



# EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

## DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. Consider the following statements regarding Somnath temple:

- 1) The temple is built in the Chalukya style of temple architecture or “Kailash Mahameru Prasad” style and reflects the skill of the Sompura Salats, one of Gujarat’s master masons.
- 2) Prime Minister Narendra Modi is appointed as the new chairman of Somnath temple trust.

Choose the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

2. Consider the following statements regarding Indian Meteorological Department (IMD):

- 1) IMD is an agency under Ministry of Environment Forest and climate change.
- 2) It is the principal agency responsible for meteorological observations, weather forecasting and seismology.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

3. Consider the following statements regarding Mil Rail:

- 1) Mil Rail or Military wing of the Railways is an extension of Traffic Directorate of Ministry of Railways.
- 2) Mil Rail is responsible for overall coordination, strategic planning and execution of Railway Logistics Support to the Indian Defence Forces.

Choose the incorrect answer from the codes given below:

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

4. Where is the Space Situational Awareness Control Centre launched in India?

- a) Paradip                      b) Sriharikota                      c) Bengaluru                      d) Chennai

5. Consider the following statements regarding Sindhudesh:

- 1) Sindhudesh is a demand for a separate homeland for Sindhis' proposed by Sindhi nationalist parties for the creation of a Sindhi state.
- 2) Sindhudesh will either be autonomous within Pakistan or independent from it.

Which of the given statements are correct?

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

6. Consider the following statements regarding Bad Bank:

- 1) A bad bank is an asset reconstruction company (ARC) or an asset management company that takes over the bad loans of commercial banks.
- 2) The bad bank is not involved in lending and taking deposits.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

7. WHO's REPLACE action package is related to

- a) Eliminating trans-fat from national food supplies
- b) Eliminating chemical fertilizers in agriculture
- c) Elimination of sugars in food
- d) None of the above

8. Which of the following countries are parts of G7?

1. Russia
2. China
3. Canada
4. UK

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

- a) 1 and 2                      b) 2 and 3                      c) 3 and 4                      d) 1 and 4

9. Consider the following statements regarding Anubhava Mantapa:

- 1) Anubhava Mantapa represents various principles of Basaveshwara.
- 2) The building will adopt the Kalyana Chalukya style of architecture.

Select the correct answer from the codes given below:

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

10. Desert Knight-21 is a bilateral exercise between

- a) India and Russia
- b) India and Thailand
- c) India and Seychelles
- d) India and France