

EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

- 1. Consider the following statements about the Himachal and the Uttarakhand Himalayas:
 - 1) The Shiwaliks are a distinguishing feature of this region.
 - 2) Dun formation is unique to this region.

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
- 2. Which of the following statements is/are correct?
 - 1) The Lower Vindhyan is mostly fluviatile in origin.
 - 2) The Upper Vindhyan is marine in origin, which is mostly calcareous.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 3. Which of the following best describes the 'Liberty Indicators' in the context of Human Development?
 - a) It is a measure of the extent of democratic participation in social and political decisionmaking.
 - b) It is a measure of the extent of Constitutional protection given to the rights of citizens.
 - c) It is the extent of Constitutional protection of the Independence of the Judiciary and the Rule of Law.
 - d) All of the above

- 4. Who among the following can be called as a self-employed worker?
 - 1) Rickshaw puller who works under a rickshaw owner
 - 2) Construction worker
 - 3) Mechanic shop worker
 - 4) Shoeshine boy

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1, 2 and 4 only
- b) 1 and 3 only
- c) 4 only
- d) 1, 3 and 4 only
- 5. Consider the following statement about NPT and CTBT.
 - 1) India has neither signed NPT not ratified it.
 - 2) India has signed CTBT but has not yet ratified it.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) Neither 1 nor 2
- b) Both 1 and 2
- c) 1 Only
- d) 2 Only
- 6. Marshall plan , 1947 was also formally known as :
 - a) European Reconstruction plan
 - b) European Revival Plan
 - c) European Recovery Programme
 - d) European Restrenthing plan
- 7. How are the commercial sources of energy different from the non-commercial sources of energy?
 - 1) Non-commercial sources are cheaper than commercial sources of energy.
 - Commercial sources are abundant in nature, while non-commercial sources are limited in nature.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 8. Consider the following statements regarding Agricultural Marketing:
 - 1) It is a process that involves the selling of agricultural commodities in the market.
 - Regulated market, provision of physical infrastructure and policy instruments like minimum support price (MSP) are some measures taken by the government to improve it.
 - The regulated market aims at the elimination of unhealthy and unscrupulous practices, reducing market costs and providing benefits to both producers as well as the sellers in the market.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 9. Which of the following statements is/are true about the energy sector in India?
 - 1) India depends on import for crude oil and petroleum.
 - 2) Share of transport sector in energy consumption is continuously falling.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

10.Consider the following Public Sector Units (PSUs):

- 1) Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL)
- 2) Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL)
- 3) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited

Which of the above PSUs has/have been granted the status of Navaratna?

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