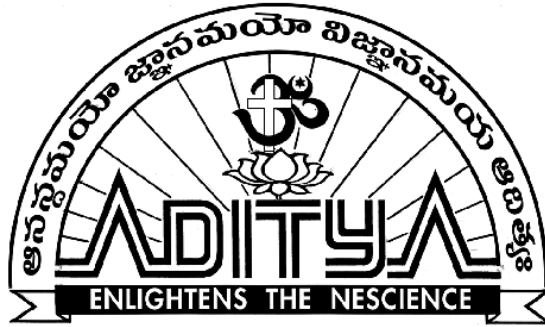


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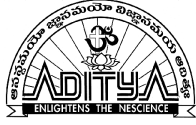
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1. Uttarakhand Chief Minister Pushkar Singh Dhami has inaugurated a 10-day Uttarakhand Mahotsav in which city?
(a) Dehradun (b) Lucknow (c) Bhubaneswar (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
2. Which of the following scheme has launched by PM Modi for the youth of the country on National Unity Day?
(a) Mera Viksit Bharat (b) Mera Skill Yuva (c) Mera Skill Bharat
(d) Mera Yuva Bharat (e) Desh ka Yuva Ans. d
3. Who has presided over 'Run for Unity' event to commemorate the 148th birth anniversary of Iron Man of India Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Rajnath Singh (c) Amit Shah
(d) Piyush Goyal (e) Anurag Thakur Ans. b
4. Which company has scored the overall highest score of 6 out of 10 points in the Research Firm Fairwork Index 2023 for gig workers?
(a) Flipkart (b) Amazon (c) Big Basket (d) Uber (e) Ola Ans. c
5. Union Minister of State for Skill Development Rajeev Chandrasekhar has participated in the "AI Safety Summit 2023" in the United Kingdom.
(a) Saudi Arabia (b) China (c) Russia (d) UK (e) UAE Ans. d
6. In which of the following city has been declared the "City of Music" by UNESCO recently?
(a) Gwalior (b) Jaipur (c) Hyderabad (d) Kozhikode (e) Mumbai Ans. a
7. How much lakh crore rupees were GST collected in October 2023?
(a) 1,45,867 crore (b) 1,49,507 crore (c) 1,72,003 crore (d) 1,60,122 crore (e) 1,51,718 crore Ans. c
8. Who has been nominated to lead the World Health Organization South-East Asia Region?
(a) Anshika Singh (b) Saima Wazed (c) Vasudha Gupta
(d) Ipsita Dasgupta (e) Sheetal Sharma Ans. b
9. Who has been appointed as the Chairman and Managing Director of Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd (BHEL)?
(a) Ganesan Kannabiran (b) Neeraj Akhoury (c) Koppu Sadashiv Murthy
(d) Harshvardhan Bansal (e) Anant Maheshwari Ans. c
10. David Willey has recently announced his retirement from international cricket after ODI World Cup 2023. Which country does he belong to?
(a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. a
11. Which of the following country will host FIFA World Cup 2034?
(a) Saudi Arabia (b) India (c) Japan (d) UK (e) UAE Ans. a
12. Who among the following has won the men's Ballon d'Or award for a record-extending eighth time?
(a) Cristiano Ronaldo (b) Sadio Mané (c) Robert Lewandowski
(d) Lionel Messi (e) Luka Modric Ans. d
13. Who has been awarded the best photographer in the '10 years and under' category at the prestigious Wildlife Photographer of the Year competition held in London?
(a) Anshika Singh (b) Vihaan Talya Vikas (c) Vasudha Gupta
(d) Ipsita Dasgupta (e) Anahat Singh Ans. b
14. Which of the following states does not celebrate its foundation day on 1 November?
(a) Chhattisgarh (b) Karnataka (c) Rajasthan (d) Punjab (e) Haryana Ans. c
15. World Vegan Day is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 1 November (b) 2 November (c) 3 November (d) 4 November (e) 5 November Ans. a

16. The 15th India-Singapore Defence Policy Dialogue was held in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Greater Noida (e) Indore Ans. b
17. US Secretary of State and Defence Secretary would be traveling to India for the 2+2 Ministerial Dialogue with their Indian counterparts in New Delhi. Who among the following is the Defence Secretary of the US?
