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

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1. Consider the following statements, with reference to the QR codes:

1. Quick response (QR) codes are square-shaped matrices of dark or light pixels.
2. It is used to encode and quickly retrieve data using computer devices.
3. It is completely different from barcodes.

How many of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) Only one
- (b) Only two
- (c) All three
- (d) None

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Answer

2. Consider the following statements, with reference to Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA):

1. It is an open-ended intergovernmental scientific advisory body established by the Convention on Biological Diversity.
2. It provides timely advice relating to the implementation of the Convention.
3. The 25th meeting of SBSTTA was held at Delhi, India.

How many of the statements given above are not correct?

- (a) Only one
- (b) Only two
- (c) All three
- (d) None

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Answer

3. Consider the following statements regarding Niobium:

1. It is a pliable and soft metal lives in its purest form freely in nature.
2. It has the ability to become superconducting at very low temperatures.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

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Answer

4. Consider the following statements regarding “Bharatiya Antariksha Station” or Indian Space Station (BAS/ISS):

1. Indian Prime Minister has directed the Indian Space Agency (ISRO) to set up an indigenous space station (BSS/ISS) by 2035 and land an Indian on the moon by 2040.
2. International Space Station or ISS, orbiting in low earth orbit (LEO), is expected to be decommissioned by 2030.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

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Answer

5. Consider the following passage:

It is the small raptor of the falcon family. It is the world’s longest travelling raptors. It is protected under Schedule IV of the Wildlife Protection Act 1972. It is locally known as ‘Akhuipuna’ in the north east region.

The above passage best describes which of the following bird?

- (a) Bearded vulture
- (b) Little owl

(c) Bald eagle

(d) Amur falcon

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Answer