

1. Constitution (123rd Amendment) Bill, 2017, providing for setting up of a National Commission for Backward Classes
 1. Requires two-third majority of total strength of the houses
 2. Requires approval of half of the states
 Choose the correct code:
 - (a) 1 only
 - (b) 2 only
 - (c) Both 1 and 2
 - (d) None
2. Petroleum And Explosives Safety Organisation (PESO) head office is located at
 - (a) Delhi
 - (b) Vishakapatnam
 - (c) Nagpur
 - (d) Jaipur
3. Which of them is true regarding Composite Scheme under GST
 - 1) It is an alternative method of levy of tax designed for small taxpayers
 - 2) Eligibility is when firm opt for inter-state outward supplies of goods
 - 3) Ineligible if firm is making any supply of goods through an electronic commerce operator
 - 4) Composite Supplier is required to file only one return and pay taxes on monthly basis
 Choose the correct code:
 - (a) All are correct
 - (b) Only 1, 2 and 3
 - (c) Only 1, 2 and 4
 - (d) Only 1 and 3
4. Choose correct regarding Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture -
 - 1) General Council (GC) at National level is chaired by chairman, National Horticulture Board (NHB), Gurgaon
 - 2) GC will meet at least twice a year. Tenure of non official members of GC will be for three years from the date of nomination.
 - 3) Govt of India contribution will be 100%
 - 4) Will take up Organic farming at isolated patches to prevent cross pollination.
 Which of the above statement are correct?
 - (a) 1, 2 and 4 only
 - (b) 1, 3 and 4 only
 - (c) 1 and 3 only
 - (d) 2 and 3 only
5. Data Protection Framework Committee will be headed by
 - (a) Dinesh Sharma
 - (b) B N Srikrishna
 - (c) K Kasturirangan
 - (d) D B Shaktetkar
6. Choose correct regarding Advertising Standards Council of India (ASCI) -
 - 1) It is an Independent statutory body
 - 2) It has prohibited cosmetic brands from communicating any discrimination based on skin colour through advertising
 Which of the above statement is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
(b) 2 only
(c) Both correct
(d) None correct
7. Which of them is highest-octane vehicle fuel?
(a) Methanol
(b) Ethanol
(c) Gasoline
(d) Petroleum
8. Ustad Sayeeduddin Dagar was related to which style of Hindustani music -
(a) Khayal
(b) Dhrupad
(c) Tarana
(d) Thumri
9. Which of the states is not included under Bringing Green Revolution to Eastern India (BGREI) scheme?
Choose the correct code:
(a) Assam
(b) Uttar Pradesh
(c) Chhattisgarh
(d) Sikkim
10. The External Sector Report is published by which of the following institutes?
(a) IMF
(b) World Bank
(c) WTO
(d) OECD
11. Consider the following statements about 'Nuclear Power' in India:
1. Foreign companies can invest in nuclear power.
2. Nuclear power is the fourth-largest source of electricity in India after thermal, hydroelectric and renewable sources of electricity.
3. India has largest shares of global uranium reserves.
Select the correct answer using the code given below:
(a) 1 and 2 only
(b) 2 only
(c) 2 and 3 only
(d) 1, 2 and 3
12. Consider the following statements about 'Liquid Nitrogen Gas':
1. It has a boiling point of -196 degree Celsius.
2. It is used for the immersion, freezing, and transportation of food products.
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.
13. Consider the following statements:
1. e-Rashtriya Kisan Agri Mandi (e-RaKAM) is portal to provide a platform for farmers to sell agricultural produce.

2. The platform has been developed by the MSTC, a public sector unit under the steel ministry. Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
14. Consider the following statements:
- Vegetation and Environment Monitoring on a New Micro-Satellite is a environmental research satellite launched by France.
 - It is a joint venture between the National Centre for Space Studies (CNES, France) and Israel Space Agency (ISA).
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
15. Which of the following does the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (Amendment) Bill, 2017 seek to amend?
- Shut down of unrecognised schools.
 - Minimum standard qualifications of teachers.
 - Basic minimum school infrastructure.
 - No detention policy.
16. Consider the following statements
- World Breastfeeding Week was first celebrated in 1992 by World Alliance for Breastfeeding Action (WABA).
 - Global Breastfeeding Collective is led by UNICEF and the World Health Organization (WHO).
 - World Breastfeeding Week (WBW) is an annual celebration which is being held every year from 1 to 7 August.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- 1 and 2 only
 - 1 and 3 only
 - 1, 2 and 3
 - None of the above
17. Consider the following statements about 'Innovate in India (i3)':
- It will be implemented by Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) a Public Sector Undertaking of the Department.
 - It is a flagship program of the Government of India in collaboration with International Monetary Fund.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
18. With reference to 'Border Haats', consider the following statements:
- It is one of the methods to track illegal immigration.
 - Currently four Border Haats are operational along India-Bangladesh border.
- 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
19. Consider the following statements about International Telecommunication Union (ITU):
1. It is the UN agency for information and communication technologies (ICTs).
 2. ITU is responsible for allocating global radio spectrum and satellite orbits.
 3. India is not a member of ITU.
- Select the correct answer using the code given below:
- (a) 1 and 2 only
(b) 1 and 3 only
(c) 2 and 3 only
(d) All of the above
20. Who among the following has been elected as new Prime Minister of Pakistan:
- (a) Shahid Khaqan Abbasi.
(b) Imran Khan.
(c) Mamnoon Hussain.
(d) Khursheed Shah.

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0-10	: Average	<input type="text"/>	D

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