

## GENERAL STUDIES MOCK TEST - 4

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1. Economic growth in India measured by GDP at
    - a. Constant market prices
    - b. Current market price
    - c. Factor cost at constant price
    - d. Factor cost at market price
  2. Primary sector consists of which of the following
    1. Fisheries
    2. Food Processing
    3. Mining and Quarrying
    4. Forestry

Code :

    - a. 1 and 4 only
    - b. 3 and 4 only
    - c. 1, 2 and 4 only
    - d. 1, 3 and 4 only
  3. Consider the following statements
    1. Cochin Shipyard is the largest shipyard of India which is built by the help of Japan
    2. Dahej was the first Indian port which was used for chemical transportation
    3. National Highway No. 8 passes through Jaipur

Find out the correct statement :

    - a. 1, 2 and 3
    - b. 1 and 2 only
    - c. 2 and 3 only
    - d. 1 and 3 only
  4. Consider the following statements :
    1. Integrated child development services programme was started in 1995 by the Central Government
    2. All the persons of 60 years or more are eligible in Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme

Choose the correct statements:

    - a. 1 only
    - b. 2 only
    - c. Both 1 and 2
    - d. Neither 1 nor 2
  5. Consider the following statements :
    1. Cooperative banks also work basic work of banking in India
  2. Commercial banks and cooperative banks are constituted by the regulation passed by parliament
  3. The Structure of cooperative banks is three-tier in India, in which central cooperative banks are in top
- Choose the correct statement / statements :
- a. All of the above
  - b. 3 only
  - c. 1 only
  - d. 2 only
6. A country is said to be in a debt trap if:
    - a. It has to abide by the conditionality imposed by the International Monetary Fund
    - b. It has to borrow to make interest payment on outstanding loans
    - c. It has been refused loan or aid by creditors abroad
    - d. The world Bank charges a very high rate of interest on outstanding as well as new loan
  7. Which of the following functions is/are performed exclusively by the RBI ?
    - a. Industrial Refinancing
    - b. Dealing in Foreign Exchanges
    - c. Acting as banker to the government
    - d. Giving loans for agriculture
  8. Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act (FRBMA) concerns
    - a. Fiscal deficit only
    - b. Revenue deficit only
    - c. Both fiscal deficit and revenue deficit
    - d. Neither fiscal deficit nor revenue deficit
  9. Which of the following terms indicates in a mechanism used by commercial banks for providing to the government ?
    - a. Cash credit ratio
    - b. Debt service obligation
    - c. Liquidity adjustment facility
    - d. Statutory liquidity ratio
  10. Consider the following regarding PMYY (Pradhan Mantri Yuva Yojana)
    1. PMYY is a scheme for player

2. It is initiated by Ministry of Youth Affairs

Choose the correct answer :

- 1 only
- 2 only
- Both 1 and 2
- None of the above

11. Consider the following statements regarding the improvement products under National Food Security Mission (NFSM)

1. Rice
2. Wheat
3. Cereals
4. Pulses
5. Fruits
6. Vegetables

Choose the correct answer :

- 1, 2, 3 and 4 only
- 3, 4, 5 and 6 only
- 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 only
- All of the above

12. Inflation during current month is lower as compared to that in the same month last year due to base effect What does it imply ?

- Price level was relatively lower in this month last year
- Price level was relatively higher in this month last year
- Base year for GDP calculation has changed
- None of the following

13. With reference to the Komagata Maru incident , consider the following statements :

Assertion (A) : The Canadians wanted to keep out Indians but no other Asians

Reason (R) : There was a rapid growth of a revolutionary nationalism among the Indians who had settled in Canada and United States Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- A and R both are true , and R is the correct explanation for A
- A and R both are true , and R is the NOT the correct explanation for A
- A is correct , R is incorrect
- A is incorrect and R is correct

14. The proposed China Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) connects

- Kashgar with Karachi
- Lhasa with Karachi
- Kashgar with Gwadar
- Lhasa with Gwadar

15. With reference to the Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana (PMUY) , which of the following statements is correct ?

