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Ques. : 1 What amount has been allocated for the new Employees' Provident Fund (EPF) scheme in the Union Budget for 2016-17?

- 1) Rs 500 cr
- 2) Rs 1,000 cr
- 3) Rs 1,500 cr
- 4) Rs 2,000 cr
- 5) Rs 2,500 cr

Answer:- 2) Rs 1,000 cr

Ques. : 2 In the Union Budget for 2016-17, the excise duty on tobacco products other than beedis has been raised from 10 per cent to

- 1) 12 per cent
- 2) 14 per cent
- 3) 15 per cent
- 4) 18 per cent
- 5) 20 per cent

Answer:- 3) 15 per cent

Ques. : 3 The budget for 2016-17 proposes 1 per cent service charge on purchase of luxury cars over Rs 10 lakh and in-cash purchase of goods and services over

- 1) Rs 50,000
- 2) Rs 75,000
- 3) Rs 1 lakh
- 4) Rs 1.5 lakh
- 5) Rs 2 lakh

Answer:- 5) Rs 2 lakh

Ques. : 4 An additional exemption of Rs 50,000 has been proposed in the Union Budget for 2016-17 for housing loans up to Rs 35 lakh, provided cost of house is not above

- 1) Rs 40 lakh
- 2) Rs 45 lakh
- 3) Rs 50 lakh
- 4) Rs 60 lakh
- 5) Rs 75 lakh

Answer:- 3) Rs 50 lakh

Ques. : 5 What amount has been allocated for MGNREGA scheme for 2016-17 in the Union Budget for 2016-17?

- 1) Rs 30,500 cr
- 2) Rs 34,500 cr
- 3) Rs 38,500 cr
- 4) Rs 40,500 cr
- 5) Rs 44,500 cr

Answer:- 3) Rs 38,500 cr

Ques. : 6 Hashim Thaci has been elected as the new president of

- 1) Serbia
- 2) Albania
- 3) Kosovo
- 4) Estonia

5) Eretria

Answer:- 3) Kosovo

Ques. : 7 The National Science Day is celebrated in India each year to mark the discovery of the 'Raman Effect' by Chandrasekhara Venkata Raman on

- 1) 24 Feb
- 2) 25 Feb
- 3) 28 Feb
- 4) 29 Feb
- 5) 01 Mar

Answer:- 3) 28 Feb

Ques. : 8 Who among the following has been appointment as the first chairman of the proposed Banks Board Bureau (BBB)?

- 1) Anjuly Chib Duggal
- 2) Roopa Kudwa
- 3) Anil Khandelwal
- 4) HN Sinor
- 5) Vinod Rai

Answer:- 5) Vinod Rai

Ques. : 9 Which of the following states is all set to be declared as India's first digital state by the President Pranab Mukherjee?

- 1) Karnataka
- 2) Tamil Nadu
- 3) Andhra Pradesh
- 4) Telangana
- 5) Kerala

Answer:- 5) Kerala

Ques. : 10 BK Garudachar passed away recently. He was India's oldest

- 1) cricketer
- 2) hockey player
- 3) tennis player
- 4) shuttler
- 5) boxer

Answer:- 1) cricketer

Ques. : 11 A new doppler radar to boost the weather forecasting system in the cyclone-prone eastern coast will be commissioned in Gopalpur, Odisha soon. Such radar is/are already deployed in

- 1) Paradip
- 2) Visakhapatnam
- 3) Machilipatnam
- 4) Kolkata
- 5) All the above

Answer:- 5) All the above

Ques. : 12 President Pranab Mukherjee inaugurated the Muziris Heritage Project in which of the following states recently?

- 1) Kerala
- 2) Karnataka
- 3) West Bengal
- 4) Gujarat

5) Manipur

Answer:- 1) Kerala

Ques. : 13 Rozle Prezelj has been elected the new chairman of the International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF) Athletes' Commission. He is a high-jumper from

- 1) Kenya
- 2) Nigeria
- 3) Estonia
- 4) Slovenia
- 5) Kosovo

Answer:- 4) Slovenia

Ques. : 14 Who among the following won the "Best Actor in a Leading Role" awards at the 2016 Oscars?

- 1) Eddie Redmayne (The Danish Girl)
- 2) Michael Fassbender (Steve Jobs)
- 3) Leonardo DiCaprio (The Revenant)
- 4) Matt Damon (The Martian)
- 5) Bryan Cranston (Trumbo)

Answer:- 3) Leonardo DiCaprio (The Revenant)

Ques. : 15 Which of the following films won the "Best Picture" awards at the 2016 Oscars?

- 1) The Big Short
- 2) Bridge of Spies
- 3) Spotlight
- 4) Mad Max: Fury Road
- 5) The Revenant

Answer:- 3) Spotlight

Ques. : 16 The General Budget 2016-17 has proposed allocation of initial sums of Rs 100 cr each for centenary of Pt Deen Dayal Upadhyay and 350th Birth Anniversary of

- 1) Lal Bahadur Shastri
- 2) Madan Mohan Malviya
- 3) Veer Sawarkar
- 4) Guru Gobind Singh
- 5) Subhash Chandra Bose

Answer:- 4) Guru Gobind Singh

Ques. : 17 Resul Pookutty has become the first Asian to win Golden Reel Award. He belongs to

- 1) Pakistan
- 2) India
- 3) Bangladesh
- 4) Indonesia
- 5) Malaysia

Answer:- 2) India

Ques. : 18 As per the Budget proposals for 2016-17, what per cent Krishi Kalyan Cess will be levied on all services?

- 1) 0.25 per cent
- 2) 0.50 per cent
- 3) 0.75 per cent
- 4) 1 per cent
- 5) 1.25 per cent

Answer:- 2) 0.50 per cent

Ques. : 19 As proposed in the Budget for 2016-17, surcharge on persons, other than companies, firms and cooperative societies having income above Rs 1 cr to be raised from 12% to

- 1) 15 per cent
- 2) 16 per cent
- 3) 17 per cent
- 4) 18 per cent
- 5) 20 per cent

Answer:- 1) 15 per cent

Ques. : 20 As per the Budget proposals for 2016-17, the companies with revenue less than Rs 5 cr will be taxed at \_\_\_\_\_ plus surcharge.

- 1) 21%
- 2) 23%
- 3) 25%
- 4) 27%
- 5) 29%

Answer:- 5) 29%

Ques. : 21 Who among the following won the "Best Actress in a Leading Role" awards at the 2016 Oscars?

- 1) Cate Blanchett (Carol)
- 2) Brie Larson (Room)
- 3) Jennifer Lawrence (Joy)
- 4) Charlotte Rampling (45 Years)
- 5) Saoirse Ronan (Brooklyn)

Answer:- 2) Brie Larson (Room)

Ques. : 22 Which India airport has been named the best airport by size in the Asia Pacific region?

- 1) Bengaluru International Airport
- 2) Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport
- 3) Rajiv Gandhi International Airport
- 4) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel International Airport
- 5) Indira Gandhi International Airport

Answer:- 5) Indira Gandhi International Airport

Ques. : 23 Rahul Sachdev, who won India Open title recently, is associated with

- 1) snooker
- 2) squash
- 3) badminton
- 4) tennis
- 5) table tennis

Answer:- 1) snooker

Ques. : 24 Which of the following leading IT services companies has been recognized as a Global Top Employer by the Top Employers Institute?

- 1) Infosys
- 2) Wipro
- 3) TCS
- 4) HCL
- 5) Tech Mahindra

Answer:- 3) TCS

Ques. : 25 The govt has set up a committee headed by Mahesh Kumar Singla for granting of ST status to six OBC communities in

- 1) Haryana

- 2) Rajasthan
- 3) Gujarat
- 4) Assam
- 5) Jharkhand

Answer:- 4) Assam

Ques. : 26 \_\_\_\_\_ has acquired Jaypee group's cement assets for Rs 16,500 cr.

- 1) ACC
- 2) Ambuja Cements
- 3) Shree Cements
- 4) UltraTech
- 5) India Cements

Answer:- 4) UltraTech

Ques. : 27 What is India's ranking in terms of energy security and access as per the recent list compiled by the World Economic Forum (WEF)?

- 1) 10th
- 2) 52nd
- 3) 90th
- 4) 94th
- 5) 98th

Answer:- 3) 90th

Ques. : 28 The International Monetary Fund (IMF) has projected a robust growth rate of \_\_\_\_\_ for India in the fiscal year 2015-16.

