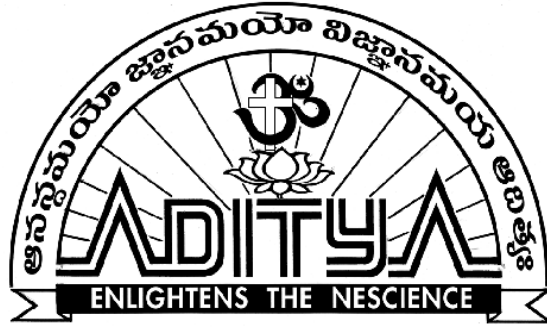


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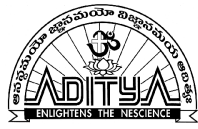
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1. Chief Justice of India, N V Ramana has launched FASTER to communicate interim orders, stay orders, bail orders etc., of the Supreme Court to concerned authorities through a secured electronic communication channel. What does S stand for in FASTER?
(a) Scheme (b) Survey (c) Secured (d) Scheduled (e) Social Ans. c
2. Which state's Sri Veerabhadra Swamy temple and the Monolithic Bull (Nandi) at Lepakshi were placed on the UNESCO World Heritage tentative list?
(a) Tamil Nadu (b) Karnataka (c) Kerala (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Odisha Ans. d
3. Which company has launched 'Startups Founders Hub' in India, a new digital and inclusive platform for startup founders in India?
(a) IBM (b) Microsoft (c) Google (d) Infosys (e) Intel Ans. b
4. The largest electric cruise ship in the world "Yangtze River Three Gorges 1" has returned back after traveling up and down the Yangtze River for its maiden voyage. This cruise ship has been developed and built in _____.
(a) China (b) Japan (c) South Korea (d) Vietnam (e) Malaysia Ans. a
5. India Ratings has projected India's GDP growth at _____ in FY23.
(a) 4.9-5.2% (b) 6.1- 6.4% (c) 7.0-7.2% (d) 8.8-9.0% (e) 9.0-9.5% Ans. c
6. The government has recently authorised a World Bank-backed programme costing USD _____ to aid and improve the functioning of the country's Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs).
(a) \$560 million (b) \$656 million (c) \$700 million (d) \$808 million (e) \$950 million Ans. d
7. Which company has partnered with Pine Labs to launch Tap to Pay for UPI, a functionality that aims to bring the seamless convenience of Tap to Pay to UPI?
(a) PhonePe (b) Google Pay (c) Paytm (d) Amazon Pay (e) BharatPe Ans. b
8. Which bank has acquired Citibank's India consumer business for an amount of USD 1.6 billion (Rs 12,325 crore) in an all-cash deal?
(a) Federal Bank (b) RBL Bank (c) Yes Bank (d) ICICI Bank (e) Axis Bank Ans. e
9. Who has been appointed as the new chairperson of the National Accreditation Board for Hospitals and Healthcare Providers (NABH)?
(a) Mahesh Verma (b) Navin Agarwal (c) V K Yadav (d) Suneet Sharma (e) Praful Patel Ans. a
10. The maiden edition of the Indian Ocean Naval Symposium (IONS) Maritime Exercise 2022 (IMEX-22) was held at Mormugao port, Goa, for Harbour Phase and Sea Phase in the Arabian Sea. The Indian Ocean Naval Symposium (IONS) was established in _____.
(a) 2001 (b) 2004 (c) 2007 (d) 2009 (e) 2011 Ans. c
11. With which country India has conducted the 20th edition of Naval Exercise "VARUNA" in the Arabian Sea?
(a) Russia (b) France (c) Israel (d) USA (e) Iraq Ans. b
12. Which institute has set up a Retail Tech Consortium, with Flipkart as a principal partner, and plans to collaborate with several retail and technology firms in India?
(a) IIFT-New Delhi (b) IIT-Madras (c) IISc -Bangalore
(d) IIM-Ahmedabad (e) IIT-Bombay Ans. d
13. Utkal Divas or Odisha Day is celebrated on _____.
(a) 1 April (b) 2 April (c) 3 April (d) 4 April (e) 5 April Ans. a
14. Miguel Van Damme passed away recently. He was associated with which sport?
(a) Cricket (b) Football (c) Hockey (d) Badminton (e) Wrestling Ans. b

15. Which state has recently launched the portal of 'Mukhya Mantri Bagwani Bima Yojana' with an initial corpus of Rs 10 crore for the scheme?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) West Bengal (c) Gujarat
 (d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Haryana Ans. e
16. The 1st of its kind, Mumbai International Cruise Terminal is expected to be commissioned by July 2024. What is the total cost of the project?
 (a) Rs 100 crores (b) Rs 180 crores (c) Rs 200 crores (d) Rs 320 crores (e) Rs 495 crores Ans. e
17. Which state government has signed an MoU with Samsung Data System India Pvt Ltd and Abhitech IT Solutions Pvt Ltd for setting up a world-class "Sports Digital Experience Centre"?
 (a) Jammu & Kashmir (b) Arunachal Pradesh (c) Nagaland
 (d) Manipur (e) Sikkim Ans. d
18. With which country, India has recently signed an Economic Cooperation and Trade Agreement to enhance bilateral trade?
 (a) New Zealand (b) Australia (c) England (d) West Indies (e) South Africa Ans. b
19. India will provide USD 1 million to BIMSTEC to increase operational budget. Which country took over as chair nation of BIMSTEC?
 (a) Bhutan (b) Myanmar (c) Thailand (d) Nepal (e) India Ans. c
20. Which organization and HSBC India have agreed to set up a USD 100 million partial guarantee program to help over 400,000 micro-borrowers and largely women-owned microenterprises across India?
 (a) World bank (b) European Investment Bank
 (c) Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank
 (d) Asian Development Bank (e) New Development Bank Ans. d
21. Which of the following has released a report titled 'State of the World Population 2022: Seeing the Unseen: The case for action in the neglected crisis of unintended pregnancy'?
 (a) United Nations Development Programme (b) United Nations Environment Programme
 (c) United Nations Children's Fund (d) United Nations Human Rights Council
 (e) United Nations Population Fund Ans. e
22. Union Cabinet has approved a hike in Dearness Allowance (DA) to Central Government employees and Dearness Relief (DR) to pensioners by 3% to _____.
 (a) 31% (b) 32% (c) 33% (d) 34% (e) 35% Ans. d
23. The Ministry of Finance has decided to keep the interest rates unchanged on small savings schemes or post office schemes for the Quarter-1 of FY2022-23 (April-June 2022). What is the interest rate on Kisan Vikas Patra?
 (a) 6.6% (b) 6.9% (c) 7.0% (d) 7.1% (e) 7.6% Ans. b
24. Unified Payments Interface (UPI) has crossed the 500 crore mark in terms of volume in March 2022. When was UPI introduced?
 (a) 2014 (b) 2015 (c) 2016 (d) 2017 (e) 2018 Ans. c
25. Reserve Bank of India has decided to extend the deadline for banks to use lockable cassettes in their ATMs that can be swapped during cash replenishment by a year, till _____.
 (a) May 2, 2022 (b) July 31, 2022 (c) March 31, 2023
 (d) December 1, 2023 (e) January 5, 2024 Ans. c
26. Which of the following has sanctioned a loan of over 267 crore rupees to start-up company BluSmart Mobility for the purchase of three thousand electric cars?
 (a) Power Finance Corporation (b) Solar Energy Corporation of India (c) NHPC Limited
 (d) NTPC Limited (e) Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Ans. e
27. Who has been appointed as the Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Mahindra Manulife Investment Management Private Limited?
 (a) Pralay Mondal (b) Anthony Heredia (c) Rajnish Kumar
 (d) Vinod G Khandare (e) Shashi Sinha Ans. b

28. Who among the following has been appointed to High Level Expert Group on Net-Zero Emissions Commitments of Non-State Entities?
 (a) Arunabha Ghosh (b) Raj Subramaniam (c) CS Rajan
 (d) Renu Singh (e) Vishwas Patel Ans. a
29. Who has taken over as the Director-General of the Geological Survey of India (GSI)?
 (a) Prashant Jhaveri (b) Rajesh Gopinathan (c) Suchitra K Ella
 (d) Ramesh Murthy (e) S Raju Ans. e
30. Name the person who has been selected vice-chairperson of ITU Council Standing Committee on Administration and Management.
 (a) Shankar Prasad Sharma (b) A Manimekhalai (c) Alok Kumar Choudhary
 (d) Aprajita Sharrma (e) Jay Shah Ans. d
31. Which company has signed an MoU with Tawazun Economic Council (TEC), United Arab Emirates (UAE) to explore new business opportunities in various areas of mutual interest in the field of defence?
 (a) Bharat Earth Movers Limited (BEML) (b) Defence Research and Development Laboratory (DRDL)
 (c) Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) (d) Bharat Dynamics Ltd (BDL)
 (e) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) Ans. d
32. Who is the author of the new book "Crunch Time: Narendra Modi's National Security Crises"?
 (a) Gita Piramal (b) Sreeram Chaulia (c) R Kaushik
 (d) Richa Mishra (e) Tehemton Erach Udwadia Ans. b
33. On which date, International Children's Book Day is observed every year?
 (a) 30 March (b) 31 March (c) 1 April (d) 2 April (e) 3 April Ans. d
34. World Autism Awareness Day is observed on _____ every year.
 (a) 1 April (b) 2 April (c) 3 April (d) 4 April (e) 5 April Ans. b
35. Which state/UT government has launched a scheme to set up 'Hobby Hubs' in government schools to promote extra-curricular activities?
 (a) Chandigarh (b) Ladakh (c) Jammu and Kashmir
 (d) Puducherry (e) Delhi Ans. e
36. Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) has signed Japanese ODA (Official development assistance) Loan Agreements with the Government of India in Delhi, to provide Japanese ODA loans of up to a total of 312.258 billion Yen for 7 projects. Where is the headquarters of JICA?
 (a) Nagoya (b) Tokyo (c) Osaka (d) Kyoto (e) Hiroshima Ans. b
37. What was the Revenue collected from Goods and Services Tax (GST) in March 2022?
 (a) Rs.1.23 lakh crore (b) Rs.1.16 lakh crore (c) Rs.1.03 lakh crore
 (d) Rs.1.33 lakh crore (e) Rs.1.42 lakh crore Ans. e
38. The Reserve bank of India has fixed the limit for Ways and Means Advances (WMA) for states and Union Territories at _____.
 (a) Rs. 25,000 crores (b) Rs. 47,010 crores (c) Rs. 50,000 crores
 (d) Rs. 75,000 crores (e) Rs. 1 lakh crores Ans. b
39. Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) has estimated India's GDP to grow at _____ in the financial year 2022-23 (FY23).
 (a) 7.4% (b) 8.3% (c) 9.5% (d) 10.7% (e) 12.5% Ans. a
40. Who among the following has been appointed as the brand ambassador of PharmEasy?
 (a) Yuvraj Singh (b) Aamir Khan (c) Virat Kohli (d) Sonu Sood (e) Amitabh Bachchan Ans. b
41. Who has been appointed as the new Managing Director of the Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC)?
 (a) KN Raghavan (b) Nitin Paranjpe (c) CS Rajan (d) KS Mani (e) Vikas Kumar Ans. e

