

- 1. Consider the following statements regarding Earthquake body waves
 - 1. Body waves can travel through the interior of the Earth.
 - 2. Body waves are generated due to the energy released at the Epicenter.

Which of the statements given above is/are NOT correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 2. Which of the following pairs is/are correctly matched:

Lake :: Feature

- 1. Vembanad lake in Kerala :: Largest saline water lake in India
- 2. Lonar lake in Maharashtra :: Notified Nation-Geo Heritage monument
- 3. Wular lake in Kashmir :: Formed as a result of tectonic activity

Select the correct answer using the code given below

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 2 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 3. Consider the following statements
 - 1. Mohorovic (Moho) discontinuity forms the boundary between crust and asthenosphere.
 - 2. Oceanic crust is thinner as compared to the continental crust
 - 3. The Asthenosphere is the main source of magma that finds its way to the surface during volcanic eruptions

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1, 2 and 3
- d) 1 and 3 only
- 4. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Igneous Rocks are the most abundant Rocks in the Earth's crust.
- for UPSC/OPSC 2. Sedimentary Rocks are called primary Rocks as all other Rocks are derived from them.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct? Exclus

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 5. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Large volcanic eruptions along the shorelines can cause Tsunami
 - 2. Submarine Landslides can cause Tsunami
 - 3. The fall off extra-terrestrial objects such as Meteorites also can cause Tsunami when then fall on

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 3 only
- b) 3 only
- c) 1, 2 and 3
- d) 1 and 2 only
- 6. Consider the following statements with reference to the different seismic waves:
 - 1. Earth quake are the zone of seismicity where surface waves are the most destructive.
 - 2. P and S waves both forms shadow zones, however, shadow zone of S wave is larger than that of P wave.
 - 3. P-waves move faster and are the first to arrive at the surface.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

- 7. With reference to plates and plate tectonics, Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Lithosphere consists of only upper crust.
 - 2. Pacific plate is the only major plate which is completely oceanic.
 - 3. Theory of Plate tectonics propounded that there was a supercontinent called Pangaea and a super ocean called Panthalasa.

Which of the above statements is/are NOT CORRECT?

- a) 2 and 3 only
- b) 1 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 3 only
- 8. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The lithosphere is broken in fragments called plates and they are moving with respect to each other.
 - 2. The forces responsible for movement of plates are gravitational pull of the moon and earth's rotation.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 9. Consider the following statements with reference to the Block Mountains:
 - 1. Block Mountains are created when large areas are broken and displaced vertically.
 - 2. The uplifted blocks are termed as graben and the lowered blocks are called horsts.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only

- 10. With reference to residual mountain which of the following statements is/are correct?

 1. Residual mountains are formed by general lowering of level of and 2. Residual mountains.
 - 2. Residual mountains can also be formed by the action of weathering.
 - Vindhyas and Rajmahal hills are example of residual mountains.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 2 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 11. Consider the following statements
 - 1. Social exclusion is a measure, which describes the greater probability of certain communities of becoming or remaining poor in the coming years.
 - 2. Per Capita Income does not reflect the disparities between the rich and the poor.

Which of the statements given above is/are NOT correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 12. Consider the following statements
 - 1. Standard of Living is one of the three dimensions used by Multidimensional Poverty Index.
 - 2. The global Multidimensional Poverty Index was developed in 2010 by World Bank.

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
- 13. Consider the following statements
 - 1. Great Gatsby Curve provides correlation between concentration of wealth in one generation and its impact on intergenerational economic mobility.

2. Gross National Income Per Capita is one of the indicators used in calculation of Human Development Index.

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
- 14. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. The share of Agriculture and allied sectors in the GVA (Gross Value Added) of the Country has declined from 2014-15 levels.
 - 2. In 2018, India is the second largest consumer of the finished steel after China.

Which of the statements given above is/are NOT correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 15. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Service Sector accounts for 15% of the total exports.
 - 2. Service Sector accounts for 75% of the GVA of the Country.

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
- 16. Consider the following statements regarding purchasing power parity (PPP).
 - 1. It is a technique used to determine the relative value of different currencies.
 - Coaching for UPSC/OPSC 2. This concept works on the assumption that markets work on the law of one price.

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
- 17. Which among the following is/are relative merits of GDP?
 - 1. It enables central banks and policymakers to evaluate whether the economy is in recession or inflation
 - 2. Disguised Unemployment is the situation, where people are apparently working but all of them are made to work less than their potential.

Which of the statements given above is/are NOT CORRECT?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2

d) Neither 1 nor 2

- 18. Macroeconomics sees an economy as a combination of 4 sectors. Select the correct sector from the code given below:
 - a) Land, labour, capital, entrepreneur
 - b) Households, firms, government, external sector
 - c) Consumer, entrepreneur, firms, government
 - d) Consumer, firms, government, external sector
- 19. Consider the following statements with reference to GDP and GNI
 - 1. In a perfectly closed economy GDP = GNI
 - 2. If the Production is less than the remittances, then GDP will be greater than GNI.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

- 20. Which of the following statements is/are NOT CORRECT regarding 'Green' GDP?
 - 1. It accounts for the total amount of agricultural goods produced in the country.
 - 2. It accounts for the monetized loss of biodiversity and costs caused by climate change.

Select the correct answer from 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 about the LightHouse Projects (LHPs):
 - 1. The LightHouse Project has been launched in India as a part of the United Nations Human Settlement Programme.
 - 2. Under the project, the houses will be constructed in the capital cities of Jharkhand, Uttar Pradesh, Assam and Guiarat.

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
- 22. Which among the following organisations publishes the Digital Payments Index?
 - a) Reserve Bank of India
 - b) National Payment Corporation of India
 - c) NABARD
 - d) Bank Bureau Board
- 23. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. It is a battle fought between the Peshwa forces and the British in 1818.
 - 2. The British army comprised mainly of Dalit soldiers and fought against the upper caste-dominated
 - 3. The victory pillar also known as Ranstambh was erected in the commemoration of this battle.

 The above statements most appropriately explaining which follows: The above statements most appropriately explaining which of the following battles of India's Modern
- Battle of Chausa
 d) Battle of Wandiwash
 Consider the following 24. Consider the following statements about the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO):
 - 1. It is the international organization that brings together the world's securities regulators.
 - 2. Both International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA) and Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) are the members of IOSCO.

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
- 25. Consider the following statements:
 - 1. Satyamev Jayate was adopted as the national motto of India on 26th January 1950.
 - 2. Satyamev Jayate was taken from the Mundka Upnishad.
 - 3. It is inscribed in the Devanagari script at the base of the Lion Capital of Ashoka.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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