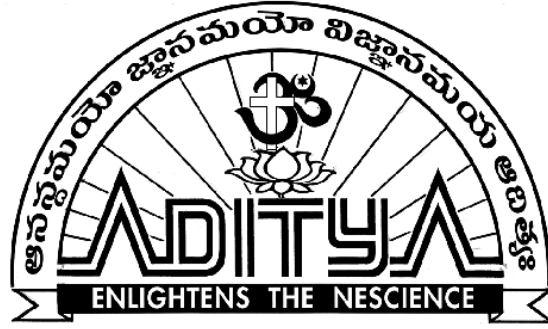


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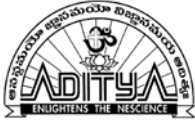
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- The Ministry of Mines has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with which of the following to enhance the knowledge base of the critical minerals processing industry in India?
(a) ReNew Power (b) Adani Enterprises
(c) Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation
(d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power **Ans. c**
- Which state government will establish cyber police stations in 57 districts in the state after the parliamentary elections?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh **Ans. a**
- Which company has signed an MoU with Norwegian company M/s Ocean Sun for the implementation of Floating Solar Energy Technology in India?
(a) ReNew Power (b) TP renewable Microgrid (c) NHPC Limited
(d) NTPC Limited (e) SJVN Limited **Ans. c**
- Who has been awarded the 2024 Goldman Prize from Asia?
(a) Rajendra Prasad Goyal (b) Manish Prasad (c) Alok Shukla
(d) Meenesh Shah (e) Vivek Srivastava **Ans. c**
- The Indian economy could grow more than _____ during the current fiscal amid a benign global outlook and expected above-normal monsoon, according to economic think tank NCAER.
(a) 6.8% (b) 6.4% (c) 6.6% (d) 7.8% (e) 7.0% **Ans. e**
- Who was appointed as the President of Indian Vaccine Manufacturers Association (IVMA) in April 2024?
(a) Dr. Vasudha Gupta (b) Rajiv Kumar (c) Dixit Joshi
(d) Padma Bhushan (e) Krishna Ella **Ans. e**
- Admiral Dinesh K. Tripathi assumed command of the Indian Navy as the _____ Chief of the Naval Staff.
(a) 25th (b) 26th (c) 27th (d) 29th (e) 24th **Ans. b**
- Isidro Pablo Porqueras Orea has been appointed as the Chief of Transformation for which airline company?
(a) Vistra (b) Akasha (c) SpiceJet (d) Air India (e) IndiGo **Ans. e**
- Velavan Senthilkumar, who was seen in news in April 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
(a) Tennis (b) Squash (c) Shooting (d) Wushu (e) Archery **Ans. b**
- Rohit Sharma to lead Indian team for the 2024 T20 Cricket World Cup. India has been placed in group A along with which of the following teams?
(a) Pakistan, Bangladesh, US and Ireland (b) Pakistan, Nepal, Sri Lanka and Ireland
(c) Pakistan, Ireland, Afghanistan and Bangladesh (d) Pakistan, Canada, England and Nepal
(e) Pakistan, Canada, the United States and Ireland **Ans. e**
- India will host the Badminton World Junior Championships 2025 in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Guwahati (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai **Ans. c**
- Which of the following states is celebrated its foundation day every year on May 1st to commemorate the formation of the state in 1960?
(a) Maharashtra & Gujarat (b) Haryana & Gujarat (c) Maharashtra & Goa
(d) Punjab & Haryana (e) Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand **Ans. a**
- International Labour Day is observed every year on which day?
(a) 1 May (b) 2 May (c) 3 May (d) 30 April (e) 29 April **Ans. a**
- Vinay Vir passes away recently at the age of 72. Who was he?
(a) Journalist (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director **Ans. a**

15. India will host the 46th Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting (ATCM 46) and the 26th Meeting of the Committee for Environmental Protection (CEP 26) from 20 to 30 May 2024 in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
 (d) Kochi (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. d
16. India has agreed to train the civil service personnel of which country from 2025 to 2030?
 (a) Tanzania (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Sri Lanka (e) UAE Ans. b
17. India has cut its windfall tax on petroleum crude to _____ Indian rupees a metric ton from 9,600 rupees with effect from May 1.
 (a) 9200 (b) 9000 (c) 8000 (d) 8400 (e) 8800 Ans. d
18. Indian Army and Punit Balan Group have jointly developed a Constitution Park in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Greater Noida (e) Pune Ans. e
19. National Bank for Financing Infrastructure and Development (NaBFID) expects its loan sanctions pipeline to swell to about _____ by March-end 2025 against about Rs.1 lakh crore as of March-end 2024.
 (a) Rs.2 lakh crore (b) Rs.3 lakh crore (c) Rs.4 lakh crore (d) Rs.5 lakh crore (e) Rs.6 lakh crore Ans. a
20. In April 2024, how much rupee's total transactions were done through UPI?
 (a) 17.64 trillion (b) 18.64 trillion (c) 19.64 trillion (d) 21.64 trillion (e) 16.64 trillion Ans. c
21. How much lakh crore rupees were GST collected in April 2024?
 (a) Rs 2.35 lakh cr (b) Rs 2.10 lakh cr (c) Rs 2.80 lakh cr (d) Rs 2.76 lakh cr (e) Rs 1.90 lakh cr Ans. b
22. Hitesh Sethia has been appointed as MD & CEO of which company for 3 years?
 (a) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance (b) Bharti AXA General Insurance (c) Jio Financial Services
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) Bandhan Bank Ans. c
23. According to which report, India's services exports will increase to \$800 billion by 2030 from \$340 billion in 2023, making the external sector resilient to supply-side shocks and reducing rupee volatility?
 (a) Morgan Stanley (b) Moody's (c) UNTCAD (d) SIPRI (e) Goldman Sachs Ans. e
24. Which country will launch the Chang'e-6 lunar probe mission on a round trip to the Moon?
 (a) Australia (b) Russia (c) Japan (d) USA (e) China Ans. e
25. Where was the Supersonic Missile-Assisted Release of Torpedo (SMART) system tested by DRDO recently?
 (a) Kerala (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha
 (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Telangana Ans. c
26. Which country has launched sea trials for the Fujian, its third and most advanced aircraft carrier?
 (a) Australia (b) Russia (c) Japan (d) USA (e) China Ans. e
27. Who has been appointed as the Director of the Department of Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT)?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Maushami Chakraborty (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Joyeeta Gupta (e) Pratima Singh Ans. e
28. According to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, by what percent has the production of eight major industries increased in March 2024?
 (a) 5.3d% (b) 5.9% (c) 6.4% (d) 5.2% (e) 6.3% Ans. d
29. Which company will be the lead arm sponsor for USA's cricket team in ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2024?
 (a) Amul (b) Mother Dairy (c) Tata (d) Dream 11 (e) Rummy Ans. a
30. Who has been appointed as Secretary of National Jute Board?
 (a) Shashi Bhushan Singh (b) Neeli Bendapudi (c) Gitanjali Rao
 (d) Sheetal Sharma (e) Deepika Misra Ans. a
31. NPCI International Payments Limited (NIPL) has signed an agreement with the _____ to support them in developing an instant payment system like Unified Payment Interface (UPI) for _____.
 (a) Bank of Australia, Australia (b) Bank of Namibia, Namibia (c) Bank of China, China
 (d) Bank of Denmark, Denmark (e) Bank of Egypt, Egypt Ans. b
32. In May 2024, which company received authorization from RBI to operate as an Online Payment Aggregraor under the Payment and Settlement Systems Act of 2007?
 (a) Groww (b) Paytm (c) Digio (d) Cello (e) PhonePe Ans. a

33. Who has been appointed as Director General of All India Radio (AIR)?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Maushami Chakraborty (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Joyeeta Gupta (e) Sheyphali Sharan Ans. b
34. Jeremiah Manele has been elected new prime minister of which country?
 (a) Mangolia (b) Solomon Islands (c) Sudan
 (d) Namibia (e) Oman Ans. b
35. Devon Thomas has imposed a 5-year ban after he was found guilty of fixing matches in the Caribbean Premier League, Lankan Premier League and the franchise-based league in the UAE by the ICC. For which team does he play cricket?
 (a) England (b) West Indies (c) Sri Lanka (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. b
36. Who has been awarded the title of Grandmaster by the International Chess Federation (FIDE) in May 2024?
 (a) R Praggnanandhaa (b) Aravindh Chithambaram (c) Alexandr Predke
 (d) Vaishali Ramesh Babu (e) Jaykumar Sammed Ans. d
37. Indian wildlife biologist, Purnima Devi Barman has been conferred with the Whitley Gold Award 2024 in May 2024. She is from which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. c
38. World Tuna Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 1 May (b) 2 May (c) 3 May (d) 4 May (e) 5 May Ans. b
39. World Press Freedom Day is observed every year on 3 May. What is the theme of World Press Freedom Day 2024?
 (a) Shaping a Future of Rights (b) Journalism under Digital Siege
 (c) Information as a Public Good (d) A Press for the Planet
 (e) Journalism without Fear or Favour Ans. d
40. Uma Ramanan passed away recently at the age of 72. Who was she?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Sculptor (d) Singer (e) Historian Ans. d
41. In May 2024, India and Nigeria have agreed to an early conclusion of the Local Currency Settlement System Agreement to strengthen bilateral economic ties. Which continent is the country of Nigeria located in?
 (a) Europe (b) Asia (c) Africa (d) North America (e) South America Ans. c
42. The Appointment committee of Cabinet has approved the appointment of _____ as President GST Appellate Tribunal (GSTAT) for 4 years.
 (a) Sanjaya Kumar Mishra (b) Arindam Bagchi (c) Indra Mani Pandey
 (d) Tanu Singh (e) Vivek Murthy Ans. a
43. Consider the following points about World Press Freedom Index 2024:
 (i) The index is released by Reporters Without Borders.
 (ii) India at 159 among 180 countries in the index.
 (iii) Denmark tops the index.
 (iv) Syria is at the bottom of the index.
 How many of the given statement(s) is/are CORRECT?
 (a) only one (b) only two (c) only three (d) all are correct (e) all are incorrect Ans. b
44. In May 2024, Neobanking startup Fi has secured a non-banking finance company (NBFC) licence from the Reserve Bank of India. In which year Fi was established?
 (a) 2023 (b) 2022 (c) 2021 (d) 2020 (e) 2019 Ans. e
45. The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) has raised its growth forecast for India by 40 basis points to how much per cent for 2024-25?
 (a) 6.2% (b) 6.4% (c) 6.6% (d) 6.8% (e) 6.1% Ans. c
46. Which company has secured USD 400 million finance from a consortium of five international banks for its under-construction solar projects of 750 MW in Gujarat and Rajasthan?
 (a) ReNew Power (b) Adani Green Energy (c) REC Limited
 (d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. b

