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1. Options shown in green color with a tick icon are correct.
2. Chosen option on the right of the question indicates the option selected by the candidate.

Section : General Science

Q.1 Which of the following is formed by a chemical reaction?

- Ans ☒ A. Water
- ☐ B. Air
- ☐ C. Brass
- ☐ D. Soil

Q.2 During photosynthesis, plants take in carbon dioxide and water in the presence of _____.

- Ans ☐ A. glucose and water
- ☐ B. oxygen and light
- ☒ C. sunlight and chlorophyll
- ☐ D. energy and starch

Q.3 A stethoscope helps a doctor hear a patient's heartbeat clearly. Which principle does a stethoscope use for this purpose?

- Ans ☒ A. Multiple reflection of sound
- ☐ B. Interference of sound
- ☐ C. Diffraction of sound
- ☐ D. Refraction of sound

Q.4 In a v–t graph, if the slope keeps changing, it means:

- Ans ☐ A. speed is constant
- ☐ B. acceleration is uniform
- ☒ C. acceleration is non-uniform
- ☐ D. displacement is zero

Q.5 Which of the following gives H⁺ ions in an aqueous solution?

- Ans ☐ A. Sodium hydroxide
- ☒ B. Hydrochloric acid
- ☐ C. Ammonium hydroxide
- ☐ D. Calcium hydroxide

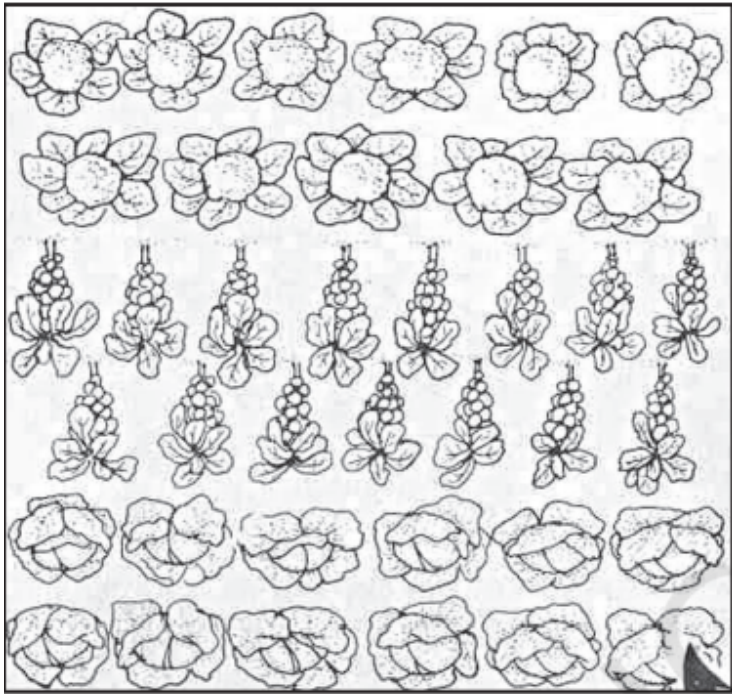
Q.6 Which of the following is NOT correct?

- Ans
- ☒ A. 1 Diopetre = focal length of 1 m.
 - ☒ B. The SI unit of power of lens is Diopetre (D).
 - ☒ C. A 2D lens has focal length 0.5 m.
 - ☒ D. A 5D lens has focal length 20 m.

Q.7 Metallurgy is:

- Ans
- ☒ A. extraction of metals in pure form from their ores
 - ☒ B. heating sulphide ore in excess of air
 - ☒ C. prevention of iron from corrosion
 - ☒ D. removing gangue from ores

Q.8 Identify the cropping pattern in the given picture.



- Ans
- ☒ A. Crop rotation
 - ☒ B. Inter cropping
 - ☒ C. Mixed cropping
 - ☒ D. Terrace farming

Q.9 Based on the concept of electrical resistance, how are conductors, resistors, and insulators primarily differentiated?

