

Weekly Quiz
(14TH Mar – 21ST Mar)

Q1. The Digital Payments Index (DPI) is released by

- a) Indian Banks' Association
- b) Reserve Bank of India (RBI)
- c) NITI Aayog
- d) National Statistical Office (NSO)

Q2. Microgravity like situations can be experienced or simulated in

- 1) Rotating space station around earth
- 2) An accelerating vehicle
- 3) A freely falling lift

Select the correct answer code:

- a) 1, 2
- b) 2, 3
- c) 1, 3
- d) 1, 2, 3

Q3. Consider the following statements regarding Exercise Milan.

- 1. It is Indian Navy's oldest multilateral naval exercise.
- 2. It is held annually at Port Blair in Andaman and Nicobar.
- 3. Milan 2022 was the largest edition of the exercise.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q4. Consider the following statements regarding Superconductivity.

- 1. Superconductivity was the first discovery under CERN, the European Organization for Nuclear Research.

2. Under superconducting state, materials offer no resistance to the passage of electrical current.

Which of the above statements is/are incorrect?

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

Q5. Consider the following statements regarding the Delimitation Commission.

1. The Delimitation Commission is appointed by the President of India and works in collaboration with the Election Commission of India.
2. It aims to determine the number and boundaries of constituencies to make population of all constituencies nearly equal.
3. Its orders are not final and it can be questioned only before Supreme Court of India.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q6. Consider the following statements.

- 1) The Election Commission of India is an autonomous constitutional authority
- 2) responsible for administering election processes in India at national, state and district level.
- 3) The Union cabinet decides the election schedule for the conduct of both general elections and bye-elections.
- 4) Election Commission resolves the disputes relating to splits/mergers of recognized political parties.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- a) 1 only
- c) 1, 3
- d) 1, 2, 3

Q7. Consider the following statements regarding National Disaster Response Force (NDRF).

1. The National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) is an Apex Body for Disaster Management in India.
2. NDRF is constituted for the purpose of specialized response to natural and man-made disasters.
3. It works under the Ministry of Home Affairs.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1, 2
- b) 2, 3
- c) 1, 3
- d) 1, 2, 3

Q8. Consider the following statements regarding Mangalajodi area.

- 1) Mangalajodi is recognised as globally important for the conservation of bird population, where the area is used for roosting and nesting by migratory birds.
- 2) It is located at the edge of the Kolleru Lake in Andhra Pradesh.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q9. Geographical Indication tags are typically given for

- 1) Foodstuffs
- 2) Agricultural products
- 3) Wines and spirit drinks
- 4) Industrial products
- 5) Handicrafts

Select the correct answer code:

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

Q10. Consider the following statements regarding tree transplantation.

- 1) All trees can be transplanted.
- 2) Trees like peepal and sheesham are tolerant to transplantation.
- 3) Any tree that has a tap root system can be transplanted without much effort.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q11. Consider the following statements regarding Echolocation.

- 1) Echolocation is a process for locating distant or invisible objects.
- 2) The technique uses sound waves.
- 3) Only animals can adapt to Echolocation.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q12. Consider the following statements regarding International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA).

1. It is the first international organisation to focus exclusively on renewable energy, addressing needs in both industrialized and developing countries.
2. World Energy Outlook report is released by IRENA.
3. IRENA is an official United Nations observer.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q13. Consider the following statements regarding War Crimes.

- 1) Willful killing and extensive destruction and appropriation of property not justified by military necessity amount to war crimes.

- 2) War Criminal is anyone who violates a set of rules adopted by world leaders known as the law of armed conflict.
- 3) The International Criminal Court does not have the power to prosecute crimes against humanity committed against any civilian population.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q14. Consider the following statements regarding Synthetic biology.

1. Synthetic biology is a field of science that involves redesigning organisms for useful purposes by engineering them to have new abilities.
2. In some ways, both Synthetic biology and Genome editing does the same task, but differ in the approach being used.
3. Biotechnology Regulatory Authority of India is an independent regulator to adjudicate research around synthetic biology.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

Q15. Consider the following statements.

1. In India, the quantity of imported edible oils is more than the domestic production of edible oils.
2. Palm oil is the largest imported edible oil in India.
3. Around 90 per cent of India's total sunflower oil imports come from Ukraine and Russia.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1, 2
- b) 1, 3
- c) 2, 3
- d) 1, 2, 3