(a) Antony Blinken (b) Lloyd Austin (c) Mike Pompeo
(d) Charlene Austin (e) Mark Milley Ans. b
18. Which of the following has organized a workshop on India-AU Collaboration for a Better Inclusive World in partnership with the Observer Research Foundation (ORF) in New Delhi?
(a) Finance Ministry (b) Reserve Bank of India (c) India Global Forum
(d) NITI Aayog (e) Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Ans. d
19. Which of the following will launch "one nation, one registration platform" for doctors across the country?
(a) National Medical Commission (b) Medical Council of India (c) Dental Council of India
(d) Pharmacy Council of India (e) Health Ministry Ans. a
20. Aligarh Muslim University (AMU) will launch Its Own Satellite to be named after its founder. Who was the founder of AMU?
(a) Muhammad Iqbal (b) Muhammad Ali Jinnah (c) Syed Ahmad Khan
(d) Liaquat Ali Khan (e) Maulana Azad Ans. c
21. The Election Commission of India has designed in-house software for complete Candidate and election management through 'ENCORE'. What is the full form of "ENCORE"?
(a) Election Communications on Real-time Environment
(b) Enabling Communications on Real-time Environment
(c) Election Community on Real-time Environment
(d) Enabling Communications on Real-time Election
(e) Enabling Communications on Real-time Enabling Ans. b
22. Defence Minister Rajnath Singh has inaugurated the three-day 'India Manufacturing Show' in which city?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
(d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. a
23. Who has inaugurated the second edition of the Mega food event 'World Food India 2023' at Bharat Mandapam in New Delhi?
(a) Jagdeep Dhankhar (b) S Jaishankar (c) Ajit Doval
(d) Droupadi Murmu (e) Narendra Modi Ans. e
24. Recently, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has launched two key surveys for monetary policy inputs. Which of the following survey is not part of monetary policy inputs?
(i) Inflation Expectations Survey of Households (ii) Future monetary policy Formulation
(iii) Consumer Confidence Survey (iv) Effective economic policies for NPAs
(a) only i (b) only ii (c) only iii (d) only i & ii (e) only ii & iv Ans. e
25. SBI Card and _____ came together to launch the co-branded SBI Card.
(a) Reliance Retail (b) TATA (c) Amul (d) Axis Bank (e) LG Ans. a
26. Who has recently inaugurated the State Bank of India's branch in Trincomalee, Sri Lanka?
(a) Narendra Modi (b) Nirmala Sitharaman (c) Amit Shah
(d) Dinesh Khara (e) S Jaishankar Ans. b
27. Who has been named the winner of the British Academy Book Prize 2023 for Global Cultural Understanding?
(a) Deepak Shenoy (b) Neeli Bendapudi (c) Nandini Das
(d) Shanti Lakra (e) Deepika Misra Ans. c
28. Zahid Hussain has secured the silver medal at the prestigious Asian Championship 2023. She is related to which sport?
(a) South Korea (b) USA (c) Japan (d) Australia (e) Germany Ans. a

29. Legendary cricketer Sachin Tendulkar has unveiled his life-size statue at the Wankhede Stadium in Mumbai, where India won the 2011 edition of the ICC World Cup. The statue is made by _____.
(a) Ram V. Sutar (b) Subodh Gupta (c) Pramod Kamble (d) Anish Kapoor (e) Shilpa Gupta Ans. c
30. Which of the following will host the "Building State-level Innovation Ecosystems" workshop at IIM Bangalore?
(a) Finance Ministry (b) Reserve bank of India (c) India Global Forum
(d) NITI Aayog (e) Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Ans. d
31. In November 2023, which ministry organized the two-day Conclave with the theme of "Integrating Sustainability & Business Strategy for the Chemical Industry- Addressing Challenges and Opportunities"?
(a) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (b) Ministry of Environment and Forests
(c) Ministry of Chemicals (d) Ministry of New and Renewable Energy
(e) Ministry of Petroleum Ans. c
32. Recently, India and which country has re-launched Economic and Technology Cooperation Agreement (ETCA) negotiations?
(a) Iran (b) Maldives (c) Bhutan (d) Mauritius (e) Sri Lanka Ans. e
33. India has signed an MoU with which country to strengthen existing educational cooperation between the two countries?
(a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) USA (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. e
34. Which Indian City was ranked fourth among 46 Global Cities, according to Knight Frank's Prime Global Cities Index for September quarter of 2023?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Guwahati (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. e
35. Which country has recently announced Visa-Free Entry for Indians to boost tourism from 10th November 2023 to 10th May 2024?