- 1) 7.3 per cent
- 2) 7.4 per cent
- 3) 7.5 per cent
- 4) 7.6 per cent
- 5) 7.8 per cent

Answer:- 1) 7.3 per cent

Ques. : 29 The sales of which of the following cars crossed the 30-lakh mark recently in the domestic market?

- 1) Eon
- 2) Alto
- 3) Santro
- 4) Vagon R
- 5) Swift

Answer:- 2) Alto

Ques. : 30 The bilateral annual "Iron Fist" military training exercise was held recently between the armed forces of the US and

- 1) India
- 2) Saudi Arabia
- 3) Israel
- 4) Japan
- 5) Vietnam

Answer:- 4) Japan

Ques. : 31 Who among the following has taken over as the next chairperson of National Human Rights Commission (NHRC)?

- 1) PJ Kurien
- 2) KG Balakrishnan
- 3) C Joseph

- 4) HL Dattu
- 5) P Sathasivam

Answer:- 4) HL Dattu

Ques. : 32 The World Wildlife Day is observed on

- 1) 03 Mar
- 2) 04 Mar
- 3) 08 Mar
- 4) 09 Mar
- 5) 12 Mar

Answer:- 1) 03 Mar

Ques. : 33 The International Finance Corporation (IFC) recently launched its first Uridashi Masala Bonds to mobilise Rs 30 cr from retail investors of

- 1) Japan
- 2) South Korea
- 3) Singapore
- 4) Philippines
- 5) Thailand

Answer:- 1) Japan

Ques. : 34 \_\_\_\_\_ has become the first state in the country to launch the Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine as a public health programme for school children.

- 1) Kerala
- 2) Sikkim
- 3) Delhi
- 4) Goa
- 5) Tripura

Answer:- 3) Delhi

Ques. : 35 Peru declared emergency in Amazon region affected by oil spill recently. The capital city of Peru is

- 1) Lima
- 2) Tirana
- 3) Bogota
- 4) Santiago
- 5) Bangui

Answer:- 1) Lima

Ques. : 36 The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) revised norms on capital recognition recently, making available an additional \_\_\_\_\_ to Indian banks.

- 1) Rs 10,000 cr
- 2) Rs 20,000 cr
- 3) Rs 40,000 cr
- 4) Rs 60,000 cr
- 5) Rs 80,000 cr

Answer:- 3) Rs 40,000 cr

Ques. : 37 The exercise FORCE 18, the largest multinational Field Training Exercise (FTX), was conducted by the Indian Army recently in

- 1) Dehradun
- 2) Vishakhapatnam
- 3) Pathankot
- 4) Pune

5) Ladakh

Answer:- 4) Pune

Ques. : 38 India signed a \$300-mn loan agreement with World Bank recently for the Higher Education Quality Improvement Project of

- 1) Rajasthan
- 2) Uttar Pradesh
- 3) Bihar
- 4) Madhya Pradesh
- 5) Chhattisgarh

Answer:- 4) Madhya Pradesh

Ques. : 39 Who among the following scientists won the 2016 Brain Prize?

- 1) Richard Morris
- 2) Graham Collingridge
- 3) Timothy Bliss
- 4) All the above
- 5) Only 1) and 3)

Answer:- 4) All the above

Ques. : 40 Which of the following countries has topped the list compiled by the World Economic Forum (WEF) based on energy security and access across the world?

- 1) Denmark
- 2) France
- 3) Sweden
- 4) Norway
- 5) Switzerland

Answer:- 5) Switzerland

Ques. : 41 Aaron Phangiso, who was suspended for illegal bowling action recently, is a bowler of

- 1) South Africa
- 2) Australia
- 3) New Zealand
- 4) West Indies
- 5) Zimbabwe

Answer:- 1) South Africa

Ques. : 42 The US citizen Scott Kelly, who was in news recently, is a(n)

- 1) astronaut
- 2) novelist
- 3) physicist
- 4) actor
- 5) industrialist

Answer:- 1) astronaut

Ques. : 43 Mrugank Paranjape has been appointed as new MD & CEO of

- 1) Bombay Stock Exchange
- 2) National Stock Exchange
- 3) Calcutta Stock Exchange
- 4) Multi-Commodity Exchange
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 4) Multi-Commodity Exchange

Ques. : 44 The finance minister Arun Jaitley has announced in the General Budget for 2016-17 to infuse what amount in public sector banks?

- 1) Rs 10,000 cr
- 2) Rs 15,000 cr
- 3) Rs 20,000 cr
- 4) Rs 25,000 cr
- 5) Rs 30,000 cr

Answer:- 4) Rs 25,000 cr

Ques. : 45 \_\_\_\_\_ has topped 84 Indian billionaires in Forbes 2016 list of the world's richest people.

- 1) Cyrus Poonawalla
- 2) Shiv Nadar
- 3) Azim Premji
- 4) Dilip Shanghvi
- 5) Mukesh Ambani

Answer:- 5) Mukesh Ambani

Ques. : 46 PA Sangma, who died recently, was the former

- 1) Lok Sabha Speaker
- 2) co-founder of the Nationalist Congress Party
- 3) Chief Minister of Meghalaya
- 4) All the above
- 5) Only 1) and 2)

Answer:- 4) All the above

Ques. : 47 Which of the following teams clinched Col CK Nayudu Trophy (U-23) 2015-16 recently?

- 1) Madhya Pradesh
- 2) Mumbai
- 3) Baroda
- 4) Bengal
- 5) Gujarat

Answer:- 2) Mumbai

Ques. : 48 \_\_\_\_\_ has become the 47th recipient of the coveted Dadasaheb Phalke award, the highest recognition in Indian cinema.

- 1) Dharmendra
- 2) Vinod Khanna
- 3) Amitabh Bachchan
- 4) Jeetendra
- 5) Manoj Kumar

Answer:- 5) Manoj Kumar

Ques. : 49 The most expensive train station in the world opened recently in

- 1) Shanghai
- 2) Tokyo
- 3) New York
- 4) London
- 5) Dubai

Answer:- 3) New York

Ques. : 50 PM Narendra Modi launched an ambitious \_\_\_\_\_ Setu Bharatam project to ensure highways without railway crossings by 2019.

- 1) Rs 20,800-cr
- 2) Rs 30,800-cr



- 3) Rs 40,800-cr
- 4) Rs 50,800-cr
- 5) Rs 60,800-cr

Answer:- 4) Rs 50,800-cr

Ques. : 51 President Pranab Mukherjee inaugurated a national conference on “Women Legislators: Building Resurgent India” recently in

- 1) Kolkata
- 2) Chennai
- 3) Mumbai
- 4) New Delhi
- 5) Jaipur

Answer:- 4) New Delhi

Ques. : 52 Which of the following teams won the 2016 Asia Cup T20 Final?

- 1) Pakistan
- 2) Bangladesh
- 3) India
- 4) Sri Lanka
- 5) UAE

Answer:- 3) India

Ques. : 53 India recently moved to the WTO on the issue of imposition of high fees on temporary working visas by

- 1) US
- 2) UK
- 3) China
- 4) Australia
- 5) Canada

Answer:- 1) US

Ques. : 54 The FDI in services sector grew by 85.5% in Apr-Dec period. The services sector in India does not include

- 1) banking
- 2) R&D
- 3) outsourcing
- 4) insurance
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 5) None of these

Ques. : 55 Usha Ananthasubramanian, who has said recently that her bank is not going to spare Vijay Mallya and will get its money back, is the present CEO and MD of

- 1) Central Bank of India
- 2) State Bank of India
- 3) Bank of Baroda
- 4) Punjab National Bank
- 5) Union Bank of India

Answer:- 4) Punjab National Bank

Ques. : 56 The billionaire tycoon Babak Zanjani has been sentenced to death for corruption in which of the following countries?

- 1) Saudi Arabia
- 2) Iran
- 3) China
- 4) Bahrain
- 5) Kuwait

Answer:- 2) Iran

Ques. : 57 The Vice-President Hamid Ansari recently stressed on the need to take steps for putting in place a ‘Grow in India’ programme for

- 1) transforming PSUs into MNCs
- 2) attracting foreign students
- 3) transforming agriculture sector
- 4) artificial organ farming
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 3) transforming agriculture sector

Ques. : 58 China announced it aims recently to keep its economy growing by at least \_\_\_\_\_ over the next five years.