- It is a scheme for providing free LPG connections to women from BPL households
- This is the second scheme in Independent India under which subsidized connections to BPL households are being provided
- The first such scheme in Independent India was the "Give Back " scheme linked to the "Give It Up" campaign
- Under the scheme five crore LPG connections will be provided by 2022

16. The Eastern and Western Peripheral Expressway recently seen in the news, will ease traffic congestion in

- The Golden Quadrilateral
- Delhi
- Coastal Highways
- Kolkata

17. 'Gatiman Express', recently seen in the news, is/are

- The first bullet train being built with cooperation from Japan
- India's fastest train so far
- Trains which will serve sea ports – to hinterland connectivity
- The first train in the northeast to put Meghalaya on the railway map of India

18. 'Sarhul' is a festival which is celebrated by certain tribes

- In the Jharkhand region and marks the beginning of their New Year
- Belonging to the State of Meghalaya and is a thanks giving for nature's bounty
- In the Nilgiris who worship the Sarhul Devta – the God of power, youth and youthfulness
- Of Madhya Pradesh marking the beginning of ploughing and praying for a good agricultural season

19. Kuchipudi, one of the classical styles of Indian dance, is a dance – drama tradition that originated in which state ?

- Odisha
- Andhra Pradesh
- Kerala
- Karnataka

20. The Rafale fighter deal between India and France is expected to be signed soon. In this context, which of the following statements is / are correct ?

1. The India Air Force's fighter squadron strength requirement will be met if the deal is signed.
2. A key feature of the Rafale is its capability to be equipped with the Beyond – Visual Range meteor air-to-air missile, with a range in excess of 150 kilometers

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

21. Consider the following statements with reference to the author of a book by name "The Kingdom of God is Within You";

1. It is said to have made Gandhiji a firm believer in Ahimsa
2. Both, the author of the book as well as Gandhi, believed non-violence could cure all social maladies and eradicate political ills.

The author of the book is

- a. John Ruskin
- b. Raychandbhai
- c. Gopal Krishna Gokhale
- d. Leo Tolstoy

22. Rustom-2 was recently in news. Which of the following is correct regarding this ?

1. It is a surveillance drone developed by Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO).
2. It has a maximum endurance of 24 hours
3. Rustom 2 is capable of carrying different combinations of payloads like synthetic aperture radar, electronic intelligence systems and situational awareness payloads

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a. 1 and 3 only
- b. Only 3
- c. 1, 2 and 3
- d. 2 and 3 only

23. Consider the following statements with reference to Galvanizing Organic Bio-Agro Resources (GOBAR-Dhan) programme launched recently by the government :

1. It is a waste-to-wealth scheme that aims to monetise cattle dung and solid waste from farms

2. The programme aims to generate enough biogas from cattle dung and farm waste to replace 5% of current LPG usage in the country

Which of the above statements is/are correct ?

- a. Only 1
- b. Only 2
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

24. Consider the following statements with reference to National Urban Housing Fund (NUHF):

1. NUHF is to fund government's Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (Urban)
2. Rs. 80,000 crore has been sanctioned by the government for NUHF
3. The fund will be set up under Building Materials and Technology Promotion Council (BMTPC) of Ministry of housing and Urban Affairs

Which of the above statements is/are correct ?

- a. 1 and 2 only
- b. 2 and 3 only
- c. 1 and 3 Only
- d. Only 1

25. E-way bill is often in news. with reference to this, consider the following statements :

1. It is a system introduced to eliminate transit passes for interstate movement of goods
2. E-way bill is mandatory for movement of goods valued at Rs. 50,000 and above

Which of the above statements is/are incorrect ?

- a. Only 1
- b. Only 2
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

26. A high-altitude research station in Himalaya established by the National Centre for Antarctic and Ocean Research, under the Ministry of Earth Sciences at 13,500 ft (4000m) in a remote region in Sipti in Himachal Pradesh is known as –

- a. HIMADRI
- b. HIMANSH
- c. MAITRI
- d. HIMKARNA

27. Which of the following is true regarding Biotech-KISAN?

- 1) The Biotech-KISAN is a Farmer centric scheme launched by of the Department of Biotechnology, where scientists will work in sync with farmers to understand problems and find solutions.