47. Which bank has partnered with Bengaluru-based financial services provider ANQ to unveil two new credit cards 'Pi' and 'Phi' designed for Indian consumers?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. c
48. Which insurance company has unveiled its latest campaign, 'No Jhanjhat Life Insurance Fatafat'?
 (a) Bajaj Allianz Insurance (b) Bharti AXA Insurance (c) SBI Life Insurance
 (d) Max Life Insurance (e) HDFC Life Insurance Ans. e
49. The Reserve Bank of India has approved the re-appointment of Atanu Chakraborty as part-time Chairman of which bank for three years?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. d
50. Who has been appointed as MD of Raymond for 5 years?
 (a) Rajendra Prasad Goyal (b) Manish Prasad (c) Pramod Sharma
 (d) Gautam Hari Singhania (e) Vivek Srivastava Ans. d
51. Carol Furtado has been appointed as executive director of which Small Finance Bank in May 2024?
 (a) AU Small Finance Bank Limited (b) Capital Small Finance Bank Limited
 (c) Suryoday Small Finance Bank (d) Shivalik Small Finance Bank
 (e) Ujjivan Small Finance Bank Ans. e
52. International Firefighters' Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 2 May (b) 3 May (c) 4 May (d) 5 May (e) 6 May Ans. c
53. Coal Miners Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 2 May (b) 3 May (c) 4 May (d) 5 May (e) 6 May Ans. c
54. In May 2024, State-owned REC Ltd has received a 'No Objection Certificate' (NOC) from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) for setting up a subsidiary in which city of Gujarat?
 (a) Vadodara (b) Ahmedabad (c) Surat (d) Gandhinagar (e) Rajkot Ans. d
55. Recently, which country has signed an agreement to connect India's payment system - Unified Payments Interface with its country's interbank payment and settlement systems?
 (a) Sri Lanka (b) Ghana (c) Sudan (d) Zimbabwe (e) Oman Ans. b
56. Which company will launch the world's first compressed natural gas (CNG) motorcycle in June 2024?
 (a) Hero (b) Honda (c) Hyundai (d) Bajaj Auto (e) Ola Ans. d
57. Who have been named as laureates of the 2024 Guillermo Cano World Press Prize?
 (a) Indian Journalists (b) Russian Journalists (c) Ukrainian Journalists
 (d) Isralian Journalists (e) Palestinian Journalists Ans. e
58. India's premier biennial motor show "Auto Expo" will be held in which city in 2025?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
 (d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. b
59. Which company has launched FWD-200B in Bengaluru, marking India's entry into indigenous bomber UAV manufacturing?
 (a) Tata Advanced Systems (b) National Aerospace Laboratories
 (c) Defence and Aerospace Technologies (d) Boeing Rotorcraft Systems
 (e) Safran Helicopter Engines Ans. c
60. Sanjeev Nautiyal has been appointed as MD & CEO of which Small Finance Bank for the period of 3 years?
 (a) AU Small Finance Bank Limited (b) Capital Small Finance Bank Limited
 (c) Suryoday Small Finance Bank (d) Shivalik Small Finance Bank
 (e) Ujjivan Small Finance Bank Ans. e
61. UNICEF India has appointed whom as its new National Ambassador?
 (a) Anushka Sharma (b) Kareena Kapoor Khan (c) Priyanka Chopra
 (d) Katrina Kaif (e) Aishwarya Rai Ans. b

62. Consider the following points about Thomas and Uber Cup Title 2024:
 (i) China has won the Thomas Cup title and it was the 11th title win for China.
 (ii) Uber Cup is related to Badminton.
 (iii) The Chinese women's team defeated Indonesia 3-0 to win the Uber Cup for the 16th time.
 (iv) 2024 Thomas and Uber Cup was played in the Chinese city of Chengdu.
 How many of the given points(s) is/are CORRECT?
 (a) only one (b) only two (c) only three (d) all are correct (e) all are incorrect Ans. d
63. India's Tejaswin Shankar, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
 (a) Hockey (b) Weightlifting (c) High Jump (d) Football (e) Cricket Ans. c
64. Who has won the Formula 1 Miami Grand Prix 2024?
 (a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Lewis Hamilton (c) Max Verstappen
 (d) Carlos Sainz (e) Lando Norris Ans. e
65. World no.1 women's tennis players Iga Swiatek has won the Women's Singles Titles at the 2024 Madrid Open. She is from which country?
 (a) Poland (b) Belarus (c) Spain (d) Czech Republic (e) Australia Ans. a
66. International No Diet Day is observed every year on 6 May. What is the theme of International No Diet Day 2024?
 (a) Reject Diet Accept Yoga (b) Embrace Yourself: Reject Diet Culture, Love You
 (c) Food Safety (d) Health At Any Size (HAES)
 (e) Embrace body diversity and challenge the idea of one 'right' body shape Ans. b
67. International Day of the Midwife is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 4 May (b) 5 May (c) 6 May (d) 7 May (e) 8 May Ans. b
68. World Laughter Day is celebrated every year on first _____ of May.
 (a) Saturday (b) Sunday (c) Monday (d) Tuesday (e) Thursday Ans. b
69. Under which initiative Thomas Cook India has launched video KYC for its retail foreign exchange customers for a safe digital transactions?
 (a) Forex Near to Home (b) No Jhanjhat Forex Fatafat (c) KYC Aapke Dwar
 (d) Ab Forex Dur Nhi (e) Ab Forex Ghar Baithe Ans. e
70. Which bank has rolled out a new facility allowing its non-resident Indian (NRI) customers to make Unified Payments Interface (UPI) transactions in India using their international mobile numbers?
 (a) ICICI Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) IndusInd Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) Bandhan Bank Ans. a
71. India Ratings and Research has revised upward the country's GDP growth estimate for FY25 to how much per cent from 6.5 per cent earlier?
 (a) 7.1% (b) 6.6% (c) 6.8% (d) 6.9% (e) 7.0% Ans. a
72. Recently, Researchers have discovered the world's deepest blue hole named Taam Ja' Blue Hole (TJBH) in which country?
 (a) South Korea (b) Mexico (c) Japan (d) Australia (e) Germany Ans. b
73. Where are the rocks that provided the oldest evidence of Earth's magnetic field collected?
 (a) Aravalli Range (b) Andes (c) Antarctica
 (d) Greenland (e) Atlas Mountains Ans. d
74. José Raúl Mulino has been elected as the president of which country?
 (a) Panama (b) Ghana (c) Sudan (d) Zimbabwe (e) Oman Ans. a
75. Who has been appointed as the Director General of the National Institute of Solar Energy (NISE)?
 (a) Ganesan Kannabiran (b) Mohammad Rihan (c) Pramod Sharma
 (d) Parminder Chopra (e) Vivek Srivastava Ans. b
76. Amid poll boycotts and apprehension over low voting rates among urban voters, the Gurgaon administration has announced which cricketer as its brand ambassador for the election?
 (a) Yuzvendra Chahal (b) Bhuvneshwar Kumar (c) Renuka Singh
 (d) Smriti Mandhana (e) Deepti Sharma Ans. a

77. Japan has won the Men's AFC Under-23 Asian Cup for the second time by defeating which country?
 (a) Kazakhstan (b) Uzbekistan (c) Kyrgyzstan (d) Turkmenistan (e) Tajikistan Ans. b
78. Which team has won the 2023-24 Indian Super League title?
 (a) Mohun Bagan (b) Jamshedpur FC (c) FC Goa (d) Bengaluru FC (e) Mumbai City FC Ans. a
79. World Asthma Day is observed every year on first Tuesday of May. This year was observed on 7 May. What is the theme of World Asthma Day 2024?
 (a) Asthma Care for All (b) Closing Gaps in Asthma Care
 (c) Uncovering Asthma Misconceptions (d) Enough Asthma Deaths
 (e) Asthma Education Empowers Ans. e
80. World Athletics Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 5 May (b) 6 May (c) 7 May (d) 8 May (e) 9 May Ans. c
81. _____ and screen writer Harikumar passed away recently.
 (a) Odia director (b) Malayalam director (c) Gujrati director
 (d) Marathi director (e) Kannada director Ans. b
82. Frank Shrontz passed away recently at the age of 92. He was former CEO of which company?
 (a) Embraer (b) Boeing (c) Qatar Airways
 (d) Blue Origin (e) Lockheed Martin Ans. b
83. Which operation has been started by the Indian Air Force to extinguish the forest fire near Nainital in Uttarakhand?
 (a) Indra Bucket Operation (b) Vishu Bucket Operation (c) Water Bucket Operation
 (d) Swift Operation (e) Bambi Bucket Operation Ans. e
84. Which startup of IIT Madras has launched first India-made high-performance SoC (system on chip)?
 (a) Teqsta Labs Pvt Ltd. (b) CysterCare Pvt Ltd. (c) Sociodent Private Limited.
 (d) Clinfo Trialmate Pvt Ltd. (e) Mindgrove Technologies Ans. e
85. Which of the following has imposed a penalty of Rs 1 crore on Go Digit General Insurance for non-disclosure of a change in the conversion ratio of compulsorily convertible preference shares (CCPS)?
 (a) NABARD (b) RBI (c) IRDAI (d) SEBI (e) SIDBI Ans. c
86. Which bank has been recognized as a 'Best Employer' 2023 by Kincentric for the fourth consecutive year?
 (a) DBS Bank India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. a
87. The payments platform of fintech firm Infibeam Avenues, CCAvenue has partnered with which Small Finance Bank to provide merchants access?
 (a) AU Small Finance Bank Limited (b) Capital Small Finance Bank Limited
 (c) Fincare Small Finance Bank Limited (d) Shivalik Small Finance Bank
 (e) Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited Ans. d
88. Which Insurance company has launched Unit Linked Investment Plan (ULIP) having fund value-based distributor payouts?
 (a) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance (b) ICICI Prudential Life Insurance
 (c) Kotak Mahindra Life Insurance (d) Go Digit General Insurance
 (e) Universal Sompo General Insurance Ans. b
89. Which trading platform has secured the prestigious title of Best Trading Platform in India for the second consecutive year?
 (a) Upstox (b) UnoCoin (c) AngelOne (d) Groww (e) QuantPower Ans. e
90. Digital payments platform Visa has appointed whom as the country manager for India?
 (a) Rajendra Prasad Goyal (b) Manish Prasad (c) Sujai Raina
 (d) Meenesh Shah (e) Vivek Srivastava Ans. c
91. Who has won the Oxford Bookstore Book Cover Prize 2024 for "The Book Beautiful"?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Maushami Chakraborty (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Joyeeta Gupta (e) Bhavi Mehta Ans. e
92. Which state government has launched the "School on Wheels" initiative aiming to impart education to students sheltered in relief camps?
 (a) Tripura (b) Mizoram (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. d

