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General Studies

Q1. Recently, which one of the following became the 1st state in India to release a dedicated semiconductor policy?

- (a) Rajasthan
- (b) Punjab
- (c) Gujarat
- (d) Odisha

Q2. Consider the following statements about Yanomami Tribe:

- 1. The Yanomami are the largest relatively isolated tribe in Africa.
- 2. The Yanomami people live in large circular and communal houses called Yanos or Shabonos.

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

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

Q3. With respect to the High courts in India, the President has which of the following powers?

- 1. Deciding the matter of dispute in case of age of a Judge of a High Court.
- 2. Excluding the jurisdiction of the High Court from any Union territory
- 3. Determining the strength of the High court.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

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



Q4. Consider the following statements.

- 1. Morley Minto reforms separated for the 1st time provincial budgets from the central budget.
- 2. Indian Council act of 1861 allowed Members of the legislative council to move resolutions on the budget.

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

Q5. Which one of the following statements with reference to Electronic Voting machine In India is not correct:

- (a) If an EVM of a particular polling station goes out of order, the same is replaced with a new one.
- (b) EVMs were first used in elections in Kerala in 1982.
- (c) EVMs do not require electricity.
- (d) VVPATs with EVMs were used for the first time in the 2014 Lok Sabha elections.

Q6. Consider the following statements regarding Global Initiative on Sharing All Influenza Data:

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- 1. GISAID is a public platform started by Doctors Without Borders in 2008 for countries to share genome sequences.
- 2. This helps researchers understand how the viruses evolve, spread and potentially become pandemics.

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

Q7. In the context of the President's address in the Parliament, consider the following Statements:

- If at the time of the commencement of the first session of the year, Lok Sabha is not in existence and has been dissolved, and Rajya Sabha has to meet, Rajya Sabha can have its session without the President's Address.
- 2. Discussion on matters referred to in the President's Address takes place on a Motion of Thanks moved by a member and seconded by another member.

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



Q8. With reference to "Project Cheetah", consider the following statements:

- 1. It is a one-of-a-kind project in which a species is being restored in the country by bringing it from out of the country.
- 2. Reliance Industries became the first corporate which has come forward to support "Project Cheetah" under CSR.
- 3. The first batch of Cheetah would be soft released in the enclosure with GPS Satellite transmitters.

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

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

Q9. Consider the following statements regarding 'GreenCo Rating System':

- 1. The Green Companies (GreenCo) Rating System has been developed by the Federation of Indian chambers of commerce and industry (FICCI).
- 2. The system evaluates the companies on 10 broad green parameters, including renewable energy use.
- 3. It also evaluates Green House Gas (GHG) reduction.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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



Q10. Consider the following statements with respect to the Aircraft carrier Fujian:

- 1. It is South Korea's first domestically designed and built catapult aircraft carrier
- 2. The Fujian has been fitted with the latest launch technology -the Electromagnetic Aircraft Launch System (EMALS).

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

CSAT Questions

Q11. A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H are eight friends, of which A, B, C and D are male while E, F, G and H are female. The average food consumption for all males is 72 kg, and that for all females is 50 kg. When T, a female, joins the group, the average food consumption for the whole group becomes 67 kg. What is the average food consumption for all females in the group now?

- (a) 63 kg
- (b) 67 kg
- (c) 65 kg
- (d) 61 kg



Q12. The current age of the father is one year more than twice the current age of the son. Five years later, the father's age will exceed the son's age by 28 years. What was the ratio of the ages of the father and the son seven years ago?

- (a) 9:7
- (b) 12:5
- (c) 11:4
- (d) 7:3

Q13. Let P6KG and V6X be four-digit and three-digit numbers, respectively, where each letter represents a different digit greater than 4. If the difference between the numbers is 7711, then what is the value of the sum of G and X?

- (a) 11
- (b) 16
- (c) 15 Simplify your UPSC Journey
- (d) 14

Q14. A man wants to reach a window which is 40 feet above the ground. The distance from the foot of the ladder to the wall is 9 feet. How long should the ladder be?

- (a) 81
- (b) 54
- (c) 41
- (d) 40



Q15. Answer the questions based on the sequence of digits given below.

259467810130004323003487048132490130567801139

How many digits in the above series immediately follow a digit that is a multiple of 4?

- (a) 7
- (b) 8
- (c) 9
- (d) 10

All the best!

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