(a) France (b) Thailand (c) UK (d) USA (e) Sri Lanka Ans. b
36. Who has been appointed as CEO & MD of Tata Power Renewable Energy Limited?
(a) Anshika Singh (b) Dinesh Dasa (c) Vasudha Gupta (d) Manoj Soni (e) Deepesh Nanda Ans. e
37. Who has been appointed as Chairman of the Armed Forces Tribunal (AFT)?
(a) Justice Sharad Arvind Bobde (b) Justice Rajendra Menon (c) Justice Uday Lalit
(d) Justice N. V. Ramana (e) Justice Ranjan Gogoi Ans. b
38. Who has been chosen for the Kerala Jyothi Award 2023 instituted by the Kerala government?
(a) Deepak Shenoy (b) Neeli Bendpudi (c) T. Padmanabhan
(d) Shanti Lakra (e) Deepika Misra Ans. c
39. In November 2023, which city has been declared the winner of the US National Gatka Championship, the first-ever American national championship of the popular Sikh martial arts?
(a) Bengaluru (b) New York (c) London (d) Washington DC (e) Tokyo Ans. b
40. Recently, who has become India's highest wicket-taker in ODI World Cup?
(a) Yuzvendra Chahal (b) Bhuvneshwar Kumar (c) Mohammed Shami
(d) Jasprit Bumrah (e) Hardik Pandya Ans. c
41. Who has won the gold medal in the men's 50m rifle 3 positions individual event at the Asian Shooting Championship in Changwon, South Korea?
(a) Divyansh Singh Panwar (b) Swapnil Kusale (c) Rudranksh Patil
(d) Aishwaryatap Singh Tomar (e) Ankit Singh Ans. d
42. International Day for Biosphere Reserve is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 4 November (b) 5 November (c) 3 November (d) 2 November (e) 6 November Ans. c
43. World Jellyfish Day is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 4 November (b) 5 November (c) 3 November (d) 2 November (e) 6 November Ans. c
44. Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) will open its new Regional Administrative Office in which country?
(a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) USA (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. e

45. Vibrant Gujarat International Roadshow was held in which city?
(a) New Delhi (b) Berlin (c) Paris (d) Dubai (e) London Ans. d
46. Which of the following has organized a workshop on "Goa Roadmap for Tourism" with India Foundation and the Ministry of Tourism?
(a) Finance Ministry (b) RBI (c) Bureau of Indian Standards
(d) NITI Aayog (e) NASSCOM Ans. d
47. Which state government has launched Dr Puneeth Rajkumar Hrudaya Jyoti Yojana to treat people suffering from sudden heart attacks and cardiac issues?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Karnataka (e) Kerala Ans. d
48. Which word has been named the Collins Word of the Year for 2023?
(a) War (b) Earthquake (c) AI (d) Permacrisis (e) Humanity Ans. c
49. Which bank has launched electronic bank guarantee services for its MSMEs and corporate clients in association with National E-Governance Services Ltd (NeSL) to replace the conventional time-intensive paper-based bank guarantee?
(a) MUFG Bank (b) HSBC India (c) Standard Chartered
(d) Citibank (e) DBS Bank Ans. b
50. Which of the following company is buying Arvind Beauty Brands Retail, a subsidiary of Arvind Fashions for Rs.99 crore?
(a) Adani Group (b) Tata Group (c) Reliance Retail (d) NIVEA (e) Garnier Ans. c
51. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has been re-elected as the Chairman of which of the following temple trust?
(a) Badrinath Temple Trust (b) Shree Somnath Trust (c) Ayodhya Ram Mandir Trust
(d) Sabarimala Temple Trust (e) Akshardham Temple Trust Ans. b
52. Senior IPS officer Pravin Madhukar Pawar has been appointed as Joint Director of which of the following for five years?
(a) Enforcement Directorate (ED) (b) Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI)
(c) National Investigation Agency (NIA) (d) Research and Analysis Wing (RAW)
(e) Intelligence Bureau (IB) Ans. b
53. Who among the following has been appointed as Executive Director by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI)?