93. Who has been appointed as Director in the Ministry of Ayush?
 (a) Smita Sarangi (b) Arindam Bagchi (c) Subodh Kumar
 (d) Tanu Singh (e) Senthil Pandian C Ans. c
94. Time of Remembrance and Reconciliation for Those Who Lost Their Lives During the Second World War is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 7 and 8 May (b) 8 and 9 May (c) 9 and 10 May (d) 11 and 12 May (e) 6 and 7 May Ans. b
95. The Border Road Organization (BRO) celebrated its _____ raising day on 7 May 2024.
 (a) 64th (b) 63rd (c) 65th (d) 67th (e) 69th Ans. c
96. World Red Cross Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 7 May (b) 8 May (c) 9 May (d) 10 May (e) 11 May Ans. b
97. In May 2024, which private space company successfully launched its Agnibaan SORTeD mission, a single-stage launch vehicle demonstration powered by a semi-cryogenic 3D-printed engine?
 (a) Skyroot Aerospace (b) Bellatrix Aerospace
 (c) Gilmour Space Technologies (d) Speciale Invest (e) Agnikul Cosmos Ans. e
98. Who has been appointed as brand ambassador of Muthoot Pappachan Group?
 (a) Shah Rukh Khan (b) Yami Gautam (c) Pankaj Tripathi
 (d) Mahendra Singh Dhoni (e) Rajkummar Rao Ans. a
99. Which Small Finance Bank has forged a bancassurance tie-up with ICICI Lombard General Insurance Company Ltd. (ICICI Lombard)?
 (a) AU Small Finance Bank Limited (b) Capital Small Finance Bank Limited
 (c) Fincare Small Finance Bank Limited (d) Shivalik Small Finance Bank
 (e) Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited Ans. b
100. What percentage of GDP growth has been estimated by the Reserve Bank of India in the current financial year?
 (a) 7.0% (b) 7.1% (c) 7.2% (d) 7.5% (e) 7.8% Ans. a
101. In May 2024, which country has signed 20-Year Power Deal with Adani Green Energy for Wind Stations?
 (a) Malaysia (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. e
102. Indian Coast Guard has signed an MoU with which company for the supply of indigenous marine-grade steel?
 (a) ReNew Power (b) Jindal Steel and Power (c) JSW Energy
 (d) Tata Steel (e) Adani Steel Ans. b
103. In May 2024, the Competition Commission of India (CCI) has approved the acquisition of additional shares in Sikkim Urja Limited by Greenko Energies Private Limited. Greenko Energies is a limited liability company incorporated in which country?
 (a) Malaysia (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. d
104. Which bank has formed an association with Northern Arc Capital aiming to explore and maximize commercial prospects by combining efforts in loan origination, underwriting, disbursement, collection, and reconciliation procedures?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) IDFC First Bank Ans. a
105. Which bank has supported social sector startups in India with grants worth Rs 19.6 crore in FY24, in partnership with Atal Innovation Mission (under NITI Aayog)?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. d
106. Reserve Bank of India lifted the restrictions on Bank of Baroda, allowing the bank to resume onboarding new customers through its 'Bob World' mobile application. In which year Bank of Baroda was founded?
 (a) 1917 (b) 1908 (c) 1949 (d) 1963 (e) 1997 Ans. b
107. Vladimir Putin was sworn in as president of the Russian Federation for the fifth time. What is the term of the President of Russia?
 (a) 4 years (b) 5 years (c) 6 years (d) 7 years (e) 8 years Ans. c

108. SBI General Insurance has appointed whom as Head of Key Relations Group?
 (a) Pranav Haridasan (b) Ashwani Kumar (c) Deepak Mohanty
 (d) Jaya Tripathi (e) Siddhartha Mohanty Ans. d
109. Which of the following company has launched 'The Complete Home Loan' facility?
 (a) Muthoot Finance (b) Mahindra & Mahindra Financial Services Limited
 (c) Shriram Transport Finance Corporation Ltd. (d) LIC Housing Finance
 (e) L&T Finance Ltd Ans. e
110. Columbia University of the United States of America announced the 2024 Pulitzer Prize winners recently. When was the Pulitzer Prize started?
 (a) 1934 (b) 1917 (c) 1951 (d) 1968 (e) 1985 Ans. b
111. Which state government has launched the Pirul Lao-Paise Pao campaign to contain the raging forest fire in the state?
 (a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Sikkim (c) Himachal Pradesh
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Uttarakhand Ans. e
112. World Thalassaemia Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 6 May (b) 7 May (c) 8 May (d) 9 May (e) 10 May Ans. c
113. Sangeeth Sivan passed away recently at the age of 61. Who was he?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Filmmaker Ans. e
114. The renowned Urdu litterateur and academician, Shaikh Abdussalam Abdurrazzaq passed away recently at the age of 83. Razzaq won the prestigious Sahitya Akademi Award for Urdu literature for his acclaimed short stories collection, 'Shikasta Buton Ke Darmiyan' in which year?
 (a) 2022 (b) 2019 (c) 2014 (d) 2008 (e) 2004 Ans. e
115. According to the Global Electricity Review report, what was the rank of India in the world in Solar power production in 2023?
 (a) First (b) Second (c) Third (d) Fourth (e) Fifth Ans. c
116. Which company has launched India's first crowd-supported weather network with over 650 weather stations, the largest private setup in India, for real-time local weather data?
 (a) Domino's (b) Amul (c) Food Panda (d) Swiggy (e) Zomato Ans. e
117. Nine projects sanctioned from the electronics and communication systems (ECS) cluster of DRDO were handed over to which IIT in May 2024?
 (a) IIT Guwahati (b) IIT Delhi (c) IIT Madras
 (d) IIT Bhubaneswar (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. d
118. In May 2024, Indian Coast Guard has signed MoU with which company for manufacturing and supply of indigenous marine-grade aluminium for construction of ships?
 (a) Reliance Industries Limited (b) Larsen & Toubro (L&T)
 (c) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (d) Tata Advanced Systems
 (e) Hindalco Industries Ans. e
119. In May 2024, Wrestling's world governing body (UWW) has suspended whom till the end of this year following NADA's decision to hand him a provisional suspension for refusing to undergo a dope test?
 (a) Bajrang Punia (b) Sakshi Malik (c) Ravi Kumar Dahiya
 (d) Mirabai Chanu (e) Lovlina Borgohain Ans. a
120. Who has been appointed as the President of Larsen and Toubro?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Dinesh Dasa (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Manoj Soni (e) R Shankar Raman Ans. e
121. Who has been appointed as the Chairman of HDFC Life?
 (a) Keki Mistry (b) Ashwani Kumar (c) Deepak Mohanty
 (d) Tablesh Pandey (e) Siddhartha Mohanty Ans. a
122. Who has been bestowed with the prestigious Global Pride of Sindhi Award 2024 for Outstanding Social Work?
 (a) Deepak Shenoy (b) Neeli Bendapudi (c) Pawan Sindhi
 (d) Shanti Lakra (e) Deepika Misra Ans. c

123. Which platform has secured Gold in the 'Best Product Iteration' category at the INMA Awards 2024?
 (a) Netflix (b) Amazon Prime (c) Disney (d) OTTplay (e) SonyLiv Ans. d
124. Which company has been recognized and honored by the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) for its outstanding commitment to quality and branding excellence?
 (a) Yucky Science (b) Juplay (c) Genius Box (d) Giggles (e) CreativeKidz Ans. c
125. Which company will sponsor Sri Lanka Men's Team in the ICC T20 World Cup 2024?
 (a) Vivo (b) Mother Dairy (c) Rummy (d) Deream11 (e) Amul Ans. e
126. India clinched how many gold medals at the Asian Open Pickleball Championships in Vietnam?
 (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5 (e) 6 Ans. b
127. World Lupus Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 7 May (b) 8 May (c) 9 May (d) 10 May (e) 11 May Ans. d
128. International Day of Argania is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 7 May (b) 8 May (c) 9 May (d) 10 May (e) 11 May Ans. d
129. Varugeese Koshy passed away recently at the of 66 years. He was related to which sport?
 (a) Tennis (b) Chess (c) Badminton (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. b
130. According to the latest data released by the Union Ministry of Commerce, which country was the largest export destination for Indian merchandise goods in 2023-24?
 (a) Russia (b) UAE (c) Saudi Arabia (d) Singapore (e) China Ans. b
131. In May 2024, India signed an MoU with which country for the conservation of sharks and rays in the Arabian Sea?
 (a) Tanzania (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. c
132. In May 2024, India signed an agreement with which country for Visa Waiver on Diplomatic and Official Passports?
 (a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) Moldova (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. c
133. India has contributed _____ to the U.N. Counter-Terrorism Trust Fund, underscoring its unwavering commitment to support multilateral efforts in the global fight against the scourge of terrorism.
 (a) \$1,00,000 (b) \$50,000 (c) \$5,00,000 (d) \$5000 (e) \$55,00,000 Ans. c
134. Which of the following fintech platforms has launched its 'Digital Credit' as a service for banks in India?
 (a) Paytm (b) PhonePe (c) GooglePay (d) Zeta (e) Instamojo Ans. d
135. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has appointed R Lakshmi Kanth Rao as Executive Director (ED). As executive director, Rao will handle which of the following department?
 (a) Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation of India
 (b) Indian Financial Technology and Allied Services (c) Reserve Bank Innovation Hub
 (d) Reserve Bank Information Technology Private Limited
 (e) Bharatiya Reserve Bank Note Mudran Private Limited Ans. a
136. Mahamat Idris Deby Itno has been elected as the president of which country?
 (a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) Brazil (d) Chad (e) Scotland Ans. d
137. In May 2024, Omnichannel forex services company Thomas Cook India launched a new digital service for International Money Transfers. What is the name of this digital service?
 (a) MCPay (b) BCPay (c) TCPay (d) UPay (e) CPay Ans. c
138. Which edition of the joint military exercise Shakti between the Indian and the French forces will be held at the Joint Training Node of the Indian Army in Umroi, Meghalaya, from 13 -26 May 2024?
 (a) 5th (b) 6th (c) 7th (d) 8th (e) 9th Ans. c
139. Colin Munro has announced his retirement from International Cricket. Munro was played for which of the following National Cricket team?
 (a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. b
140. National Technology Day is celebrated annually in India on which day?
 (a) 12 May (b) 13 May (c) 9 May (d) 10 May (e) 11 May Ans. e
141. World Migratory Bird Day is observed every year on the second Saturday of May. This year was celebrated on 11 May. What is the theme of World Migratory Bird Day 2024?
 (a) Birds (b) Insects (c) Fishes (d) Dolphin (e) Animals Ans. b

