

EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. World Happiness Report is published by:

Select the correct code.

- a) United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network
- b) Amnesty International
- c) World Economic Forum
- d) UNESCO
- 2. Consider the following statements:
 - 1) The Global Ocean Commission grants licences for seabed exploration and mining in international waters.
 - 2) India has received licences for seabed mineral exploration in international waters.
 - 3) 'Rare earth minerals' are present on the seafloor in international waters.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 3. Which of the following is/are major developmental project(s) supported by India in Afghanistan?
 - 1) The construction of the Salma Dam
 - 2) The construction of the Zaranj-Delaram highway
 - 3) The construction of the Afghan Parliament building

Choose the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 4. Recently, the term. "Agriota" is in news. Consider the following statements regarding the same
 - 1) The Dubai Multi Commodities Centre, the UAE's largest free trade zone, launched Agriota.
 - 2) It is an agri-trading and commodity platform to link Indian farmers to food companies in the UAE.

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

- 5. Recently, the term "Unsecured Credit" is in news. Consider the following statements regarding the Unsecured Credit:
 - 1) Credit cards and personal loans, constitute the unsecured loans portfolio for banks.
 - 2) There has been a 'marked increase' in demand for Unsecured Credit among the youth of India as per latest reports.

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
- 6. Recently, State of World Population Report, 2023 " is released. Consider the following statements regarding report.
 - 1) UN Population Fund (UNFPA) prepared the report
 - 2) India's population is pegged to reach 142.86 crore against China's 142.57 crore by mid 2023

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
- 7. Recently, Union Cabinet gives nod for ₹6,003 crore Quantum Mission. In this context consider the following
 - 1) Quantum computers are a work in progress globally
 - 2) They exploit properties of the atom, which are only explainable by the principles of quantum mechanics.

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
- 8. Recently, Union Cabinet gives nod for ₹6,003 crore Quantum Mission. In this context consider the following statements:
 - 1) It promises a reliable class of computers that work several times faster than the speediest machines of today
 - 2) It facilitate exponentially secure communication networks, with wide applications.

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
- 9. Recently, Union Cabinet gives nod for ₹6,003 crore Quantum Mission. In this context consider the following statements:
 - 1) The National Quantum mission was budgeted for ₹8,000 crore in the Union Budget of 2023.
 - 2) The mission will help develop magnetometers with high sensitivity

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
- 10. Recently, Union Cabinet gives nod for ₹6,003 crore Quantum Mission. In this context consider the following statements regarding the plan on quantum computers.
 - 1) To develop "intermediate scale" quantum computers with 20-50 physical 'qubits' in three years.
 - 2) To develop 50-100 physical qubits in five years.
 - 3) To develop 50-1,000 physical qubits in eight years.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

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

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