- 1) 5 per cent
- 2) 5.5 per cent
- 3) 6 per cent
- 4) 6.5 per cent
- 5) 7.5 per cent

Answer:- 4) 6.5 per cent

Ques. : 59 Harsh Kumar Bhanwala is present chairman of NABARD which is headquartered in

- 1) Hyderabad
- 2) New Delhi
- 3) Mumbai
- 4) Kolkata
- 5) Bengaluru

Answer:- 3) Mumbai

Ques. : 60 The Indian Railway is set to create a special unit for conducting in-house research which will be named

- 1) SRESTHA
- 2) TEJAS
- 3) AVATARAN
- 4) NAVRACHNA
- 5) SUTRA

Answer:- 1) SRESTHA

Ques. : 61 Every year 8 Mar is celebrated as the

- 1) Father's Day
- 2) Mother's Day
- 3) International Women's Day
- 4) International Nurses Day
- 5) International Day of the Girl Child

Answer:- 3) International Women's Day

Ques. : 62 Jitu Rai, who won a gold medal in the ISSF World Cup recently , is associated with

- 1) football
- 2) snooker
- 3) snow hockey
- 4) shooting
- 5) swimming

Answer:- 4) shooting

Ques. : 63 Indian men's and women's teams won gold medals at World Table Tennis Team Championship played recently in

- 1) Jakarta
- 2) Dubai
- 3) Kuala Lumpur
- 4) Manama
- 5) Manila

Answer:- 3) Kuala Lumpur

Ques. : 64 Myanmar has granted operating licenses to four Asian banks. These banks belong to

- 1) South Korea
- 2) Taiwan
- 3) India
- 4) Vietnam
- 5) All the above

Answer:- 5) All the above

Ques. : 65 The poetess Padma Sachdev has been awarded Krutitava Smagra Samman for 2015. She is a renowned poetess of

- 1) Dogri
- 2) Konkani
- 3) Manipuri
- 4) Bodo
- 5) Maithili

Answer:- 1) Dogri

Ques. : 66 Justice Vishnu Sahai inquiry commission is associated with

- 1) Destruction of the Babri mosque
- 2) Muzaffarnagar riots
- 3) Godhra train burning
- 4) Ishrat Jahan encounter
- 5) Rohith Vemula suicide

Answer:- 2) Muzaffarnagar riots

Ques. : 67 Petroleum Minister Dharmendra Pradhan laid the foundation stone for India's first "Octomax" unit for the production of high-octane gasoline recently at

- 1) Jamnagar
- 2) Mathura
- 3) Barauni
- 4) Haldia
- 5) Panipat

Answer:- 2) Mathura

Ques. : 68 There are 27 public sector banks functioning in the country at present. Which of the following is NOT one of them?

- 1) Vijaya Bank
- 2) IDBI Bank
- 3) IDFC Bank
- 4) Dena Bank
- 5) Indian Bank

Answer:- 3) IDFC Bank

Ques. : 69 The National Special Olympic for special children was organized recently in

- 1) Pune
- 2) Mangalore
- 3) Chandigarh
- 4) Shimla
- 5) Kolkata

Answer:- 4) Shimla

Ques. : 70 Which of the following teams has won the third season of the Pro Kabaddi League?

- 1) U Mumba
- 2) Bengaluru Bulls
- 3) Telugu Titans
- 4) Patna Pirates
- 5) Dabang Delhi

Answer:- 4) Patna Pirates

Ques. : 71 The central govt recently announced to have contracted import of \_\_\_\_\_ of pulses and the shipments are on the way.

- 1) 2,500 tonne
- 2) 4,500 tonne
- 3) 6,500 tonne

- 4) 8,500 tonne
- 5) 10,500 tonne

Answer:- 4) 8,500 tonne

Ques. : 72 The govt has released a new four-colour classification scheme for industries based on their pollution potential. Which is NOT correct in this regard?

- 1) Most polluting – red category
- 2) Not polluting – white category
- 3) Moderately polluting – orange category
- 4) Significantly low polluting – green category
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 5) None of these

Ques. : 73 \_\_\_\_\_ has signed an agreement with the Railways for electrification of the Lalitpur-Udaipura rail section under the public private partnership (PPP).

- 1) Bajaj Power
- 2) Tata Power
- 3) Reliance Power
- 4) Adani Power
- 5) Essar Power

Answer:- 1) Bajaj Power

Ques. : 74 The Election Commission has unveiled 'Tnelections' android app through which it will offer a range of services. The present chief election commissioner is \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) Hari Shankar Brahma
- 2) VS Sampath
- 3) Nasim Zaidi
- 4) Achal Kumar Jyoti
- 5) Om Prakash Rawat

Answer:- 3) Nasim Zaidi

Ques. : 75 As per the Financial Services Secretary Anjuly Chib Duggal, Banks have so far disbursed over \_\_\_\_\_ under PM MUDRA Yojana.

- 1) Rs 1.15 lakh cr
- 2) Rs 0.95 lakh cr
- 3) Rs 0.75 lakh cr
- 4) Rs 0.65 lakh cr
- 5) Rs 0.55 lakh cr

Answer:- 1) Rs 1.15 lakh cr

Ques. : 76 The US and which country started their largest ever military exercise recently?

- 1) India
- 2) Vietnam
- 3) South Korea
- 4) Japan
- 5) Cambodia

Answer:- 3) South Korea

Ques. : 77 Which of the following women tennis players has been provisionally suspended after failing drug test at Australian Open recently?

- 1) Serena Williams
- 2) Caroline Wozniacki
- 3) Venus Williams
- 4) Maria Sharapova

5) Angelique Kerber

Answer:- 4) Maria Sharapova

Ques. : 78 President Francois Hollande recently awarded the Legion d'Honneur, France's highest honour, to Mohammed bin Nayef who is the crown prince of

- 1) Bahrain
- 2) Dubai
- 3) Syria
- 4) Saudi Arabia
- 5) Yemen

Answer:- 4) Saudi Arabia

Ques. : 79 The ISRO is soon to launch IRNSS-1F which is a navigation satellite in the IRNSS space system comprising total

- 1) five satellites
- 2) six satellites
- 3) seven satellites
- 4) eight satellites
- 5) nine satellites

Answer:- 3) seven satellites

Ques. : 80 The total allocation for Agriculture and Farmers' welfare in the Union Budget for 2016-17 is

- 1) Rs 35,984 cr
- 2) Rs 38,500 cr
- 3) Rs 30,000 cr
- 4) Rs 20,000 cr
- 5) Rs 18,000 cr

Ques. : 81 What is the place in the computer system where data and programs are temporarily stored?

- 1) Motherboard
- 2) USB
- 3) Memory
- 4) Pocket
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 3 : Memory

Ques. : 82 A key that will erase information from the computer's memory and characters on the screen is called

- 1) Edit
- 2) Delete
- 3) Tab
- 4) Spacebar
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 2 : Delete

Ques. : 83 The central processing unit contains which of the following as a component?

- 1) Memory regulation unit
- 2) Flow Control Unit
- 3) Arithmetic Logic Unit
- 4) Instruction Manipulation Unit
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 3 : Arithmetic Logic Unit

Ques. : 84 The process of writing computer instructions in a programming language is known as

- 1) assembling

- 2) compiling
- 3) executing
- 4) coding
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 4 : coding

Ques. : 85 An ad hoc query is a

- 1) pre-planned question
- 2) pre-scheduled question
- 3) spur-of-the - moment question
- 4) question that will not return any results
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 3 : spur-of-the - moment question

86. Which of the following is the primary output device for computers?

- 1) Video monitor
- 2) Printer
- 3) Keyboard
- 4) Mouse
- 5) None of these

87. A directory within a directory is called

- 1) Mini Directory
- 2) Junior Directory
- 3) Part Directory
- 4) Sub-Directory
- 5) None of these

88. In windows XP, which shortcut is used to cycle through opened items in taskbar?

- 1) Ctrl + Tab
- 2) Alt + Tab
- 3) Ctrl + Esc
- 4) Alt + Esc
- 5) None of these

89. Stored data in which of the following remains intact even after the computer is turned off?

- 1) RAM
- 2) Motherboard
- 3) Secondary Storage Device
- 4) Primary Storage Device
- 5) None of these

90. SMPT, FTP and DNS are applications of the \_\_\_\_\_ layer.

- 1) Data link
- 2) Network
- 3) Transport
- 4) Application
- 4) None of these

91 Which of the following is not a common feature of software applications?

- 1) Menus
- 2) Windows
- 3) Help

- 4) Search
- 5) None of these

92) In MICR, C stands for

- 1) Code
- 2) Colour
- 3) Computer
- 4) Character
- 5) None of these

93. A \_\_\_\_\_ computer is a large and expensive computer capable of simultaneously processing data for hundreds or thousands of users.

