



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

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1. "A way of life which recognizes liberty, equality, and fraternity which are not to be treated as separate entities in a trinity", best defines which form of democracy?
 - a) Political democracy
 - b) Direct democracy
 - c) Social democracy
 - d) Economic democracy

2. Which of the following is the main reason for not getting cyclones during the main monsoon months of July and August?
 - a) The temperature of the Bay of Bengal decreases by 15 degrees.
 - b) The presence of the Inter Tropical Convergence Zone causes hindrance.
 - c) Absence of Coriolis force in the Indian Ocean Region.
 - d) High vertical wind shear which is unfavourable for tropical cyclogenesis.

3. In India, the term 'Key Starting Materials (KSMs)' is used in the context of
 - a) Generating nuclear energy.
 - b) Production of pharmaceutical drugs.
 - c) Manufacturing of electronic goods.
 - d) Producing fertilisers from raw materials.

4. Which of the following best defines Deep Brain Stimulation?
 - a) It is a procedure that involves mimicking the functions of human brain using an inorganically developed model.
 - b) It is a surgical procedure in which electrodes are implanted into certain brain areas to treat disorders.
 - c) It is an ancient Indian meditation technique recently promoted by the World Health Organisation.
 - d) It is the ability of a computer or a robot controlled by a computer to do tasks that are usually done by humans because they require human intelligence and discernment.

5. Recently, the Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying has called for a roadmap for conservation of Halari breed of Donkey. Halari Donkey is native to
- Gujarat
 - Jammu and Kashmir
 - Arunachal Pradesh
 - Maharashtra
6. Keeling Curve, often seen in the news, is a graph
- For measuring impact of environmental policies on economic policies.
 - That represents the concentration of carbon dioxide (CO₂) in Earth's atmosphere since 1958.
 - That shows progress of achievements of the nations with respect to their Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs).
 - For comparing ozone depletion with respect to concentration of chlorofluorocarbons in atmosphere.
7. Consider the following statements regarding the PM-WANI framework:
- The framework envisages proliferating broadband through Public Wi-Fi networks.
 - Ministry of Science and Technology is responsible for the innovation of the framework.
- Which of the above statements is/are correct?
- 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
8. Consider the following statements about the Abraham Accords:
- Israel–UAE normalization agreement is officially called the Abraham Accords Peace Agreement.
 - This agreement is mediated by United Nations
- Which of the above statements is/are correct?
- 1 only

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

9. The term “Levant” often heard in the news roughly corresponds to which of the following regions?

- a) Region along the eastern Mediterranean shores
- b) Region along North African shores stretching from Egypt to Morocco
- c) Region along Persian Gulf and horn of Africa
- d) The entire coastal areas of Mediterranean Sea

10. Which one of the following statements best describes the term ‘sweat equity’?

- a) These are the shares of a company sold through Initial Public Offering.
- b) These are bonus shares that companies issue to the existing shareholders without any additional charge.
- c) These are equity shares issued by a company to its directors or employees at a discount or for consideration, other than cash.
- d) These are equities of the labour-intensive industries.