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- 1. Consider the following statements regarding Horticulture Cluster Development Programme (HCDP):
 - 1. It is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme.
 - 2. HCDP will promote the export of horticultural produce.
 - 3. India is the largest producer of horticulture crops globally.

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only(d)1, 2 and 3
- 2. Consider the following statements regarding Employee's Provident Fund (EPF) Scheme:
 - 1. It is the main scheme under the Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948.
 - 2. Under this scheme, both the employee and employer contribute 12% of the employee's basic salary and dearness allowance towards EPF.
 - 3. A person mandatorily becomes a member of EPF if his monthly salary does not exceed Rs.15,000.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 3. Consider the following statements regarding Employees' Deposit-Linked Insurance (EDLI):
 - 1. It is an insurance cover provided to private sector salaried employees.
 - 2. Any employee who has an Employee Provident Fund (EPF) account automatically becomes eligible for the EDLI scheme.

Which of the statements given above is/are not correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 4. With reference to the 'AmbiTAG', consider the following statements:
 - 1. It is an Internet of Things (IoT) based device.
 - 2. It is a temperature data logger for cold chain management.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 5. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The effectiveness of the Nano Urea Liquid is greater than the conventional urea.
 - 2. The Nano Urea Liquid is indigenously developed in India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 6. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The Defence Acquisition Procedure (DAP) 2020 allows the ban on weapons import.
 - 2. DAP 2020 focuses on Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in defence manufacturing.
 - 3. SRIJAN Portal is an initiative taken to boost domestic production of defence equipment.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 7. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. World Milk Day was established by the World Food Programme.
 - 2. The Gopal Ratna Awards are national awards launched to promote the best herd of indigenous breeds.

Which of the statements given above is/are not correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 8. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The Bal Swaraj Portal is created by the National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR).
 - 2. The NCPCR is a statutory body under the administrative control of the Ministry of Women & Child Development.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 9. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Operation Flood in India was launched to increase milk production.
 - 2. India is the world's second largest milk producer after

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 10. With reference to 'One Nation One Standard Mission', consider the following statements:
 - 1. It was conceived in order to ensure quality products in the country.
 - 2. The mission was collectively launched by the NITI Ayog and the Ministry of science and technology.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 11. Consider the following statements
 - 1. Disaster Management Act, 2005 designates the Ministry of Home Affairs as the nodal ministry for steering the national disaster management.
 - 2. National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) is headed by the Home Minister.

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 12. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The replacement level of fertility is the number of children needed to replace the parents, after accounting for fatalities.
 - 2. In the states of Delhi, Sikkim and Andhra Pradesh, the total fertility rate is below the replacement level.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 13. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Venus and Uranus are the only planets of the solar system that spin anticlockwise about their own axis.
 - 2. The rotation period of Venus is the longest for any planet of the solar system.
 - 3. Venera and Vegas are the robotic missions of NASA to Venus.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 14. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) is a political, economic and military organisation of Eurasian region.
 - 2. The Executive Committee of the Regional Anti-Terrorist Structure (RATS) is located in Tashkent.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 15. With reference to the H10N3, consider the following
 - 1. It is a subtype of the Influenza A virus which is commonly known as the bird flu virus.
 - 2. It can spread through respiratory droplets in animals.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 16. With reference to 'Blue-finned Mahseer', consider the following statements:
 - 1. It is only found in the Mota Mola river east of Pune.
 - 2. It's IUCN status is critically endangered.
 - 3. The species is threatened by habitat manipulation and over harvesting

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 17. Consider the following:
 - 1. Genetically Modified crops
 - 2. Quarantine system
 - 3. Germ warfare

Which of the above methods can be deployed as the Pest Controlling Methods?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 18. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor (ITER) is located in France.
 - 2. China's Experimental Advanced Superconducting Tokamak (EAST) is a part of ITER.
 - 3. India is not a member of ITER Project.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 3 only
- 19. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. India is a member country of the United Nations Development Industrial Organisation (UNIDO).
 - 2. The Lima Declaration mandates UNIDO to promote and accelerate inclusive and sustainable industrial development (ISID) in member States.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 20. With reference to Mega Food Park Scheme, consider the following statements:
 - 1. It is implemented by the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare.
 - 2. The scheme is based on the "Cluster" approach.
 - 3. It envisages a mechanism to link agricultural production to the market.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

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

- 21. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The SAGE initiative is launched by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment for elderly people.
 - 2. The silver economy includes all those economic activities, products and services designed to meet the needs of elderly people.