2) The scheme includes the Mahila Biotech- KISAN fellowships

3) Biotech-KISAN will connect farmers to best global practices

- a. 1 only
- b. 1,2 only
- c. 2 only
- d. 1,2,3 all

28. 'Darknet' refers to

1) A secret internet network which can only be accessed with specific software, configurations and authorization.

2) It is difficult to track using usual communications protocols and ports.

Choose the correct option

- a. only 1 is correct
- b. Both 1,2 are correct
- c. only 2 is correct
- d. None is correct

29. Which of the following is true with respect to P-Notes or Participatory Notes

1) These are Overseas Derivative Instruments that have Indian stocks as their underlying assets.

2) They allow foreign investors to buy stocks listed on Indian exchanges without being registered.

3) The instrument gained popularity as FII, to avoid the formalities of registering and to remain anonymous, started betting on stocks through this route.

- a. 1 Only
- b. 1,2 only
- c. 2 only
- d. 1,2,3 all

30. HABITAT – III refers to

a. Policy on sustainable housing developed by NITI Aayog, this will be followed under "Housing for all" scheme.

b. The New Urban Agenda was officially adopted at the UN Conference on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development

c. Mission launched by NASA and ISRO to jointly search for extra terrestrial habitats.

d. None of the above

31. Which of the following is true regarding Kigali agreement ?

1) amends the 1987 Montreal Protocol to now include gases responsible for global warming.

2) It will be binding on countries from 2019.

3) It also has provisions for penalties for non-compliance.

4) All signatory countries have been divided into three groups with different timelines to go about reductions of HFCs.

- a. 1,2 only

b. 2,3,4 only

c. 1,2,3 only

d. All are true

32. \_\_\_\_\_ is a folk art of Bengal was mainly done on the floor and the walls of the house. The painting was done with hands (fingers are the brush) and the paint is mainly a paste comprising of rice flour.

- a. Kalpana
- b. Alpana
- c. Vivechana
- d. Vandana

33. Which of the following elements of "Rule of Law" of A.V. Dicey is not applicable to Right to Equality of Indian Constitution-

a. Absence of arbitrary power, that is, no man can be punished except for a breach of law.

b. Equality before the law, that is, equal subjection of all citizens (rich or poor, high or low, official or non-official) to the ordinary law of the land administered by the ordinary law courts.

c. The primacy of the rights of the individual, that is, the constitution is the result of the rights of the individual as defined and enforced by the courts of law rather than the constitution being the source of the individual rights.

d. All are applicable

34. Right to know about government activities flows from which fundamental right?

a. Right to life and liberty – Art 21

b. Freedom of speech & Expression – Art 19(a)

c. Right to Equality – Art 14

d. It is not a fundamental right.

35. The State can impose reasonable restrictions on the exercise of right of assembly on which of the following grounds -

1) sovereignty and integrity of India

2) public order including the maintenance of traffic in the area concerned.

3) friendly relation with foreign states

4) decency or morality

a. 1,2 only

b. 1,2,3 only

c. 1,3 only

d. 1,2,3,4 all

36. Which of the following is false under Art 22 of the constitution

a. The detention of a person cannot exceed six months unless an advisory board reports sufficient cause for

extended detention. The board is to consist of judges of a high court.

b. The grounds of detention should be communicated to the detenu. However, the facts considered to be against the public interest need not be disclosed.

c. The detenu should be afforded an opportunity to make a representation against the detention order.

d. All the above are true

**37. According to Article 29, a citizen can be denied admission into any educational institution maintained by the State or receiving aid out of State funds on the grounds only of**

a. religion

b. place of birth

c. race

d. language

**38. \_\_\_\_\_ can empower any other court to issue directions, orders and writs of all kinds for the enforcement of fundamental rights.**

a. Supreme Court

b. President

c. Parliament

d. Prime Minister

**39. Consider the following statements –**

**1) Habeas corpus can be issued against both public authorities as well as private individuals.**

**2) Mandamus can be issued against any public body, a corporation, an inferior court, a tribunal or government for the same purpose.**

