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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Immediately after the commencement of the examination, you should check that this test booklet does not have any unprinted or torn or missing pages or items, etc. if so, get it replaced by a complete test booklet.
2. This test contains 100 questions. Each question comprises four responses and you have to mark only one as the correct response. In case you feel there is more than one response, mark the one that you consider the best or the most appropriate.
3. Each question carries equal marks, i.e., **2 marks**. However, there will be penalty for wrong answers. For each wrong response to a question, **one-third** of the total marks assigned to the question, will be deducted as penalty.
 - (a) If a student gives more than one answer to a question, it will be treated as wrong answer.
 - (b) If there is no response to a question, there will be no penalty for that question.
4. You have to mark all your responses on the separate Answer Sheet (OMR Sheet).
5. After filling the responses, submit only the answer sheet. You can take away the question booklet.

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1. Consider the following statements:

1. Right to Reservation is not a Fundamental Right.
2. A writ petition under Article 32 of the Constitution can be filed only in case of violation of Fundamental Rights.

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

2. Which of the following is/are correct about the Katkari tribe?

1. They are considered as Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs).
2. They are located primarily in Maharashtra as well as in some parts of Gujarat.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

3. Collaboration/Covid Action Support Group (CoAST India) aims to:

- (a) To monitor the movements of migrants.
- (b) To develop a vaccine to COVID-19 indigenously.
- (c) To develop a collaborative approach among the States to provide hospitalisation to the COVID-19 patients.
- (d) None of these.

4. The foundation stone for a missile park "Agneepurtha" has been laid in:

- (a) Visakhapatnam (b) Haridwar
(c) Lahaul spiti (d) Churu

5. Consider the following statements about SPIC MACAY:

1. It stands for Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music And Culture Amongst Youth.
2. It aims to enrich the quality of formal education by increasing awareness about different aspects of Indian heritage.
3. It is supported nationally by the Ministry of Culture, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, and the Ministry of Human Resource Development.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

6. Which of the following statements is/are correct about the Kohala Hydropower Project?

1. The Project falls under China Pakistan Economic Corridor.
2. It will be built on the Indus river.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

7. Consider the following statements about SWADESH:

1. It aims at empowering the returning citizens from abroad with relevant employment opportunities.
2. It is a joint initiative of the Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, Ministry of Civil Aviation and the Ministry of External Affairs.

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

8. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. Malabar exercise is an annual trilateral naval exercise between the navies of India, France, and the USA.
2. It began as a bilateral naval exercise between India and the USA in 1992.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

9. The 38th Parallel North line divides which of the following two countries?

- (a) Canada and U.S.A
(b) North Korea and South Korea
(c) Mongolia and China
(d) Germany and France

10. Persian Gulf is bordered by eight countries. Which among the following is **not** the bordering country?

- (a) Bahrain (b) Oman
(c) United Arab Emirates (d) Kyrgyzstan

11. Consider the following statements about the National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA):

1. It is a statutory body under the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change.
2. It was established in 2010 under provisions of the Wildlife (Protection) Act.

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

12. Recently, a tropical Cyclone named Cristobal was formed in:
- (a) Atlantic Ocean (b) Indian Ocean
(c) Pacific Ocean (d) Red Sea
13. Which of the following was the theme for World No Tobacco Day-2020?
- (a) Say No To Tobacco
(b) Go back Tobacco
(c) Tobacco Exposed
(d) Annihilate Tobacco Habit
14. Great Knots (*Calidris tenuirostris*), the migratory birds having habitat in tundra in northeast Siberia is listed in IUCN as:
- (a) Critically Endangered
(b) Endangered
(c) Extinct
(d) Vulnerable
15. Wagon Tragedy is associated with which of the following rebellions?
- (a) Kuka (b) Moplah
(c) Kuki (d) Sanyasi
16. Recently, satellite Micius was in news, consider the following statements about it:
1. It is the world's first quantum communications satellite, launched by China in 2016.
2. It serves as the source of pairs of entangled photons.
- 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
17. Presena Glacier is located in which of the following countries?
- (a) Italy (b) France
(c) England (d) Canada
18. Consider the following statements about Mount Merapi:
1. It is an active volcano erupted twice on 21st June, 2020.
2. It is the most active of India's active volcanoes.
- 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
19. Consider the following statements about OSOWOG Plan:
1. It stands for "One Sun One World One Grid", introduced by the Government of India.
2. It has been taken up under the technical assistance program of the IMF.
3. It aims to focus on a framework for facilitating a global ecosystem of interconnected renewable energy resources.
- Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
- (a) 1 only
(b) 1 and 3 only
(c) 2 and 3 only
(d) 1, 2 and 3
20. Which of the statements given below is/are correct about the 'Jet Zero' plan?
1. It aims to bring down greenhouse gas emissions from aviation to make carbon-free transatlantic flights possible within a generation.
2. It is announced jointly by the Ministry of Aviation and the Ministry of Environment of India.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 only
(b) 2 only
(c) Both 1 and 2
(d) Neither 1 nor 2
21. Who among the following appoints the Delimitation Commission?
- (a) Lok Sabha Speaker
(b) President
(c) Chief Election Commissioner
(d) Prime Minister
22. The Srisailem reservoir is constructed across which of the following rivers?
- (a) Krishna (b) Godawari
(c) Mahanadi (d) Mahananda
23. For handling which of the following River Water Dispute, the Water Dispute Tribunal headed by Justice Bachawat, constituted in April, 1969?
- (a) Godavari (b) Ganga
(c) Yamuna (d) Krishna