- 1) server
- 2) mainframe
- 3) desktop
- 4) tablet
- 5) None of these

94. The trend in computer systems is towards the use of graphical user interfaces (GUIs). In these operating systems, a track ball is described as \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) a roller ball which moves the cursor.
- 2) a pen-shaped device which allows data to be entered through the CRT screen.
- 3) a figure which resembles a familiar office device.
- 4) an outdated input device.
- 5) None of these

95. The \_\_\_\_\_ folder retains copies of messages that you have started but are not yet ready to send.

- 1) Inbox
- 2) Outbox
- 3) Drafts
- 4) Sent Items
- 5) Address Book

ANSWER

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- 1. 1 2. 4 3. 4 4. 3 5. 4
- 6. 2 7. 4 8. 2 9. 1 10. 3

95 Ques. : Kathleen Cross will make history in Chennai on 16 Mar when she will become the first female umpire to officiate in the ICC World Twenty20. She belongs to

- 1) Australia
- 2) South Africa
- 3) England
- 4) West Indies
- 5) New Zealand

Answer:- 5) New Zealand

96 Ques. : Who among the following was announced as the brand ambassador of Reebok India recently?

- 1) Kangana Ranaut
- 2) Priyanka Chopra
- 3) Bipasha Basu
- 4) Aishwarya Rai

5) Deepika Padukone

Answer:- 1) Kangana Ranaut

97Ques. : The Irani Cup is associated with

- 1) Hockey
- 2) Football
- 3) Tennis
- 4) Cricket
- 5) Badminton

Answer:- 4) Cricket

98 Ques. : Ahmed Abul Gheit has been named as the Arab League's new secretary general. He is a veteran diplomat of

- 1) Jordan
- 2) Iraq
- 3) Egypt
- 4) Algeria
- 5) Lebanon

Answer:- 3) Egypt

99 Ques. : Who among the following has been appointed Chairman of the 21st Law Commission?

- 1) Ravi R Tripathi
- 2) Balbir Singh Chauhan
- 3) HL Dattu
- 4) Kurian Joseph
- 5) Rajendra Mal Lodha

Answer:- 2) Balbir Singh Chauhan

100 Ques. The Project Mausam, promoted by the Union Ministry of Culture, focuses on

- 1) coastal landscapes
- 2) maritime trade routes
- 3) cultural context
- 4) monsoon patterns
- 5) All the above

Answer:- 5) All the above

101 Ques. :The Union Cabinet gave its nod to BIMSTEC Convention on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters recently. Which of the following is NOT a member of BIMSTEC?

- 1) Thailand
- 2) Myanmar
- 3) Sri Lanka
- 4) Bhutan
- 5) China

Answer:- 5) China

102Ques. :Justice Ajit Singh has been sworn-in as the next Chief Justice of

- 1) Gauhati High Court
- 2) Rajasthan High Court
- 3) Bombay High Court
- 4) Madras High Court
- 5) Patna High Court

Answer:- 1) Gauhati High Court



103 Ques. The Parliament has cleared the long-awaited Real State Bill. The real estate contributes \_\_\_\_\_ to the national GDP.

- 1) three per cent
- 2) five per cent
- 3) seven per cent
- 4) nine per cent
- 5) 11 per cent

Answer:- 4) nine per cent

104Ques. : Which automaker recently announced a four-year partnership with the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI)?

- 1) Maruti Suzuki
- 2) Renault
- 3) Nissan
- 4) Hyundai
- 5) Tata Motors

Answer:- 4) Hyundai

105. The most widely used code that represents each character as a unique 8-bit code is

- 1) ASCII
- 2) Unicode
- 3) binary numbering system
- 4) EBCDIC
- 5) ACSII

106. Operating systems and utility programs are in a class of software known as

- 1) application software
- 2) sequential software
- 3) software suites
- 4) BIOS software
- 5) system software

107. OCR stands for \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) Optical Coding Recogniser
- 2) Ostensibly Characterised Reader
- 3) Original Code Reader
- 4) Original Character Reader
- 5) Optical Character Recognition

108 The Open, Print, and Save buttons are all located on the

- 1) Status bar
- 2) Formatting toolbar
- 3) Standard toolbar
- 4) Title bar
- 5) Status and title bars

109 To copy a cell, you would drag the cell border while simultaneously holding down the Ctrl key when

- 1) You have one or more cells to copy.
- 2) Only some of the cells are visible in the window.
- 3) You don't want to refer to absolute references.
- 4) The distance between cells is short and they are both visible in the window.
- 5) None of these

110. The permanently etched program in ROM that automatically begins executing the computer's instructions is the

- 1) BIOS
- 2) ROM
- 3) CMOS
- 4) RAM
- 5) None of these

111. Information stored in RAM is considered volatile, which means it is

- 1) stored there permanently.
- 2) not held permanently, only temporarily.
- 3) stored when the electricity is shut off. 4) stored permanently in the CPU device.
- 5) None of these

112 The display size of a monitor is measured

- 1) zig-zag
- 2) horizontally
- 3) vertically
- 4) from centre to the furthest corner
- 5) diagonally

113 The name of a Microsoft Office Word document is displayed in both the \_\_\_\_\_ and the taskbar.

- 1) Menu bar
- 2) Taskbar
- 3) Formatting toolbar
- 4) Standard toolbar
- 5) Title bar

114 Excel is designed to provide visual cues to the relationships between the cells that provide values to the formulas or the cells that depend on the formulas by \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) Bolding the cell references to match the colour coding of the borders around the referenced worksheet cells.
- 2) Highlighting the cell references.
- 3) Colour coding the cell references in the formula to match the borders around the referenced worksheet cells.
- 4) Bolding the cell references.
- 5) None of these

Answer

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115Ques. Which of the following cities has been declared the world's most expensive city in 2016 as per the 2016 Worldwide Cost of Living survey?

- 1) Zurich
- 2) Singapore
- 3) Tokyo
- 4) Los Angeles
- 5) New York

Answer:- 2) Singapore

116Ques. : India co-hosted the meet on Asia's economic challenges in New Delhi recently named 'Advancing Asia' with which of the following institutions?

- 1) World Bank
- 2) IMF
- 3) ADB

- 4) AIIB  
5) New Development Bank

Answer:- 2) IMF

117Ques. : The Uber Inc recently inaugurated its first engineering centre in Asia in

- 1) New Delhi  
2) Hyderabad  
3) Chennai  
4) Bengaluru  
5) Pune

Answer:- 4) Bengaluru

118Ques. : Who among the following has been appointed as Deputy Chief of Army by the govt?

- 1) Ashok Singh  
2) NPS Hira  
3) Praveen Bakshi  
4) KJ Singh  
5) None of these

Answer:- 2) NPS Hira

119Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ has been conferred with Chevalier de la Légion de Honneur (Knight of the Legion of Honour) by the French authorities.

- 1) Ratan Tata  
2) Mukesh Ambani  
3) Anand Mahindra  
4) Sunil Bharti Mittal  
5) Azim Premji

Answer:- 3) Anand Mahindra

120Ques. : In order to address the climate change issues in the two countries, India and \_\_\_\_\_ have launched the Fulbright-Kalam Climate Fellowship.

- 1) UK  
2) Japan  
3) Germany  
4) France  
5) US

Answer:- 5) US

121Ques. : Which of the following banks in India has launched "iWork@home", a first-of-its-kind programme that allows women employees to work from home for up to a year?

- 1) HDFC Bank  
2) Axis Bank  
3) Yes Bank  
4) ICICI Bank  
5) Kotak Mahindra Bank

Answer:- 4) ICICI Bank

122Ques. : What is the new name of the LED based Domestic Efficient Lighting Programme (DELDP) being implemented at present?