42. Which bank has been adjudged Best Performing Bank in Self Help Group (SHG) Linkage by Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana – National Rural Livelihood Mission (DAY-NRLM), Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India at the event organised at the Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi?
(a) ICICI Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) HDFC Bank (d) RBL Bank (e) Yes Bank Ans. c
43. Which album has received “Album of the Year” award at 64th Grammy Awards 2022?
(a) Leave the Door Open (b) We Are (c) Love for Sale
(d) Mother Nature (e) Mohabbat Ans. b
44. Which state will host the 83rd National Table Tennis Championship 2022?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Karnataka (c) Meghalaya (d) Maharashtra (e) Gujarat Ans. c
45. Who has won the Women's Singles title of Miami Open tennis 2022?
(a) Emma Raducanu (b) Barbora Krejčíková (c) Ashleigh Barty
(d) Iga Swiatek (e) Leylah Fernandez Ans. d
46. Which country's Carlos Alcaraz has created history to become the youngest champion to win the prestigious title of Men's Single Miami Open after defeating Casper Ruud?
(a) Australia (b) France (c) England (d) Spain (e) USA Ans. d
47. Which cricket team has won the ICC Women's Cricket World Cup 2022 title?
(a) New Zealand (b) Australia (c) England (d) West Indies (e) South Africa Ans. b
48. Who has authored a new novel titled “Queen of Fire”, which focuses on the story of Rani Lakshmibai of Jhansi?
(a) Rajiv Bhatia (b) Prakash Kumar Singh (c) Devika Rangachari
(d) Sagarika Ghose (e) Akash Kansal Ans. c
49. International Day of Mine awareness and Assistance in Mine Action is observed every year on _____.
(a) 1 April (b) 2 April (c) 3 April (d) 4 April (e) 5 April Ans. d
50. Richard Howard passed away recently. He was a/an _____.
(a) Poet (b) Choreographer (c) Politician (d) Director (e) Musician Ans. a
51. Which state has set up 'She Auto' stands to provide safe transport to women?
(a) Assam (b) Uttarakhand (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Bihar (e) Rajasthan Ans. c
52. Stand-Up India scheme has completed its six years on 5th April 2022. Under the Stand-Up India Scheme, over _____ rupees have been sanctioned to more than 1 lakh 33 thousand 995 accounts since the launch of the Scheme.
(a) Rs 15100 crores (b) Rs 18100 crores (c) Rs 20200 crores
(d) Rs 30160 crores (e) Rs 41050 crores Ans. d
53. Gangaur festival is celebrated in which of the following state?
(a) Assam (b) Uttarakhand (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Bihar (e) Rajasthan Ans. e
54. Tata Power Renewables Energy Ltd has commissioned a 300 MW project with India's largest single-axis solar tracker system in which state?
(a) Gujarat (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Himachal Pradesh
(d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Maharashtra Ans. a
55. Which state cabinet has approved an MoU between the environment and forest department of the State and Agence Francaise de Development (French Development Agency), a French funding agency, to foster bilateral dialogue in the field of environment?
(a) Tamil Nadu (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Assam (d) Jharkhand (e) Kerala Ans. c
56. Viktor Orban has been re-elected as the Prime Minister of which country?
(a) Hungary (b) Slovakia (c) Poland (d) Ukraine (e) Romania Ans. a
57. According to the list of Hurun Richest Self-Made Women In The World 2022 released by the Hurun Research Institute, Falguni Nayar, Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Nykaa, is ranked _____ with a wealth of USD 7.6 billion.
(a) 5th (b) 8th (c) 10th (d) 12th (e) 15th Ans. c

58. Who among the following has been appointed as India's New Foreign Secretary?
 (a) Rajeev Gauba (b) Vinay Mohan Kwatra (c) Ajay Kumar Bhalla
 (d) Harsh Vardhan Shringla (e) T.V. Somanathan Ans. b
59. Who among the following is all set to become Chief of the Army Staff of India?
 (a) R Hari Kumar (b) V R Chaudhari (c) Manoj Kumar Mago
 (d) P K Purwar (e) Manoj Pande Ans. e
60. United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC) has appointed whom as the world's first independent expert for human rights and climate change?
 (a) Robert Abela (b) Ian Fry (c) Gilbert Houngbo
 (d) Jens Stoltenberg (e) Katalin Novak Ans. b
61. Name the journalist from Mumbai, who has been awarded with the Chameli Devi Jain Award for an Outstanding Woman Mediaperperson 2021.
 (a) Vartika Shukla (b) Rizwana Hasan (c) Leena Nair
 (d) Aarefa Johari (e) Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw Ans. d
62. Who has authored the new book titled "Decoding Indian Babudom"?
 (a) Amitava Kumar (b) Mithilesh Tiwari (c) Ratnakar Shetty
 (d) Deepam Chatterjee (e) Ashwini Shrivastava Ans. e
63. Every year in India National Maritime Day is observed on _____.
 (a) 4 April (b) 2 April (c) 6 April (d) 3 April (e) 5 April Ans. e
64. Which state government has launched the 'Kaaval Uthavi' app which helps citizens to seek police assistance during any emergency?
 (a) Karnataka (b) Telangana (c) Odisha (d) Tamil Nadu (e) Kerala Ans. d
65. Which state's Chief Minister has launched the 'School Chalo Abhiyan' in order to secure 100% enrollment in elementary and upper primary schools?
 (a) Gujarat (b) Karnataka (c) Tamil Nadu (d) Punjab (e) Uttar Pradesh Ans. e
66. 4th edition of the India Boat & Marine Show (IBMS) was held at Bolgatty Palace in _____.
 (a) Aurangabad (b) Kochi (c) Bhopal (d) Mysuru (e) Dehradun Ans. b
67. Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh YS Jagan Mohan Reddy has inaugurated 13 new districts in the state, and now the total number of districts has become _____.
 (a) 21 (b) 23 (c) 26 (d) 28 (e) 29 Ans. c
68. Aleksandar Vucic has been re-elected as the President of which of the following country?
 (a) Serbia (b) Hungary (c) Albania (d) Poland (e) Greece Ans. a
69. Asian Development Bank (ADB) has projected India's GDP to grow at _____ for FY22.
 (a) 6.9% (b) 7.5% (c) 8.0% (d) 9.3% (e) 9.4% Ans. b
70. Which has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Border Security Force to offer special benefits through the Central Armed Police Salary Package (CAPSP) Scheme?
 (a) RBL Bank (b) ICICI Bank (c) HDFC Bank
 (d) State Bank of India (e) Axis Bank Ans. d
71. Which of the following Indian cricketer has been named among the "Five Cricketers of the Year" of the Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 2022?
 (a) Virat Kohli (b) Jasprit Bumrah (c) Shreyas Iyer
 (d) Bhuvneshwar Kumar (e) Suresh Raina Ans. b
72. Every year World Book and Copyright Day is celebrated on _____.
 (a) 22 April (b) 23 April (c) 24 April (d) 25 April (e) 26 April Ans. b
73. HDFC Bank has announced merger with housing finance firm HDFC Ltd. What is the Tagline of HDFC Bank?
 (a) Your Perfect Banking Partner (b) The World's Local Bank (c) Hum Hai Na, Khayal Apka
 (d) Banking Hatke (e) We Understand Your World Ans. e

