



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

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1. Hayabusa2 project, recently seen in news is related to
 - a) Developing fuel cell that finds commercial applications
 - b) Asteroid sample-return mission
 - c) an orbiting spacecraft which seeks to become the first to be propelled solely by sunlight
 - d) Astronomical observatory with an extremely large telescope

2. ASEAN Plus Three (APT) includes which of the following countries?
 1. China
 2. India
 3. Japan
 4. AustraliaSelect the correct answer code:
 - a) 1, 2, 3
 - b) 1, 3, 4
 - c) 2, 3, 4
 - d) 1, 3

3. The three-drug Bedaquiline, Pretomanid and Linezolid (BPaL) regimen is used to treat
 - a) Coronavirus disease
 - b) Hepatitis B
 - c) Tuberculosis
 - d) Measles

4. Teaser loan, sometimes seen in news means
 - a) Loans which charge lower rates of interest in the first few years after which the rates are increased.
 - b) Loans provided to weaker sections of the society with interest rate below the repo rate.
 - c) Loans provided to high net worth individuals.
 - d) None of the above

5. The Internet is expanding everyday necessitating the development of new storage. Among the following, what is the correct ascending order of data size or data storage?
 1. Terabyte
 2. Exabyte
 3. Petabyte
 4. ZettabyteSelect the correct answer code:
 - a) 1-2-3-4
 - b) 1-3-4-2
 - c) 1-3-2-4
 - d) 1-2-4-3

6. With respect to “International Association of Insurance Supervisors (IAIS)”, consider the following statements:

1. It is established in 1994 and headquartered in Switzerland.
2. It is a voluntary membership organization of insurance supervisors and regulators from more than 200 jurisdictions.

Which of the above given statements is/are correct?

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

7. Who among following will be the chairman of a high-level inter-ministerial Apex Committee for Implementation of Paris Agreement (AIPA)?

- a) Prime Minister
- b) Minister of State for External Affairs
- c) Secretary for Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
- d) Minister of State for Power and New and Renewable Energy

8. With respect to “AYUSH DAY CARE THERAPY CENTRES”, consider the following statements:

1. The aim of the scheme is to improve the health and wellbeing and reduce health care expenditure.
2. All Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) beneficiaries, serving as well as pensioners will be able to avail the benefit of these centres.

Which of the above given statements is/are correct?

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

9. With respect to “Task force for imparting technical education in Mother Tongue”, consider the following statements:

1. It is set up under the chairmanship of Union Home Minister.
2. Article 350 A of Indian Constitution provides that every state must provide primary education in a mother tongue.

Which of the above given statements is/are correct?

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

10. Researchers from which of the following institute have developed ‘Damaru’ Inspired Lattice that finds applications in stealth submarines and high speed trains?

- a) Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore b) IIT Madras
- c) Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai d) IIT Kanpur