

**1. Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding Government e-Marketplace (GeM) recently seen in the news?**

- 1. It operates under the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.**
- 2. It ensures public procurement of goods and services in India (done by government bodies) worth more than Rs. 5 lakh crore annually.**

**Select the correct answer using the code given below:**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**2. Consider the following statements with reference to the Sustainable Alternative Towards Affordable Transportation (SATAT) initiative:**

- 1. It is an initiative of the Ministry of Agriculture.**
- 2. It establishes an ecosystem for the production of Compressed BioGas from various waste and biomass sources in the country.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**3. Recently, National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR) was seen in the news, it is a**

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

**4. With reference to the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC), consider the following statements:**

1. It is a non-statutory body.

2. The chairperson of NHRC is the Prime Minister of India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

5. What is the purpose of the 'evolved Laser interferometer Space Antenna (eLISA)' project?

- To detect neutrinos
- To gravitational waves
- To study the effect of solar flares on our communication systems
- To detect the effectiveness of missile defence system

**1. Recently, World Health Organisation (WHO) validated the Sinovac-CoronaVac COVID-19 vaccine for emergency use ,it is produced by**

- Saudi Arabia
- China
- Russia
- Singapore

**2. Consider the following statements with reference to H10N3 bird flu recently seen in the news**

- 1. It causes relatively less severe disease in poultry**
- 2. Human-to-human transmission is very high.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**3. With reference to the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It is a permanent intergovernmental organisation preceded by the Shanghai Five mechanism.**
- 2. Its chairmanship rotates on a biannual basis.**
- 3. India, Pakistan and Afghanistan are member states.**

**Which of the statements given above are incorrect?**

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

**4. Banrawats, recently seen in the news, is an endangered tribe from which of the following states?**

- Madhya Pradesh
- Rajasthan
- Chhattisgarh
- Uttarakhand

**5. With reference to the Experimental Advanced Superconducting Tokamak, recently seen in the news, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It is an advanced nuclear fission experimental research device.**
- 2. It is part of the International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor facility.**

**Which of the statement(s) given above is/are incorrect?**

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

**1. With reference to the Asian Development Bank (ADB), consider the following statements:**

- 1. It provides only technical assistance to its members for social and economic development.**
- 2. China holds the largest proportion of shares in ADB.**

**Which of the statement(s) given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**2. Consider the following statements with reference to the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) :**

- 1. It was created at the Baghdad Conference in September 1960**
- 2. It ensures fair and stable prices for petroleum producers.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**3. With reference to the SAGE Project, consider the following statement:**

- 1. It has been launched by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.**
- 2. It aims to select, support and create a one-stop access of elderly care products and services by start-ups.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**4. Tulsa Race Massacre, recently seen in the news, took place in which state of the USA?**

- Utah
- Oklahoma
- Montana
- Florida

**5. With reference to the India Cycles4Change challenge, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It was launched by the Ministry of New & Renewable Energy.**
- 2. The India Programme of the Institute for Transportation and Development Policy is its knowledge partner.**
- 3. All cities with a population of more than 5 lakh can participate.**

**Which of the statements given above are correct?**

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

**1. With reference to the variant Delta variant (B.1.617.2) of SARS-CoV-2 consider the following statement:**

- 1. It is more transmissible than contemporary lineages.**
- 2. The United Nation Development Programme (UNDP) categorised it as a Variant of Concern (VOC).**

**Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**2. Consider the following statements with reference to the Discovery Program recently seen in the news**

- 1. It was launched by European Space Agency (ESA).**
- 2. It advances scientific knowledge and exploration of the elements of the Solar System.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**3. With reference to the Blue-Finned Mahseer, consider the following statement:**

- 1. It is mainly found in the rivers of the Deccan Plateau.**
- 2. It is a migratory species which moves upstream during rains.**
- 3. It is classified as Endangered Species in the IUCN Red List.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**4. Devika river, recently seen in the news, merges with which of the following rivers?**

- Ravi
- Beas
- Jhelum
- Chenab

**5. With reference to the Disaster Management Act, 2005, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It was invoked for the first time in India during the tsunami of 2004.**
- 2. Violations of Section 51 (b) can lead to imprisonment, extendable to one year only.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2



**1. With reference to Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban (PMAY-U), consider the following statements:**

- 1. It is being implemented by the Ministry of Home Affairs.**
- 2. It promotes women empowerment by providing the ownership of houses in the name of female members.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**2. CORPAT Exercise, recently seen in the news, is held bi-annually between which of the following countries?**

- Sri Lanka and Maldives
- India and Thailand
- Japan and China
- Russia and Pakistan

**3. Consider the following statements:**

- 1. CAR T-cell therapy targets leukaemia and lymphoma.**
- 2. CAR T-cells are genetically engineered to produce artificial T-cell receptors.**
- 3. In India, lentiviral technology is used while administering the therapy.**