- Ans
- ☒ A. By the ease or difficulty with which they allow the flow of electric charge
 - ☒ B. By their length and area of cross-section
 - ☒ C. By their chemical composition (e.g., metal vs. non-metal)
 - ☒ D. By their ability to generate heat upon current flow

Q.10 When magnesium reacts with dilute hydrochloric acid, the products are:

- Ans
- ☒ A. magnesium chloride and oxygen
 - ☒ B. magnesium hydroxide and hydrogen
 - ☒ C. magnesium oxide and water
 - ☒ D. magnesium chloride and hydrogen

Q.11	Power measures:
Ans	✗ A. the height of an object ✗ B. the energy stored in an object ✓ C. how fast or slow work is done ✗ D. the total work done
Q.12	An athlete runs around a circular track with radius r , completing one full round in t seconds. Which of the following correctly represents the athlete's speed v ?
Ans	✗ A. $v=r/2\pi t$ ✗ B. $v=2\pi r\times t$ ✓ C. $v=2\pi r/t$ ✗ D. $v=t/2\pi r$
Q.13	In plants, asexual reproduction involves _____.
Ans	✗ A. fusion of male and female gametes ✗ B. both parent organisms ✓ C. only one parent organism ✗ D. fusion and fertilisation
Q.14	What will happen if the dendrites of neurons do not function?
Ans	✗ A. Neurons will produce more electrical impulses ✗ B. Signals will be transmitted faster ✓ C. Signals from other neurons will not be received ✗ D. Muscles will contract more strongly
Q.15	Which of the following plants reproduces by means of spores?
Ans	✓ A. Moss ✗ B. Rose ✗ C. Egg plant ✗ D. Gram
Q.16	Which of the following conditions DOES NOT support an increase in the rate of evaporation?
Ans	✓ A. An increase in humidity ✗ B. An increase in wind speed ✗ C. An increase of temperature ✗ D. An increase of surface area
Q.17	Why is the female body specifically prepared every month for pregnancy?
Ans	✗ A. To remove waste products ✗ B. To release more sperm ✓ C. To nourish the potential embryo ✗ D. To improve blood circulation
Q.18	Which of the following cause(s) movement in muscular tissue?
Ans	✗ A. Cartilage ✓ B. Contractile proteins ✗ C. Enzymes ✗ D. Ligaments

Q.19	If the distance (d) between the Earth and the Moon decreases gradually, then what will happen to the gravitational force (F) between them?
Ans	☒ A. Increases ☐ B. First increases and then decreases ☐ C. Decreases ☐ D. Remains constant
Q.20	Which of the following conditions is essential for chlorine to react rapidly with an alkane?
Ans	☐ A. Presence of oxygen ☒ B. Sunlight ☐ C. High pressure ☐ D. High temperature
Q.21	What is the name of the long, fibre-like part of a neuron that carries signals away from the cell body?
Ans	☒ A. Axon ☐ B. Dendrite ☐ C. Synapse ☐ D. Nucleus
Q.22	The distance between the pole and the centre of curvature of a concave mirror is – 50 cm. If the magnification produced is (–1) by this mirror, then what will be the object and the image distance, respectively?
Ans	☒ A. - 50 cm and - 50 cm ☐ B. + 50 cm and + 50 cm ☐ C. - 50 cm and + 50 cm ☐ D. + 50 cm and - 50 cm
Q.23	Three resistors of 2 Ω , 3 Ω , and 6 Ω are connected in parallel. The equivalent resistance of the combination is:
Ans	☐ A. 3 Ω ☒ B. 1 Ω ☐ C. 11 Ω ☐ D. 6 Ω
Q.24	What is the difference in molecular mass between two successive members of a homologous series?
Ans	☒ A. 14u ☐ B. 18u ☐ C. 12u ☐ D. 16u
Q.25	What happens to the particles in a suspension when the mixture is left undisturbed?
Ans	☒ A. The particles settle down when left undisturbed. ☐ B. The mixture is stable and does not require stirring. ☐ C. The mixture is clear and transparent. ☐ D. The particles are dissolved in the solvent.

Q.26 An 8-digit number is divisible by 45. If the digits are rearranged, then the number must be divisible by:

- Ans
- ☐ A. 5
 - ☐ B. 15
 - ☐ C. 45
 - ☒ D. 3

Q.27 A shopkeeper calculates his profit per cent on the selling price and his profit is 6.25%. Find his actual profit percentage.

- Ans
- ☐ A. $7\frac{1}{7}\%$
 - ☐ B. 10%
 - ☐ C. 8%
 - ☒ D. $6\frac{2}{3}\%$

Q.28 In an election, 30% of the total votes were declared invalid. Of the remaining valid votes, 60% were cast for the winning candidate. What percentage of the total votes did the losing candidate receive?