74. State Bank of India, Canara Bank, Punjab National Bank and Union Bank of India have reduced their stake in India Debt Resolution Company Ltd (IDRCL) to 5% each. The Public Sector Banks (PSBs) and public Financial Institutions (FIs) will hold a maximum of _____ % stake in IDRCL and the remaining will be with Private sector lenders.
(a) 45% (b) 49% (c) 50% (d) 51% (e) 55% Ans. b
75. SEBI has constituted a committee that will review and make recommendations for the strengthening of governance norms at market infrastructure institutions (MIIs) and stock exchanges. Who has been appointed the head of this committee?
(a) Sudhir Kumar Saxena (b) KR Manjunath (c) Ritesh Chauhan
(d) H Krishnamurthy (e) G Mahalingam Ans. e
76. Who is the author of the book titled 'Birsa Munda - Janjatiya Nayak'?
(a) Alok Chakrawal (b) Mithilesh Tiwari (c) Ratnakar Shetty
(d) Deepam Chatterjee (e) Ashwini Shrivastava Ans. a
77. On which date, International Day of Conscience is observed every year?
(a) 4 April (b) 5 April (c) 6 April (d) 7 April (e) 8 April Ans. b
78. On which date, International Day of Sport for Development and Peace is observed every year?
(a) 4 April (b) 5 April (c) 6 April (d) 7 April (e) 8 April Ans. c
79. Which state government has launched 'Mukhyamantri Udyam Kranti Yojana' to give loan up to Rs 50 lakh with subsidized interest rate for self-employment?
(a) Gujarat (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Himachal Pradesh
(d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Maharashtra Ans. d
80. Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology has announced the formation of a 17-member advisory committee to steer and guide the government's Rs 76,000 crore semiconductor mission. Who is the chairperson of the committee?
(a) Indu Malhotra (b) Ashwini Vaishnav (c) Pankaj Kumar
(d) Narayan Patel (e) NR Narayana Murthy Ans. b
81. Which country has become the 30th country to join the Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure (CDRI)?
(a) Tanzania (b) Mozambique (c) Seychelles (d) Madagascar (e) Ethiopia Ans. d
82. Which bank has launched a digital transformation project SMBHAV, with an investment outlay of around Rs 1,000 crore for the current financial year 2022-23?
(a) State Bank of India (b) HDFC Bank (c) Union Bank of India
(d) DBS Bank (e) Axis Bank Ans. c
83. Who has been re-appointed as the managing director and chief executive officer (MD & CEO) of DCB Bank?
(a) Murli Natarajan (b) Rakesh Sharma (c) Noopur Chaturvedi
(d) Harsha Bhupendra Bangari (e) Badrinath Srinivasan Ans. a
84. Name the poet and litterateur who will be awarded the prestigious Saraswati Samman, 2021, for his collection of poems 'Mein to Yahan Hun'.
(a) Nageshwar Reddy (b) Ramdarash Mishra (c) Anukrti Upadhyay
(d) Namita Gokhale (e) Rajiv Nigam Ans. b
85. The 9th edition of the Joint Special Forces Exercise has been conducted between India and _____ at Special Forces Training School, Bakloh, Himachal Pradesh.
(a) Kazakhstan (b) Uzbekistan (c) Tajikistan (d) Kyrgyzstan (e) Azerbaijan Ans. d
86. Which company has signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with Israel Aerospace Industries (IAI) to convert civil passenger aircraft to "multi mission tanker transport" (MMTT) aircraft in India?
(a) Bharat Earth Movers Limited (BEML) (b) Defence Research and Development Laboratory (DRDL)
(c) Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) (d) Bharat Dynamics Ltd (BDL)
(e) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) Ans. e

87. Who has authored the new book titled "Tiger of Drass: Capt. Anuj Nayyar, 23, Kargil Hero"?
- (a) Meena Nayyar (b) Himmat Singh Shekhawat (c) Jayanta Ghosal
(d) Dharendra Jha (e) Both a & b Ans. e
88. World Health Day is celebrated every year on _____.
- (a) 4 April (b) 5 April (c) 6 April (d) 7 April (e) 8 April Ans. d
89. Sarhul Festival is celebrated in which of the following state/UT?
- (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Assam (d) Jharkhand (e) Kerala Ans. d
90. Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) has completed its seven years. The scheme was launched in 2015 by PM Modi for providing financial support of up to _____ rupees to non-corporate, non-farm small, or micro-enterprises.
- (a) 1 lakh (b) 2 lakh (c) 5 lakh (d) 8 lakh (e) 10 lakh Ans. e
91. What was the rank of Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay in 12th QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022?
- (a) 42 (b) 53 (c) 56 (d) 65 (e) 72 Ans. d
92. Which of the following Institute has ranked 1st in the 12th QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022?
- (a) Stanford University (b) National University of Singapore
(c) Massachusetts Institute for Technology
(d) Harvard University (e) University of Oxford Ans. c
93. World Bank and Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) will provide a loan of Rs 7,500 crore to which state government for its 'Mission School of Excellence project'?
- (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Gujarat (c) Karnataka (d) Uttar Pradesh (e) Punjab Ans. b
94. International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA) has signed an MoU with GVFL Limited for cooperation and collaboration to support and facilitate the FinTech ecosystem in GIFT IFSC. Who is the present chairman of the International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA)?
- (a) Manoj Ahuja (b) Injeti Srinivas (c) Neeraj Vyas (d) V. Vidyavathi (e) Suresh N Patel Ans. b
95. Which state has established the 'Nandini Ksheera Samridhi Cooperative Bank', which will provide greater financial strength for the milk producers?
- (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Karnataka (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Kerala (e) Odisha Ans. b
96. What is the current Policy Repo Rate as per RBI Monetary Policy, 8th April 2022?
- (a) 3.35% (b) 3.5% (c) 4.0% (d) 4.25% (e) 18% Ans. c
97. As per RBI Monetary Policy, 8th April 2022, RBI has projected India's GDP Forecast for FY23 at _____.
- (a) 7.2% (b) 7.8% (c) 8.5% (d) 9.0% (e) 9.2% Ans. a
98. With which company, Rolls-Royce has launched 'Aerospace Engineering and Digital Innovation Centre' in Bengaluru?
- (a) IBM (b) Microsoft (c) Google (d) Infosys (e) Intel Ans. d
99. Which country will host the Asian Junior U-20 Men & Women and Cadet U-17 Boys & Girls Fencing Championships in 2023?
- (a) Thailand (b) Canada (c) India (d) Australia (e) USA Ans. c
100. Who has authored the book titled 'The Maverick Effect'?
- (a) Rajiv Bhatia (b) Harish Mehta (c) Sagarika Ghose (d) K Syam Prasad (e) Akash Kansal Ans. b
101. Union Cabinet has approved the continuation of the Atal Innovation Mission (AIM) until March 2023. AIM is a flagship initiative set up by the NITI Aayog in _____.
- (a) 2014 (b) 2015 (c) 2016 (d) 2017 (e) 2018 Ans. c
102. Airport Authority of India (AAI) has launched "AVSAR" to encourage the talent of women, artisans, and craftsmen and provide them with the right opportunities. What does S stands for in "AVSAR"?
- (a) Survey (b) Support (c) Social (d) Scheduled (e) Skilled Ans. e

103. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has formed two expert groups to look into the responsibilities, qualifications, and functions of sponsors and trustees at asset management firms (AMCs). Who will chair the working group on MF trustees?
- (a) Ashwini Vaishnaw (b) Manoj Vaish (c) A Balasubramanian
(d) G Mahalingam (e) D Murugesan Ans. b
104. Which state's Kangra Tea will soon get a European Commission Geographical Indication Tag (GI Tag)?
- (a) Assam (b) Sikkim (c) Himachal Pradesh
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. c
105. Which bank has signed a Partial Guarantee Facility Agreement (PGFA) with the Asian Development Bank (ADB) for a partial guarantee programme with initial outlay of USD 150 million?
- (a) RBL Bank (b) ICICI Bank (c) State Bank of India
(d) HDFC Bank (e) Axis Bank Ans. e
106. Reserve Bank of India has imposed a monetary penalty of Rs _____ on Axis Bank and IDBI Bank each for various violations, including those related to KYC guidelines.
- (a) 51 lakh (b) 93 lakh (c) 1 crore (d) 1.5 crore (e) 2 crore Ans. b
107. Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has released the guidelines for Scheduled Commercial Banks to establish digital banking units (DBUs) to offer products and services in both self-served and assisted mode. Where is the headquarters of RBI?
- (a) Mumbai (b) Delhi (c) Kolkata (d) Ahmedabad (e) Noida Ans. a
108. Which photographer's photo titled "Kamloops Residential School" has won 2022 World Press Photo of the Year award?
- (a) Robert Irwin (b) Matthew Abbott (c) Alejandro Prieto
(d) Amber Bracken (e) Thomas Vijayan Ans. d
109. Who has been conferred with Sangeet Natak Akademi Fellowship by Vice President M Venkaiah Naidu?
- (a) Zakir Hussain (b) Jatin Goswami (c) Sonal Mansingh
(d) Thiruvaidaimarudur Kupiah Kalyanasundaram (e) All of the above Ans. e
110. Which bank's app has won Digital CX Awards 2022 for 'Outstanding Digital CX – SME Payments'?
- (a) IndusInd Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) ICICI Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) IDFC First Bank Ans. a
111. Who among the following has authored a new book titled 'Not Just A Nightwatchman: My Innings with BCCI'?
- (a) Rajiv Bhatia (b) Prakash Kumar Singh (c) Vinod Rai
(d) K Syam Prasad (e) Akash Kansal Ans. c
112. CRPF Valour Day is observed on _____ every year.
- (a) 8 April (b) 9 April (c) 10 April (d) 11 April (e) 12 April Ans. b
113. On which date World Homoeopathy Day (WHD) is observed every year?
- (a) 10 April (b) 11 April (c) 12 April (d) 13 April (e) 14 April Ans. a
114. National Siblings Day is celebrated every year on _____.
- (a) 8 April (b) 9 April (c) 10 April (d) 11 April (e) 12 April Ans. c
115. The 20th Meeting of the National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) was held in Pakke tiger reserve in _____ and was led by Union Minister for Environment, Forest & Climate Change Bhupender Yadav.
- (a) Himachal Pradesh (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Arunachal Pradesh
(d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. c
116. Which Bank has launched a new deposit scheme named Vikas Siri Sampat-1111?
- (a) Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank (b) State Bank of India (c) Canara Bank
(d) Kerala Gramin Bank (e) Bank of Maharashtra Ans. a
117. Name the renowned Assamese poet who has won the 56th Jnanpith Award.
- (a) Bhalchandra Nemade (b) Damodar Mauzo (c) Raghuveer Chaudhari
(d) Kedarnath Singh (e) Nilmani Phookan Ans. e