142. Kami Rita has scaled Mount Everest for the 29th time, surpassing his own record of 28 ascents. He belongs to which country?
 (a) Sri Lanka (b) Nepal (c) Bhutan (d) India (e) Bangladesh Ans. b
143. In which district of Chhattisgarh will the first 15 MW floating solar plant be set up by Bhilai Steel Plant (BSP)?
 (a) Dhamtari (b) Gariaband (c) Durg (d) Mahasamund (e) Raipur Ans. c
144. Which bank has recently announced that it will close inoperative accounts of customers on 1 June 2024?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Punjab National Bank (c) UCO Bank
 (d) Indian Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. b
145. Hinduja Group's IndusInd International Holdings (IIHL) has received approval from which organization for the acquisition of Reliance Capital in May 2024?
 (a) NABARD (b) RBI (c) IRDAI (d) SEBI (e) SIDBI Ans. c
146. WHO's Chief Scientist, Dr Soumya Swaminathan to be awarded honorary doctorate by McGill University. McGill University is the university of which country?
 (a) France (b) Russia (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. e
147. Who has been elected as a director of IFFCO (Indian Farmers Fertilizers Co-op Ltd.)?
 (a) Rajendra Prasad Goyal (b) Manish Prasad (c) Vivek Bipindada Kolhe
 (d) Meenesh Shah (e) Vivek Srivastava Ans. c
148. Senior IPS Officer Idashisha Nongrang has been appointed as first woman Director General of Police (DGP) of which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) Sikkim (c) Assam
 (d) Arunachal Pradesh (e) Meghalaya Ans. e
149. Japan won its maiden Sultan Azlan Shah trophy by defeating Pakistan in the final. Sultan Azlan Shah trophy is related to which sport?
 (a) Hockey (b) Tennis (c) Badminton (d) Football (e) Cricket Ans. a
150. Hemant Khatri has been honoured with 'PSU Samarpan Award' by Gov Connect in May 2024. Khatri is currently CMD of which company?
 (a) Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders (b) Hindustan Shipyard (c) ABG Shipyard
 (d) Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers (e) Cochin Shipyard Limited Ans. b
151. Neeraj Chopra finishes second with a best throw of _____ in Doha Diamond League?
 (a) 88.36 m (b) 88.38 m (c) 88.30 m (d) 88.66 m (e) 88.96 m Ans. a
152. The International Day of Plant Health (IDPH) is observed every on which day?
 (a) 11 May (b) 12 May (c) 13 May (d) 15 May (e) 14 May Ans. b
153. International Nurses Day is observed every year on 12 May. What is the theme of International Nurses Day 2024?
 (a) Our Nurses. Our Future
 (b) Nurses: A Voice to Lead, Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
 (c) Nurses: A Voice to Lead – Health is a Human right (d) Nurses: A Voice to Lead – Health for All
 (e) Our Future, The economic power of care Ans. e
154. Recently, which date has been proclaimed by the United Nations as World Football Day?
 (a) 20 May (b) 25 May (c) 1 June (d) 25 August (e) 17 May Ans. b
155. Famous Punjabi poet Surjit Patar passed away recently at the age of 79. In which year did he receive the Padma Shri award?
 (a) 2022 (b) 2018 (c) 2016 (d) 2012 (e) 2010 Ans. d
156. The Union Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship has launched a pilot project for the Namu Drone Didi project with which company?
 (a) Hyundai Motor India Limited (b) Mahindra & Mahindra (c) Suzuki Motor Corporation
 (d) Mercedes-Benz (e) Tata Motors Ltd Ans. b
157. In a goodwill gesture, India has decided to extend vital budgetary support to which country's government with the rollover of a USD 50 million Treasury Bill for another year?
 (a) Iran (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. b
158. With how much dollars, China has emerged as India's largest trading partner in FY 2024?
 (a) \$108.8 billion (b) \$118.3 billion (c) \$118.4 billion (d) \$128.4 billion (e) \$108.4 billion Ans. c

159. Which Indian company will operate the Shahid Beheshti terminal of the Chabahar Port of Iran?
 (a) Adani Ports & SEZ (b) Kamarajar Port Limited
 (c) Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust (d) Mumbai Port Trust
 (e) India Ports Global Ltd Ans. e
160. As measured by the Consumer Price Index (CPI), how much percent retail inflation was recorded in April 2024?
 (a) 4.63% (b) 4.93% (c) 4.83% (d) 4.53% (e) 4.23% Ans. c
161. Who has been appointed as Chairman of Tata Electronics?
 (a) Cyrus Mistry (b) Pranav Chandrasekaran (c) N. Chandrasekaran
 (d) T. V. Narendran (e) Subramanian Ramadorai Ans. c
162. Wipro has appointed whom as the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Asia Pacific, India, Middle East, and Africa (APMEA) strategic market unit (SMU)?
 (a) Rajendra Prasad Goyal (b) Vinay Firake (c) Pramod Sharma
 (d) Meenesh Shah (e) Vivek Srivastava Ans. b
163. Who has assumed role of Chief of Personnel in Indian Navy?
 (a) Anish Dayal Singh (b) Sanjay Bhalla (c) Vineet McCarty
 (d) Umesh Mishra (e) Subodh Kumar Jaiswal Ans. b
164. How many Indian Wrestlers have qualified for the Paris Olympics 2024?
 (a) 4 (b) 5 (c) 6 (d) 7 (e) 8 Ans. c
165. Srishti Khandagale, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
 (a) Gymnast (b) Shotput (c) Badminton (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. a
166. Who has been appointed the captain of the Indian women's team for the 22 Asian Team Squash Championship?
 (a) Joshna Chinappa (b) Rathika Seelan (c) Anahat Singh
 (d) Nikita Vijay (e) Dipika Pallikal Ans. b
167. International Tennis Federation (ITF) Junior 30 Tournament has begun in which city, recently?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Greater Noida (e) Lucknow Ans. e
168. Which Indian company has announced the creation of a Global Artificial Intelligence (AI) Centre of Excellence in Paris, during the Choose France Summit?
 (a) HCL Technologies (b) Accenture (c) Wipro
 (d) Infosys (e) Tata Consultancy Services Ans. e
169. Who is the 85th Chess Grandmaster of India?
 (a) R Praggnanandhaa (b) Vaishali Rameshbabu (c) Alexandr Predke
 (d) P Shyaamnikhil (e) Jaykumar Sammed Ans. d
170. Former Deputy Chief Minister of Bihar Sushil Kumar Modi passed away recently at the age of 72. Which political party did he belong to?
 (a) Congress (b) Bahujan Samaj Party (c) Samajwadi Party
 (d) Rashtriya Janata Dal (e) Bharatiya Janata Party Ans. e
171. Which Indian cultural items have been included in UNESCO's Memory of the World Asia-Pacific Regional Register 2024?
 (i) Ramayana (ii) Mahabharata (iii) Ramcharitmanas
 (iv) Panchantantra (v) Sah.dayaloka-Locana
 (a) only i & ii (b) only ii & iii & v (c) only iii & iv (d) only iii, iv & v (e) All of above Ans. d
172. Consider the following points about Public Sector Banks' (PSBs) total profit in FY24:
 (i) Public sector banks' cumulative profit crossed Rs.1.4 lakh crore in FY24.
 (ii) This is a growth of 45 per cent over the previous year on a high base of Rs 1 lakh crore.
 (iii) State Bank of India (SBI) alone contributed over 40 per cent of the total earnings.
 (iv) SBI earned a profit of Rs.61,077 crore 22 per cent higher than the previous financial year (Rs.50,232 crore).
 (v) The only public sector bank out of 12 reported drops in profit was Central Bank of India.
 (vi) In percentage terms Punjab National Bank had the highest net profit growth with 128 per cent to Rs.8,245 crore.
 How many of the given point(s) is/are INCORRECT?
 (a) only one (b) only two (c) only three (d) only four (e) all are correct Ans. c

173. Which bank has launched its first virtual credit card 'PIXEL Play' and 'PIXEL Go'?
- (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
(d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. d
174. Where was the World Hydrogen Summit and Exhibition 2024 held?
- (a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) Brazil (d) Finland (e) Scotland Ans. a
175. Moody's Ratings projected a _____ growth rate for the Indian economy in the fiscal year ending March 2025 (FY25).
- (a) 6.2% (b) 6.4% (c) 6.6% (d) 6.8% (e) 6.0% Ans. c
176. New York-based private equity firm Warburg Pincus will acquire which company in a deal valued at Rs.4,630 crore for equity and convertible instruments?
- (a) Muthoot Finance (b) Mahindra & Mahindra Financial Services Limited
(c) Shriram Housing Finance (d) LIC Housing Finance
(e) PNB Housing Finance Limited Ans. c
177. As measured by the Wholesale Price Index (WPI), how much percent retail inflation was recorded in April 2024?
- (a) 0.26% (b) 1.26% (c) 1.06% (d) 0.36% (e) 1.46% Ans. b
178. Andrei Belousov has been appointed as new defence minister of which country?
- (a) Australia (b) Russia (c) Japan (d) USA (e) China Ans. b
179. Which bank has secured the distinction of being the first bank to become a trading-cum-clearing (TCM) Member of India International Bullion Exchange at the GIFT City in Gujarat?
- (a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
(d) HDFC Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. a
180. Who has been honoured with the Global Excellence Award 2024 for Outstanding Contributions in Education?
- (a) Deepak Shenoy (b) Neeli Bendapudi (c) Chandrakant Satija
(d) Shanti Lakra (e) Deepika Misra Ans. c
181. Abha Khatua, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
- (a) Tennis (b) Shotput (c) Shooting (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. b
182. Pace legend James Anderson has announced his retirement from internationals cricket. James Anderson played for which of the following National Cricket team?
- (a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. a
183. International Day of Families is celebrated every year on which day?
- (a) 14 May (b) 15 May (c) 16 May (d) 13 May (e) 18 May Ans. b
184. Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited (MDL) celebrated its 250th Foundation Day on 14 May 2024. Mazagoan Dock Limited shipyard comes under which ministry of GoI?
- (a) Ministry of Home Affairs (b) Ministry of Defence
(c) Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (d) Ministry of Civil Aviation
(e) Ministry of Corporate Affairs Ans. b
185. Which institute has signed an MoU with the University of Bolton Institute of Medicine to collaborate in the field of medical research, innovation and education?
- (a) AIIMS Gandhinagar (b) AIIMS New Delhi (c) AIIMS Gorakhpur
(d) AIIMS Rishikesh (e) AIIMS Gorakhpur Ans. b
186. Which country has become the country with the highest data center capacity in the Asia-Pacific region, surpassing major countries like Australia, Hong Kong SAR, Japan, Singapore, and Korea?
- (a) India (b) Russia (c) Spain (d) USA (e) China Ans. a
187. Recently, Sela Tunnel has been recognized as the highest tunnel of India by the International Book of Honour, England. Where is Sela Tunnel located?
- (a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Sikkim (c) Himachal Pradesh
(d) Jammu and Kashmir (e) Uttarakhand Ans. a
188. According to the commerce ministry data, India registered record exports in financial year 2023-24 at _____.
- (a) USD 728 Billion (b) USD 738 Billion (c) USD 768 Billion
(d) USD 778 Billion (e) USD 798 Billion Ans. d