- Ans
- ☐ A. 15%
 - ☐ B. 35%
 - ☒ C. 28%
 - ☐ D. 40%

Q.29 If $x = 3 + 2\sqrt{2}$ and $y = 3 - 2\sqrt{2}$, find the value of $x^2 + y^2$ by direct calculation.

- Ans
- ☐ A. 26
 - ☒ B. 34
 - ☐ C. 32
 - ☐ D. 36

Q.30 A water tank can be filled in 12 hours using three pipes. Pipe Z is three times as fast as pipe C, and pipe C is twice as fast as pipe B. How long will it take pipe B alone to fill the tank?

- Ans
- ☒ A. 108 hours
 - ☐ B. 96 hours
 - ☐ C. 50 hours
 - ☐ D. 100 hours

Q.31 A kite is flying at a height of 75 m, and the string makes an angle of 60° with the ground. What is the length of the string?

- Ans
- ☐ A. $\frac{75\sqrt{3}}{2}$ m
 - ☐ B. 150 m
 - ☒ C. $50\sqrt{3}$ m
 - ☐ D. $75\sqrt{3}$ m

Q.32 The father's age will be double his son's age after twenty years from now. If the father's age was seven times the son's age five years ago from now, then find their present ages (in years), respectively.

- Ans
- ☐ A. 38, 9
 - ☐ B. 42, 11
 - ☒ C. 40, 10
 - ☐ D. 46, 13

Q.33	A triangle has sides of length 13 cm, 14 cm and 15 cm. Find the area of the triangle.
Ans	 A. 88 cm2  B. 92 cm2  C. 72 cm2  D. 84 cm2
Q.34	Find the HCF of the numbers 2520, 3600, 5880.
Ans	 A. 100  B. 120  C. 140  D. 180
Q.35	A person travels 60 km by car at a speed of 50 km/hr, then 80 km by bus at a speed of 40 km/hr and finally 100 km by train at a speed of 80 km/hr. What is the average speed (rounded off two decimal places) of the person for the entire trip?
Ans	 A. 53.93 km/hr  B. 59.93 km/hr  C. 48.93 km/hr  D. 61.93 km/hr
Q.36	If the mode of a data exceeds its mean by 10.8, then the mode exceeds the median by _____. (Use empirical formula to find the answer.)
Ans	 A. 7.2  B. 12.9  C. 9.3  D. 15.5
Q.37	The arithmetic mean of the observations 27, 69, 15, 88, 15, 54, 53, 20 and 19 is:
Ans	 A. 50  B. 37  C. 40  D. 31
Q.38	The area of an isosceles triangle is 48 square units. The unequal side (base) has a length of 12 units. Find the perimeter (in units) of the triangle.
Ans	 A. 24  B. 36  C. 28  D. 32
Q.39	The selling price of an iPhone is ₹5,400, after allowing two successive discounts of 10% and 36%. Find the marked price of the iPhone.
Ans	 A. ₹9,403  B. ₹9,294  C. ₹9,511  D. ₹9,375

Q.40	$\frac{1}{30}$ is what percentage of $\frac{1}{80}$ (rounded off to two decimal places)?
Ans	✗ A. 281.67% ✗ B. 276.67% ✗ C. 533.33% ✓ D. 266.67%
Q.41	A cyclist travels 150 km in 5 hours and then another 90 km in 3 hours. What is the average speed of the cyclist for the entire journey?
Ans	✗ A. 45 km/hr ✗ B. 40 km/hr ✗ C. 35 km/hr ✓ D. 30 km/hr
Q.42	In a local election, there were 20,000 voters. Candidate A received 40% of the total votes, and Candidate B received 50% of the total votes. The remaining votes were split equally between two other candidates, C and D. How many votes did Candidate C receive?
Ans	✓ A. 1000 ✗ B. 700 ✗ C. 1200 ✗ D. 600
Q.43	The simplified value of $\sqrt{29 + \sqrt{41 + \sqrt{55 + \sqrt{81}}}}$ is:
Ans	✗ A. 3 ✓ B. 6 ✗ C. 4 ✗ D. 5
Q.44	Two banks, A and B, offered loans at 3.5% and 7.5% per annum, respectively. Ashish borrowed an amount of ₹2,60,000 from each bank. Find the positive difference (in ₹) between the amounts of simple interest paid to the two banks by Ashish after 3 years.
Ans	✓ A. 31,200 ✗ B. 32,700 ✗ C. 32,200 ✗ D. 30,700
Q.45	There is a polygon of 10 sides. How many triangles can be drawn using the vertices of the polygon?
Ans	✓ A. 120 ✗ B. 100 ✗ C. 150 ✗ D. 125
Q.46	A, B and C can do a piece of work in 3, 18 and 9 days, respectively. How long (in days) will they take to do twice the same work, working together?
Ans	✗ A. 5 ✗ B. 12 ✗ C. 8 ✓ D. 4

Q.47 After selling an article at a discount of 27%, the profit percentage obtained is 36%. What is the mark-up percentage (rounded off to two decimal places)?