118. Which organization has commissioned the latest Advanced Light Helicopter (ALH-Dhruv) MK-III squadron in Bhubaneswar in Odisha?
 (a) Border Security Force (BSF) (b) Indian Coast Guard (ICG)
 (c) Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) (d) Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF)
 (e) Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB) Ans. b
119. Which of the following has successfully flight-tested a new version of the Pinaka rocket system at the Pokhran firing ranges?
 (a) Indian Air Force (IAF) (b) Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)
 (c) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) (d) Defence Research and Development Laboratory (DRDL)
 (e) Both a & b Ans. b
120. Which IIT has launched India's 1st indigenously developed polycentric prosthetic knee "Kadam" in association with Society for Biomedical Technology (SBMT) and Mobility India?
 (a) IISc- Bengaluru (b) IIT-Bombay (c) IIT- Delhi (d) IIT-Madras (e) IIT-Guwahati Ans. d
121. Who among the following has won the Formula 1 2022 Australian Grand Prix, held in Melbourne, Victoria?
 (a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Charles Leclerc (c) Max Verstappen
 (d) Valtteri Bottas (e) Lewis Hamilton Ans. b
122. How many gold medals has won by India at Thailand Open International Boxing Tournament 2022 in Phuket?
 (a) 3 (b) 4 (c) 5 (d) 7 (e) 10 Ans. a
123. Which team has won the mixed double title at the 2022 WSF World Doubles Squash championship at Glasgow, Scotland?
 (a) Dipika Pallikal & Saurav Ghosal (b) Adrian Waller and Alison Waters
 (c) Dipika Pallikal and Joshna Chinappa (d) Declan James and James Willstrop
 (e) Joshna Chinappa & Saurav Ghosal Ans. a
124. National Safe Motherhood Day (NSMD) is observed annually on _____ in India.
 (a) 8 April (b) 9 April (c) 10 April (d) 11 April (e) 12 April Ans. d
125. National Pet Day is observed on _____ every year.
 (a) 8 April (b) 9 April (c) 10 April (d) 11 April (e) 12 April Ans. d
126. Shiv Kumar Subramaniam passed away recently. He was a/an _____.
 (a) Screenwriter (b) Actor (c) Director (d) Both a and b (e) None of these Ans. d
127. Which state has topped the NITI Aayog's State Energy and Climate Index (SECI)-Round One?
 (a) Gujarat (b) Kerala (c) Punjab
 (d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Maharashtra Ans. a
128. Which country has become the first country in the world to give legal rights to wild animals?
 (a) Ghana (b) Ecuador (c) Togo (d) Burkina Faso (e) Benin Ans. b
129. Mian Muhammad Shehbaz Sharif has been elected as the _____ Prime Minister of Pakistan.
 (a) 21 (b) 22 (c) 23 (d) 24 (e) 25 Ans. c
130. Who has been appointed the chairman of Union Public Service Commission (UPSC)?
 (a) Manoj Ahuja (b) R.C. Kuhad (c) V. Krishnaswamy
 (d) Vineet Joshi (e) Manoj Soni Ans. e
131. Who among the following will take over as India's G20 chief coordinator?
 (a) K Rajaraman (b) V M Kwatra (c) Piyush Goyal
 (d) Harsh Vardhan Shringla (e) T.V. Somanathan Ans. d
132. Name the veteran Bengali author who has been awarded this year's O. Henry prize for the short story titled 'Gaonburo'.
 (a) Pratima Bhoumik (b) V. Muraleedharan (c) Annpurna Devi
 (d) Amar Mitra (e) Subhas Sarkar Ans. d

133. Who among the following will be honoured with the inaugural Lata Deenanath Mangeshkar Award?
 (a) Narendra Modi (b) Asha Parekh (c) Jackie Shroff
 (d) Rahul Deshpande (e) All of the above Ans. e
134. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL) has signed a contract with which country's army for the second phase of flying training on Chetak Helicopter for six officers?
 (a) Nigeria (b) Mali (c) Eritrea (d) Sudan (e) Yemen Ans. a
135. Name the anti-tank guided missile (ATGM) which has been successfully flight-tested in Pokhran, Rajasthan.
 (a) Prithvi (b) Akash (c) Pralay (d) Helina (e) Netra Ans. d
136. The first Khelo India National Ranking Women Archery will be held in which city?
 (a) Jamshedpur (b) Mumbai (c) Goa (d) Bengaluru (e) Chennai Ans. a
137. Who has been named the ICC Men's Player of the Month for March 2022?
 (a) Virat Kohli (b) Rohit Sharma (c) Babar Azam
 (d) Shakib Al Hasan (e) Devon Conway Ans. c
138. Who has been named the ICC Women's Player of the Month for March 2022?
 (a) Sophie Ecclestone (b) Kathryn Bryce (c) Rachael Haynes
 (d) Tammy Beaumont (e) Lizelle Lee Ans. c
139. Every year, International Day of Human Space Flight is celebrated on _____.
 (a) 11 April (b) 12 April (c) 13 April (d) 14 April (e) 15 April Ans. b
140. Which Ministry has launched the 'SVANidhi se Samridhi' program in addition to 126 cities across 14 States and UT?
 (a) Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (b) Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs
 (c) Ministry of Finance
 (d) Ministry of Rural Development (e) Ministry of Micro Small and Medium Enterprises Ans. b
141. Which city has been recognised as '2021 Tree City of the World' by United Nations Food and Agriculture Organisation?
 (a) Hyderabad (b) Mumbai (c) Bengaluru (d) Pune (e) Both a & b Ans. e
142. Which company has collaborated with Microsoft to speed up the digital transformation in the oil and gas industry?
 (a) Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (b) Oil India Limited
 (c) Indian Oil Corporation Limited (d) Oil and Natural Gas Corporation
 (e) Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited Ans. a
143. Which Airport has topped the Airports Council International (ACI)'s list of the top 10 busiest airports worldwide for 2021?
 (a) Atlanta (b) Dallas Fort Worth (c) Denver
 (d) Chicago O'Hare (e) Los Angeles Ans. a
144. Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the Government of India have signed a USD 2 million Project Readiness Financing (PRF) Loan to which state for urban infrastructure development?
 (a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Assam (c) Manipur
 (d) Nagaland (e) Sikkim Ans. d
145. Which organization has been awarded with one gold and one silver award in the 80th SKOCH Summit in New Delhi?
 (a) NTPC Limited (b) Coal India Ltd (c) National Mineral Development Corporation
 (d) Steel Authority of India (e) NHPC Limited Ans. c
146. Which of the following country will host the 2026 Commonwealth Games?
 (a) Australia (b) UK (c) Italy (d) Spain (e) USA Ans. a
147. Which team has won the FIH Junior Women's Hockey World Cup 2022 at Potchefstroom, South Africa?
 (a) Germany (b) Ireland (c) England (d) Netherlands (e) Australia Ans. d

148. Which country will host the National Delphic Games for Arts and Cultures in 2023?
 (a) Thailand (b) Canada (c) India (d) Australia (e) USA Ans. c
149. International Day of Street Children is annually observed across the globe on _____.
 (a) 11 April (b) 12 April (c) 13 April (d) 14 April (e) 15 April Ans. b
150. Jallianwala Bagh Massacre Day is commemorated on _____.
 (a) 10 April (b) 11 April (c) 12 April (d) 13 April (e) 14 April Ans. d
151. Which state government will implement the 'Him Prahari' scheme for ex-servicemen and youngsters?
 (a) Nagaland (b) Sikkim (c) Uttarakhand
 (d) Manipur (e) Himachal Pradesh Ans. c
152. India's first Community Museum has been inaugurated in _____.
 (a) Leh, Ladakh (b) Chiktan, Kargil, Ladakh (c) Jammu, J&K
 (d) Srinagar, J&K (e) Manali, Himachal Pradesh Ans. a
153. Which state government has inked an MoU with Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL) for a period of five years to set up a renewable energy plant and green hydrogen plant providing Round the Clock (RTC) power for consumers for both domestic consumption and export?
 (a) Telangana (b) Madhya Pradesh (c) Karnataka
 (d) Assam (e) Odisha Ans. e
154. Which organization has sanctioned an amount of \$76.25 million or Rs 551 crore for three specific projects under
 (a) World bank (b) European Investment Bank (c) Asian Development Bank
 (d) Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (e) New Development Bank Ans. c
155. Mashreq Neo has tied up with which bank to enable its United Arab Emirates (UAE)-based Indian customers to open Non-Resident (NR) accounts?
 (a) ICICI Bank (b) RBL Bank (c) State Bank of India (d) Federal Bank (e) Axis Bank Ans. d
156. Who has been re-appointed as the chairman of National Commission for Minorities?
 (a) Mukhmeet S Bhatia (b) Iqbal Singh Lalpura (c) Indu Malhotra
 (d) Arun Kumar Singh (e) Nirlep Singh Rai Ans. b
157. Who among the following has been named as the EY Entrepreneur of the Year 2021, at the 23rd edition of the EY Entrepreneur of The Year India awards?
 (a) Radha Vembu (b) Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw (c) Falguni Nayar
 (d) Harshil Mathur (e) Sahil Barua Ans. c
158. Who among the following has won the prestigious Reykjavik Open chess tournament in Reykjavik, Iceland?
 (a) R Praggnanandhaa (b) Harshit Raja (c) D Gukesh
 (d) Abhimanyu Mishra (e) Mitrabha Guha Ans. a
159. Who has won silver in Men's Singles at the Orléans Masters badminton tournament 2022 held in Orleans, France?
 (a) Priyanshu Rajawat (b) Chirag Shetty (c) Subhankar Dey
 (d) Chirag Sen (e) Mithun Manjunath Ans. e
160. Who among the following is the author of the book titled 'Hear Yourself'?
 (a) Deepam Chatterjee (b) Abhinav Chandrachud (c) Amitava Kumar
 (d) Prem Rawat (e) Mithilesh Tiwari Ans. d
161. Every year India celebrates Ambedkar Jayanti or Bhim Jayanti on _____.
 (a) 11 April (b) 12 April (c) 13 April (d) 14 April (e) 15 April Ans. d
162. Bohag Bihu or Rongali Bihu festival has been celebrated in _____.
 (a) Kerala (b) Tripura (c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Karnataka (e) Assam Ans. e