189. Which defence force has launched Operation Sadbhavana' to provide essential aid and healthcare in North Sikkim?
 (a) Indian Army (b) Indian Air Force (c) Indian Navy
 (d) Indian Coast Guard (e) ITBP Ans. a
190. Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) of India has been granted a _____ extension by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) to achieve a 10 per cent public shareholding.
 (a) one year (b) two years (c) three years (d) four years (e) five years Ans. c
191. Asset protection firm, Aurm has partnered with which insurance company to provide comprehensive insurance coverage to its customers for their valuables?
 (a) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance (b) Tata AIG General Insurance
 (c) Kotak Mahindra Life Insurance (d) Go Digit General Insurance
 (e) Universal Sompo General Insurance Ans. b
192. Lawrence Wong has been elected as the new Prime Minister of which country?
 (a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) USA (d) Singapore (e) Bhutan Ans. d
193. Which fintech platform has partnered with LankaPay to allow its users to pay using UPI across Sri Lanka?
 (a) PhonePe (b) GooglePay (c) Paytm (d) BHIM (e) Instamojo Ans. a
194. NASA has unveiled its ambitious plan to construct the first lunar railway system, known as FLOAT, designed to revolutionize payload transport on the Moon. What is the full form of FLOAT?
 (a) Flexible Lunar on a Track (b) Flexible Long Lasting on a Track
 (c) Fibre-Linked Optical Array Track (d) Flexible Linked on a Track
 (e) Flexible Levitation on a Track Ans. e
195. Sunil Chhetri has recently announced his retirement. Which sport is he related to?
 (a) Hockey (b) Tennis (c) Badminton (d) Football (e) Cricket Ans. d
196. National Dengue Day is observed every year on May 16. What is the theme of National Dengue Day 2024?
 (a) Fight Dengue, Save Lives (b) Cross Sector Synergies
 (c) Effective Community Engagement: Key to Dengue Control (d) Dengue Against Lives
 (e) Dengue Prevention: Our Responsibility for a Safer Tomorrow. Ans. e
197. The International Day of Living Together in Peace is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 14 May (b) 15 May (c) 16 May (d) 17 May (e) 18 May Ans. c
198. International Day of Light is observed every year on May 16. The day was first observed in which year?
 (a) 2023 (b) 2017 (c) 2019 (d) 2018 (e) 2016 Ans. d
199. Canadian author and Nobel laureate Alice Munro passed away recently at the age of 92. In which year did he receive the Nobel Prize?
 (a) 2010 (b) 2011 (c) 2013 (d) 2014 (e) 2022 Ans. c
200. Recently, the maximum limit of retirement gratuity and death gratuity has been revised by the government from 20 lakh to _____ rupees.
 (a) 25 Lakh (b) 30 Lakh (c) 35 Lakh (d) 40 Lakh (e) 50 Lakh Ans. a
201. Which company has signed an initial pact with European bank Societe Generale for up to \$1 billion financing as debt and advisory solutions over the next three years?
 (a) ReNew (b) TP renewable Microgrid (c) JSW Energy
 (d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. a
202. Adani Energy Solutions Ltd (AESL) has acquired how much per cent stake in Essar Transco Limited for an Enterprise Value of INR 1,900 crore after obtaining necessary clearances?
 (a) 20% (b) 40% (c) 60% (d) 80% (e) 100% Ans. e
203. Name the operation launched Uttarakhand police for the smooth conduct of Kedarnath Dham Yatra 2024 in Rudraprayag, Uttarakhand?
 (a) Operation Bhakti (b) Operation Sadbhavana (c) Operation Maryada
 (d) Operation Shraddha (e) Operation Darshan Ans. c
204. Homegrown logistics services platform Porter has become _____ unicorn in India of 2024.
 (a) first (b) second (c) third (d) fourth (e) fifth Ans. c

205. The United Arab Emirates has recently launched a new visa program offering long-term residency to individuals who significantly contribute to environmental protection and sustainability efforts. What is the name of this Visa?
 (a) Silver residency Visa (b) Green Visa (c) Green Residency Visa
 (d) Golden Visa (e) Blue Residency Visa Ans. e
206. National Endangered Species Day is observed every year on the third Friday of the month of May. This year, National Endangered Species Day celebrated on May 17. What is the theme of National Endangered Species Day 2024?
 (a) Recovering key species for ecosystem restoration (b) Wildlife Without Borders
 (c) Life below water: for people and planet (d) Sustaining all life on Earth
 (e) Celebrate Saving Species Ans. e
207. Which state has won the Senior Women's NFC Rajmata Jijabai Trophy after defeated Haryana at the Kishore Bharati Krirangan, Kolkata?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. d
208. Who has been elected as the President the Supreme Court Bar Association (SCBA)?
 (a) Abhishek Manu Singhvi (b) Pradeep Kumar Rai (c) Adish C Aggarwala
 (d) Priya Hingorani (e) Kapil Sibal Ans. e
209. In men's javelin throw, Olympic champion Neeraj Chopra won the gold medal in Federation Cup 2024 with an effort of _____.
 (a) 81.27m (b) 82.27m (c) 83.27m (d) 84.27m (e) 85.27m Ans. b
210. Animesh Kujur, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
 (a) Tennis (b) Shotput (c) Sprinter (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. c
211. Indian Air Force has tested Project BHISHM Cube, a state-of-the-art indigenous mobile hospital for airdrop in Agra. What is the meaning of 'M' in BHISHM?
 (a) Maitri (b) Mission (c) Molecule (d) Maximum (e) Mobile Ans. a
212. Which company has signed a deal with the Athletics Federation of India to become its official kit sponsor?
 (a) Nike (b) PUMA India (c) Adidas (d) Reebok (e) Red Tape Ans. b
213. World Hypertension Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 16 May (b) 17 May (c) 18 May (d) 19 May (e) 20 May Ans. b
214. World Telecommunication Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 16 May (b) 17 May (c) 18 May (d) 19 May (e) 20 May Ans. b
215. Kamla Beniwal, who died recently, belongs to which field?
 (a) Literature (b) Politics (c) Sculptor (d) Social Worker (e) Historian Ans. b
216. Which company will invest Rs 600 crore for setting up two ethanol manufacturing plants in the country?
 (a) ReNew Power (b) Nayara Energy (c) JSW Energy (d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. b
217. Which country has become the first country to lose all Glaciers?
 (a) Colombia (b) Argentina (c) Peru (d) Caracas (e) Venezuela Ans. e
218. The United Nations (UN) has revised India's growth forecast for 2024 from 6.2% to _____.
 (a) 6.4% (b) 6.6% (c) 6.9% (d) 7.1% (e) 7.5% Ans. c
219. Cristiano Ronaldo topped Forbes' list of highest-paid athletes for the fourth time in his career. He is from which country?
 (a) Serbia (b) Portugal (c) Spain (d) Norway (e) Netherlands Ans. b
220. World Bank's arm International Finance Corporation (IFC) has provided a \$500 million loan to which bank for extending micro-loans to "underserved women" in rural and semi-urban India?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. d
221. Who has been appointed as the advisor of Mizuho Bank India?
 (a) Rajnish Kumar (b) Joshit Ranjan Sikidar (c) Sanjay Nayar
 (d) Tablesh Pandey (e) Siddhartha Mohanty Ans. c

222. Pradeep Natarajan has been appointed as Whole Time Director of which bank for three years?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) IDFC First Bank Ans. e
223. Senior IPS officers A.Y.V. Krishna and N. Venu Gopal have been appointed as additional directors in _____.
 (a) Central Reserve Police Force (b) Central Industrial Security Force (c) Border Security Force
 (d) Sashastra Seema Bal (e) Central Bureau of Investigation Ans. e
224. Nandini Dairy will sponsor which country's cricket team in the ICC T20 World Cup 2024?
 (a) Scotland (b) Bangladesh (c) India (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. a
225. In May 2024, which country has introduced the prototype of the world's first high-speed 6G device, which is claimed to transfer data at lighting speed?
 (a) Japan (b) South Korea (c) USA (d) Israel (e) China Ans. a
226. International Museum Day is celebrated annually on May 18. What is the theme of International Museum Day 2024?
 (a) Museums, Sustainability and Well-being (b) The Power of Museums
 (c) The Future of Museums: Recover and Reimagine (d) Museums for Equality: Diversity and Inclusion
 (e) Museums for Education and Research Ans. e
227. Armed Forces Day is celebrated every year on the third _____ of May.
 (a) Friday (b) Saturday (c) Sunday (d) Monday (e) Tuesday Ans. b
228. World AIDS Vaccine Day, also known as HIV Vaccine Awareness Day, is observed annually on which day?
 (a) 17 May (b) 18 May (c) 19 May (d) 20 May (e) 21 May Ans. b
229. Noted storyteller and Padma Shri awardee Malti Joshi passed away at the age of 90 years. In which year was he honored with the Padma Shri?
 (a) 2016 (b) 2018 (c) 2022 (d) 2023 (e) 2021 Ans. b
230. The second edition of India, Australia, Indonesia Trilateral Maritime Security Workshop (TMSW) conducted in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) Hyderabad (c) Chennai
 (d) Kochi (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. d
231. Which bank has executed transaction documents to acquire a 6.125 per cent stake in CCIL IFSC Limited for Rs.6.125 crore in May 2024?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. a
232. The world's highest competitive swimming pool has been opened in which country?
 (a) India (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. c
233. Yes Bank has launched premium banking services under the label 'Yes Grandeur' targeting elite and rising affluent class to drive business growth. Where is the headquarters of Yes Bank?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Gandhinagar (e) Mumbai Ans. e
234. Which bank has increased interest rates on short-term retail fixed deposits (FDs) by 25 to 75 basis points (bps) in May 2024?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. a
235. Sanjeev Puri has been appointed as the new President of the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) for 2024-25. He is currently the chairman of which company?
 (a) Infosys (b) EY India (c) Tata Chemicals Limited
 (d) ITC Limited (e) Lenovo Ans. d
236. Who has been appointed as new MD & CEO of IndiaFirst Life Insurance?
 (a) Rajnish Kumar (b) Joshit Ranjan Sikidar (c) Deepak Mohanty
 (d) Rushabh Gandhi (e) Siddhartha Mohanty Ans. d
237. Nishad Kumar, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
 (a) High jump (b) Shotput (c) Shooting (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. a