(a) Rajnish Kumar (b) Manoranjan Mishra (c) Deepak Mohanty
(d) Tablesh Pandey (e) Siddhartha Mohanty Ans. b
54. Rohit Rishi has been appointed as Executive Director of which the following bank?
(a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) UCO Bank
(d) Bank of Maharashtra (e) Canara Bank Ans. d
55. Which of the following has won the Mahatma Awards 2023 for sustainable and impactful contributions to corporate social responsibility (CSR) in areas such as education, health, livelihood, environment, and disaster relief?
(a) UST (b) HCL (c) Infosys (d) Google (e) IBM Ans. a
56. The Minuteman III missile has been seen in the news recently. Which country does this missile belong to?
(a) India (b) Russia (c) Israel (d) USA (e) China Ans. d
57. Which of the following city is hosting the Indian Navy Sailing Championship 2023?
(a) Bengaluru (b) Jaipur (c) Hyderabad (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. e
58. World Tsunami Awareness Day is observed annually on which day?
(a) 4 November (b) 5 November (c) 6 November (d) 7 November (e) 8 November Ans. b
59. The First Australia India Education and Skill Council (AIESC) meeting was held in which IIT?
(a) IIT Guwahati (b) IIT Delhi (c) IIT Gandhinagar (d) IIT Kanpur (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. c
60. Recently, Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana extended for how many years?
(a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5 (e) 6 Ans. d

61. Which company has secured a large order to construct the greenfield Bhogapuram International Airport project in Andhra Pradesh?
 (a) Reliance Industries Limited (b) Larsen & Toubro (L&T)
 (c) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (a) Adani Group (b) Tata Group Ans. b
62. Which country has hosted the Second World Local Production Forum?
 (a) Netherland (b) Mauritius (c) Brazil (d) Finland (e) Scotland Ans. a
63. Which is the only bank authorized to encash Electoral Bonds in India?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Punjab National Bank (c) UCO Bank
 (d) Indian Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. a
64. Which of the following has been conferred the Iconic Changemaker of the Year 2023 Award?
 (a) Amul (b) State Bank of India (c) TCS
 (d) Reserve Bank of India (e) The Hindu Ans. a
65. Mystery spinner Sunil Narine has announced his retirement from international cricket. He belongs to which team?
 (a) India (b) West Indies (c) Sri Lanka (d) Pakistan (e) Bangladesh Ans. b
66. Who has become the first batter to be 'Timed Out' in International Cricket?
 (a) Sadeera Samarawickrama (b) Shakib Al Hasan (c) Virat Kohli
 (d) Rohit Sharma (e) Angelo Mathews Ans. e
67. India batter Virat Kohli has equaled Sachin Tendulkar's record for most centuries in One-Day Internationals—49. In how many innings has Kohli achieved this milestone?
 (a) 279 (b) 277 (c) 271 (d) 241 (e) 261 Ans. b
68. Which of the following country will host the 24th Asian Archery Championships in 2025?
 (a) China (b) Nepal (c) Bhutan (d) Pakistan (e) Bangladesh Ans. e
69. India has won the Women's Asian Champions Trophy Hockey Cup 2023 after defeating which country?
 (a) South Korea (b) North Korea (c) Japan (d) Pakistan (e) China Ans. c
70. National Cancer Awareness Day is celebrated every year on which day in India?
 (a) 4 November (b) 5 November (c) 6 November (d) 7 November (e) 8 November Ans. d
71. International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 4 November (b) 5 November (c) 6 November (d) 7 November (e) 8 November Ans. c
72. NASA's Astronaut Thomas Kenneth Mattingly II passed away at the age of 87. He was the member of which lunar mission?
 (a) Pioneer 10 (b) Voyager 1 (c) MESSENGER (d) Apollo 13 (e) Apollo 17 Ans. d
73. Leela Omchery passed away recently at the age of 94 years. Who was she?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Historian Ans. a
74. Which IIT has developed a potential solution to address the problem of air pollution in Delhi and its neighbouring regions?
