PayNow belong to?

- (a) Singapore
- (b) Mauritius
- (c) USA
- (d) Germany
- (e) France

Q.51)

Bharat Bond ETF is an open-ended Target Maturity Exchange Traded Bond Fund that seeks to track the returns provided by Nifty BHARAT Bond Index. Which company is tasked with managing the ETF?

- (a) Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund
- (b) Franklin Templeton Mutual Fund
- (c) Baroda BNP Paribas Mutual Fund
- (d) Edelweiss Mutual Fund
- (e) Axis Mutual Fund

Q.52)

Who is the next chairman of FATF and which country does he belong to?

- (a) Trygve Lie from Norway
- (b) Dag Hammarskjöld from Sweden
- (c) Kurt Waldheim from Austria
- (d) Javier Perez de Cuellar from Peru
- (e) T Raja Kumar from Singapore

Q.53)

Which country will provide an additional Sustainable Development aid worth 10 billion Euros to India to support the latter's green growth plan till 2030?

- (a) Netherlands
- (b) Germany
- (c) Denmark
- (d) France
- (e) United Kingdom

Q.54)

How many members are there in OECD?

- (a) 38
- (b) 43
- (c) 67
- (d) 80
- (e) 55

Q.55)

Which of the following are not MPC committee assumptions in April 2022?

- (a) Assumption of a normal monsoon

- (b) Moderation on international commodity price pressures
- (c) Average crude oil price
- (d) Steady economic recovery
- (e) Tightened fiscal policy

Q.56)

Which of the following is not a part of the Memorandum of a Company?

- (a) Board of Director Clause
- (b) Name Clause
- (c) Object Clause
- (d) Capital Clause
- (e) Liability Clause

Q.57)

How many institutions are members of the Financial Stability Board?

- (a) 71
- (b) 69
- (c) 80
- (d) 110
- (e) 45

Q.58)

Which of the following sector/area is not covered under the capital expenditure of government?

- (a) Interest Payment
- (b) Loan Repayment
- (c) Grants to other countries
- (d) Remittances
- (e) Infrastructure development

Q.59)

SBI card signed a deal with which technology company?

- (a) Tata Consultancy Services
- (b) IBM
- (c) Infosys
- (d) Wipro
- (e) Oracle

Q.60)

Which is India's indigenous train accident system?

- (a) Kavach
- (b) Netra
- (c) Suraksha
- (d) Saksham
- (e) Nikshay

Q.61)

Which state's Khadi Gramodyog Samyukta Sangha gave the contract of production and supply of the National Flag?

- (a) Uttarakhand Khadi Gramodyog Samyukta Sangha
- (b) Kerala Khadi Gramodyog Samyukta Sangha
- (c) Telangana Khadi Gramodyog Samyukta Sangha
- (d) Karnataka Khadi Gramodyog Samyukta Sangha
- (e) Gujarat Khadi Gramodyog Samyukta Sangha

Q.62)

Project Venus of ISRO is to be launched in?

- (a) December 2024
- (b) June 2022
- (c) August 2023
- (d) September 2025
- (e) October 2027

Q.63)

Cyclone Asani is named by which country?

- (a) Sri Lanka
- (b) Thailand
- (c) UAE
- (d) Saudi Arabia
- (e) Indonesia

Q.64)

Covid Champion Award has been bagged by which airport?

- (a) Rajiv Gandhi International Airport
- (b) Cochin International Airport Limited
- (c) Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport
- (d) Indira Gandhi International Airport
- (e) Veer Savarkar International Airport

Q.65)

Khelo India University Championship 2021 was won by which university?

- (a) Jain University
- (b) Acharya Nagarjuna University
- (c) Andhra University
- (d) Vikrama Simhapuri University
- (e) Bodoland University

Q.66)

Central Intelligence Agency has appointed _____ as CIA's first-ever Chief Technology Officer (CTO).

- (a) L. Murugan
- (b) Chandra Sekhar
- (c) Gopal Sadhwani
- (d) Nand Mulchandani
- (e) Pankaj Salodia

Q.67)

National Forensic Science University comes under which ministry?

- (a) Ministry of Agriculture and Family Welfare
- (b) Ministry of Home Affairs
- (c) Ministry of Science and Technology
- (d) Ministry of Corporate Affairs
- (e) Ministry of Finance

Q.68)

When is the World Environment Day observed?

- (a) June 5
- (b) August 10
- (c) July 18
- (d) September 20

(e) April 22

Q.69)

Asia's largest event on civil aviation was jointly organised by the Ministry of Civil Aviation and FICCI at the Begumpet airport in Hyderabad. What is the name of the event?

- (a) Asia Air (d) Wings India
(b) Fly India (e) Aviation India
(c) Civil India

Q.70)

How many Debt Recovery Tribunals are presently functioning in India?

- (a) 39 (d) 80
(b) 43 (e) 78
(c) 50

Q.71)

As per IRDAI, ____ is the second largest general insurance company?

- (a) Star Health and Allied Insurance
(b) ICICI Lombard
(c) United India General Insurance
(d) Universal Sampo General Insurance
(e) Oriental General Insurance

Q.72)

As per the National Education Policy, public investment is to be raised from 4.3% to ____% of GDP?

- (a) 8% (d) 6%
(b) 5% (e) 5.7%
(c) 4.5%

Q.73)

India's monthly merchandise exports remained above US \$ ____ billion for the first time in 2021-22?

- (a) \$40 billion (d) \$5 billion
(b) \$30 billion (e) \$10 billion
(c) \$20 billion

Q.74)

When is the 'Food Processing Week 2.0' celebrated?

- (a) April 25 to 30 (d) May 1 to 7
(b) May 16 to 22 (e) May 17 to 22
(c) April 1 to 7

Q.75)

What is the current market size of the domestic pharmaceutical industry of India?

- (a) \$100 billion (b) \$50 billion

- (c) \$30 billion
(d) \$65 billion

(e) \$71 billion

Q.76)

Who is the new chairperson of the Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT)?

- (a) R. K. Dhawan (d) Sangeeta Singh
(b) Rupinder Brar (e) Jaspal Singh
(c) Santosh Kumar

Q.77)

Who is the author of "Leaders Politicians Citizens: Fifty Figures Who Influenced India's Politics" book?

- (a) Rasheed Kidwai (d) Santosh Shilpokar
(b) Gyan Bhushan (e) Shoeb Samad
(c) Rajesh Kumar

Q.78)

With which country has India agreed to establish a lighthouse cooperation for "Agroecology and Sustainable Management of Natural Resources" to benefit the rural population and small-scale farmers in India in terms of income, food security, climate resilience, improved soil, biodiversity, forest restoration and water availability?

- (a) USA (d) Denmark
(b) Germany (e) UK
(c) France

Q.79)

Where is the 'Miyan Ka Bada' railway station located?

- (a) Jalore (d) Sirohi
(b) Barmer (e) Karauli
(c) Jhalawar

Q.80)

How much additional subsidy for phosphate-based fertilizers has been announced ?

- (a) Rs 50000 crore (d) Rs 25000 crore
(b) Rs 78000 crore (e) Rs 30000 crore
(c) Rs 61000 crore