- 1) ROSHNI  
2) CHIRAG  
3) SURYA  
4) JAN JYOTI

5) UJALA

Answer:- 5) UJALA

123Ques. : The market regulator SEBI has given its in-principle nod to which of the following stock exchanges to list itself on a bourse? It is the Asia's oldest stock exchange.

- 1) Magadh Stock Exchange
- 2) Calcutta Stock Exchange
- 3) MCX Stock Exchange
- 4) Bombay Stock Exchange
- 5) National Stock Exchange

Answer:- 4) Bombay Stock Exchange

124Ques. : The winner of the 2016 WGC-Cadillac Championship is

- 1) Adam Scott
- 2) Dustin Johnson
- 3) Patrick Reed
- 4) Gaganjeet Bhullar
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 1) Adam Scott

125Ques. : Who among the following is considered a 'wilful defaulter'?

- 1) Deliberate non-payment of dues despite adequate cash flow and net worth
- 2) Fraudulent transactions by the borrower
- 3) Disposal/removal of securities without bank's knowledge
- 4) Misrepresentation/falsification of records
- 5) All the above

Answer:- 5) All the above

126Ques. : Hanan Al Hroub, who won the Global Teacher Prize recently, belongs to

- 1) Israel
- 2) Malaysia
- 3) Jordan
- 4) Palestine
- 5) Saudi Arabia

Answer:- 4) Palestine

127Ques. : The market regulator Sebi hardened its stance regarding 'wilful defaulters' recently. Which of the following is NOT correct in this regard? The Sebi has barred wilful defaulters from

- 1) raising public funds through stocks and bonds
- 2) taking board positions at listed companies
- 3) setting up market intermediaries such as mutual funds and brokerage firms
- 4) All the above
- 5) Only 1) and 3)

Answer:- 4) All the above

128Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ has won the men's singles title of the All England badminton title 2016.

- 1) Tian Houwei
- 2) Lee Chong Wei
- 3) Chen Long 4) Lin Dan
- 5) Parupalli Kashyap

Answer:- 4) Lin Dan

129Ques. : Which of the following High Courts celebrated 150 years of its existence recently?

- 1) Allahabad High Court

- 2) Patna High Court
- 3) Delhi High Court
- 4) Bombay High Court
- 5) Madras High Court

Answer:- 1) Allahabad High Court

130Ques. : Enda Kenny resigned recently as the Prime Minister of

- 1) Iceland
- 2) Norway
- 3) Sweden
- 4) Denmark
- 5) Ireland

Answer:- 5) Ireland

131Ques. : Which of the following teams won the 70th Santosh Trophy football title recently?

- 1) Maharashtra
- 2) Services
- 3) Railways
- 4) Punjab
- 5) Mizoram

Answer:- 2) Services

132Ques. : The Arab League declared the Lebanese movement Hezbollah a terrorist group recently. The league is headquartered at

- 1) Amman
- 2) Baghdad
- 3) Cairo
- 4) Algiers
- 5) Manama

Answer:- 3) Cairo

133Ques. : The total fund mobilised under Swachh Bharat Kosh (SBK) as on Jan 31, 2016 stood at

- 1) Rs 256.74 cr
- 2) Rs 296.64 cr
- 3) Rs 369.74 cr
- 4) Rs 377.69 cr
- 5) Rs 418.57 cr

Answer:- 3) Rs 369.74 cr

134Ques. : President Recep Tayyip Erdogan has vowed to bring terrorism to its knees after the recently attack in the capital city of

- 1) Greece
- 2) Turkey
- 3) Egypt
- 4) Cambodia
- 5) Chile

Answer:- 2) Turkey

135Ques. : 1 Memory unit is one part of

- 1) Control unit
- 2) Central Processing Unit
- 3) Input Device
- 4) Output Device

5) None of these

Answer:- 2 : Central Processing Unit

136Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ is when the computer is turned on and the operating system is loading.

- 1) Booting
- 2) Flashing
- 3) Tracking
- 4) Taping
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 1 : Booting

137Ques. : Scanners scan \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) pictures
- 2) text
- 3) both pictures and text
- 4) neither pictures nor text
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 3 : both pictures and text

138Ques. : 4 Developing sets of instructions for the computer to follow and to do the task the same way as many times as needed are called \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) listing
- 2) sequencing
- 3) programming
- 4) directing
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 3 : programming

139Ques. : 5 Programs designed specifically to address general-purpose applications and special-purpose applications are called \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) operating system
- 2) system software
- 3) application software
- 4) management information system
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 3 : application software

140Ques. : The International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) is headquartered at \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) Montreal, Canada
- 2) Paris, France
- 3) Berlin, Germany
- 4) Seoul, South Korea
- 5) New York, US

Answer:- 1) Montreal, Canada

141Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ won the women's singles title of the All England Badminton 2016.

- 1) Wang Shixian
- 2) Nozomi Okuhara
- 3) Misaki Matsutomo
- 4) Wang Yihan
- 5) Saina Nehwal

Answer:- 2) Nozomi Okuhara

142Ques. : A sum of Rs 100 cr towards welfare of Brahmins has been allocated in the budget for 2016-17 of the state

- 1) Telangana
- 2) Andhra Pradesh
- 3) Karnataka
- 4) Tamil Nadu
- 5) Uttar Pradesh

Answer:- 1) Telangana

143Ques. : The World Consumer Rights Day is celebrated on

- 1) 05 Mar
- 2) 11 Mar
- 3) 13 Mar
- 4) 15 Mar
- 5) 17 Mar

Answer:- 4) 15 Mar

144Ques. : The central govt has accorded final approval for setting up a Mega Food Park in Khammam District of

- 1) Kerala
- 2) Orissa
- 3) West Bengal
- 4) Maharashtra
- 5) Telangana

Answer:- 5) Telangana

145Ques. : The Reserve Bank of India has mandated that banks should credit interest on savings deposit at \_\_\_\_\_ or shorter intervals.

- 1) yearly
- 2) half-yearly
- 3) quarterly
- 4) bi-monthly
- 5) monthly

Answer:- 3) quarterly

146Ques. : The 4th World Congress of Biosphere Reserves was held recently in

- 1) Manama
- 2) Dhaka
- 3) Manila
- 4) Lima
- 5) Dubai

Answer:- 4) Lima

147Ques. : Lloyd Stowell Shapley, who passed away recently, was a Nobel laureate and a renowned

- 1) physicist
- 2) biologist
- 3) chemist
- 4) economist
- 5) author

Answer:- 4) economist

148Ques. : The nuclear-capable Agni-I ballistic missile was test-fired recently which is capable of hitting a target \_\_\_\_\_ away.

- 1) 350 km
- 2) 700 km

3) 1000 km

4) 1500 km

5) 3500 km

Answer:- 2) 700 km

149Ques. : Htin Kyaw was elected as the first civilian President in which of the following countries recently?

1) Thailand

2) Cambodia

3) Venezuela

4) Myanmar

5) Philippines

Answer:- 4) Myanmar

150Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ Inc became first in the world to formally adopt the United Nations' (UN) agenda for the world's sustainable development and 17 goals identified for its implementation.

1) India

2) US

3) Japan

4) Sri Lanka

5) Bangladesh

Answer:- 1) India

151Ques. : 2 The first of two 600 MW power generation units at the Singareni Thermal Power Plant (STPP) was synchronised recently in

1) Tamil Nadu

2) Karnataka

3) Kerala

4) Jharkhand

5) Telangana

Answer:- 5) Telangana

152Ques. : Anita Brookner, who died recently, was a renowned

1) author

2) musician

3) dancer

4) singer

5) biologist

Answer:- 1) author

153Ques. : An unmanned spacecraft named ExoMars 2016 was successfully launched jointly by Europe and \_\_\_\_\_ to search for biosignatures on Mars in past or present.

1) India

2) Japan

3) Russia

4) US

5) China

Answer:- 3) Russia

154Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ ranks first in milk production in the world, accounting for 18.5 per cent of global production.

1) India

2) Denmark

3) China

4) Sweden



5) US

Answer:- 1) India

155Ques. : Nicolas Maduro, who declared a two-month extension on emergency powers meant to help shore up his country's crippled economy, is the present President of

- 1) Chile
- 2) Greece
- 3) Turkey
- 4) Venezuela
- 5) Cambodia

Answer:- 4) Venezuela

156Ques. : Which of the following is NOT one of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) that are the continuum of the 8 Millennium Development Goals (MDGs)?