238. Which of the following country will host the FIFA Women's World Cup 2027?
 (a) Netherland (b) Denmark (c) Brazil (d) Finland (e) Scotland Ans. c
239. Which star Indian pair secured the men's doubles title at the Thailand Open Super 500 badminton tournament with a straight-game win over Chen Bo Yang and Liu Yi of China in Bangkok?
 (a) Prannoy HS and Chirag Shetty (b) Chirag Shetty and Satwiksairaj Rankireddy
 (c) Lakshya Sen and Chirag Shetty (d) Srikanth Kidambi and Satwiksairaj Rankireddy
 (e) Prannoy HS and Chirag Shetty Ans. b
240. Who has won the Formula 1 Emilia Romagna Grand Prix 2024?
 (a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Lewis Hamilton (c) Max Verstappen
 (d) Charles Leclerc (e) Sergio Pérez Ans. c
241. World Bee Day 2024 is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 18 May (b) 19 May (c) 20 May (d) 21 May (e) 22 May Ans. c
242. N Vaghul passed away recently at the age of 88. Who was he?
 (a) Banker (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director Ans. a
243. In May 2024, the President and Foreign Minister of which country died in a helicopter crash?
 (a) Saudi Arabia (b) Iraq (c) Syria (d) Iran (e) UAE Ans. d
244. In May 2024, who has received the first stamp released commemorating the completion of 200 years of Indian Origin Tamils in Sri Lanka?
 (a) Ramdev (b) Acharya Balkrishna (c) Gaur Gopal Das
 (d) Sadhguru (e) Sri Sri Ravi Shankar Ans. e
245. According to a report of the National Commission for Backward Class, the student enrollment under the Scheduled Caste category has grown by how much per cent from 46 lakh in 2014-15 to 66 lakh in 2021-22?
 (a) 41 % (b) 42 % (c) 43 % (d) 44 % (e) 45 % Ans. d
246. Where was the 'India's Progressive Path in the Administration of Criminal Justice System conference organized in May 2024?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Guwahati (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. c
247. National Anti-Terrorism Day is observed on May 21 every year to commemorate the date when the former Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi was killed by a suicide bomber from the LTTE (Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam) in Sriperumbudur, a village near Madras. Rajiv Gandhi was _____ Prime Minister of India.
 (a) fifth (b) sixth (c) seventh (d) eighth (e) ninth Ans. b
248. In May 2024, Tata Motors Passenger Vehicles (TMPV) and Tata Passenger Electric Mobility (TPEM), subsidiaries of Tata Motors, have joined hands with which company to extend supply chain finance solutions to its passenger and electric vehicle dealers?
 (a) Bajaj Finance (b) Bharti AXA General Insurance (c) Kotak Mahindra Life Insurance
 (d) Life Insurance Corporation of India (e) Universal Sompo General Insurance Ans. a
249. Which bank has recorded the highest growth rate in FY24 in terms of total business and deposit mobilisation among public sector lenders?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Punjab National Bank (c) UCO Bank
 (d) Bank of Maharashtra (e) Canara Bank Ans. d
250. Who has been appointed as the Chief of Measurement Science and Analytics in Broadcast Audience Research Council (BARC)?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Vumlunmang Vualnam (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Dr Bikramjit Chaudhuri (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. d
251. In May 2024, Lai Ching-te was sworn in as president of which country?
 (a) South Korea (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Vietnam (e) Taiwan Ans. e
252. India's Deepthi Jeevanji, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
 (a) Karate (b) Shotput (c) Para Athletics (d) Wushu (e) Boxing Ans. c
253. Who has won the women's singles title of the 2024 Italian Open tennis tournament?
 (a) Karolína Muchová (b) Elena Rybakina (c) Aryna Sabalenka
 (d) Iga Swiatek (e) Anna Kalinskaya Ans. d

254. Minakshi, who won a gold medal recently in the Elorda Cup, belongs to which sport?
 (a) Karate (b) Shotput (c) Wrestling (d) Wushu (e) Boxing Ans. e
255. Who has been appointed as the Managing Director of Honeywell Automation India Ltd (HAL)?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Dinesh Dasa (c) Vasudha Gupta (d) Manoj Soni (e) Atul Pai Ans. e
256. When is World Refugee Day observed?
 (a) 18 May (b) 19 May (c) 20 May (d) 21 May (e) 22 May Ans. c
257. International Tea Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 19 May (b) 20 May (c) 21 May (d) 22 May (e) 23 May Ans. c
258. World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 19 May (b) 20 May (c) 21 May (d) 22 May (e) 23 May Ans. c
259. Which food delivery platform has partnered with SHIELD, a device-first risk AI platform, to enhance its fraud prevention and detection capabilities?
 (a) Swiggy (b) Food Panda (c) Zomato (d) Eat Sure (e) InstaShop Ans. a
260. Assam Government has launched the DRIMS platform to facilitate efficient disaster reporting and aid distribution in collaboration with UNICEF. What is the meaning of 'D' in 'DRIMS'?
 (a) Delivery (b) Disaster (c) Damaged (d) Duration (e) Dedicated Ans. b
261. Which of the following country has topped the World Economic Forum's Travel & Tourism Development Index 2024?
 (a) India (b) South Korea (c) Japan (d) USA (e) Switzerland Ans. d
262. Riding on buoyant equity markets, National Pension System (NPS) assets grew _____ year-on-year to touch Rs.11.94 lakh crore, according to PFRDA data.
 (a) 24% (b) 25% (c) 26% (d) 28% (e) 29% Ans. c
263. SBI General Insurance has signed a strategic bancassurance collaboration agreement with which Small Finance Bank to facilitate the sale of non-life insurance products?
 (a) AU Small Finance Bank Limited (b) Jana Small Finance Bank
 (c) Fincare Small Finance Bank Limited (d) Shivalik Small Finance Bank
 (e) Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited Ans. b
264. Airbus Helicopters has signed an MoU with which organizations to finance the purchase of Airbus helicopters in India?
 (a) NABARD (b) RBI (c) IRDAI (d) SEBI (e) SIDBI Ans. e
265. In May 2024, a notable mountaineer, Sirbaz Khan scaled Mount Everest without supplementary oxygen. He is from which country?
 (a) India (b) Pakistan (c) Bangladesh (d) Nepal (e) Afghanistan Ans. b
266. Who has been appointed as Chief Risk Officer (CRO) of Mahindra & Mahindra Financial Services?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Sadhna Saxena Nair (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Mahesh Rajaraman (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. d
267. Who has been appointed as the Vice-Chairman of the International Aluminium Institute (IAI)?
 (a) Smita Sarangi (b) Arindam Bagchi (c) Indra Mani Pandey
 (d) Tanu Singh (e) John Slaven Ans. e
268. Which UN body has signed a MoU with the government of India for India's first animal vaccine supply chain management?
 (a) FAO (b) ICAO (c) UNDP (d) UNFPA (e) UNICEF Ans. c
269. Ekta Bhan, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
 (a) Club throw (b) Shotput (c) Shooting (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. a
270. Midfielder Toni Kroos has announced retirement from the international football. He is from which country?
 (a) South Korea (b) USA (c) Japan (d) Australia (e) Germany Ans. e
271. On which day is International Day for Biodiversity celebrated worldwide?
 (a) 20 May (b) 21 May (c) 22 May (d) 23 May (e) 24 May Ans. c
272. Which company has acquired AI-powered women's wellness platform SocialBoat for an undisclosed amount?
 (a) Timex (b) Titan (c) Fast Track (d) Sonata (e) Noise Ans. e

273. Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) Gen Anil Chauhan attended 'Exercise Cyber Suraksha – 2024' and underscored the importance of strengthening India's cyber defence capabilities. The exercise has been conducted by _____.
- (a) Ministry of IT (b) Ministry of Defence (c) ISRO
(d) DRDO (e) Defence Cyber Agency Ans. e
274. Spain has become the _____ member of the International Solar Alliance.
- (a) 97th (b) 98th (c) 99th (d) 100th (e) 101st Ans. c
275. Which company has partnered with Tata Communications to launch Webex Calling in India in May 2024?
- (a) Cisco (b) Casio (c) Starlink
(d) Reliance Industries (e) Lenovo Ans. a
276. The University of Tokyo has recently inaugurated the Atacama Observatory (TAO) in Antofagasta Region. Antofagasta Region located in which country?
- (a) Netherland (b) Chile (c) Brazil (d) Finland (e) Scotland Ans. b
277. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has approved how much rupees as dividend payout to the central government for 2023-24?
- (a) Rs.1.11 lakh crore (b) Rs.2.11 lakh crore (c) Rs.3.11 lakh crore
(d) Rs.2.22 lakh crore (e) Rs.2.01 lakh crore Ans. b
278. Who has taken oath of office and secrecy as Member, Central Electricity Regulatory Commission?
- (a) Anshika Singh (b) Rahul Singh (c) Ramesh Babu V
(d) Joyeeta Gupta (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. c
279. Which company has secured a significant milestone by securing the third rank globally at the ATD BEST Award 2024?
- (a) ReNew Power (b) TP renewable Microgrid (c) JSW Energy
(d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. d
280. Sachin Sarjerao Khilari, who was seen in news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
- (a) Tennis (b) Shotput (c) Shooting (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. b
281. Which of the following countries will host the AFC Women's Asian Cups 2029?
- (a) Kazakhstan (b) Uzbekistan (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. b
282. In which city the second phase of Archery World Cup 2024 started?
- (a) Tlaxcala (b) Antalya (c) Tokyo (d) New Delhi (e) Yecheon Ans. e
283. Buddha Purnima, or Buddha Jayanti or Vesak, is an annual celebration observed on the first full moon of the Hindu calendar month Vaishakha. This significant day commemorates the birth of Lord Gautam Buddh. This year celebrated the _____ birth anniversary of Gautama Buddha.
- (a) 2486th (b) 2586th (c) 2686th (d) 2576th (e) 2566th Ans. b
284. World Turtle Day is observed every year on which day?
- (a) 21 May (b) 22 May (c) 23 May (d) 24 May (e) 25 May Ans. c
285. Who has become the youngest Indian mountaineer to climb the world's highest peak Mount Everest?
- (a) Ashish Singh (b) Suvudha Kadlag (c) Yaashi Jain
(d) Ravindra Kumar (e) Kaamya Karthikeyan Ans. e
286. Which company has inaugurated a simulation centre of excellence (CoE) for Airbus at its Bengaluru campus in May 2024?
- (a) HCL (b) Tata Consultancy Service (c) Reliance Industries Limited
(d) Infosys Technologies (e) L&T Technology Services Ans. e
287. Which company has acquired 6.125 per cent equity stake in CCIL IFSC Limited (CCIL IFSC) in May 2024.
- (a) HSBC (b) HDFC (c) DBS (d) ICICI (e) none of above Ans. a
288. Recently, which state government has reserved 33% of government contract jobs for women?
- (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan (d) Karnataka (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. d
289. Which three countries have announced to recognize Palestine as an independent country in May 2024?
- (a) Norway, Spain, and Finland (b) Norway, Switzerland, and Ireland
(c) Norway, Spain, and Brazil (d) Netherlands, Spain, and Ireland
(e) Norway, Spain, and Ireland Ans. e