**Which of the statements given above are correct?**

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

**4. With reference to Sclater's Monal, consider the following statements:**

- 1. The high-altitude bird can be seen frequently below 1,500 metres.**

**2. In India, it can only be found in Arunachal Pradesh.**

**3. It has been classified as vulnerable in the IUCN Red List.**

**Which of the statements given above are correct?**

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

**5. Pakke Tiger Reserve, recently seen in the news, is located in?**

- Madhya Pradesh
- Andhra Pradesh
- Arunachal Pradesh
- Himachal Pradesh

**1. The term 'dendrochronology', recently seen in the news, is a method of determining the age of:**

- Trees
- Fossils
- Pottery
- Planets

**2. With reference to the Global Liveability Index, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It is released by the Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU).**
- 2. It examines cities based on stability, healthcare, education and infrastructure.**
- 3. It does not quantify the challenges presented to an individual's lifestyle in the past year.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**3. Consider the followings:**

- 1. Global Economic Prospects**
- 2. Global Gender Gap Report**
- 3. Ease of Doing Business**
- 4. World Development Report**

**Which of the following reports is/are released by the World Bank?**

- 2, 3 and 4 only
- 2 and 4 only
- 2 and 3 only
- 1, 3 and 4 only

**4. With reference to Index of Industrial Production, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It shows the growth rates and performance of different sectors of industry in the economy.**
- 2. It is compiled and published monthly by the Central Statistical Organisation.**

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

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

**5. With reference to Padma Awards, consider the following statement:**

- 1. The awards are presented by the Prime Minister of India.**
- 2. The award does not amount to a title.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**1.Consider the following statement with reference to Monoclonal antibody:**

- 1. It occurs naturally and targets one specific antigen.**
- 2. It is to be given only to mild COVID-19 patients who are not requiring oxygen.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- None

**2.With reference to Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of (Hybrid &) Electric Vehicles in India (FAME India) Scheme consider the following statements :**

- 1. The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) has been administering the FAME India Scheme.**
- 2. It promotes the manufacturing of electric and hybrid vehicle(xEVs) technology .**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- None

**3.With reference to Olive Ridley Turtles, consider the following statements:**

- 1. Their habit of mass nesting is called arribadas.**
- 2. In India, their nests can be found on the Odisha coast.**
- 3. They are protected under Schedule I of the Wildlife Protection Act, 1972.**
- 4. Indian Coast Guard carries out Operation Olivia for their protection while nesting.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- 1 and 2 only
- 1 and 4 only

- 3 only
- 1, 2, 3 and 4

**4. The deal for Kanopus--V Satellite, recently seen in the news, has been finalised between which of the following countries?**

- USA and Israel
- India and Bangladesh
- Russia and Iran
- China and Pakistan

**5. With reference to Semiconductors, consider the following statements:**

- 1. These are crystalline solids intermediates between a conductor and an insulator.**
- 2. The semiconductors can become superconductors, at low temperatures.**
- 3. Cadmium sulfide is an example of semiconductors.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**1. With reference to Dalbergia latifolia species of Rosewood, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It occurs in deciduous tropical and subtropical forests with deep, well-drained and moist soils.**
- 2. It is native to India, Pakistan, Bangladesh and Myanmar.**
- 3. Its coloured and fragrant timber is used to make musical instruments.**
- 4. It is protected under the Appendix II of the Convention on International Trade in Critically Endangered Species.**

**Which of the statements given above are correct?**

- 1 and 3 only**
- 3 and 4 only
- 2 and 4 only
- 1, 2, 3 and 4

**2. With reference to the iDEX Challenge, consider the following statements;**

- 1. It was established by the Department of Science and Technology.**
- 2. It promotes innovation and indigenisation in the aerospace at start-up level.**
- 3. It is funded and managed by a Defence Innovation Organisation.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

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

**3. EnVision Mission recently announced by which of the following agencies?**

- Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA)
- Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
- European Space Agency (ESA)**

**4. Consider the following statement with reference to Anchor Investors :**

1. They are institutional investors who are invited to subscribe the shares before the Initial Public Offers (IPOs).
2. They are required to take up the share at a fixed price to make other investors confident.
3. They are not allowed to sell shares for at least 30 days after the allotment.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

5. Recently, Jiyo Parsi Scheme was seen in the news, it was formulated by

- Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
- Ministry of Tribal Affairs
- Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (MoHFW)
- Ministry of Minority Affairs



**1. With reference to Rare Earth Elements, consider the following statements:**

- 1. These metals have unusual conductive and magnetic properties.**
- 2. They are more abundant found on the earth.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are correct?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**2. With reference to ALLIANCE 8.7, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It is a global partnership for eradicating forced labour, modern slavery, human trafficking and child labour around the world.**
- 2. UNICEF currently serves as Secretariat for Alliance 8.7.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**3. With reference to the Raja Parba Festival, consider the following statements:**

- 1. It is observed in the Indian state of Assam.**
- 2. It aims to combat prejudices around the menstrual cycle and celebrates a girl's womanhood.**

**Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?**

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 & 2
- Neither 1 nor 2

**4. With reference to the Consumer Price Index, consider the following statements:**

1. It monitors retail prices at a certain level for a particular commodity at urban levels.
2. It gives an idea of the cost of the standard of living and helps understand the purchasing power of the nation's currency.
3. It is calculated by multiplying 100 to the fraction of the cost price of the current period and the base period.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

5. Jivan Vayu, recently seen in the news, is a?

- Continuous Positive Airway Pressure device
- Initiative to control air pollution
- Indigenously developed Covid-19 kits
- Oxygen support for manned missions to space