- Ans ☒ A. 86.30%
- ☐ B. 83.64%
- ☐ C. 84.01%
- ☐ D. 88.29%

Q.48 Arohi buys 3 apples and 5 bananas for ₹85, while Rhea buys 2 apples and 4 bananas for ₹60. What is the total cost (in ₹) of one apple and one banana?

- Ans ☐ A. 30
- ☐ B. 20
- ☐ C. 18
- ☒ D. 25

Q.49 Pushparaj and Himani together invested ₹48,600 in a business. At the end of the year, out of a total profit of ₹6,600, Pushaparaj's share was ₹2,200. What was the investment of Pushparaj?

- Ans ☐ A. ₹17,280
- ☐ B. ₹17,170
- ☒ C. ₹16,200
- ☐ D. ₹15,365

Q.50 If the mean proportional of P and 242 is 88, then find the value of P.

- Ans ☐ A. 34
- ☒ B. 32
- ☐ C. 31
- ☐ D. 35

Section : General Intelligence and Reasoning

Q.51 Refer to the following number series and answer the question that follows (all numbers are single-digit numbers only).

(Left) 5 6 3 8 1 4 7 9 2 5 8 3 7 4 6 1 9 2 8 3 7 4 (Right)

How many unique numbers in the series are prime numbers (each number counted only once, regardless of repetitions)?

- Ans ☒ A. Four
- ☐ B. Five
- ☐ C. Two
- ☐ D. Three

Q.52 Seven people, A, B, C, D, E, F and G, are sitting in a row, facing the north. Only 1 person sits to the left of E. Only 2 people sit between E and F. C sits immediately to the right of D. G sits immediately to the left of A. Only 1 person sits between F and D. How many people sit between A and E?

- Ans ☐ A. 2
- ☐ B. 3
- ☐ C. 1
- ☒ D. 4

Q.53	In a row of 25 people facing north, Ujwala is 5 th from the right end. If Siya sits 3 rd to the left of Ujwala, then what is Siya's position from the left end of the row?
Ans	 A. 20th  B. 19th  C. 17th  D. 18th
Q.54	Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements. Statements: Some batteries are torches. All clocks are torches. Conclusions: (I) Some batteries are clocks. (II) All torches are clocks.
Ans	 A. Both conclusions (I) and (II) follow.  B. Only conclusion (II) follows.  C. Neither conclusion (I) nor (II) follows.  D. Only conclusion (I) follows.
Q.55	Which of the following letter-number clusters will replace the question mark (?) in the given series to make it logically complete? RV23, QU32, PT41, OS50, ?
Ans	 A. NS58  B. NR59  C. NR58  D. NS59
Q.56	O, P, Q, R, W, X and Y are sitting in a straight line facing north. No one sits to the left of P. Only four people sit between P and Q. Only three people sit to the right of Y. X sits to the immediate left of R. W is not an immediate neighbour of Y. Who sits third to the left of W?
Ans	 A. R  B. Y  C. Q  D. O
Q.57	In the following triads, each group of letters is related to the subsequent one following a certain logic. Select from the given options, the one that follows the same logic. MAID - DAMI - AIMD FOUR - ROFU - OUFR
Ans	 A. LOAD - LAOD - DAOL  B. GOLD - OGLD - DOLG  C. WENT - TEWN - NEWT  D. HUNT - TUHN - UNHT
Q.58	In a certain code language, 'wet pig kit' is coded as 'zp ww hz' and 'thing kit head' is coded as 'ww ym ce'. How is 'kit' coded in that language?
Ans	 A. hz  B. zp  C. ww  D. ym