163. National Agriculture Market (e-NAM), a pan-India online trading portal, has completed six years on April 14, 2022. e-NAM is completely funded by the Central Government and is being implemented by _____.
 (a) Centre for Development of Advanced Computing (C-DAC)
 (b) Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA) (c) National Informatics Centre (NIC)
 (d) Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium (SFAC)
 (e) Odisha Industrial Infrastructure Development Corporation (IDCO) Ans. d
164. With which country, Telangana has signed an MoU recently to promote trade and investment?
 (a) Thailand (b) Canada (c) India (d) Australia (e) USA Ans. a
165. World Bank has projected India's GDP forecast for the fiscal year 2022-23 at _____.
 (a) 8.0% (b) 8.7% (c) 9.1% (d) 9.5% (e) 10.8% Ans. a
166. Which bank has launched "FYN", a new enterprise platform designed specifically for Business Banking and Corporate clients?
 (a) HDFC Bank (b) Kotak Mahindra Bank (c) Yes Bank (d) ICICI Bank (e) Axis Bank Ans. b
167. Which bank has signed an MoU with GIFT SEZ (Special Economic Zone) located at GIFT City in Gandhinagar, Gujarat to promote global, Indian businesses?
 (a) HDFC Bank (b) Yes Bank (c) Axis Bank
 (d) Kotak Mahindra Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. e
168. Name the Indian economist and political commentator who has been selected for the Malcom Adiseshiah Award 2022.
 (a) Nageshwar Reddy (b) Narinder Singh Kapany (c) Anukrti Upadhyay
 (d) Namita Gokhale (e) Prabhat Patnaik Ans. e
169. Who has been conferred with the International Gandhi Award for Leprosy, 2021 under the Indian nomination (individual) category by Vice President M. Venkaiah Naidu?
 (a) Narayan Pradhan (b) Deepak Dhar (c) Bhushan Kumar
 (d) Devendra Jhajharia (e) Satish Adiga Ans. c
170. Indian Air Force (IAF) has signed an MoU with which IIT for technology development and finding indigenous solutions for the sustenance of various weapon systems?
 (a) IIT Delhi (b) IIT Guwahati (c) IIT Bombay (d) IIT Roorkee (e) IIT Madras Ans. e
171. Which IIT has partnered with NTPC Limited to design and develop a highly energy-efficient plant to capture carbon dioxide (CO₂) from power plants?
 (a) IIT Bombay (b) IIT Kanpur (c) IIT Guwahati (d) IIT Kharagpur (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. c
172. Which of the following country will host the Street Child Cricket World Cup in 2023?
 (a) Brazil (b) Russia (c) India (d) China (e) South Africa Ans. c
173. Tamil Nadu observed 'Equality Day' on _____.
 (a) 14 April (b) 15 April (c) 16 April (d) 17 April (e) 18 April Ans. a
174. World art day is celebrated globally on _____ every year.
 (a) 12 April (b) 13 April (c) 14 April (d) 15 April (e) 16 April Ans. d
175. Which day is observed as Himachal Day?
 (a) 14 April (b) 15 April (c) 16 April (d) 17 April (e) 18 April Ans. b
176. PM Narendra Modi has unveiled 108-foot statue of Lord Hanuman in Morbi in which state on Hanuman Jayanti?
 (a) Karnataka (b) Gujarat (c) Odisha (d) Kerala (e) West Bengal Ans. b
177. India has been elected to which major body of United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)?
 (a) The Committee on Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights
 (b) The Commission for Social Development
 (c) The Commission on Science and Technology for Development
 (d) The Committee on Non-Governmental Organisations (e) All of the above Ans. e

178. Fourth US-India 2+2 Ministerial Dialogue held in _____.
 (a) New York, United States (b) Geneva, Switzerland (c) Mumbai, India
 (d) Glasgow, Scotland (e) Washington D.C., United States Ans. e
179. Which scheme has been selected for Prime Minister's Award for Excellence in Public Administration 2020 under the Innovation (General) - Central category?
 (a) PM Mudra Yojna (b) PM Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (c) Smart Cities Mission
 (d) Stand Up India (e) UDAN scheme Ans. e
180. Which country has successfully tested a new laser missile-defence system named 'Iron Beam'?
 (a) Israel (b) Afghanistan (c) Lebanon (d) Germany (e) Russia Ans. a
181. Which team has won men's title at 71st Senior National Basketball Championship?
 (a) Karnataka (b) Andhra Pradesh (c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Odisha (e) Tamil Nadu Ans. e
182. Hamish Bennett has announced retirement from all forms of cricket. He played for which country?
 (a) New Zealand (b) Australia (c) England (d) West Indies (e) South Africa Ans. a
183. Odisha Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik has unveiled the logo of the 2023 FIH Men's Hockey World Cup. 2023 FIH Men's Hockey World Cup will be organized in which city of Odisha?
 (a) Rourkela (b) Bhubaneswar (c) Cuttack (d) Puri (e) Both a & b Ans. e
184. National Fire Service Day is observed every year on _____.
 (a) 11 April (b) 12 April (c) 13 April (d) 14 April (e) 15 April Ans. d
185. Save the Elephant Day is celebrated on _____ every year.
 (a) 16 April (b) 17 April (c) 18 April (d) 19 April (e) 20 April Ans. a
186. World Voice Day (WVD) is celebrated globally on _____ every year.
 (a) 15 April (b) 16 April (c) 17 April (d) 18 April (e) 19 April Ans. b
187. Manju Singh passed away recently. She was a/an _____.
 (a) Actor (b) Lyricist (c) Writer (d) Journalist (e) Classical singer Ans. a
188. The government has amended the rules of the Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA) to open the way for up to _____% Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in the Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC).
 (a) 20% (b) 60% (c) 74% (d) 85% (e) 100% Ans. a
189. Which company has partnered with internet exchange point, Extreme IX to enable faster digital payments service?
 (a) CCAvenue (b) Paytm (c) PhonePe (d) Amazon Pay (e) BharatPe Ans. c
190. Who among the following has got one year extension as Chairman of Atomic Energy Commission?
 (a) Vishwas Patel (b) Kamlesh Nilkanth Vyas (c) Vinay Kumar Tripathi
 (d) Tarun Kapoor (e) Alka Mittal Ans. b
191. Indian Army's Trishakti Corps has organized an Integrated Fire Power exercise EX KRIPAN SHAKTI at Teesta Field Firing Ranges (TFFR) in _____.
 (a) Karnataka (b) Gujarat (c) Odisha (d) Kerala (e) West Bengal Ans. e
192. Name the tennis player who has won the title of Monte-Carlo Masters.
 (a) Novak Djokovic (b) Rafael Nadal (c) Roger Federer
 (d) Denis Shapovalov (e) Stefanos Tsitsipas Ans. e
193. Who has won gold in the men's 200m butterfly event at the Danish Open swimming in Copenhagen, Denmark?
 (a) Aditi Ashok (b) Sajan Prakash (c) Avinash Sable (d) Vedaant Madhavan (e) Pooja Rani Ans. b
194. Who is the author of the new book titled "The Boy Who Wrote a Constitution: A play for Children on Human Rights"?
 (a) Navdeep Singh Gill (b) Mithilesh Tiwari (c) Rajesh Talwar
 (d) Rajiv Bhatia (e) Anirudh Suri Ans. c
195. On which date, World Heritage Day is observed every year?
 (a) 16 April (b) 17 April (c) 18 April (d) 19 April (e) 20 April Ans. c

196. Tamil Nadu's Vishwa Deenadayalan passed away recently. He was associated with which sport?
(a) Badminton (b) Cricket (c) Chess (d) Football (e) Table Tennis Ans. e
197. Prafulla Kar passed away recently. He was a/an _____.
(a) Musician (b) Poet (c) Kathak dancer (d) Actor (e) Classical singer Ans. a
198. Which of the following will build the world's highest tunnel at Shinku La Pass at 16,580 feet to connect Himachal Pradesh to Ladakh?
(a) Border Security Force (b) Border Roads Organisation
(c) Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (d) Indo-Tibetan Border Police
(e) National Highways Authority of India Ans. b
199. State Bank of India (SBI) has raised 3-year funds of _____ through a syndicated loan facility at "very fine pricing" through its IFSC Gift City branch.
(a) \$ 100 million (b) \$ 150 million (c) \$ 250 million (d) \$ 300 million (e) \$ 500 million Ans. e
200. Which company has become India's first fintech led NBFC (non-banking financial company)-Factor to receive the Certificate of Registration (CoR) under Registration of Factors (Reserve Bank) Regulations 2022?
(a) CredAvenue (b) 121 Finance (c) Mahila Money (d) Multipl (e) Zerodha Ans. b
201. Who has been appointed as the 29th Chief of Army Staff of India?
(a) R Hari Kumar (b) V R Chaudhari (c) Manoj Kumar Mago (d) P K Purwar (e) Manoj Pande Ans. e
202. Which bank has won global 'Celent Model Bank' Award under the category of 'Payments System Transformation' for building a best-in-class Enterprise Payments Hub (EPH)?
(a) Bank of Baroda (b) State Bank of India (c) HDFC Bank (d) IndusInd Bank (e) RBL Bank Ans. d
203. Which team has won 12th Senior Men's National Hockey championship?
(a) Maharashtra (b) West Bengal (c) Gujarat (d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Haryana Ans. e
204. Which state/UT has launched an app 'Jan Nigrani', intended to help people lodge their complaints related to various schemes online?
(a) Ladakh (b) Manipur (c) Daman & Diu
(d) Jammu & Kashmir (e) Arunachal Pradesh Ans. d
205. Who among the following has topped the Hurun Global Healthcare Rich List 2022 and became the richest billionaire in the healthcare sector 2022?
(a) Cyrus S Poonawalla (b) Dilip Shanghvi (c) Adar Poonawalla
(d) Radhakishan Damani (e) Krishna Ella Ans. a
206. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has tightened the rules for non-banking finance companies (NBFCs) relating to their large exposures. RBI capped aggregate exposure of NBFCs which are in the upper layer toward one entity at _____% of capital base.
(a) 5% (b) 10% (c) 15% (d) 20% (e) 25% Ans. d
207. Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has imposed a monetary penalty of Rs _____ on Manappuram Finance Limited for non-compliance of Know Your Customer (KYC) Direction & Prepaid Payment Instruments (PPIs) norms.
(a) Rs 10.50 lakh (b) Rs 17.63 lakh (c) Rs 52.56 lakh (d) Rs 90 lakh (e) Rs 93 lakh Ans. b
208. IMF has projected gross domestic product (GDP) growth forecast for India at _____ in FY23 in its World Economic Outlook report, released on April 19, 2022.
(a) 7.4% (b) 8.2% (c) 9.0% (d) 10.7% (e) 11.5% Ans. b
209. Who has been appointed as Wipro's country head of India?
(a) Manoj Soni (b) Harsh Vardhan Shringla (c) Satya Easwaran
(d) Iqbal Singh Lalpura (e) Amar Mitra Ans. c
210. Biliti Electric Inc will establish the world's largest electric three-wheeler manufacturing facility in which of the following state?
(a) Karnataka (b) Odisha (c) Telangana (d) Tamil Nadu (e) Kerala Ans. c