24. Consider the following pairs of major Inter-State River Disputes:

River	States
1. Ravi and Beas	Punjab, Haryana and Rajasthan
2. Vamsadhara	Andhra Pradesh and Odisha
3. Mahanadi	Chhattisgarh and Odisha
4. Mahadayi	Goa, Maharashtra and Karnataka
5. Periyar	Tamil Nadu and Kerala

Which of the pairs given above are correctly matched?

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

25. Which among the following are the parties to the Cauvery River Dispute?

1. Kerala 2. Karnataka
3. Tamil Nadu 4. Odisha

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

26. Ninth Schedule was added in the Indian Constitution by?

- (a) Constitution (First Amendment) Act, 1951
(b) Constitution (Seventh Amendment) Act, 1956
(c) Constitution (Forty-Second Amendment) Act, 1976
(d) Constitution (Forty-Four Amendment) Act, 1978

27. Which among the following was the theme for the International Day of Yoga-2020?

- (a) Yoga for Health – Yoga at Home
(b) Yog Bhagaye Rog
(c) Yoga – a remedy to physical tragedies
(d) Yoga connects the World

28. Consider the following statements about Financial Stability and Development Council:

1. It is a non-statutory apex council under the Ministry of Finance.
2. It is chaired by the Finance Minister.
3. It assesses the functioning of the large financial conglomerates.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

29. Which of the following Committees first proposed to set up the Financial Stability and Development Council?

- (a) Nachiket Mor Committee
(b) Raghuram Rajan Committee
(c) Ashok Singhal Committee
(d) Manmohan Singh Committee

30. Consider the following statements about PM SVANidhi:

1. It has been launched by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA), for providing affordable loans to street vendors.
2. It will provide a loan upto ₹100000 to the Vendors without any collateral.

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

31. The Global Economic Prospects is released by:

- (a) IMF
(b) World Bank
(c) The World Economic Forum
(d) None of these

32. Consider the following statements regarding Periodic Labour Force Survey 2018-19:

1. India's unemployment rate fell to 5.8% during 2018-19 from 6.1% during the same period of 2017-18.
2. The labour force participation rate rose to 37.5% during 2018-19 from 36.9% of 2017-18.

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

33. Consider the following pairs:

Concepts	Definition
1. Unemployment Rate:	The percentage of persons unemployed among the persons in the labour force.
2. Labour Force Participation Rate:	The percentage of persons in the labour force in the population.
3. Female Labour Force Participation Rate:	The share of working-age women who report either being employed, or being available for work.