290. In May 2024, which company exported its first-ever consignment of 100 octane premium fuel 'XP100' to Sri Lanka?
 (a) Hindustan Petroleum (b) Indian Oil Corporation
 (c) Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (d) Reliance Petroleum
 (e) Bharat Petroleum Ans. b
291. In May 2024, which organization slapped penalties totalling Rs.11.90 crore on 19 entities and barred them from the securities market for up to five years for indulging in a pump-and-dump scheme of shares in Superior Finlease Ltd?
 (a) NABARD (b) RBI (c) PFRDA (d) SEBI (e) SIDBI Ans. d
292. Who has been awarded the prestigious Shaw Prize in Astronomy for 2024?
 (a) Gururaj Deshpande (b) Dr K Sivan (c) Paul Ferri
 (d) Ritu Karidhal (e) Srinivas Kulkarni Ans. e
293. German writer Jenny Erpenbach and translator Michael Hoffman have received the International Booker Prize for which story?
 (a) Uriege Nameun Dan Hanbeonui Gihoeyo (b) Ije Naenwa
 (c) Throne (d) Kang (e) Kairos Ans. e
294. Which International Airport was awarded the zero waste to landfill (ZWL) accolade by the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII-ITC) Centre of Excellence?
 (a) Indira Gandhi International Airport, Delhi (b) Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru
 (c) Cochin International Airport, Kochi
 (d) Thiruvananthapuram International Airport, Thiruvananthapuram
 (e) Mangaluru International Airport, Mangaluru Ans. d
295. Who has won the gold medal in the women's 40kg category at the IWF World Youth Championships?
 (a) Mirabai Chanu (b) Karnam Malleswari (c) Kunjarani Devi
 (d) Swati Singh (e) Preetismita Bhoi Ans. e
296. The International Olympic Committee (IOC) has launched a campaign to inspire people to celebrate the athletes participating in the upcoming Olympic Games in Paris. What is the name of this campaign?
 (a) Just Do It (b) Bounce to the Victory (c) Dream Crazy
 (d) Let's Move India (e) Change the Game Ans. d
297. National Brother's Day is celebrated every year on which day to respect the special bond shared between brothers?
 (a) 22 May (b) 23 May (c) 24 May (d) 21 May (e) 25 May Ans. c
298. International Day of the Markhor is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 22 May (b) 23 May (c) 24 May (d) 21 May (e) 25 May Ans. c
299. World No-Tobacco Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 27 May (b) 30 May (c) 29 May (d) 28 May (e) 31 May Ans. e
300. Which country has launched its First Space Agency in May 2024?
 (a) Nepal (b) Spain (c) North Korea (d) South Korea (e) Vietnam Ans. d
301. Doordarshan Kisan (DD KISAN) has become the first government TV channel in the country to launch two AI anchors. What is the name of these anchors?
 (i) AI Krish (ii) AI Kisan (iii) AI Darshan (iv) AI Bhoomi
 (a) i & ii (b) ii & iii (c) iii & iv (d) i & iii (e) i & iv Ans. e
302. Which state has celebrated Saga Dawa festival recently?
 (a) Tripura (b) Sikkim (c) Assam
 (d) Arunachal Pradesh (e) Meghalaya Ans. b
303. The Reserve Bank of India has approved the appointment of Pradeep Kumar Sinha as the Part-time Chairman of which bank?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. e
304. Recently, Automaker Citroen roped in former India cricket captain Mahendra Singh Dhoni as its brand ambassador in India. Citroen is the company of which country?
 (a) France (b) South Korea (c) Japan (d) USA (e) Israel Ans. a

305. Delhi has been placed 350 in the Oxford Economics Global Cities Index 2024, making it the highest ranked Indian city. Which city has achieved topped the index?
 (a) New York (b) Sidney (c) Paris (d) Tokyo (e) Bengaluru Ans. a
306. Which former Pakistani cricket player has been appointed as the brand ambassador of the ICC Men's T20 Cricket World Cup 2024?
 (a) Shoaib Akhtar (b) Wasim Akram (c) Imran Khan (d) Shoaib Malik (e) Shahid Afridi Ans. e
307. In May 2024, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) imposed a Rs 3.10 lakh penalty on which company for rule violations?
 (a) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance (b) Hero Fincorp Ltd
 (c) Kotak Mahindra Life Insurance (d) Life Insurance Corporation of India
 (e) Universal Sompo General Insurance Ans. b
308. Saurabh H Mehta has introduced the world's first fully biodegradable pen. What is the name of this pen?
 (a) BAMBOO (b) BIO (c) ECO PEN (d) EV PEN (e) NOTE Ans. e
309. Star player Dinesh Karthik has announced his retirement from the Indian Premier League. Which team did he play for in IPL 2024?
 (a) Chennai Super Kings (b) Royal Challengers Bengaluru (c) Mumbai Indians
 (d) Kolkata Knight Riders (e) Delhi Capitals Ans. b
310. An 18-year-old woman E-rickshaw driver, Arti has been conferred with the Amal Clooney Women's Empowerment Award by the King of the United Kingdom, Charles III. She is from which state of India?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. a
311. African Liberation Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 23 May (b) 24 May (c) 25 May (d) 26 May (e) 27 May Ans. c
312. International Week of Solidarity with Peoples of Non-Self-Governing Territories is celebrated annually from_____.
 (a) 25-31 May (b) 26-31 May (c) 27-31 May (d) 24-30 May (e) 25-30 May Ans. a
313. World Football Day is observed on which day?
 (a) 23 May (b) 24 May (c) 25 May (d) 26 May (e) 27 May Ans. c
314. Which state government will set up a powerful, high-capacity data centre that will allow 2,300 concurrent users to run artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML) applications?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Karnataka (e) Chhattisgarh Ans. b
315. Which country has been given the name Remal Cyclone?
 (a) Malaysia (b) Maldives (c) Oman (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. c
316. Jyoti Ratre becomes India's oldest woman to Conquer Mount Everest. She is from which state?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. e
317. Cyber Security Conclave was organized in which city to strengthen cyber security?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
 (d) Kumerakom (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. b
318. Who has been appointed as Chairperson of the Equestrian Federation of India's Ad-Hoc Administrative Committee?
 (a) Justice Sharad Arvind Bobde (b) Justice Najmi Waziri (c) Justice Uday Lalit
 (d) Justice N. V. Ramana (e) Justice Ranjan Gogoi Ans. b
319. Who has been elected the chairman of the National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India (NAFED)?
 (a) Smita Sarangi (b) Jetha Ahir (c) Indra Mani Pandey
 (d) Tanu Singh (e) Rakesh Mohan Ans. b
320. Allamaye Halina has been sworn as new PM of which country?
 (a) Chad (b) Ghana (c) Sudan (d) Zimbabwe (e) Oman Ans. a
321. Who has been appointed as the Commandant in National Defence Academy?
 (a) Anish Dayal Singh (b) Sujoy Lal Thaoson (c) Vineet McCarty
 (d) Gurcharan Singh (e) Subodh Kumar Jaiswal Ans. d

322. Who is the first Indian to win the Best Actress award at the Cannes Film Festival?
 (a) Roshni Bose (b) Anasuya Sengupta (c) Akansha Singh
 (d) Parul Goel (e) Anshika Sengupta Ans. b
323. Simran Sharma, who was seen in the news in May 2024 for achieving a remarkable achievement, is associated with which of the following sport?
 (a) Karate (b) Para Athletics (c) Wrestling (d) Wushu (e) Boxing Ans. b
324. How many times have the Kolkata Knight Riders won the Indian Premier League titles?
 (a) 2 times (b) 3 times (c) 4 times (d) 5 times (e) 6 times Ans. b
325. Dipa Karmakar scripted history clinching India's first-ever gold medal at the Asian Championships in Tashkent, Uzbekistan. She is related to which sport?
 (a) Gymnastic (b) Shotput (c) Shooting (d) Wushu (e) Archery Ans. a
326. Who has won the F1 Monaco Grand Prix 2024?
 (a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Lewis Hamilton (c) Max Verstappen
 (d) Charles Leclerc (e) Sergio Pérez Ans. d
327. National Memorial Day is observed every year on last _____ of the month of May.
 (a) Sunday (b) Monday (c) Tuesday (d) Wednesday (e) Thursday Ans. b
328. Where has the public sector company GAIL (India) Limited set up its first green hydrogen plant?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. e
329. The Government of India will get Rs _____ as dividend for being Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) of India's largest shareholder.
 (a) 3,162 crore (b) 3,262 crore (c) 3,362 crore (d) 3,662 crore (e) 3,862 crore Ans. d
330. In May 2024, The Reserve Bank of India has imposed a penalty of Rs.1 crore on which bank for non-compliance with certain directions on 'Loans and Advances – Statutory and Other Restrictions'?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. e
331. Global investment bank Goldman Sachs has raised India's GDP growth forecast to how much percent for calendar year 2024?
 (a) 6.5% (b) 6.7% (c) 6.9% (d) 7.3% (e) 7.7% Ans. b
332. The tenure of Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) chairman Dr Samir V Kamat was extended for another year by the Centre. In which year DRDO was established?
 (a) 1949 (b) 1958 (c) 1954 (d) 1969 (e) 1979 Ans. b
333. In May 2024, Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) has bagged a deal to modernize the core banking technology of Burgan Bank. Burgan Bank is a leading commercial bank in _____.
 (a) Kuwait (b) Qatar (c) UAE (d) Iran (e) Iraq Ans. a
334. Gitanas Nausėda was elected as the president of which country?
 (a) Latvia (b) Luxembourg (c) Estonia (d) Slovakia (e) Lithuania Ans. e
335. Which country has signed deals with a Reliance Jio subsidiary, Tech Mahindra and other vendors to build 4G and 5G infrastructure?
 (a) Sri Lanka (b) Ghana (c) Sudan (d) Zimbabwe (e) Oman Ans. b
336. Which company has been honoured with 'The Economic Times HR World Future Ready Organization Award 2024-25'?
 (a) ReNew Power (b) NHPC (c) JSW Energy (d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. b
337. Indian filmmaker Payal Kapadia made history by winning the country's first-ever Grand Prix Award at the 77th Cannes Film Festival. She won the award for which of the following movie?
 (a) A Night of Knowing Nothing (b) Girls Will Be Girls (c) The Shameless 2024
 (d) Afternoon Clouds (e) All We Imagine As Light Ans. e
338. Which team has won the All-India Football Federation Under 17 Elite Youth League 2023-24 Title?
 (a) Kenkre F.C. (b) Rajasthan United FC (c) Bengaluru United
 (d) Sudeva Delhi (e) Classic Football Academy Ans. e