Q.59	In a certain code language, ‘what a surprise’ is coded as ‘kd oc ip’ and ‘what is it’ is coded as ‘kd mp co’. How is ‘what’ coded in that language?
Ans	 A. ip  B. oc  C. kd  D. mp
Q.60	What should come in place of the question mark (?) in the given series? 74 65 55 44 32 ?
Ans	 A. 18  B. 21  C. 19  D. 20
Q.61	Seven boxes, L, M, N, O, Q, R and S, are kept one over the other but not necessarily in the same order. Q is kept second from the bottom. Only three boxes are kept between Q and S. R is kept at one of the positions below Q. Only N is kept between S and L. Only two boxes are kept between L and O. How many boxes are kept between M and S?
Ans	 A. One  B. Three  C. Zero  D. Two
Q.62	In the following triads, each group of letters is related to the subsequent one following a certain logic. Select from the given options, the one that follows the same logic. COLD - DLCO - CLOD HOUR - RUHO - HUOR
Ans	 A. RICE - ICRE - ICER  B. SUIT - SIUT - TIUS  C. GREY - YEGR - GERY  D. BUGS - SGBU - UGBS
Q.63	Based on the English alphabetical order, three of the following four letter-cluster pairs are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which letter-cluster pair DOES NOT belong to that group? (Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter-cluster.)
Ans	 A. GT - EQ  B. XE - VC  C. SW - QU  D. YO - WM
Q.64	What should come in place of the question mark in the given series? 87 75 64 54 45 ?
Ans	 A. 37  B. 33  C. 41  D. 35

Q.65 If '+' means '-', '-' means 'x', 'x' means '÷' and '÷' means '+', then what will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation?

7 - 2 + 45 x 3 ÷ 11 = ?

- Ans ☒ A. 15
- ☒ B. 10
- ☒ C. 4
- ☒ D. 7

Q.66 Read the given statements and conclusions carefully. Assuming that the information given in the statements is true, even if it appears to be at variance with commonly known facts, decide which of the given conclusions logically follow(s) from the statements.

Statements:
Some chairs are tables.
Some tables are helmets.

Conclusions:
(I): Some chairs are helmets.
(II): All helmets are tables.

- Ans ☒ A. Both conclusions (I) and (II) follow
- ☒ B. Only conclusion (I) follows
- ☒ C. Neither conclusion (I) nor (II) follows
- ☒ D. Only conclusion (II) follows

Q.67 In a certain code language,
A ± B means 'A is the wife of B',
A * B means 'A is the sister of B',
A ₹ B means 'A is the father of B',
and A # B means 'A is the brother of B'.

How is D related to O if 'D ₹ R # A * C ± O'?

- Ans ☒ A. Mother's father
- ☒ B. Father
- ☒ C. Wife's father
- ☒ D. Wife's brother

Q.68 Which of the following letter-number clusters will replace the question mark (?) in the given series to make it logically complete?

HLE23, JJH21, LHK19, NFN17, ?

- Ans ☒ A. PEQ18
- ☒ B. PDQ15
- ☒ C. PDP18
- ☒ D. PEP15

Q.69 What will come in the place of '?' in the following equation, if '+' and '-' are interchanged and 'x' and '÷' are interchanged?

163 ÷ 4 - 125 x 5 + 19 = ?

- Ans ☒ A. 662
- ☒ B. 654
- ☒ C. 666
- ☒ D. 658

Q.70 Based on the English alphabetical order, three of the following four letter-clusters are alike in a certain way and thus form a group. Which letter-cluster DOES NOT belong to that group?
(Note: The odd one out is not based on the number of consonants/vowels or their position in the letter-cluster.)

- Ans
- ☒ A. KNM
 - ☒ B. SVU
 - ☒ C. ZDB
 - ☒ D. YBA

Q.71 If ‘A’ stands for ‘÷’, ‘B’ stands for ‘x’, ‘C’ stands for ‘+’ and ‘D’ stands for ‘–’, what will come in place of the question mark (?) in the following equation?

14 B 2 D 18 A 9 C 12 C 18 = ?

- Ans
- ☒ A. 57
 - ☒ B. 58
 - ☒ C. 56
 - ☒ D. 54

Q.72 In the following triads, each group of letters is related to the subsequent one following a certain logic. Select from the given options, the one that follows the same logic.

FOUR - ORUF - RUOF
RIFT - ITFR - TFIR

- Ans
- ☒ A. OPEN - POEN - NPEO
 - ☒ B. HUTS - USTH - STUH
 - ☒ C. QUIT - UQIT - TUIQ
 - ☒ D. GRAM - GARM - MARG

Q.73 A, B, C, D, E and F are sitting around a circular table facing the centre. B sits second to the left of D. E is an immediate neighbour of B. A sits to the immediate left of B. C sits second to the right of D. F sits to the immediate left of C. What is the position of A with respect to C?