4. Worker Population Ratio (WPR): The percentage of employed persons in the population.
- Which of the pairs given above are correctly matched?
- (a) 1 and 4 only (b) 2 and 3 only
(c) 1, 2 and 4 only (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4
34. Consider the following statements:
- The World Investment Report is released by the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD).
 - The Report forecasted a decrease by up to 40% in global FDI flows in 2020.
- 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. The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) is a permanent intergovernmental body headquartered at:
- (a) Geneva (b) Paris
(c) Hague (d) Moscow
36. Which of the following statements is/are correct about the Initial Public Offer?
- It is the selling of securities to the public in the primary market (a type of capital market).
 - Through an IPO, an unlisted company can get listed on the stock exchange.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 only (b) 2 only
(c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2
37. Consider the following statements regarding Tropical Cyclones:
- Tropical Cyclones are characterised by high atmospheric pressure, high winds and heavy rains.
 - Tropical Cyclones rotate clockwise in the southern hemisphere and anticlockwise in the northern hemisphere.
- 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
38. Which of the following countries is **not** a member of the G-7 group?
- (a) Canada (b) France
(c) Italy (d) China
39. Which among the following countries hosted the Global Vaccine Summit?
- (a) India (b) USA
(c) UK (d) UAE
40. Which among the following is/are associated with the Senkaku Islands dispute, or Diaoyu Islands or Diaoyutai Islands dispute?
- Japan
 - Taiwan
 - China
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 and 3 only (b) 2 only
(c) 1 and 2 only (d) 1, 2 and 3
41. Consider the following Turtle species found in Indian waters:
- Olive Ridley
 - Hawksbill
 - Leatherback
 - Loggerhead
- Which of the above species is/are critically endangered?
- (a) 1 and 3 only (b) 2 only
(c) 1, 2 and 4 only (d) 3 and 4 only
42. Consider the following statements about the Environmental Performance Index:
- It is a biennial index prepared by Yale University and Columbia University in collaboration with the World Economic Forum.
 - India secured 168th rank in the Environment Performance Index (EPI) 2020.
- 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
43. Who among the following is regarded as the founder of Ahom Kingdom?
- (a) Chaolung Sukapha (b) Sutuphaa
(c) Tyao Khamti (d) Subinphaa
44. V.D.Savarkar was associated with which of the following organizations?
- Abhinav Bharat Society
 - India House
 - Free India Society
 - Hindu Mahasabha
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 and 2 only (b) 2, 3 and 4 only
(c) 1, 3 and 4 only (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

45. The traditional art of 'Talamaddale' is a variant of:
 (a) Kalaripayattu (b) Gatka
 (c) Yakshagana (d) Thang-ta
46. The famous Pashupatinath stretches on both sides of which of the following rivers?
 (a) Ganga (b) Mahananda
 (c) Gandak (d) Bagmati
47. Which of the following is/are the key provisions of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (RPA, 1951):
 1. It deals with the registration of political parties.
 2. It specifies the qualifications and disqualifications for membership of the Houses.
 3. It lays down the procedure for settling doubts and disputes arising out of elections.
 Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 (a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 only
 (c) 1 and 3 only (d) 1, 2 and 3
48. Consider the following statements:
 1. The Delimitation Commission aims to provide equal representation to equal segments of a population.
 2. The Delimitation Commission identifies the seats reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, wherever their population is relatively large.
 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
49. The Constituent Assembly of India adopted Hindi as the official language of the country in 1949, under which of the following Articles?
 (a) Article 343 (b) Article 248
 (c) Article 111 (d) Article 300
50. Which of the following is/are the tributaries of Krishna River?
 1. Tungabhadra 2. Malaprabha
 3. Koyna
 Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 (a) 2 only (b) 2 and 3 only
 (c) 1 and 2 only (d) 1, 2 and 3
51. Consider the following statements about Umang Mobile App:
 1. It is a unified, secure, single-channel, single-platform, single-lingual, single-service mobile app.
 2. It was launched under the Digital India initiative 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
52. Which of the following States are chosen for the 'Garib Kalyan Rojgar Abhiyaan':
 1. Uttar Pradesh 2. Rajasthan
 3. Jharkhand 4. Odisha
 Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 (a) 2 and 4 only (b) 1 and 3 only
 (c) 1, 2 and 3 only (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4
53. Which of the following organisations regulates the Social Stock Exchange (SSE)?
 (a) RBI (b) SEBI
 (c) Ministry of Finance (d) None of the above
54. Consider the following statements about the Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS):
 1. It is India's first computer-based survey launched by the National Statistical Office (NSO) in 2017.
 2. It estimates employment and unemployment indicators in both usual status and CWS in both rural and urban areas annually.
 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
55. Which of the following reports is/are published by UNCTAD?
 1. Trade and Development Report
 2. Technology and Innovation Report
 3. Commodities and Development Report
 Select the correct answer using the code given below:
 (a) 1 only (b) 2 and 3 only
 (c) 1 and 2 only (d) 1, 2 and 3

56. Consider the following statements about the Unified Payments Interface:

1. It is an advanced version of Immediate Payment Service (IMPS).
2. It is a system that powers multiple bank accounts into a single mobile application.
3. It was launched by National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) in 2016.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

57. Which of the following statements is/are correct about the National Electronic Funds Transfer?

1. It is a nation-wide payment system facilitating one-to-one funds transfer.
2. There is no limit – either minimum or maximum – on the amount of funds that could be transferred using NEFT.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

58. Consider the following statements about the United Nations Command:

1. It oversees affairs in the heavily fortified Demilitarised Zone and ensures the terms of the armistice.
2. It was established on 24th July 1950 in Tokyo, Japan.