- 1) Sustainable Cities and Communities
- 2) Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure
- 3) Good Health and Well Being
- 4) House and employment for all
- 5) Affordable and Clean Energy

Answer:- 4) House and employment for all

157Ques. : Anil Wadhwa has been appointed as India's next ambassador to the

- 1) Spain
- 2) Republic of San Marino
- 3) Republic of Congo
- 4) Central African Republic
- 5) Lebanon

Answer:- 2) Republic of San Marino

158Ques. : The South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) Ministerial meeting was held recently in

- 1) Pokhara
- 2) Islamabad
- 3) Dhaka
- 4) New Delhi
- 5) Colombo

Answer:- 1) Pokhara

159Ques. : According to the Basel III norms banks have to maintain \_\_\_\_\_ Tier I capital.

- 1) 3 per cent
- 2) 5 per cent
- 3) 7 per cent
- 4) 9 per cent
- 5) 10 per cent

Answer:- 3) 7 per cent

160Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ has acquired Videocon's spectrum in six circles for Rs 4,428 cr.

- 1) Bharti Airtel
- 2) Idea
- 3) Reliance Communication
- 4) MTS
- 5) Aircel

Answer:- 1) Bharti Airtel

161Ques. : The World Happiness Day is observed every year on

- 1) 11 Mar
- 2) 14 Mar
- 3) 15 Mar
- 4) 20 Mar
- 5) 21 Mar

Answer:- 4) 20 Mar

162Ques. : Amar Abrol is the new CEO of

- 1) Jet Airways
- 2) Spicejet
- 3) AirAsia India
- 4) Indigo
- 5) Go Airways

Answer:- 3) AirAsia India

163Ques. : India Aviation 2016, the country's biggest civil aviation show, begun recently in

- 1) New Delhi
- 2) Bengaluru
- 3) Chennai
- 4) Hyderabad
- 5) Pune

Answer:- 4) Hyderabad

164Ques. : Which of the following is a Bill cleared by the Lok Sabha during the Budget Session?

- 1) Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Bill, 2013
- 2) National Waterways Bill, 2015
- 3) Bureau of Indian Standards Bill, 2015
- 4) Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Bill, 2016
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 5) None of these

165Ques. : As per RBI regulations governing NFC-based payments, people can pay up to a maximum of \_\_\_\_\_ for a single transaction.

- 1) Rs 1,000
- 2) Rs 2,000
- 3) Rs 5,000
- 4) Rs 10,000
- 5) Rs 25,000

Answer:- 2) Rs 2,000

166Ques. : The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) appointed Michelle Yeoh as its Goodwill Ambassador recently. She is a(n)

- 1) tennis player
- 2) shuttler
- 3) golfer
- 4) actress
- 5) author

Answer:- 4) actress

167Ques. : India has emerged as the second biggest investor in London. The only country ahead of India is

- 1) Singapore
- 2) China
- 3) Japan

4) South Korea

5) US

Answer:- 5) US

168Ques. : What is India's ranking on the World Happiness Index 2016?

1) 76th

2) 83rd

3) 92nd

4) 105th

5) 118th

Answer:- 5) 118th

169Ques. : Fazle Kabir has been appointed Governor of the central bank of

1) Malaysia

2) Indonesia

3) Pakistan

4) Afghanistan

5) Bangladesh

Answer:- 5) Bangladesh

170Ques. : India has signed loan agreement of 35 mn dollars with the World Bank for citizen access to responsive services project of

1) Madhya Pradesh

2) Rajasthan

3) Gujarat

4) Maharashtra

5) West Bengal

Answer:- 1) Madhya Pradesh

171Ques. : The state assembly of which states passed a resolution against construction of SYL canal recently?

1) Haryana

2) Himachal Pradesh

3) Rajasthan

4) Punjab

5) Delhi

Answer:- 4) Punjab

172Ques. : The capital city of Cameroon is

1) Luanda

2) Tirana

3) Yerevan

4) Yaounde

5) Baku

Answer:- 4) Yaounde

173Ques. : The Indian Air Force demonstrated its combat and firepower in its exercise 'Iron Fist' in the presence of President Pranab Mukherjee and PM Narendra Modi recently in

1) Pune

2) Hyderabad

3) Jaipur

4) Pokharan

5) Bengaluru

Answer:- 4) Pokharan

174Ques. : The Supreme Court has allowed publication of photographs of who among the following in govt advertisements recently?

- 1) Chief Ministers
- 2) Governors
- 3) Ministers of the department concerned
- 4) All the above
- 5) Only 1) and 2)

Answer:- 4) All the above

175Ques. : Which of the following Indian banks recently announced to have got 5 mn likes, highest for a bank worldwide, on Facebook?

- 1) PNB
- 2) Yes Bank
- 3) ICICI Bank
- 4) HDFC Bank
- 5) SBI

Answer:- 5) SBI

176Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ has become the first bank to commence the sale of Indian Gold Coin (IGC) in the domestic market.

- 1) Dena Bank
- 2) Bank of Baroda
- 3) Indian Overseas Bank
- 4) Canara Bank
- 5) PNB

Answer:- 3) Indian Overseas Bank

177Ques. : The GATS is the first set of multilateral rules covering international trade in services. The term GATS stand for \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) General Agreement on Transaction in Services
- 2) General Agreement on Transfer in Services
- 3) General Agreement on Tariff in Services
- 4) General Agreement on Trade in Services
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 4) General Agreement on Trade in Services

178Ques. : The govt has slashed the interest rates on PPF from 8.7% to \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) 8.5%
  - 2) 8.3%
  - 3) 8.1%
  - 4) 7.9%
  - 5) 7.8%
- Answer:- 3) 8.1%

179Ques. : The govt will borrow \_\_\_\_\_ , or 59.2 per cent of the total borrowing requirement, in the first half of the next financial year (FY17).

- 1) Rs 3.95 lakh cr
- 2) Rs 3.55 lakh cr
- 3) Rs 3.15 lakh cr
- 4) Rs 3.05 lakh cr
- 5) Rs 2.99 lakh cr

Answer:- 2) Rs 3.55 lakh cr

180Ques. : The World Forestry Day is observed every year on \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) 12 Mar
- 2) 15 Mar

- 3) 20 Mar
- 4) 21 Mar
- 5) 22 Mar

Answer:- 4) 21 Mar

181Ques. : A special goodwill train loaded with High Speed Diesel rolled down from India to which country recently starting a new era of petroleum trade?

- 1) Bhutan
- 2) Nepal
- 3) Bangladesh
- 4) Myanmar
- 5) Pakistan

Answer:- 3) Bangladesh

182Ques. : Vedanta Group's USD 10-bn LCD screen plant, which is billed as the country's first, will start production in 2018 in the state of

- 1) Gujarat
- 2) Tamil Nadu
- 3) Kerala
- 4) Maharashtra
- 5) West Bengal

Answer:- 4) Maharashtra

183Ques. : Anupam Shrivastava will continue as CMD of which of the following PSUs for another four years as decided by the govt recently?

- 1) BSNL
- 2) MTNL
- 3) BHEL
- 4) ONGC
- 5) OIC

Answer:- 1) BSNL

184Ques. : The govt has announced to open its one-time retro tax settlement scheme from

- 1) 1 Apr
- 2) 1 Jun
- 3) 1 Sep
- 4) 1 Oct
- 5) 1 Dec

Answer:- 2) 1 Jun

185Ques. : Yogeshwar Dutt, who bagged a gold medal in Asian Olympic Qualification tournament recently, is associated with

- 1) boxing
- 2) wrestling
- 3) weight lifting
- 4) discuss throw
- 5) bowling

Answer:- 2) wrestling

186Ques. : Who won the Swiss Open Grand Prix Gold badminton tournament in Basel, Switzerland recently?

- 1) Marc Zwiebler
- 2) Srikanth Kidambi
- 3) HS Prannoy
- 4) Parupalli Kashyap

5) Tommy Sugiarto

Answer:- 3) HS Prannoy

187Ques. : The US President Barack Obama embarked on a historic 3-day visit to Cuba recently. The capital city of Cuba is

1) Porto-Novo

2) Sarajevo

3) Havana

4) Sofia

5) Phnom Penh

Answer:- 3) Havana

188Ques. : The govt has prepared BAPU-Preparedness Index, using Aadhaar penetration and Point of Sale machines as indicators, for each state. Here, letter 'B' in the term BAPU stands for

1) Biometrically

2) Bilaterally

3) Biannually

4) Basically

5) Broadly

Answer:- 1) Biometrically

189Ques. : The fisheries sector constitutes 5.08 per cent of agriculture GDP and about what per cent of the GDP of the country?