211. International Financial Services Centres Authority (IFSCA) has entered an MoU with the National Insurance Academy (NIA) with the goal of creating capacity and establishing a qualified talent pool in the insurance sector in International Financial Services Centres. Who is the present chairman of IFSCA?
(a) Injeti Srinivas (b) Manoj Ahuja (c) Neeraj Vyas (d) V. Vidyavathi (e) Suresh N Patel Ans. a
212. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has reconstituted its Advisory Committee for Leveraging Regulatory and Technology Solutions (ALERTS). The 7-member committee will be headed by _____.
(a) Chandra Prakash Goyal (b) Apoorva Chandra (c) D Murugesan
(d) Ashwini Vaishnaw (e) Sunil Bajpai Ans. e
213. Who has been re-appointed as Prime Minister of Côte d'Ivoire (Ivory Coast)?
(a) Patrick Achi (b) Alassane Ouattara (c) Gilbert Houngbo
(d) Emma Terho (e) Jens Stoltenberg Ans. a
214. Who among the following has been appointed as the next Director-General of Military Operations (DGMO)?
(a) Aprajita Sharma (b) Manoj Kumar Katiyar (c) Mahesh Verma
(d) Manoj Pande (e) Vishwas Patel Ans. b
215. Dr Ajay Kumar, Defence Secretary, inaugurated the 8th edition of two-day long National Level Pollution Response Exercise, 'NATPOLREX-VIII', which was conducted by the _____ off Mormugao harbour, Goa.
(a) Border Security Force (BSF) (b) Indian Coast Guard (ICG)
(c) Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) (d) Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF)
(e) Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB) Ans. b
216. Name the sixth and last submarine of the Indian Navy's Kalvari class submarines of Project 75, that was launched in Kanhoji Angre Wet Basin of Mazagon Dock Limited (MDL), Mumbai.
(a) Khanderi (b) Karanj (c) Vela (d) Vagir (e) Vagsheer Ans. e
217. A mobile app 'Khelo India Uni Games 2021' has been launched for the 2nd edition of Khelo India University Games. 2nd edition of Khelo India University Games is being held in _____.
(a) Jaipur, Rajasthan (b) Mumbai, Maharashtra (c) Chennai, Tamil Nadu
(d) Bengaluru, Karnataka (e) Gurugram, Haryana Ans. d
218. National Civil Services Day is celebrated every year on _____.
(a) 20 April (b) 21 April (c) 22 April (d) 23 April (e) 24 April Ans. b
219. Which state has become India's first state to install an L-Route server to provide uninterrupted internet access?
(a) Assam (b) Uttarakhand (c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Bihar (e) Rajasthan Ans. e
220. Karnataka State Cabinet headed by Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, gave nod to name the under-construction Shivamogga airport after _____.
(a) BS Yediyurappa (b) Keladi Chennamma (c) Mayuravarma
(d) Akka Mahadevi (e) Keladi Shivappa Nayaka Ans. a
221. First Conference of Incredible India International Cruise Conference 2022 will be held in _____.
(a) New Delhi (b) Mumbai (c) Hyderabad (d) Bengaluru (e) Pune Ans. b
222. Which state government has signed an MoU with NIXI-CSC Data Services Centre to establish an international standard Data Centre?
(a) Nagaland (b) Assam (c) Manipur (d) Tripura (e) Sikkim Ans. d
223. Which Payments Bank has launched a joint initiative named "Fincluvation", to collaborate with the Fintech Startup community to co-create and innovate solutions for financial inclusion?
(a) Paytm Payments Bank (b) Airtel Payments Bank (c) India Post Payments Bank
(d) Fino Payments Bank (e) Jio Payments Bank Ans. c
224. In April 2022, which bank has signed an MoU with the Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) and Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC) for collection of Direct Taxes and Indirect Taxes?
(a) Yes Bank (b) IDBI Bank (c) Axis Bank (d) Dhanlaxmi Bank (e) IDFC First Bank Ans. d

225. Name the eminent physicist who has been appointed as the principal scientific advisor (PSA) to the government of India.
 (a) K Vijay Raghavan (b) Ajay Kumar Sood (c) Venkatraman Anantha Nageswaran
 (d) Krishnamurthy Subramanian (e) Yashvardhan Kumar Sinha Ans. b
226. Name the Indian-American Defence Expert, who has been selected for the 'Global Leader in Defence and Aviation Sector' category of the 6th Entrepreneur Leadership Awards 2022 by the Indo-American Chamber of Commerce (IACC).
 (a) Jagdish Bhagwati (b) Basant Misra (c) Altaf Hussain Bhat (d) Babu Lal (e) Vivek Lall Ans. e
227. Who has been named as the Asia Africa Consortium (AAC) – Global Peace Ambassador 2022 at the India International Conclave 2022 for promoting Peace through Education, Sports, Art, Culture & Diplomacy?
 (a) Atul Keshap (b) Vijay Shekhar Sharma (c) Vandana Katariya
 (d) Babita Singh (e) Pradeep Kumar Rawat Ans. d
228. Salim Ghouse passed away recently. He was a/an _____.
 (a) Musician (b) Poet (c) Kathak dancer (d) Actor (e) Classical singer Ans. d
229. Which of the following country test-fired world's 'most powerful' nuclear-capable Intercontinental Ballistic Missile "RS-28 SARMAT"?
 (a) Russia (b) UK (c) USA (d) South Korea (e) China Ans. a
230. Which of the following organization has conducted multiday cyber defense exercise known as the Locked Shields exercise in Tallinn, Estonia?
 (a) Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)
 (b) South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC)
 (c) Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) (d) North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)
 (e) European Union (EU) Ans. d
231. Which of the following wrestlers has won bronze medals for India at the Asian Wrestling Championships in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia?
 (a) Sarita Mor (b) Sushma Shokeen (c) Alka Tomar (d) Sakshi Malik (e) Both a & b Ans. e
232. On which date, World Earth Day is observed every year?
 (a) 20 April (b) 21 April (c) 22 April.. (d) 23 April (e) 24 April Ans. c
233. Tatineni Rama Rao passed away recently. He was a/an _____.
 (a) Filmmaker (b) Cricketer (c) Cinematographer
 (d) Music Composer (e) Both a and d Ans. a
234. Which state's Health and Medical Education Minister, K. Sudhakar has recently launched the 'Social Awareness and Action to Neutralise Pneumonia Successfully' (SAANS) campaign?
 (a) Karnataka (b) Gujarat (c) Odisha (d) Kerala (e) West Bengal Ans. a
235. Union Ministry of Panchayati Raj has signed an MoU with which organization to collaborate in the areas of knowledge sharing and strengthening monitoring mechanisms for the localisation of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)?
 (a) United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)
 (b) United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)
 (c) United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC) (d) United Nations Security Council (UNSC)
 (e) United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Ans. b
236. Which organization has released a draft battery swapping policy under which all metropolitan cities with a population above 40 lakh will be prioritized for the development of battery swapping network under the first phase?
 (a) National Development Council (b) Invest India (c) NITI Aayog
 (d) Central Vigilance Commission (e) Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) Ans. c