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 22. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The International Energy Agency (IEA) is an UN body established in 1974.
 - 2. India became the Associate member of IEA in 2017.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 23. Consider the following statements:
 - The government of India has dedicated a portal named 'The Green Gold Collection' for the marketing of Bamboo Goods.
 - 2. India is the world's third-largest cultivator of bamboo after China and Vietnam.
 - 3. A restructured National Bamboo Mission was launched in 2018-19 for the holistic development of the complete value chain of the bamboo sector.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 3 only
- 24. With reference to 'Council of Scientific and Industrial Research', consider the following statements:
 - 1. The Union Minister of Science and Technology is its Ex-officio President.
 - 2. It is the only Indian organization among the top 100 global government institutions, according to the Scimago Institutions Ranking World Report 2021.
 - 3. It was established in 2005 and is located in New Delhi.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 25. With reference to the World Environment Day, consider the following statements:
 - 1. It was established by the United Nations Assembly at the Stockholm Conference in 1972.
 - 2. The theme for 2021 is Ecosystem Restoration.
 - 3. The E-100 project has been launched by the United Nations for the production and distribution of ethanol.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

26. Consider the following pairs:

Convention Diffectives Intended to reduce transboundary movements of hazardous waste. Rotterdam Convention Implementation of the Prior Informed Consent (PIC) procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade Stockholm Convention Treaty to protect human

Which of the above pairs are correctly matched?

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only

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Organic Pollutants (POPs)

- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2, and 3
- 27. Consider the following statements regarding National Security Guard:
 - 1. It is a counter-terrorism unit which came into existence by an act of the Parliament.
 - 2. The idea behind the establishment of the unit came in the aftermath of Operation Nistar.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 28. Consider the following statements regarding Indian Navy's 30 year Submarine Plan:
 - 1. The Plan includes indigenous construction of 24 conventional submarines by 2030.
 - 2. Project 75 (I) and Project 75 are the parts of this plan.
 - 3. INS Arihant and INS Arighat are nuclear powered submarines commissioned under this Plan.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 29. With reference to the Performance Grading Index (PGI), consider the following statements:
 - 1. The index envisages to propel States and UTs to undertake multi-pronged interventions to obtain optimal education outcomes.
 - 2. It is initiated by the Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSEL).

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 30. Consider the following statements.
 - 1. The river originates in Varusanadu Hill, Western Ghats.
 - 2. The river travels through the Pandya Nadu region of Tamil Nadu.
 - 3. The river empties into the Palk Strait near the Pamban Bridge.
 - 4. The river finds a mention in Sangam literature.

Which of the following mentioned rivers is discussed in the above statements?

- (a) Vaigai River
- (b) Kaveri River
- (c) Bhavani River
- (d) Vellar River
- 31. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The G7 countries have no member nations from the southern Hemisphere.
 - 2. All the members of the G7 group are members of G20.

Which of the statements given above is/are not correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 32. Consider the following statements regarding CEO Water Mandate:
 - 1. It is a United Nations initiative for demonstrating efforts of companies to better their water and sanitation agendas as part of long term SDGs.
 - 2. India is not signatory to this initiative.