1) 4 per cent

2) 3 per cent

3) 2.5 per cent

4) 2 per cent

5) 1 per cent

Answer:- 5) 1 per cent

190Ques. : The World Sparrow Day is observed every year on

1) 18 Mar

2) 20 Mar

3) 22 Mar

4) 24 Mar

5) 25 Mar

Answer:- 2) 20 Mar

191Ques. : Who won the women's singles title of the 2016 Swiss Open Grand Prix Gold badminton?

1) Wang Yihan

2) He Bingjiao

3) Mami Naito

4) Shizuka Matsuo

5) Saina Nehwal

Answer:- 2) He Bingjiao

192Ques. : Taskin Ahmed and Arafat Sunny were suspended for bowling with an illegal action by the ICC recently. Both of them belong to

1) Pakistan

- 2) Afghanistan
- 3) UAE
- 4) Bangladesh
- 5) India

Answer:- 4) Bangladesh

193Ques. : The govt has relaxed FDI norms for the insurance sector by permitting overseas companies to buy what percent stake in domestic insurers without prior approval?

- 1) 24 per cent
- 2) 26 per cent
- 3) 40 per cent
- 4) 49 per cent
- 5) 50 per cent

Answer:- 4) 49 per cent

194Ques. : Which of the following railway stations in Indian in A1 category has been ranked as the cleanest railway station as per a survey conducted by the IRCTC?

- 1) Surat
- 2) New Delhi
- 3) CST Mumbai
- 4) Chennai
- 5) Bhopal

Answer:- 1) Surat

195Ques. : PM Narendra Modi conferred 'Krishi Karman Award' on which state for its landmark achievement in showing highest production of food grains in year 2014-15?

- 1) West Bengal
- 2) Rajasthan
- 3) Himachal Pradesh
- 4) Andhra Pradesh
- 5) Karnataka

Answer:- 3) Himachal Pradesh

196Ques. : The Chinese tech firm Huawei has roped in who among the following as its new global brand ambassador?

- 1) Virat Kohli
- 2) Li Na
- 3) Novak Djokovic
- 4) Lionel Messi
- 5) Sebastian Vettel

Answer:- 4) Lionel Messi

197Ques. : The Earth Hour was observed across the globe from 8:30 pm to 9:30 pm on

- 1) 09 Mar
- 2) 11 Mar

3) 15 Mar

4) 17 Mar

5) 19 Mar

Answer:- 5) 19 Mar

198Ques. : The state run BHEL has commissioned a 270 MW unit at Goindwal Sahib coal-fired power project in

1) Haryana

2) Orissa

3) Delhi

4) Jammu & Kashmir

5) Punjab

Answer:- 5) Punjab

199Ques. : Britain's Prince Harry visited which of the following SAARC countries recently on a five-day official trip?

1) Afghanistan

2) Pakistan

3) Sri Lanka

4) Nepal

5) Bangladesh

Answer:- 4) Nepal

200Ques. : In the present FY16, Indian firms have raised over Rs 58,000 cr through issuance of NCDs. The term NCD stands for

1) Non-Cashable Debenture

2) Non-Clubbable Debenture

3) Non-Convertible Debt

4) Non-Convertible Debenture

5) None of these

Answer:- 4) Non-Convertible Debenture

201Ques. : President Pranab Mukherjee extended his greetings and felicitations on 25 Mar to which of the following countries on the eve of their Independence Day?

1) Turkey

2) Greece

3) Spain

4) Malaysia

5) Indonesia

Answer:- 2) Greece

202Ques. : The football legend Johan Cruyff, who died after a battle with cancer recently, was a \_\_\_\_\_ footballer.

1) US

2) German

3) French

4) Dutch

5) Argentinean

Answer:- 4) Dutch



203Ques. : The world's 50 greatest leaders named by the Fortune magazine recently is topped by

- 1) Jeff Bezos
- 2) Sundar Pichai
- 3) Satya Nadella
- 4) Vishal Sikka
- 5) Mark Zuckerberg

Answer:- 1) Jeff Bezos

204Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ is the sole Indian among the world's 50 greatest leaders named by the Fortune magazine recently.

- 1) Narendra Modi
- 2) Mamta Banerjee
- 3) J Jayalalithaa
- 4) Nitish Kumar
- 5) Arvind Kejriwal

Answer:- 5) Arvind Kejriwal

205Ques. : The RuPay card payment service will be venturing into the credit card space in Sep this year. This domestic card payment system is launched by \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) RBI
- 2) SBI
- 3) NABARD
- 4) SIDBI
- 5) NPCI

Answer:- 5) NPCI

206Ques. : The IT services entity of Tech Mahindra has announced the launch of a development centre in Toulouse marking its entry into \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) Germany
- 2) Italy
- 3) France
- 4) South Korea
- 5) Spain

Answer:- 3) France

207Ques. : India's Agasthyamala Biosphere Reserve (ABR) has been included in the World Network of Biosphere Reserves of the UNESCO. The reserve is located in

- 1) Tamil Nadu
- 2) Kerala
- 3) Karnataka
- 4) Both 1) and 2)
- 5) Both 1) and 3)

Answer:- 4) Both 1) and 2)

208Ques. : Anirban Lahiri is associated with the game of

- 1) cricket
- 2) tennis
- 3) golf
- 4) squash
- 5) badminton

Answer:- 3) golf

209Ques. : The World Meteorological Day is observed every year on

- 1) 21 Mar

- 2) 22 Mar
- 3) 23 Mar
- 4) 24 Mar
- 5) 25 Mar

Answer:- 3) 23 Mar

210Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ govt and Japanese International Cooperative Agency (JICA) have signed MoU on 'Capacity Enhancement for Sustainable Agriculture and Irrigation Development'.

- 1) Gujarat
- 2) Rajasthan
- 3) Mizoram
- 4) Sikkim
- 5) Tripura

Answer:- 3) Mizoram

211Ques. : Every year Mar 24 is observed as the \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) World Tuberculosis Day
- 2) Cancer Day
- 3) Malaria Day
- 4) World Kidney Day
- 5) World Health Day

Answer:- 1) World Tuberculosis

212Ques. : Name the chairperson of the NHRC who was recently appointed a member of the International Coordinating Committee of National Human Rights Institutions.

- 1) Kurian Joseph
- 2) Rajendra Mal Lodha
- 3) TS Thakur
- 4) HL Dattu
- 5) P Sathasivam

Answer:- 4) HL Dattu

213Ques. : Nepal recently became a dialogue partner of the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO). Which of the following is NOT a member of SCO as of now?

- 1) Uzbekistan
- 2) Tajikistan
- 3) Kyrgyzstan
- 4) Kazakhstan
- 5) Ukraine

Answer:- 5) Ukraine

214Ques. : Who among the following is the new chairman in the Central Administrative Tribunal?

- 1) Permod Kohli
- 2) Mohit Shah
- 3) Dheerendra Hiralal Waghela
- 4) Ramayyagari Subhash Reddy
- 5) Vivek Kumar Birla

Answer:- 1) Permod Kohli

215Ques. : The govt approved a proposal to accede to the Ashgabat Agreement recently. Ashgabat is the capital and the largest city of \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) Israel
- 2) Sweden
- 3) Norway

- 4) Turkmenistan
- 5) Romania

Answer:- 4) Turkmenistan

216Ques. : India and which country signed an MoU recently for construction of six nuclear reactors at Jaitapur in Maharashtra?

- 1) Germany
- 2) France
- 3) Australia
- 4) Japan
- 5) China

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218Ques. : Which state has launched a scheme 'Adapting Homes for the Differently abled' recently?

- 1) Punjab
- 2) Haryana
- 3) Rajasthan
- 4) Bihar
- 5) Uttar Pradesh

Answer:- 2) Haryana

219Ques. : Who among the following has won the best actor award at the 63rd National Film Awards?

