



# EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

## DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. Which of the following islands are part of South China Sea?

- 1) Paracel
- 2) Spratly
- 3) Sinkoku

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

2. Consider the following statements regarding Boao Forum:

- 1) It is modelled on the World Economic Forum held annually in Davos, Switzerland.
- 2) The Forum is committed to promoting regional economic integration and bringing Asian countries even closer to their development goals.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

3. Consider the following statements regarding International Space station:

- 1) The ISS circles the Earth in roughly 93 minutes, completing 15.5 orbits per day.
- 2) It involves USA, Russia, France, China and UK.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

4. Consider the following statements regarding Council of European Union:

- 1) The primary purpose of the Council is to act as one of two vetoing bodies of the EU's legislative branch, the other being the European Parliament.
- 2) The Council alone holds the budgetary power of the Union.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

5. When is the Earth Day observed?

- a) April 21                                      b) April 22                                      c) April 23                                      d) March 22

6. Which aircraft has recently created history by becoming the first powered controlled aircraft to take flight on Mars?

- a) Curiosity                                      b) Insight                                      c) Opportunity                                      d) Ingenuity

7. Cholistan desert ,in news recently is located in

- a) Punjab, India                                      b) Punjab,Pakistan                                      c) Rajasthan                                      d) Gujarat

8. Startup India Seed Fund scheme is launched by

- a) Ministry of Skill Development
- b) Ministry of Finance
- c) Ministry of Commerce and Industry

d) Ministry of Textiles

9. Consider the following statements regarding INAS 323:

- 1) It is the first unit of the indigenously built ALH Mk III aircraft, commissioned into the Indian Navy.
- 2) It is a multirole helicopter with Shakti engine manufactured by Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL).

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

10. Which of the following Sea does not border Germany on its northern side?

- a) Dead Sea                      b) Mediterranean Sea                      c) Baltic sea                      d) Both (a) and (b)