 (a) IIT Guwahati (b) IIT Delhi (c) IIT Madras (d) IIT Kanpur (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. d
75. Which ministry has unveiled a progressive initiative "Women for Water, Water for Women Campaign"?
 (a) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (b) Ministry of Environment and Forests
 (c) Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (d) Ministry of New and Renewable Energy
 (e) Ministry of Jal Shakti (Water) Ans. c
76. Chile has become the 95th member of the International Solar Alliance (ISA). What is the currency of Chile?
 (a) Peso (b) Dollar (c) Dinar (d) Rupee (e) Driham Ans. a
77. Which state government will conduct the Cow Census in the state?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. a

78. Which edition of the 'Vizag Navy Marathon' has been organized in Visakhapatnam city?
 (a) 5th (b) 6th (c) 7th (d) 8th (e) 9th Ans. d
79. Which IIT has become the first Indian Institute of Technology to set up an international campus, by launching a campus in Zanzibar Tanzania?
 (a) IIT Guwahati (b) IIT Delhi (c) IIT Madras (d) IIT Kanpur (e) IIT Roorkee Ans. c
80. In November 2023, the Reserve Bank of India has imposed monetary penalties of Rs 72 lakh on which bank due to several violations?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Punjab National Bank (c) UCO Bank
 (d) Indian Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. b
81. Recently, which insurance company has received the registration to undertake life insurance business in the Gujarat International Finance Tec (GIFT) City-International Financial Services Centre (IFSC)?
 (a) Bajaj Allianz General Insurance (b) Bharti AXA General Insurance
 (c) Cholamandalam MS General Insurance (d) Royal Sundaram General Insurance
 (e) India First Life Insurance Ans. e
82. Who has been appointed as Surveyor General of India?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Sadhna Saxena Nair (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Ipsita Dasgupta (e) Hitesh Kumar S Makwana Ans. e
83. In November 2023, who was sworn in as the Chief Information Commissioner?
 (a) Abhishek Singhvi (b) Heeralal Samariya (c) Parth Jindal
 (d) Harshvardhan Bansal (e) Laxman Narasimhan Ans. b
84. Which state has bagged the prestigious Global Responsible Tourism Award 2023?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. e
85. The All India Football Federation has been honoured with the AFC President's Recognition _____ medal for its efforts in the grassroots-level development of the sport in the country.
 (a) Bronze (b) Platinum (c) Diamond (d) Gold (e) Ruby Ans. a
86. Infant Protection Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 9 November (b) 10 November (c) 6 November (d) 7 November (e) 8 November Ans. d
87. Maheswar Mohanty passed away recently at the age of 67. He was the former Assembly speaker of which state?
 (a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. c
88. World Radiography Day is observed every year on November 8. What is the theme of World Radiography Day 2023?
 (a) Radiographers at the Forefront of Patient Safety (b) The Role of the Radiographer in a Pandemic
 (c) Elevating Patient Care with Artificial Intelligence (d) Your Safety, Our Priority
 (e) Celebrating Patient Safety Ans. e
89. Which company has become India's largest green energy company as it reached the 8.4 Gigawatt (GW) installed capacity mark?
 (a) ReNew Power (b) Adani Green Energy Ltd (c) JSW Energy
 (d) NTPC Limited (e) Tata Power Ans. b
90. Which of the following ports has set another record by handling 16.1 MMT of cargo in October 2023, the highest ever volume by any port in India?
 (a) Mundra Port (b) Cochin Port (c) JNPT Port (d) Kandla Port (e) Mumbai Port Ans. a
91. Union Minister for Finance and Corporate Affairs, Nirmala Sitharaman has inaugurated how many Goods and Services Tax (GST) Seva Kendras in Vapi, Gujarat?
 (a) 10 (b) 11 (c) 12 (d) 13 (e) 14 Ans. c
92. Which bank has signed MoU with Institute of Rural Management Anand (IRMA) to promote financial inclusion and literacy in India?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. b

93. In November 2023, which of the following countries ranked first in employee well-being by the global survey conducted by McKinsey Health Institute?