237. National Institution for Transforming India (NITI) Aayog has signed a Statement of Intent (Sol) with which of the following organization on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with a focus on children?
 (a) UNICEF (b) World Economic Forum (c) Amnesty International
 (d) Oxfam India (e) United Nations Development Programme Ans. a
238. Prasar Bharati has signed an MoU with which country's Public Broadcaster 'RTA' for collaboration in the field of broadcasting?
 (a) Brazil (b) Belgium (c) Mexico (d) Argentina (e) Spain Ans. d
239. Which country's Guadalajara City was named World Book Capital for the year 2022 by UNESCO?
 (a) Guatemala (b) El Salvador (c) Spain (d) Argentina (e) Mexico Ans. e
240. NPCI International Payments Ltd (NIPL) has announced that BHIM UPI (Bharat Interface for Money-Unified Payments Interface) has gone operational at NEOPAY terminals. NEOPAY is the payment subsidiary of which country's bank?
 (a) Saudi Arabia (b) UAE (c) Bangladesh (d) Singapore (e) USA Ans. b
241. Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) has provided the first in-principle approval under the SIDBI Cluster Development Fund (SCDF) for _____ assistance to the Maharashtra Government.
 (a) Rs 230 crore (b) Rs 339 crore .. (c) Rs 450 crore (d) Rs 590 crore (e) Rs 600 crore Ans. e
242. Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has extended the guidelines on Legal Entity Identifier (LEI) to large borrowers of Non-Banking Financial Companies (NBFCs) and Primary (Urban) Co-operative Banks (UCBs). How many digits does the LEI number have?
 (a) 5-digit (b) 7-digit (c) 9-digit (d) 15-digit (e) 20-digit Ans. e
243. Who has been appointed as the Vice-Chairman of NITI Aayog?
 (a) Amitabh Kant (b) Kamlesh Nilkanth Vyas (c) Arvind Panagariya
 (d) Suman Bery (e) Rajiv Kumar Ans. d
244. Who among the following has been appointed as the next CEO of Aditya Birla Capital?
 (a) Shanti Sethi (b) Ajay Kumar Sood (c) Vishakha Mulye
 (d) Jasleen Kohli (e) Manoj Kumar Katiyar Ans. c
245. Who has been elected as the chairperson of the Haj Committee of India?
 (a) Shaikh Jina Nabi (b) AP Abdullahkutti (c) C Muhammed Faizi
 (d) Mafuja Khatun (e) Munnawari Begum Ans. b
246. United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) has named who among the following as the recipient of the Champions of the Earth Award 2021 under the Lifetime Achievement category?
 (a) Volodymyr Zelenskyy (b) Gladys Kalema-Zikusoka (c) David Attenborough
 (d) Mia Mottley (e) Maria Kolesnikova Ans. c
247. Which of the following country's president has recently received John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Award 2022?
 (a) Hungary (b) Slovakia (c) Poland (d) Ukraine (e) Romania Ans. d
248. Naval Institute of Educational and Training Technology (NIETT) based at Naval Base Kochi signed an MoU with which institute to build collaboration and exchange of best practices in the field of Instructional Leadership, Educational Psychology and Management?
 (a) IIM-Kozhikode (b) IISc -Bangalore (c) IIT-Madras
 (d) IIM-Ahmedabad (e) IIT-Bombay Ans. a
249. Which IIT has signed an MoU with Northern Regional Load Despatch Centre (NRLDC) of Power System Operation Corporation Limited (POSOCO) to encourage research and development on issues related to India's power sector and strengthen interaction between the academia and industry?
 (a) IIT Roorkee (b) IIT Guwahati (c) IIT Bombay (d) IIT Madras (e) IIT Delhi Ans. e
250. New Space India Limited (NSIL), a commercial arm of Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has inked an agreement with which company to complete the company's Satellite Launch Programme?
 (a) Stingfly Aerospace (b) Skyroot Aerospace (c) Ziegler Aerospace
 (d) OneWeb (e) Reliance Jio Ans. d

251. International Dance Day is observed globally on _____ every year.
(a) 26 April (b) 27 April (c) 28 April (d) 29 April (e) 30 April Ans. d
252. Who is the author of the coffee table book titled "The Magic of Mangalajodi", released by Chief Minister of Odisha, Naveen Patnaik?
(a) Prem Rawat (b) Avinash Khemka (c) Rajesh Talwar
(d) Harish Mehta (e) Abinash Mohapatra Ans. b
253. On which date, English Language Day is celebrated annually?
(a) 20 April (b) 21 April (c) 22 April (d) 23 April (e) 24 April Ans. d
254. On which date, National Panchayati Raj Day is celebrated every year?
(a) 24 April (b) 25 April (c) 26 April (d) 27 April (e) 28 April Ans. a
255. The Tamil Nadu government has announced that every year Minorities Rights Day will be observed on _____ at the state level.
(a) 18 December (b) 19 December (c) 20 December (d) 21 December (e) 22 December Ans. a
256. Which country will host 21st World Congress of Accountants (WCOA) 2022?
(a) Brazil (b) Russia (c) India (d) China (e) South Africa Ans. c
257. Robert Golob has been elected as the Prime Minister of which country?
(a) Somalia (b) Denmark (c) Sweden (d) South Sudan (e) Slovenia Ans. e
258. Who has been appointed as the co-chair of UNICEF's YuWaah board?
(a) Kamlesh Nilkanth Vyas (b) Ashwin Yardi (c) LV Vaidyanathan
(d) Satya Easwaran (e) Bimal Kothari Ans. b
259. Which company has been conferred the Public Relations Awards 2022 by the Public Relations Society of India (PRSI)?
(a) National Aluminium Company Limited (NALCO) (b) NTPC Limited
(c) Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) (d) National Mineral Development Corporation (NMDC)
(e) Power Grid Corporation of India Ans. d
260. Who among the following has been chosen for the Commonwealth Points of Light Award for his exceptional work in improving access to education for children from marginalised backgrounds?
(a) Kishore Kumar Das (b) Vivek Lall (c) Manoj Pande
(d) Babita Singh (e) Kamlesh Nilkanth Vyas. Ans. a
261. Name the F1 race driver who has won Formula One Emilia Romagna Grand Prix 2022 in Italy.
(a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Charles Leclerc (c) Max Verstappen (d) Valtteri Bottas (e) Lewis Hamilton Ans. c
262. Who among the following has won his third title in the Serbia Open in 2022?
(a) Alexander Zverev (b) Daniil Medvedev (c) Novak Djokovic (d) Andrey Rublev (e) Rafael Nadal Ans. d
263. Name the Indian Grandmaster who has won Menorca Open chess tournament in Menorca, Spain.
(a) Audi Ameya (b) D Gukesh (c) G Akash (d) M Pranesh (e) Leon Mendonca Ans. b
264. On which date, International Day of Multilateralism and Diplomacy for Peace is observed?
(a) 22 April (b) 23 April .. (c) 24 April .. (d) 25 April .. (e) 26 April . Ans. c
265. International Delegate's Day is observed every year on _____.
(a) 25 April (b) 26 April (c) 27 April (d) 28 April (e) 29 April Ans. a
266. World Malaria Day is celebrated every year on _____.
(a) 24 April (b) 25 April (c) 26 April (d) 27 April (e) 28 April Ans. b
267. Padma Shri Binapani Mohanty passed away recently. She was a/an _____.
(a) Politician (b) Lyricist (c) Writer (d) Journalist (e) Cricketer Ans. c

268. Name the Senior leader of Congress who served as governor of Maharashtra, Nagaland, and Jharkhand, and has passed away recently.
 (a) Manju Singh (b) Prafulla Kar (c) Vishwa Deenadayalan
 (d) T Rama Rao (e) K. Sankaranarayanan Ans. e
269. Mwai Kibaki passed away recently. He was the Former President of which of the following country?
 (a) Tanzania (b) Rwanda (c) Uganda (d) Kenya (e) Ethiopia Ans. d
270. Which village has become the nation's first carbon neutral panchayat, fully powered by solar energy?
 (a) Jerri hamlet, Reasi district, Jammu & Kashmir (b) Village Sirora, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh
 (c) Kachai Village, Ukhrul district, Manipur (d) Kumbalangi village, Ernakulam district, Kerala
 (e) Palli village, Samba district, Jammu Ans. e
271. Which of the following city has got India's first completely digital bus with a unique 'Tap-in Tap-out' feature?
 (a) New Delhi (b) Mumbai (c) Hyderabad (d) Bengaluru (e) Pune Ans. b
272. Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) in alliance with the India Trade Promotion Organization (ITPO) has organized Asia's biggest international food and hospitality fair AAHAR 2022 in _____.
 (a) Mumbai (b) Pune (c) New Delhi (d) Bengaluru (e) Both a & b Ans. c
273. With which country, Kerala government has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for the 'Cosmos Malabaricus Project', which aims to illustrate the historical significance of Kerala using the 18th century documents?
 (a) Australia (b) United States (c) Canada (d) England (e) Netherlands Ans. e
274. Which country has been designated as Guest of Honour Country at the Paris Book Festival 2022 which was organized from 21st to 24th April 2022?
 (a) Thailand (b) Canada (c) India (d) Australia (e) USA Ans. c
275. Emmanuel Jean-Michel Frédéric Macron has won a second term as president of which of the following country?
 (a) UK (b) France (c) Switzerland (d) Italy (e) Malaysia Ans. b
276. Who among the following has been named in the World Economic Forum's 2022 list of Young Global Leaders who are under 40?
 (a) Raghav Chadha (b) Radhika Gupta (c) Jaideep Bansal (d) Vineeta Singh (e) All of the above Ans. e
277. Elon Musk has acquired Twitter for \$_____ billion.
 (a) \$40 Billion (b) \$42 Billion (c) \$44 Billion (d) \$46 Billion (e) \$48 Billion Ans. c
278. Who is the chairman of the SEBI's restructured advisory committee on market data that recommends policy measures pertaining to areas like securities market data access and privacy?
 (a) M S Sahoo (b) Sunil Bajpai (c) Manoj Vaish
 (d) A Balasubramanian (e) G Mahalingam Ans. a
279. Which state's e-proposal system has won a coveted UN Award – "World Summit on the Information Society Forum (WSIS) Prizes 2022", in the category of 'the role of governments and all stakeholders in the promotion of Information and Communication Technologies for development'?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Karnataka (c) Meghalaya (d) Maharashtra (e) Gujarat Ans. c
280. Who among the following has been named the 2022 Laureus Sportsman of the Year?
 (a) Marcel Hug (b) Max Verstappen (c) Rafael Nadal
 (d) Robert Lewandowski (e) Jamie Vardy Ans. b
281. World Day for Laboratory Animals is observed every year on _____.
 (a) 20 April (b) 21 April (c) 22 April (d) 23 April (e) 24 April Ans. e
282. World Immunization Week is celebrated every year in _____.
 (a) First week of April (b) Second week of April (c) Third week of April
 (d) Last week of April (e) None of the above Ans. d