- 1) Ranbir Kapoor
- 2) Salman Khan
- 3) Amitabh Bachchan
- 4) Aamir Khan
- 5) Ranveer Singh

Answer:- 3) Amitabh Bachchan

220Ques. : Who among the following won the Player of the Year (Men) honour at the second Hockey India Annual Awards for 2015?

- 1) Manpreet Singh
- 2) Akashdeep Singh
- 3) Birendra Lakra
- 4) PR Srejesh
- 5) Dipsan Tirkey

Answer:- 4) PR Srejesh

221Ques. : Which of the following films has won the Best Film award at the 63rd National Film Awards?

- 1) Tanu Weds Manu Returns
- 2) Bajirao Mastani
- 3) Piku
- 4) Bajrangi Bhaijaan
- 5) Baahubali

Answer:- 5) Baahubali

222Ques. : Charles Michel is the current Prime Minister of

- 1) Spain
- 2) Belgium
- 3) Sweden
- 4) Norway
- 5) Denmark

Answer:- 2) Belgium

223Ques. : Indian-American Nandita Bakshi has been appointed the President and Chief Executive Officer of Bank of the West which is a unit of French banking giant

- 1) Deutsche Bank
- 2) CITI Bank
- 3) Standard Chartered
- 4) BNP Paribas
- 5) Morgan Stanley

Answer:- 4) BNP Paribas

224Ques. : The Health Ministry launched the country's first, indigenous rotavirus vaccine to combat diarrhoeal deaths. Who among the following is the current Union Health Minister?

- 1) Suresh Prabhu
- 2) Nitin Jairam Gadkari
- 3) Venkaiah Naidu
- 4) JP Nadda
- 5) Harsh Vardhan

Answer:- 4) JP Nadda

225Ques. : The capital city of Syria is

- 1) Tirana
- 2) Luanda
- 3) Damascus
- 4) Yerevan
- 5) Nassau

Answer:- 3) Damascus

226Ques. : The private sector lender Federal Bank is opening incubation centres for startups in Bangalore and Ernakulam. The bank is headquartered at

- 1) Kochi
- 2) Bengaluru
- 3) Chennai
- 4) Hyderabad
- 5) Kolkata

Answer:- 1) Kochi

227Ques. : The president Pranab Mukherjee conferred Padma awards recently. Who among the following is NOT a recipient of Padma Vibhushan this year?

- 1) Ramoji Rao
- 2) Jagmohan
- 3) Shri Shri Ravi Shankar
- 4) Yamini Krishnamurthy
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 5) None of these

228Ques. : Name the India-origin person who has been named by the UN Human Rights Council as an adviser to one of its working groups.

- 1) Surya Deva

- 2) HL Dattu
  - 3) KG Balakrishnan
  - 4) Syed Akbaruddin
  - 5) Asoke Kumar Mukerji
- Answer:- 1) Surya Deva

229Ques. : PM Narendra Modi on 29 Mar left for a three-nation tour to Belgium, United States and

- 1) Iran
- 2) Israel
- 3) Sweden
- 4) Saudi Arabia
- 5) UAE

Answer:- 4) Saudi Arabia

230Ques. : Who among the following won the Player of the Year (Women) honour at the second Hockey India Annual Awards?

- 1) Savita
- 2) Deepika
- 3) Rani
- 4) Ritu Rani
- 5) Preeti Dubey

Answer:- 2) Deepika

231Ques. : Who among the following won the Best Actress award at the 63rd National Film Awards?

- 1) Tamanna Bhatia (Baahubali)
- 2) Priyanka Chopra (Bajirao Mastani)
- 3) Deepika Padukone (Piku)
- 4) Kangana Ranaut (Tanu Weds Manu Returns)
- 5) Anushka Sharma (pk)

Answer:- 4) Kangana Ranaut (Tanu Weds Manu Returns)

232Ques. : India has decided to adopt a national emergency number, similar to '911' in the US and '999' in the UK. The number chosen for the purpose is

- 1) 112
- 2) 108
- 3) 102
- 4) 101
- 5) 100

Answer:- 1) 112

233Ques. : Jiji Mammen is the present CEO of which of the following financial institutions?

- 1) SIDBI
- 2) NABARD
- 3) MUDRA Bank
- 4) IDBI Bank
- 5) NPCI

Answer:- 3) MUDRA Bank

234Ques. : The govt recently permitted what per cent FDI in the market place format of e-commerce retailing with a view to attract more foreign investments?

- 1) 26 per cent
- 2) 49 per cent
- 3) 51 per cent
- 4) 74 per cent

5) 100 per cent

Answer:- 5) 100 per cent

235Ques. : Who among the following won 2016 World Chess Candidates Tournament?

- 1) Magnus Carlsen
- 2) Fabiano Caruana
- 3) Peter Svidler
- 4) Sergey Karjakin
- 5) Viswanathan Anand

Answer:- 4) Sergey Karjakin

236Ques. : The USAID and the ADB recently signed an MoU to provide \_\_\_\_\_ of funding for the development of solar parks across India.

- 1) \$550 mn
- 2) \$624 mn
- 3) \$688 mn
- 4) \$784 mn
- 5) \$848 mn

Answer:- 5) \$848 mn

237Ques. : The Defence Expo India-2016, the country's biggest land, naval and homeland security exhibition, was held recently in

- 1) Hyderabad
- 2) Goa
- 3) New Delhi
- 4) Andaman & Nicobar
- 5) Puducherry

Answer:- 2) Goa

238Ques. : The American poet and novelist Jim Harrison passed away recently. He was best known for his novel

- 1) Legends of the Fall
- 2) The Lord of the Rings
- 3) The Hobbit
- 4) The Hunger Games
- 5) The City of Ashes

Answer:- 1) Legends of the Fall

239Ques. : Which country launched the 22nd satellite in the BeiDou Navigation Satellite System (BDS) series recently being developed as an alternative to the US GPS system?

- 1) Singapore
- 2) Malaysia
- 3) Indonesia
- 4) Japan
- 5) China

Answer:- 5) China

240Ques. : \_\_\_\_\_ has become the first state to implement use of injectable contraceptives as a family planning measure.

- 1) West Bengal
- 2) Uttar Pradesh
- 3) Bihar
- 4) Haryana
- 5) Tamil Nadu

Answer:- 4) Haryana

241Ques. : The Tata Sons will soon be in the pilot's seat of which of the following airlines holding 51 per cent stake after it acquires Telestra Tradeplace's stake?

- 1) AirAsia India
- 2) Vistara
- 3) IndiGo
- 4) Spicejet
- 5) Jet Airways

Answer:- 1) AirAsia India

242Ques. : As per the security solutions firm Symantec, India's ranking among countries with high number of financial Trojan infections at present is

- 1) second
- 2) third
- 3) fourth
- 4) fifth
- 5) sixth

Answer:- 2) third

243Ques. : The British telecom giant Vodafone is to move the International Court of Justice (ICJ) regarding its Rs 14,200-cr tax case with the govt of India. The ICJ is headquartered at

- 1) New York
- 2) Lima
- 3) Hague
- 4) Geneva
- 5) Paris

Answer:- 3) Hague

244Ques. : For the first time in its history, ISRO is set to launch PSLV C34 rocket in May this year which will inject into orbit

- 1) 11 satellites
- 2) 13 satellites
- 3) 15 satellites
- 4) 18 satellites
- 5) 22 satellites

Answer:- 5) 22 satellites

245Ques. : The govt will infuse additional capital of about Rs 5,050 cr in the banks soon. The capital infusion by the govt is made in which of the following type of banks?

- 1) Public Sector Banks
- 2) Cooperative Banks
- 3) Regional Rural Banks
- 4) NABARD and SIDBI
- 5) All the above

Answer:- 1) Public Sector Banks

246Ques. : Under the plan 'Indradhanush' the total amount proposed to be infused in state-owned banks over a period of four years is

- 1) Rs 25,000 cr
- 2) Rs 40,000 cr
- 3) Rs 55,000 cr
- 4) Rs 70,000 cr
- 5) Rs 90,000 cr

Answer:- 4) Rs 70,000 cr

247Ques. : The market regulator SEBI hiked FPI investment limit for govt securities recently. The term FPI stands for

- 1) Forward Portfolio Investor
- 2) Foreign Portfolio Investor
- 3) Foreign Preferential Investor
- 4) Follow-up Portfolio Investor
- 5) None of these

Answer:- 2) Foreign Portfolio Investor

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