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. Which of the following statements is/are correct about the India Meteorological Department?

1. It was established in 1875.
2. It is an agency of the Ministry of Environment of the Government of India.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

60. The Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute is headquartered in:

- (a) Kerala (b) Karnataka
(c) Telangana (d) Delhi

61. Consider the following statements about the Gir National Park and Wildlife Sanctuary:

1. It is located in the Junagadh district of Gujarat.
2. It is the only natural habitat of Asiatic lions.
3. It was declared as a sanctuary in 1965 and a national park in 1975.

Which of the statements is/are correct?

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

62. Swarm Constellation Mission is associated to:

- (a) European Space Agency
(b) NASA
(c) ISRO
(d) JAXA

63. Which of the following statements is/are correct about Mars Orbiter Mission (MOM)?

1. It was launched from the Satish Dhawan Space Centre in Andhra Pradesh in 2013.
2. It was launched on board a PSLV C25 rocket with an aim of studying Martian atmosphere for methane.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

64. Consider the following statements about Fusarium Wilt:

1. It is popularly known as Panama disease.
2. It is a lethal fungal disease of bananas to have spread globally in the first half of the 20th century.

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

65. Which of the following is/are correct the founding members of Global Partnership on Artificial Intelligence?

1. Australia
2. India
3. Pakistan
4. Canada

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

66. The British annexed the Ahoms ruled province through which of the following treaties?
- Treaty of Gandamak
 - Treaty of Yandaboo
 - Treaty of Seringapatam
 - Treaty of Assam

67. Consider the following pairs:

Organisation	Establishment Year & Place
1. Abhinav Bharat Society	1905 in London
2. India House	1933 in Lucknow
3. Free India Society	1904 in Chandigarh

Which of the pairs given above is/are correct?

- 1 only
- 2 and 3 only
- 1, 2 and 3
- None of the above

68. Who among the following is considered the father of Carnatic Music?

- Purandara Dasa
- Nabha Dasa
- Bhim Sen Joshi
- Rajamannar

69. Yakshagana is traditional theatre form of which State?

- Tamil Nadu
- Odisha
- Kerala
- Karnataka

70. Kodumanal excavation site in Erode district of Tamil Nadu is located on the northern banks of Noyyal River, which is a tributary of:

- Mahanadi
- Godawari
- Cauvery
- Krishna

71. Which of the following is the pass located at the tri-junction of India, Nepal and China?

- Lipulekh
- Khunjerab Pass
- Banihal Pass
- Aghil Pass

72. A monkey park is planned to be set up in which of the following States?

- Karnataka
- Kerala
- Tamil nadu
- Telangana

73. Consider the following statements:

- Gene editing is the process of altering a part of the DNA code.
- CRISPR tools use enzymes like Cas9 and Cas13 to cut and delete a portion of the genetic code.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

74. Medical Council of India (MCI) is a:

- Constitutional body
- Statutory body
- Quasi-judicial
- Judicial

75. Which of the following States became the first State to establish Panchayati Raj?

- Madhya Pradesh
- Uttar Pradesh
- Odisha
- Rajasthan

76. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- The Ashok Mehta Committee recommended a two-tier system of panchayat.
- LM Singhvi Committee recommended for the constitutional status of Panchayati Raj institutions.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

77. Which of the following is/are the sources of revenue for States in India?

- Goods and Services Tax
- Excise
- Stamps and registration fees

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

78. Which of the following statements is/are correct about the Astana declaration?

- It affirms the commitment to the fundamental right of every human being to attain a standard of health.
- The Declaration of Astana rejected the historic 1978 Declaration of Alma-Ata.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

79. Consider the following statements:

- Infant Mortality Rate is the number of deaths of infants under age one per 1,000 live births in a given region in a year.
- According to the recent data on IMR in India, Madhya Pradesh, reported the lowest IMR, while Nagaland reported the maximum IMR.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

