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Current Affairs MCQs Quiz for UPSC, IAS, UPPSC/UPPCS, MPPSC. BPSC, RPSC & All State PSC Exams

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Q1. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The modal mix in terms of freight movement is currently skewed by a considerable extent towards rail transport, with 65% of freight movement by railways.
- 2. The cost of moving freight by road is far higher than that of moving it by rail.
- 3. India's roads have been losing out on freight to other more modes of transportation.

Which of the statement/s given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 2 and 3 only
- + Show

Answer

Q2. What is the government doing to address the surging power demand in India?

- 1. Increasing coal and hydropower capacity.
- 2. Promoting energy efficiency measures.
- 3. Implementing demand-side management measures.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

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- c) 1,2 and 3
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Answer

Q3. What are the potential negative effects of providing power subsidies for agricultural growth?

- 1. Shifting cropping pattern towards more water intensive agricultural production.
- 2. It may lead to an excessive use of groundwater, resulting in the fall in water table.
- 3. It has reduced farmers' production cost by forcing the installation of submersible pumps, and curtailed Industrial activity during the paddy season.

Which of the statement/s given above is/are correct?

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

Answer

Q4. Which of the following best describes the "cross-licensing of patents"?

- a) An agreement between two or more parties to grant each other a license to use their respective patented technologies.
- b) A legal action taken against a company for infringing on a patented technology.
- c) A process of registering a patent in multiple countries to protect intellectual property rights.
- d) A method of manufacturing patented technologies without obtaining permission from the patent
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Answer

Q5. Consider the following statements: (UPSC Pre 2016)

- 1. The Sustainable Development Goals were first proposed in 1972 by a global think tank called the 'Club of Rome'.
- 2. The Sustainable Development Goals have to be achieved 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
- + Show

Answer