(a) India (b) Turkey (c) Japan (d) USA (e) China Ans. b
94. Who has been appointed as CMD of Konkan Railway Corporation Limited (KRCL)?
(a) Anshika Singh (b) Santosh Kumar Jha (c) Vasudha Gupta
(d) Ipsita Dasgupta (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. b
95. Who has been appointed as the CEO & MD of Tata Power Renewable Energy Limited (TPREL), a subsidiary of Tata Power?
(a) Abhishek Singhvi (b) Neeraj Akhoury (c) Parth Jindal
(d) Deepesh Nanda (e) Lokesh M Ans. d
96. Who has clinched two gold and a silver medal in archery at National Games 2023?
(a) Ankita Bhakat (b) Manu Bhaker (c) Dola Banerjee
(d) Deepika Kumari (e) Atanu Das Ans. d
97. Who has won the Formula One Brazilian Grand Prix 2023?
(a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Lewis Hamilton (c) Max Verstappen
(d) Charles Leclerc (e) Sergio Pérez Ans. c
98. The Central government has launched a new wheat flour scheme called 'Bharat Atta' at a subsidized price of _____ per kg.
(a) Rs 26.50 (b) Rs 27.50 (c) Rs 28.50 (d) Rs 17.50 (e) Rs 22.50 Ans. b
99. Which edition of the Kalinga Literary Festival (KLF) with the theme 'Legends of Ancient Bharat and Beyond: Inspiring Lived Experience in the 21st Century', will be kick-started from February 9 in Bhubaneswar?
(a) 8th (b) 9th (c) 10th (d) 11th (e) 12th Ans. c
100. UBS has raised India's economic growth forecast for FY2024 to what percent from 6.2%?
(a) 6.3% (b) 6.4% (c) 6.5% (d) 6.6% (e) 6.7% Ans. a
101. Who has been appointed as 'UPI Security Ambassador' by National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) to strengthen security awareness on digital payment platforms?
(a) Ayushmann Khurrana (b) Yami Gautam (c) Pankaj Tripathi
(d) Mahendra Singh Dhoni (e) Rajkummar Rao Ans. c
102. Who has been appointed as Nominee Director on the board of South-East Asia Gas Pipeline Company Limited (SEAGP)?
(a) Anshika Singh (b) Deepak Gupta (c) Vasudha Gupta
(d) Joyeeta Gupta (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. b
103. Who has taken over the charge of the post of Member (Finance) at the Airports Authority of India (AAI)?
(a) Anshika Singh (b) Vumlunmang Vualnam (c) Vasudha Gupta
(d) Pankaj Malhotra (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. d
104. Which country's cricketer Meg Lanning has recently announced his retirement from international cricket?
(a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. c
105. Consider the following statements
(i) Maharashtra secured the first position in the 37th National Games 2023
(ii) Maharashtra bagged 228 medals including 88 gold
(iii) Goa hosted the event for the second time in its history
(iv) Haryana stands at third position.
Find the INCORRECT statements
(a) only i (b) only ii (c) only iii (d) only i & ii (e) only ii & iii Ans. e
106. Who has won the 7th Paris Masters title?
(a) Sania Mirza (b) Rohan Bopanna (c) Saina Nehwal (d) Novak Djokovic (e) Roger Federer Ans. d

107. World Usability Day or Make Things Easier Day is celebrated annually on the second Thursday in November. This year celebrated on 9 November. What is the theme of World Usability Day 2023?
 (a) Collaboration and Cooperation (b) Collaboration and Consultation
 (c) Collective and Cooperation (d) Easier Cooperation
 (e) Things Cooperation Ans. a
108. Uttarakhand has celebrated its Foundation Day on November 9. In which year Uttarakhand was formed?
 (a) 2000 (b) 2001 (c) 2002 (d) 2003 (e) 2004 Ans. a
109. Legal Services Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 9 November (b) 10 November (c) 11 November (d) 12 November (e) 13 November Ans. a
110. DB Chandregowda passed away recently at the age of 87. Who was he?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director Ans. b
111. Which company will set up 3,270 megawatts of clean energy projects, including pumped storage and floating solar in Karnataka?
 (a) ReNew Power (b) THDC India Ltd (c) JSW Energy
 (d) NTPC Limited (e) Torrent Power Ans. b
112. The 33rd Conference of the World Organization for Animal Health (WOAH) Regional Commission for Asia and Pacific will begin in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Hyderabad (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
113. A digital lending transformation platform, Jocata has collaborated with which of the following to launch a one-of-its-kind MSME Economic Activity Index Sumpoorn?