80. Which among the following organisations releases the data on Infant Mortality Rate?

- (a) Medical Council of India
- (b) Registrar General of India
- (c) Indian Council of Medical Research
- (d) Ministry of Health and Child Welfare

81. Who among the following leaders participated in the Khilafat Movement?

- (a) Mahatma Gandhi
- (b) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
- (c) V.D Savarkar
- (d) G.K. Gokhale

82. Consider the following statements about World Health Organisation Foundation:

- 1. It is legally independent from the World Health Organisation.
- 2. It is headquartered at the Hague.
- 3. It provides funds to the World Health Organisation.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

83. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- 1. Bt Cotton is the only Genetically Modified (GM) crop that is allowed in India.
- 2. In India, the Genetic Engineering Appraisal Committee (GEAC) is the apex body that allows for commercial release of GM crops.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

84. The Rhine flows through which among the following countries?

- 1. Switzerland
- 2. Austria
- 3. Germany

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

85. Consider the following statements about the World Oceans Day:

- 1. The World Oceans Day is celebrated every year on 8th June.
- 2. The theme of the World Oceans Day 2020 is 'Innovation for a Sustainable Ocean'.

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

86. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Pradhan Mantri Surakshit Matritva Abhiyan has been launched to focus on conducting special Ante-Natal Checkups (ANC).
- 2. Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana is a maternity benefit programme being implemented in all districts of the country.
- 3. LaQshya Programme intended to improve the quality of care in the labour room and maternity operation theatres in public health facilities.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

87. Which of the following are the required conditions for growing Banana?

- 1. Temperature: 15°C – 35°C
- 2. Rainfall: 650-750 mm
- 3. Regional variation: Humid tropics to dry mild subtropics
- 4. Soil: Deep, rich loamy soil

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

88. Which of the following is the largest exporter of Banana?

- (a) Ecuador
- (b) India
- (c) China
- (d) Nepal

89. Banana Covid, infecting the Banana plantations in India, is a:

- (a) Fungal Disease
- (b) Viral Disease
- (c) Bacteria borne Disease
- (d) None of the above

90. Consider the following statements about Nature Index 2020:

- 1. The Nature Index is a database of author affiliation information collated from research articles.
- 2. India topped this year's Nature Index.

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

91. Which of the following missiles were made under the Indian Guided Missile Development Programme (IGMDP)?
1. Prithvi
 2. Agni
 3. Brahmos
 4. Nag
 5. Akash
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only (b) 1, 3, 4 and 5 only
(c) 1, 2, 4 and 5 only (d) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5
92. Prime Minister's National Relief Fund (PMNRF) was constituted in:
- (a) 1948 (b) 1988
(c) 2008 (d) 2020
93. Which among the following falls under the ambit of RTI?
1. Office of the Chief Justice of India
 2. Prime Minister's Office
 3. PMCare Fund
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 and 2 only (b) 2 only
(c) 1 and 3 only (d) 1, 2 and 3
94. Which among the following toxic pollutants are emitted during stubble burning?
1. Methane
 2. Carbon Monoxide
 3. Volatile organic compound
 4. Carcinogenic polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 2 and 4 only (b) 3 and 4 only
(c) 1, 2 and 4 only (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4
95. Consider the following statements about Smart City Mission:
1. It is an innovative initiative under the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs
 2. It is a Central Sector Scheme.
- 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
96. Maguri-Motapung wetland is located in:
- (a) West Bengal (b) Odisha
(c) Assam (d) Arunachal Pradesh
97. Consider the following statements about Dibru-Saikhowa National Park:
1. It is situated on the south bank of the river Brahmaputra in Assam.
 2. It is one of the 19 biodiversity hotspots in the world.
 3. It comprises semi-evergreen forests, deciduous forests, littoral and swamp forests and patches of wet evergreen forests.
- 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
98. Which of the following statements is/are correct?
1. FDI is an investment made by a firm or individual in one country into business interests located in another country.
 2. Foreign Investment Facilitation Portal is administered by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 only (b) 2 only
(c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2
99. Which among the following countries has emerged as the largest equity FDI source to India?
- (a) USA (b) UK
(c) Singapore (d) Japan
100. Consider the following statements:
1. Gross Domestic Product is the total value of a country's annual output of goods and services.
 2. Nominal GDP is GDP evaluated at current market prices.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 only (b) 2 only
(c) Both 1 and 2 (d) Neither 1 nor 2