283. World Intellectual Property Day is celebrated every year on _____.
 (a) 24 April (b) 25 April (c) 26 April (d) 27 April (e) 28 April Ans. c
284. International Chernobyl Disaster Remembrance Day is observed every year on _____.
 (a) 26 April (b) 27 April (c) 28 April (d) 29 April (e) 30 April Ans. a
285. M. Vijayan passed away recently. He was a/an _____.
 (a) Epigraphist (b) Archaeologist (c) Historian
 (d) Paleontologist (e) Structural biologist Ans. e
286. Which district has become country's first district with library in every village?
 (a) Reasi district, Jammu & Kashmir (b) Jamtara district, Jharkhand (c) Ukhrul district, Manipur
 (d) Ernakulam district, Kerala (e) Samba district, Jammu Ans. b
287. Government of India & Ministry of AYUSH has organized the first Global Ayush Investment and Innovation Summit (GAIS) 2022 in _____.
 (a) Ahmedabad, Gujarat (b) Bhavnagar, Gujarat (c) Anand, Gujarat
 (d) Porbandar, Gujarat (e) Gandhinagar, Gujarat Ans. e
288. Flipkart has signed a memorandum of understanding with which state government to train and support local artisans, weavers and handicraft makers?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) West Bengal (c) Gujarat
 (d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Haryana Ans. b
289. According to the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI) report, titled 'Trends in World Military Expenditure, 2021', India's military expenditure is the _____ highest in the world.
 (a) 1st (b) 2nd (c) 3rd (d) 4th (e) 5th Ans. c
290. Who among the following has surpassed Warren Buffett to become the fifth richest person in the world, according to the 'Forbes' real-time billionaires list', as of 25 April 2022?
 (a) Gautam Adani (b) Shiv Nadar (c) Ratan Tata
 (d) Mukesh Ambani (e) Azim Premji Ans. a
291. World Bank has provided _____ in financial assistance to Sri Lanka to make payments for essential imports.
 (a) USD 500 million (b) USD 600 million (c) USD 700 million (d) USD 800 million (e) USD 900 million Ans. b
292. Which Payments Bank has partnered with IndusInd Bank to offer fixed deposit (FD) facilities to its customers?
 (a) Airtel Payments Bank (b) Paytm Payments Bank (c) India Post Payments Bank
 (d) Fino Payments Bank (e) Jio Payments Bank Ans. a
293. Which company has expanded its strategic partnership with SBI Cards and Payments Services Ltd to power SBI Card's digital transformation?
 (a) Infosys (b) Accenture (c) Tata Consultancy Services
 (d) Tech Mahindra (e) Wipro Ans. c
294. Which Small Finance Bank has partnered with Kyndryl, an IT infrastructure services provider for a period of 5 years for Digital & IT transformation?
 (a) Jana Small Finance Bank (b) ESAF Small Finance Bank (c) Utkarsh Small Finance Bank
 (d) Equitas Small Finance Bank (e) Suryoday Small Finance Bank Ans. e
295. Youth Affairs and Sports Minister Anurag Thakur has announced that the Khelo India Youth Games 2021 will be organized from 4th to 13th June 2022 in _____.
 (a) Kerala (b) Karnataka (c) Haryana
 (d) Jammu & Kashmir (e) Uttar Pradesh Ans. c
296. India has defeated France in the compound men's team final to win the gold medal in the Archery World Cup Stage-1 held in which country?
 (a) Mongolia (b) Uruguay (c) UAE (d) Egypt (e) Turkey Ans. e

297. How many medals have been won by the Indian wrestlers at the 35th edition of Asian Wrestling Championships 2022 held in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia?
 (a) 12 (b) 14 (c) 17 (d) 19 (e) 21 Ans. c
298. Who is the author of the book titled "Chinese Spies: From Chairman Mao to Xi Jinping"?
 (a) Roger Faligot (b) Natasha Lehrer (c) Martin Horn
 (d) Arundhati Bhattacharya (e) Rajnish Kumar Ans. a
299. World Penguin Day is annually celebrated on _____.
 (a) 25 April (b) 26 April (c) 27 April (d) 28 April (e) 29 April Ans. a
300. James Dringwell Rymbai passed away recently. He was the former Chief Minister of which state?
 (a) Telangana (b) Meghalaya (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Tripura (e) Arunachal Pradesh Ans. b
301. Elvera Britto has passed away recently. She was the captain of which sport's Indian women's team?
 (a) Cricket (b) Football (c) Wrestling (d) Chess (e) Hockey Ans. e
302. India's first 'Amrit Sarovar' has been established at Rampur's Gram Panchayat Patwai in which state?
 (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Assam (d) Jharkhand (e) Kerala Ans. b
303. Which state/UT government has signed an MoU with National Highways Logistic Management Limited (NHLML) for the development of seven ropeway projects?
 (a) Sikkim (b) Jammu & Kashmir (c) Himachal Pradesh
 (d) Ladakh (e) Uttarakhand Ans. c
304. Which city has become the first city in India to have vacuum-based sewers?
 (a) Dhanbad (b) Kanpur (c) Ghaziabad (d) Agra (e) Noida Ans. d
305. Which district has become the first district in India to cover 100% of households under Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (ABPMJAY)- SEHAT scheme?
 (a) Reasi district, Jammu & Kashmir (b) Jamtara district, Jharkhand (c) Ukhrul district, Manipur
 (d) Ernakulam district, Kerala (e) Samba district, Jammu Ans. e
306. Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) has approved the construction of the 540-Megawatt Kwar Hydro Electric project located on which river?
 (a) Chenab (b) Sutlej (c) Ganga (d) Tapti (e) Jhelum Ans. a
307. Which of the following company has become the first Indian company to hit the Rs 19 lakh crore market valuation mark in intra-day trade?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Reliance Industries (c) Indian Oil
 (d) Tata Motors (e) Bharat Petroleum Ans. b
308. Which Fintech firm has collaborated with Bajaj Finance to introduce a fixed deposit feature on its platform by adding a new icon for an improved customer experience?
 (a) Client Alley (b) MassMutual (c) Multigain (d) MetLife (e) FinMapp Ans. e
309. Who has been appointed as chairperson of National Association of Software and Services Companies (Nasscom)?
 (a) Navrang Saini (b) Anant Maheshwari (c) Rekha M Menon (d) Krishnan Ramanujam (e) Rekha Sharma Ans. d
310. Bruce de Broize has been appointed as MD and CEO of which of the following company?
 (a) SBI Life Insurance Company (b) Future Generali India Life Insurance
 (c) Religare Health Insurance Company (d) Bharti AXA Life Insurance (e) Aegon Life Insurance Ans. b
311. Who among the following has taken charge as chairman of Tata Digital?
 (a) Venu Srinivasan (b) Ajay Piramal (c) Pratik Pal
 (d) Mukesh Bansal (e) Natarajan Chandrasekaran Ans. e
312. Larsen & Toubro (L&T) has signed a pact with which IIT to co-research and develop green hydrogen technology?
 (a) IIT Bombay (b) IIT Kanpur (c) IIT Guwahati (d) IIT Kharagpur (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. a

313. Which company has signed an MoU with Equinor ASA, the Norwegian state-owned multinational energy company for collaboration and partnership in areas of upstream exploration and production, midstream, downstream and Clean energy options?
 (a) Coal India Limited (CIL) (b) Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL)
 (c) Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) (d) National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC)
 (e) Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) Ans. c
314. World Stationery Day is celebrated every year on _____.
 (a) Last Wednesday of April (b) Last Thursday of April (c) Last Friday of April
 (d) Last Saturday of April (e) Last Sunday of April Ans. a
315. World Day for Safety and Health at Work is observed globally on _____ every year.
 (a) 25 April (b) 26 April (c) 27 April (d) 28 April (e) 29 April Ans. d
316. International Girls in ICT Day is marked annually on the _____.
 (a) Fourth Monday in April (b) Fourth Tuesday in April (c) Fourth Wednesday in April
 (d) Fourth Thursday in April (e) Fourth Friday in April Ans. d
317. Which state has become the first state in India to develop a website-based Migration Tracking System (MTS) application to track the movement of migrant workers through individual unique identity numbers?
 (a) Gujarat (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Himachal Pradesh
 (d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Maharashtra Ans. e
318. Google has signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with which state government to provide benefits of digital economy to the youth and women entrepreneurs?
 (a) Telangana (b) Assam (c) Bihar (d) Kerala (e) Tamil Nadu Ans. a
319. Which airline has become the first airline in the country to land aircraft using the indigenous navigation system GPS-aided geo-augmented navigation (GAGAN)?
 (a) Air India (b) IndiGo (c) Go First (d) SpiceJet (e) Vistara Ans. b
320. Which organization has approved a USD 47 million financial support to the Government of India for the Mission Karmayogi, a national program to build civil service capacity?
 (a) International Monetary fund (b) Asian Development Bank (c) World bank
 (d) Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (e) New Development Bank Ans. c
321. With which company and NPCI, Pencilton has launched PencilKey, a contactless keychain?
 (a) Amazon Pay (b) InCashMe (c) LivQuik (d) Pine Labs (e) Transcorp Ans. e
322. Which bank has launched " World Gold", a new feature on its mobile banking platform for seniors and the elderly?
 (a) Bank of India (b) State Bank of India (c) Bank of Baroda
 (d) Canara Bank (e) Indian Overseas Bank Ans. c
323. Who has been appointed as the advisor of the Online lending platform, Indifi Technologies?
 (a) Rajnish Kumar (b) Sanjiv Mehta (c) Sanjay Bandopadhyay
 (d) Sambit Patra (e) Dileep Sanghani Ans. a
324. Who has been appointed as the Chairperson of the National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC)?
 (a) Atul Kumar Goel (b) Navrang Saini (c) Arun Kumar Mishra
 (d) Vijay Sampla (e) Ravi Mittal Ans. d
325. Which pharmaceuticals company has received the 'India Pharma Innovation of the Year' Award and was adjudged runners-up in the 'India Pharma CSR of the Year' category, as part of the India Pharma & India Medical Device Awards 2022?
 (a) Glenmark (b) Cipla Ltd (c) Micro Labs
 (d) Zydus Lifesciences (e) Trivitron Healthcare Ans. a
326. Ardeshir B K Dubash has been conferred highest diplomatic award by which of the following country's government?
 (a) Chile (b) Equador (c) Peru (d) Bolivia (e) Venezuela Ans. c