339. Which of the following Indian cricketers has been named among the 54 representatives of the 'Multicultural Ambassadors Program'?
- (a) Ravi Shastri (b) Chetan Sharma (c) Rahul Dravid
(d) Mahendra Singh Dhoni (e) Suryakumar Yadav Ans. a
340. Which organization has launched its first investment round to sustainably finance its Health for All mandate?
- (a) United Nations World Tourism Organization (b) World Health Organization (WHO)
(c) World Economic Forum (WEF)
(d) United Nations Education Scientific & Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
(e) World Bank (WB) Ans. b
341. Recently, which state government has issued a one-year ban on the manufacture, storage, distribution, transportation and sale of gutka and pan masala containing tobacco and nicotine throughout the State, effective immediately?
- (a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Gujarat
(d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Telangana Ans. e
342. World Hunger Day is observed every year on which day?
- (a) 28 May (b) 27 May (c) 26 May (d) 29 May (e) 30 May Ans. a
343. Which company has manufactured India's first indigenous Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) systems domestically?
- (a) Himadri Speciality Chemical (b) Sadhana Nitro Chem Ltd. (c) Garware Polyester Ltd.
(d) Archean Chemical Industries (e) Fischer Medical Ventures Ans. e
344. Which organization has organised 'Walk The Talk' Yoga Session Event recently?
- (a) United Nations Populations Fund (UNFPA) (b) World Health Organization (WHO)
(c) World Economic Forum (WEF)
(d) United Nations Education Scientific & Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
(e) World Bank (WB) Ans. b
345. What is the name of a mountaineer who conquers Mount Everest thrice in a single season?
- (a) Kaamya Karthikeyan (b) Santosh Dagade (c) Purnima Shrestha
(d) Kami Rita Sherpa (e) Jyoti Ratre Ans. c
346. Which country has celebrated Its 17th Republic Day on 28 May?
- (a) Vietnam (b) Nepal (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Bangladesh Ans. b
347. Which company has partnered with UK-based Connexin to help deliver gigabit broadband connectivity in Nottinghamshire?
- (a) Sterlite Technologies Ltd (b) Infosys (c) Wipro
(d) HCL (e) TCS Ans. a
348. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has launched three major initiatives: PRAVAAH portal, Retail Direct mobile app and a Fintech Repository. What is the full form of PRAVAAH portal?
- (a) Platform for Regular Application, VALidation and AutHorisation
(b) Platform for Retail Application, VALidation and AutHorisatio
(c) Platform for Regulatory Application, VALue and AutHorisation
(d) Platform for Regular Authority, VALidation and AutHorisation
(e) Platform for Regulatory Application, VALidation and AutHorisation Ans. e
349. Who has been appointed as the new CEO of Sony India?
- (a) Gaurav Banerjee (b) Jetha Ahir (c) Indra Mani Pandey
(d) Tanu Singh (e) Rakesh Mohan Ans. a
350. Who has been appointed as the Chairperson of the Committee A at the 77th World Health Assembly (WHA) by the WHO?
- (a) Smita Sarangi (b) Arindam Bagchi (c) Indra Mani Pandey
(d) Tanu Singh (e) Apurva Chandra Ans. e

351. Who has been named the United Nations Military Gender Advocate of the Year for 2023?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Maushami Chakraborty (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Radhika Sen (e) Sheyphali Sharan Ans. d
352. Poonawalla Fincorp Limited in collaboration with which bank has launched the co-branded eLITE RuPay Platinum Credit Card?
 (a) Federal Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) IndusInd Bank Ans. e
353. Which of the following countries has successfully test-fired Medium-Range Air-to-Surface Strategic Missiles (ASMPA-R)?
 (a) France (b) Russia (c) UK (d) USA (e) India Ans. a
354. Which company has partnered with the Centre for Brain Research (CBR) at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc) Bengaluru to develop a personal care engine to reduce and manage the risk of cardiovascular disease by utilizing AI?
 (a) Infosys (b) Wipro (c) TCS (d) HCL (e) Accenture Ans. b
355. Which company will start construction of India's first multimodal logistics park near Chennai?
 (a) Reliance Industries Limited (b) Infosys Technologies (c) Hindustan Unilever Limited
 (d) Adani Group (e) National Aerospace Laboratories Ans. a
356. On which day is the International Day of the UN Peacekeepers observed?
 (a) 31 May (b) 30 May (c) 29 May (d) 28 May (e) 27 May Ans. c
357. What is the name of the mountaineer who has scripted history by becoming the first person to scale Mt. Everest and Mt. Lhotse twice in one season?
 (a) Satyadeep Gupta (b) Jyoti Ratre (c) Kaamya Karthikeyan
 (d) Yaashi Jain (e) Sirbaz Khan Ans. a
358. The Government of India has granted \$1 million as immediate assistance for which country, which has been hit by a devastating flood and landslide that has so far killed 2,000 people recently?
 (a) Kiribati (b) Micronesia (c) New Caledonia
 (d) Solomon Islands (e) Papua New Guinea Ans. e
359. Secretary of Department of School Education and Literacy, Sanjay Kumar has inaugurated the month-long "Summer Fiesta 2024" in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Hyderabad (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
360. Which of the following has organized a summit in New Delhi to enhance India's cold chain and logistics sector?
 (a) National Green Tribunal (b) Finance Ministry
 (c) Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (d) NITI Aayog (e) FICCI Ans. e
361. The board of National Asset Reconstruction Company (NARCL) has recommended _____ for the post of managing director and chief executive officer of the state-owned bad bank.
 (a) Rajnish Kumar (b) Joshit Ranjan Sikidar (c) Deepak Mohanty
 (d) Tablesh Pandey (e) P Santhosh Ans. e
362. Who has been appointed as the Chairman of Staff Selection Commission (SSC)?
 (a) Rakesh Ranjan (b) Saurabh Garg (c) Raj Kumar Goyal
 (d) Rajendra Kumar (e) Pradip Kumar Tripathi Ans. a
363. Diplomat Vijay Khanduja has been appointed as India's next High Commissioner to which country?
 (a) Chad (b) Gabon (c) Cameroon (d) Cambodia (e) Niger Ans. c
364. In May 2024, NASA has successfully launched the first of two climate satellites named "PREFIRE" and "PREFIRE CubeSat" into orbit, designed to study heat emissions at Earth's poles. What is the meaning of first "R" in "PREFIRE"?
 (a) Radiant (b) Radiation (c) Reactor (d) Remote (e) Red Ans. a
365. The Defence Research & Development Organisation (DRDO) has successfully flight-tested the RudraM-II _____ missile.
 (a) air-to-air (b) air-to-surface (c) surface -to-surface
 (d) surface -to -air (e) both a and b Ans. b

366. Who has won the ICC Women's Player of the Month for April 2024?
 (a) Yastika Bhatia (b) Sophie Devine (c) Meg Lanning
 (d) Ellyse Perry (e) Hayley Matthews Ans. e
367. In Arm Wrestling, the Indian contingent has clinched a total of seven medals including one gold and six bronze at the Asian Championship, 2024 in Tashkent, Uzbekistan. Name the player who won the gold medal?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Preeti Jhangiani (c) Sachin Goyal
 (d) Laxman Singh Bhandari (e) Shrimant Jha Ans. e
368. Which bank will stop sending SMS alerts for UPI transactions up to Rs 100 from June 25?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. d
369. International Potato Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 30 May (b) 31 May (c) 29 May (d) 28 May (e) 27 May Ans. a
370. Hindi Journalism Day is observed every year on 30 May to honour the start of Hindi journalism that has enabled each person of the country to have access to proper information. What is the name of first Hindi Newspaper?
 (a) Bengal Gazette (b) Azad Bharat (c) Swaraj (d) Swarajaya (e) Udant Martand Ans. e
371. India assumed the Chair of Colombo Process for _____, for the first time since its inception.
 (a) 2024-25 (b) 2024-26 (c) 2025-26 (d) 2024-28 (e) 2027-28 Ans. b
372. In May 2024, National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) has launched an initiative to monetize its infrastructure, seeking investments from which country to sustain and enhance India's expanding national highway network with an aim to build lasting investor relationships?
 (a) Tanzania (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. e
373. Ministry of Mines has organised a workshop on Granite and Marble mining in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) Panaji (c) Bhubaneswar (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. a
374. Which Indian cricketer has been named the Chief Guest for the International Procurement and Supply Chain Conference 2024 in Mumbai?
 (a) Sachin Tendulkar (b) Sourav Ganguly (c) Rahul Dravid
 (d) Mahendra Singh Dhoni (e) Kapil Dev Ans. b
375. The Armed Forces Medical Services (AFMS) has signed an MoU with which IIT to collaborate on research and training in May 2024?
 (a) IIT Hyderabad (b) IIT Delhi (c) IIT Madras (d) IIT Kanpur (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. a
376. How much sovereign loan has been sanctioned by the Asian Development Bank (ADB) to India in 2023?
 (a) \$2.8 billion (b) \$2.6 billion (c) \$2.4 billion (d) \$2.2 billion (e) \$2.5 billion Ans. b
377. Which bank has been fined Rs 36.38 lakhs by the RBI in May 2024 for violating the provision of the Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA)?
 (a) DBS Bank (b) HSBC (c) Export-Import Bank of India
 (d) Deutsche Bank (e) Citibank Ans. b
378. Who has been appointed as the Chairman of ICICI Prudential?
 (a) Sandeep Batra (b) Ashwani Kumar (c) Deepak Mohanty
 (d) Tablesh Pandey (e) Siddhartha Mohanty Ans. a
379. Which company has been honoured with the Corporate Social Responsibility award in the Non-Fossil Fuel (NF) business category at the Outlook Planet Sustainability Summit & Awards 2024?
 (a) ReNew Power (b) TP renewable Microgrid (c) JSW Energy
 (d) NTPC Limited (e) Power Finance Corporation Limited Ans. e



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