Which of the statements given above is/are not correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 33. With reference to 'Sea Snot', consider the following statements:
 - 1. It is marine mucilage which is a thick and gluey substance.
 - 2. It is formed when algae are overloaded with nutrients.
 - 3. It is not harmful for the fish population and corals.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 34. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The World Food Safety Day is observed jointly by the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO).
 - 2. The Codex Alimentarius Commission (CAC) is an intergovernmental body established within the framework of the Joint Food Standards Programme.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 35. Consider the following statements regarding 'I-Familia':
 - 1. It is launched by the Interpol.
 - 2. It is a global database to identify missing persons through family DNA.
 - 3. Bonaparte is a DNA matching software.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 2 only
- (a) 1, 2 and 3
- 36. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The National Policy and Action Plan for Implementation of ICT in Indian Judiciary was submitted by Ministry of Law and Justice.
 - 2. e-Courts Mission Mode Project is funded by the supreme court of India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 37. The 'Operation Pangea XIV' recently seen in the news is related to?
 - (a) Joint military exercise between India and U.K.
 - (b) Rescue operation conducted for stranded Indians in Arabian sea during cyclone.
 - (c) Measures to contain insurgency in North-East India.
 - (d) Effort to disrupt the sale of fake medicines and products online.
- 38. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Surakshit Hum Surakshit Tum Abhiyan was launched for providing home care support to Covid-19 patients in aspirational districts.
 - 2. The Aspirational Districts Programme is anchored by the Ministry of Rural Development at the Central level.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 39. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The Saral Jeevan Bima offers basic protection to people who are self-employed or belong to a lower income category.
 - 2. The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare has mandated all life insurers to launch the Saral Jeevan Bima plans.
 - 3. The Saral Jeevan Bima contains no exclusions other than suicides.

Which of the statements given above are not correct?

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

- 40. Consider the following statements regarding the YUVA scheme:
 - 1. It is aimed at training aspiring writers to express India's culture and literature globally.
 - 2. The Ministry of Education is the implementing agency of the scheme.

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 41. With reference to 'Army Aviation Corps', consider the following statements:
 - 1. The corps operates helicopters like Dhruv advanced light helicopter, Chetaks, Cheetal.
 - It supports the army's deployment in low altitude areas only.
 - 3. Women officers have always played an important part in front-line flying duties of the Army Aviation corps.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 2 and 3 only
- (b) 1 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 42. Consider the following statements regarding the World Bank:
 - 1. The Bretton Woods Conference of 1944 created the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) which later became the World Bank.
 - 2. The World Bank was created along with the World Economic Forum.
 - 3. The International Finance Corporation (IFC) is an institution of the World Bank but the International Development Association (IDA) is not.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 3 only
- 43. Consider the following statements regarding CAFE Regulations:
 - 1. It was notified by the Union Ministry of Power (MoP) under the Energy Conservation Act, 2001.
 - 2. The regulation is in accordance with the fuel consumption standards that aim to increase fuel efficiency of vehicles on the road by 35% by 2030.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 44. Which of the following countries are members of Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)?
 - 1. Brunei
- 2. Cambodia
- 3. Laos
- 4. Vietnam

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 4 only
- (b) 2 and 4only
- (c) 3 only
- (a) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- 45. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD) is working for the people of the Hindu Kush Himalayan (HKH) region.
 - 2. The ICIMOD is located in Dehradun, India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 46. With reference to 'Ethanol Blending', consider the following statements:
 - 1. Government of India targets 20% ethanol blending in petrol by 2025.
 - 2. Increased use of ethanol can help reduce the oil import bill.
 - 3. It results in increasing the emissions of carbon monoxide (CO) and hydrocarbons (HC).

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 47. With reference to the Global Liveability Ranking, consider the following statements:
 - 1. It is an annual assessment published by the Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU).
 - 2. In 2021, Auckland rose to the top of the ranking.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 48. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding the All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) 2019-20?
 - 1. The AISHE is released annually by the NITI Aayog.
 - 2. In the last five year there has been an overall increase in female enrolment in higher education.
 - 3. Gender Parity Index (GPI) in Higher Education in 2019-20 for females has improved as compared to males.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2, and 3
- 49. Consider the following statements regarding Gharials:
 - 1. The Ghagra river is the primary habitat of Gharials
 - 2. Gharials are listed as critically endangered in the IUCN Red List.

Which of the statements given above is/are not correct?

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

- 50. Consider the following statements:
 - The Sixth Schedule of the Indian Constitution provides the tribals the freedom to exercise legislative and executive powers through Autonomous District Councils (ADCs).
 - 2. Each ADC is allowed to have not more than 45 members, all of which are directly elected.
 - The State laws may/ may not be applicable in the Sixth Scheduled areas depending upon the approval of the Governor of the state.