 (a) NABARD (b) RBI (c) PFRDA (d) SEBI (e) SIDBI Ans. e
114. Moody's Investors Service retained India's economic growth forecast for 2023 at _____.
 (a) 6.2 (b) 6.3 (c) 6.4 (d) 6.6 (e) 6.7 Ans. e
115. What is the name of the world's first robot CEO?
 (a) Romio (b) Mika (c) Sophia (d) Jelly (e) Mivi Ans. b
116. Who has been bestowed the prestigious "Champions of Change Award" by the Interactive Forum on Indian Economy for her exemplary work in entrepreneurship, innovation, and social development?
 (a) Deepak Shenoy (b) Neeli Bendapudi (c) Somdutta Singh
 (d) Shanti Lakra (e) Deepika Misra Ans. c
117. Recently, the International Cricket Council (ICC) suspended which country cricket's membership with immediate effect?
 (a) Pakistan (b) Bangladesh (c) Sri Lanka (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. c
118. Hayley Matthews has won the ICC Women's Player of the Month award for October 2023. She is from which cricket team?
 (a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) West Indies Ans. e
119. World Science Day for Peace and Development is celebrated annually on which day?
 (a) 14 November (b) 15 November (c) 10 November (d) 12 November (e) 13 November Ans. c
120. National Education Day is celebrated on November 11 every year to mark the birth anniversary of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, India's first education minister. What is the theme of National Education Day 2023?
 (a) Embracing Revolution (b) Education Revolution (c) Embracing Innovation
 (d) Connecting each other (e) Connect the education Ans. c
121. World Kindness Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 14 November (b) 15 November (c) 16 November (d) 12 November (e) 13 November Ans. e
122. World Pneumonia Day is observed annually on which day?
 (a) 14 November (b) 15 November (c) 16 November (d) 12 November (e) 13 November Ans. d
123. Padmanabha Acharya passed away recently at the age of 92 in Mumbai. Who was he?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Historian Ans. b

124. Which state is set to become the first state in the country to implement the Uniform Civil Code?
 (a) Arunachal Pradesh (b) Sikkim (c) Himachal Pradesh
 (d) Maharashtra (e) Uttarakhand Ans. e
125. Uttar Pradesh has set a new Guinness world record by lighting over how many Diyas (lamps) in Ayodhya on the occasion of Diwali?
 (a) 11.5 lakh (b) 21.5 lakh (c) 22 lakh (d) 21 lakh (e) 51 lakh Ans. c
126. Which organization's executive board has approved a proposal to make a 50% increase in the quota allocated to members in proportion to their current quotas?
 (a) International Monetary Fund (b) Asian Development Bank
 (c) New Development Bank (d) African Development Bank (e) World Bank Ans. a
127. Which country recently got a new island after an underwater volcanic eruption?
 (a) Australia (b) India (c) Japan (d) USA (e) China Ans. c
128. The Indian government has recently signed a \$400 million policy-based loan agreement with which organization to support its urban reform agenda?
 (a) International Monetary Fund (b) Asian Development Bank (c) New Development Bank
 (d) African Development Bank (e) World Bank Ans. b
129. Recently, David Cameron has been appointed foreign secretary of which country?
 (a) France (b) Russia (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. c
130. Recently, who has assumed Command of The Eastern Fleet?
 (a) Anish Dayal Singh (b) Sujoy Lal Thakosen (c) M A Ganapathy
 (d) Umesh Mishra (e) Rajesh Dhankhar Ans. e
131. Who has been appointed as the Managing Director of Torrent Gas Limited?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Manoj Jain (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Ipsita Dasgupta (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. b
132. Which of the following country has won its first Billie Jean King Cup 2023?
 (a) France (b) Italy (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. e
133. In November 2023, the International Cricket Council (ICC) has announced the names of the three legends of cricket as the latest inductees of the ICC Cricket Hall of Fame. Who among the following is not include in ICC's hall of fame?
 (i) Virender Sehwag (ii) Diana Edulji (iii) MS Dhoni (iv) Aravind D'Silva
 (a) Only i (b) Only ii (c) Only iii (d) Only iv (e) None of above Ans. c
134. India ended its campaign at the Asian Archery Championships in Bangkok with how many medals?
 (a) 3 (b) 4 (c) 5 (d) 6 (e) 7 Ans. e
135. Children's Day or 'Bal Diwas' is celebrated annually on November 14 in India. This date also marks the birth anniversary of _____.