**3) Prohibition can be issued only against judicial and quasi-judicial authorities.**

**4) Certiorari is also not available against legislative bodies and private individuals or bodies. It can be issued to administrative bodies effecting rights of individuals.**

a. 1,2 are correct

b. 2,3 are correct

c. 1,2,3 are correct

d. All are correct

**40. Consider the following statements –**

**1. No tax shall be levied or collected except by authority of law.**

**2. No person shall be deprived of his property save by authority of law.**

**3. Trade, commerce and intercourse throughout the territory of India shall be free .**

**4. The elections to the Lok Sabha and the State Legislative Assembly shall be on the basis of adult suffrage**

**Which of the above are fundamental rights?**

a. 1,2 only

b. 2 only

c. 4 only

d. None

**41. Consider the following statements-**

**1) Depreciation and Devaluation of currency are two different things.**

**2) Depreciation is a decrease in the price of the domestic currency in terms of the foreign currency under floating exchange rates. It corresponds to an increase in the exchange rate. Devaluation is the decrease in the price of domestic currency under pegged exchange rates through official action.**

**Choose the correct option –**

a. Both 1 and 2 are correct and 2 is correct explanation of 1

b. Both 1 and 2 are correct but 2 is not the correct explanation of 1

c. Only 1 is correct

d. Both 1 and 2 are wrong.

**42. Consider the following**

**1) Net investment and gross investment are different.**

**2) Unlike gross investment, net investment does not include the replacement for the depletion of capital stock.**

**Choose the correct option –**

a. Both 1 and 2 are correct and 2 is correct explanation of 1

b. Both 1 and 2 are correct but 2 is not the correct explanation of 1

c. Only 1 is correct

d. Both 1 and 2 are wrong.

**43. Which among the following is among the eight pollutants in National Air Quality Index-**

**1) Sulphur di oxide**

**2) Carbon Di Oxide**

**3) Nitrogen Di Oxide**

**4) Ozone**

a. 1,2,3 only

b. 1,3 only

c. 1,3,4 only

d. 1,2,3,4 all

**44. Which of the following is a category under National Ambient Noise monitoring Network program?**

**1) Silence**

**2) Residential**

**3) Commercial**

**4) Industrial**

a. 1,2,3 only

b. 1,3 only

c. 1,3,4 only

d. 1,2,3,4 all

45. Criteria to categorize industrial sectors based on their pollutants has been revisited based on "pollution index" which is function of –

- 1) Emissions (Air pollutants)
  - 2) Effluents (Water pollutants)
  - 3) Hazardous waste Generated
  - 4) Consumption of resources
- a. 1,2,3 only
  - b. 1,3 only
  - c. 1,3,4 only
  - d. 1,2,3,4 all

46. According to National Inventory for Hazardous waste-

- a. Land fillable waste > Incinerable waste > Recyclable waste
- b. Recyclable waste > Land fillable waste > Incinerable waste
- c. Incinerable waste > Landfillable waste > Recyclable waste
- d. Recyclable waste > Incinerable waste > Landfillable waste

47. Extended Producer Responsibility has been enshrined with respect to-

- a. E waste
- b. Medical waste
- c. Oil waste
- d. None of the above

48. Consider the following statements regarding the ecosystem which helps in reducing the level of pollution in the atmosphere:

- 1) Ecosystems and ecological processes play an important role in maintenance of gaseous composition of the atmosphere, breakdown of wastes and removal of pollutants.
- 2) Some ecosystems, especially wetlands have the ability to breaking down and absorb pollutants.
- 3) Natural and artificial wetlands are being used to filter effluents to remove nutrients, heavy metals, suspended solids; reduce the BOD (Biological Oxygen Demand) and destroy harmful micro-organisms.

Which of the following statement(s) is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 3 only
- c. 1 and 2 only
- d. All of the above

49. Which of the following regarding Fly Ash is false?

- a. It is very heavy powder and tends to settle near the source.
- b. It consists of Aluminium Silicate, Silicon di oxide, Calcium Oxide etc.
- c. Fly ash bricks are light in weight and offer high strength and durability.
- d. It enhances water holding capacity of the land.

50. \_\_\_\_\_ is reputed to have invented certain musical instruments like the sitar and tabla. He was a Sufi musician, poet and scholar. He was an iconic figure in the cultural history of the Indian subcontinent. He was a mystic and a spiritual disciple of Nizamuddin Auliya of Delhi.

- a. Mirza Ghalib
- b. Amir Khusrow
- c. Bairam Khan
- d. None of the above