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1 and 3 only
- 51. With reference to 'Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices (CACP)', consider the following statements:
 - CACP takes a final decision on deciding Minimum Support Price (MSP).
 - 2. It is an attached office of the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 52. Consider the following statements regarding Ram Prasad Bismil:
 - 1. He believed in the idea of violence and bloodshed for achieving freedom.
 - 2. He founded the Hindustan Republican Association (HRA).
 - 3. He was given the death sentence after the Mainpuri conspiracy case of 1918.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 53. Consider the following statements regarding the Sub-Mission on Agricultural Mechanization (SMAM) scheme:
 - 1. It is launched by the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare.
 - 2. Under this scheme, 100% subsidy is provided to northeast Indian states for purchase of various types of agricultural equipment and machinery.
 - 3. The CHC Farm Machinery is a mobile app developed under this scheme for the welfare of farmers.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 54. The 'Resolution 75/260' of the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) recently seen in the news is related to?
 - (a) Implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS.
 - (a) Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
 - (b) Right of return for Palestinian refugees.
 - (c) Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide.
- 55. With reference to the EnVision mission, consider the following statements:
 - 1. The mission is led by European Space Agency (ESA) with contributions from NASA.
 - 2. It will study the atmosphere and analyse the surface composition of Venus.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 56. With reference to 'National AI Portal', consider the following statements:
 - 1. It is a joint initiative by the Ministry of Electronics and IT (MeitY) and NITI Ayog.
 - 2. It serves as a central hub for Artificial Intelligence (AI) related activities in India and beyond.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 57. Consider the following statements regarding Innovations for Defence Excellence:
 - 1. It aims to achieve self-reliance and foster innovation and technology development in Defence and Aerospace.
 - 2. It is funded and managed by the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 58. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. India has been a member of Group of Seven (G7) countries since 2020.
 - 2. The Carbis Bay Declaration is signed by G7 countries to prevent cyber attacks.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 59. Consider the following statements regarding Rare Earth Elements:
 - 1. They are referred to as rare earth due to the difficulty in extraction from their oxides forms.
 - 2. Leaving China behind, the US has over time acquired global domination of rare earth elements.
 - 3. The rare earth elements are a set of metallic and non metallic elements.

- (a) 2 and 3 only
- (b) 1 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 60. With reference to the Olive Ridley Turtles, consider the following statements:
 - 1. These turtles are the rarest of all sea turtles found in the world.
 - 2. They are known for their unique mass nesting called Arribada.
 - 3. They are listed as Vulnerable in the IUCN Red List.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2, and 3
- 61. 'New Shephard' was recently in the news, it is?
 - (a) New techniques that will help increase productivity of sheeps.
 - (b) A rocket system that has been designed to take astronauts in space.
 - (c) American solar powered fighter plane.
 - (d) Newly discovered exo-planet by NASA.
- 62. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Tulu is a Dravidian language included in the Eighth Schedule of the Indian Constitution.

2. Article 344 of the Indian Constitution deals with the Eighth Schedule languages.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 63. Consider the following statements:
 - United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD) is a legally binding international agreement.
 - 2. The Great Green Wall initiative is focused on fighting against land degradation in the Sahel region.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 64. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The Kosi river has its source in Tibet.
 - 2. The Kosi river joins the Ganga river in Katihar district of Bihar.
 - Kosi is also known as the Sorrow of Bihar.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 65. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. India is a member of the International Hydrographic Organization (IHO).
 - 2. The IHO has recognised the Southern Ocean as the world's fifth ocean since 1953.
 - 3. The Southern Ocean is the only ocean that touches the Pacific, Indian and Atlantic Oceans.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

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

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11.	(a)	12. (c)	13. (b)	14. (c)	15. (c)	16. (b)	17. (d)	18. (c)	19. (c)	20. (c)
21.	(c)	22. (b)	23. (d)	24. (b)	25. (c)	26. (d)	27. (a)	28. (d)	29. (c)	30. (a)
31.	(d)	32. (b)	33. (a)	34. (c)	35. (d)	36. (d)	37. (d)	38. (a)	39. (b)	40. (c)
41.	(b)	42. (a)	43. (c)	44. (d)	45. (a)	46. (c)	47. (c)	48. (b)	49. (a)	50. (d)
51.	(b)	52. (a)	53. (d)	54. (a)	55. (c)	56. (b)	57. (a)	58. (d)	59. (b)	60. (b)
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