- Ans
- ☒ A. Immediate left
 - ☒ B. Immediate right
 - ☒ C. Second to the right
 - ☒ D. Second to the left

Q.74 Select the set in which the numbers are related in the same way as are the numbers of the following sets.

(Note: Operations should be performed on the whole numbers, without breaking down the numbers into their constituent digits. E.g. 13 – Operations on 13 such as adding/subtracting/multiplying to 13 can be performed. Breaking down 13 into 1 and 3 and then performing mathematical operations on 1 and 3 is not allowed.)

(48, 12, 4)
(30, 2, 15)

- Ans
- ☒ A. (64, 8, 6)
 - ☒ B. (70, 8, 9)
 - ☒ C. (26, 13, 2)
 - ☒ D. (38, 14, 3)

Q.75 Ravindra starts from Point Y and drives 18 km towards north. He then takes a right turn, drives 45 km, turns right and drives 42 km. He then takes a right turn and drives 26 km. He takes a right turn, drives 89 km. He then turns left, drives 19 km to stop at Point Z. How far (shortest distance) and towards which direction should he drive in order to reach Point Y again?

All turns are 90° turns only unless specified.)

- Ans**  A. 67 km towards north
-  B. 65 km towards south
-  C. 61 km towards east
-  D. 64 km towards west

Q.76 This question is based on the five, three-digit numbers given below.
(Left) 192 574 563 189 567 (Right)

(Example- 697 – First digit = 6, second digit = 9 and third digit = 7)
(NOTE: All operations to be done from left to right.)

What will be the resultant if the third digit of the highest number is added to the second digit of the lowest number?

- Ans**  A. 12
-  B. 13
-  C. 15
-  D. 11

Q.77 Refer to the following number series and answer the question that follows (all numbers are single-digit numbers only). Counting to be done from left to right.

(Left) 3 7 4 1 5 1 5 7 4 2 3 8 7 4 5 2 5 3 6 2 7 9 8 4 3 6 9 (Right)

How many such odd numbers are there, each of which is immediately preceded by an odd number and also immediately followed by an odd number?

- Ans**  A. 4
-  B. 5
-  C. 3
-  D. 2

Q.78 Which pair of numbers comes in place of the question marks (?) using the given pattern?

2, 6, 3, 24, 4, 60, 5, 120, ?, ?

- Ans**  A. 6, 216
-  B. 6, 36
-  C. 6, 210
-  D. 6, 504

Q.79 Refer to the given series and answer the question that follows. (All numbers are single digit numbers only.) Counting to be done from left to right only.

(Left) 6 9 9 5 8 8 5 4 8 4 2 2 7 6 2 2 7 1 5 9 3 (Right)

How many such even digits are there, each of which is immediately preceded by an even digit and also immediately followed by an odd digit?

- Ans**  A. 3
-  B. 1
-  C. 4
-  D. 2

Q.80 In a city, a school is 18 km towards the north of a park. A hospital is 21 km towards the west of the school. A restaurant is 21 km towards the west of the park. How far and in which direction is the restaurant from the hospital?

- Ans**
- ☐ A. 21 km, south
 - ☐ B. 21 km, north
 - ☐ C. 18 km, north
 - ☒ D. 18 km, south

Section : General Awareness and Current Affairs

Q.81 Which Indian state was involved in a boundary dispute with Assam in 2025?

- Ans**
- ☐ A. Himachal Pradesh
 - ☐ B. Sikkim
 - ☐ C. Bihar
 - ☒ D. Meghalaya

Q.82 In May 2025, who addressed the Global Space Exploration Conference (GLEX 2025) on behalf of India?

- Ans**
- ☒ A. Dr. Jitendra Singh
 - ☐ B. S Somanath
 - ☐ C. Narendra Modi
 - ☐ D. Amit Shah

Q.83 Which of the following was launched by the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy in September 2025, aligning with India’s Net Zero and renewable energy goals?

- Ans**
- ☐ A. National Solar Energy Sustainability Framework
 - ☐ B. National Offshore Wind Energy Mission
 - ☐ C. National Wind Energy Policy
 - ☒ D. National Policy on Geothermal Energy

Q.84 Who among the following authored the 2025 book ‘Original Sin’?

- Ans**
- ☐ A. Ron Suskind and Jonathan Martin
 - ☐ B. Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein
 - ☐ C. Michael Wolff and Maggie Haberman
 - ☒ D. Jake Tapper and Alex Thompson

Q.85 Which state was ranked the best-performing in the Management Effectiveness Evaluation (MEE) 2020–2025 of National Parks and Protected Areas?

- Ans**
- ☒ A. Kerala
 - ☐ B. Himachal Pradesh
 - ☐ C. Tamil Nadu
 - ☐ D. Uttarakhand

Q.86 The women’s Kabaddi World Cup, 2025, was won by:

- Ans**
- ☐ A. Bangladesh
 - ☐ B. Pakistan
 - ☐ C. China
 - ☒ D. India

Q.87	On 23 August 2025, the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) successfully carried out the inaugural flight trials of the Integrated Air Defence Weapon System (IADWS) off the shoreline in _____.
Ans	☒ A. Odisha ☐ B. Andhra Pradesh ☐ C. Tamil Nadu ☐ D. West Bengal
Q.88	Which translator was awarded for translating Anuradha Sharma Pujari's Kanchan (Assamese) into Bodo (awarded in March 2025)?
Ans	☒ A. Uttara Bwiswmuthiary ☐ B. Anjan Sarma ☐ C. Suvash Satpathy ☐ D. Basudeb Das
Q.89	In June 2025, the Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) voted to reduce the policy repo rate by 50 basis points (bps) with immediate effect to:
Ans	☐ A. 6.50% ☐ B. 4.50% ☐ C. 7.50% ☒ D. 5.50%
Q.90	Which summit saw the participation of 16 states, the EU, and NATO in early March 2025?
Ans	☐ A. UN General Assembly ☐ B. Munich Security Conference ☒ C. London Summit on Ukraine ☐ D. Shangri-La Dialogue
Q.91	What was the new Cash Reserve Ratio (CRR) level after the December 2024 cut?
Ans	☒ A. 4.0% ☐ B. 5.0% ☐ C. 3.5% ☐ D. 4.5%
Q.92	In the Union Budget, 2025-26, what is the key focus of the Sports Budget as announced by the Government of India?
Ans	☐ A. Promoting e-sports only ☒ B. Nurturing young talent and infrastructure ☐ C. Building stadiums abroad ☐ D. Funding private sports leagues
Q.93	Which sprinter broke his own national 200 m record with a run of 20.02 seconds in Ostrava?
Ans	☐ A. Reynier Mena ☐ B. Victor Lopez ☐ C. Lamine Yamal ☒ D. Gout Gout

Q.94	Which honour was conferred upon cricketer R Ashwin by President Droupadi Murmu at Rashtrapati Bhavan in April 2025?
Ans	 A. Padma Shri  B. Arjuna Award  C. Padma Vibhushan  D. Padma Bhushan
Q.95	What is the projected space budget of India for the year 2025–26?
Ans	 A. ₹23,416 crore  B. ₹13,416 crore  C. ₹43,416 crore  D. ₹33,416 crore
Q.96	According to the World Bank's Spring 2025 Poverty and Equity Brief, what was India's extreme poverty rate in 2022-2023?
Ans	 A. 1.3%  B. 1.5%  C. 3.2%  D. 2.3%
Q.97	Which jurist was designated as the 53 rd Chief Justice of India on 30 October 2025 and assumed office on 24 November 2025?
Ans	 A. Justice Surya Kant  B. Justice BV Nagarathna  C. Justice Vikram Nath  D. Justice PS Narasimha
Q.98	In June 2025, the Government of India planned to shut down the National Polio Surveillance Network (NPSN) established by which international organisation?
Ans	 A. United Nations Development Programme  B. United Nations Environment Programme  C. World Health Organization  D. World Bank
Q.99	The Government of India launched a new programme named 'NAVYA' to provide vocational training to adolescent girls in non-traditional job roles. In which district was this programme first launched in June 2025?
Ans	 A. Sonbhadra, Uttar Pradesh  B. Jaipur, Rajasthan  C. Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh  D. Raipur, Chhattisgarh
Q.100	In 2025, which two Indian cities were recognised as 'Wetland Cities'?
Ans	 A. Agra and Surat  B. Udaipur and Indore  C. Jabalpur and Dewas  D. Jhansi and Moradabad