 (a) Motilal Nehru (b) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (c) Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan
 (d) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru (e) Muhammad Ali Jinnah Ans. d
136. World Diabetes Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 14 November (b) 15 November (c) 16 November (d) 12 November (e) 13 November Ans. a
137. Which of the following ministry has launched the 'Aaina Dashboard for Cities' portal?
 (a) Ministry of Corporate Affairs (b) Ministry of Ayush
 (c) Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (d) Ministry of Finance
 (e) Ministry of Home Affairs Ans. c
138. "800" is the biopic of which cricketer?
 (a) Harleen Deol (b) Ricky Pointing (c) Muttiah Muralitharan
 (d) Mahendra Singh Dhoni (e) Suryakumar Yadav Ans. c

139. What is the rank of India in Inclusiveness Index published by the Oothering and Belonging Institute (OBI) at California University, US?
 (a) 11th (b) 111th (c) 54th (d) 120th (e) 117th Ans. e
140. Which state has launched the 'Food Security' campaign to achieve zero hunger?
 (a) Tripura (b) West Bengal (c) Assam (d) Bihar (e) Meghalaya Ans. e
141. The annual apex-level international conference of the Indian Navy – the Indo-Pacific Regional Dialogue (IPRD) – will be held in which city from 15 to 17 November 2023?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Hyderabad (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
142. The 6th High-Level Meeting of the India-OPEC Energy Dialogue was held in which country?
 (a) Nyon, Switzerland (b) Berlin, Germany (c) Paris, France
 (d) Sofia, Bulgaria (e) Vienna, Austria Ans. e
143. In November 2023, which bank received approval from the RBI for making bank Securities a wholly-owned subsidiary?
 (a) ICICI Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) IndusInd Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) Bandhan Bank Ans. a
144. 10th ASEAN Defence Ministers' Meeting was held in which country?
 (a) India (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Indonesia (e) UAE Ans. d
145. Which country has launched a new interactive map to restore a minimum of 15 percent local biodiversity within every catchment in the next nearly 100 years?
 (a) England (b) New Zealand (c) Australia (d) South Africa (e) Ireland Ans. b
146. Who has been chosen for the 19th 'Kalakar Puraskar' presented by Mandd Sobhann, in association with 'Carval Ghorane'?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Vumlunmang Vualnam (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Apolinaris D'Souza (e) Raghu Srinivasan Ans. d
147. Gurkeerat Singh Mann has announced retirement. He was related to which sport?
 (a) Hockey (b) Weightlifting (c) Kabaddi (d) Football (e) Cricket Ans. e
148. Jharkhand Foundation Day is celebrated every year on 15 November. In which year Jharkhand state was formed?
 (a) 1996 (b) 1999 (c) 2000 (d) 2001 (e) 2003 Ans. c
149. Prithvi Raj Singh aka 'Biki' passed away recently at the age of 94. He was the former chairman of which group?
 (a) Taj Hotels (b) Soneva (c) Lemon Tree Hotels
 (d) Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group (e) Oberoi Group Ans. e
150. The founder of Sahara India Pariwar, Subrata Roy passed away recently at the age of 75. In which year Sahara group was formed?
 (a) 1990 (b) 1995 (c) 1997 (d) 2000 (e) 2001 Ans. a
151. Who has inaugurated a Power Pavilion set up by the Ministry of Power in India International Trade Fair 2023 at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi?
 (a) Anurag Thakur (b) Piyush Goyal (c) Jitendra Singh
 (d) R. K. Singh (e) Amit Shah Ans. d
152. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has launched the Pradhan Mantri Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTG) Development Mission in which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) Jharkhand (c) Assam (d) Bihar (e) Meghalaya Ans. d
153. As measured by the Consumer Price Index (CPI), how much percent retail inflation was recorded in October 2023?
 (a) 4.87% (b) 3.87% (c) 4.27% (d) 5.17% (e) 4.77% Ans. a
154. Who has been appointed as an advisor to the US-India Strategic and Partnership Forum (USISPF) Board?
 (a) Abhishek Singhvi (b) Aryama Sundaram (c) Kishor Kumar Basa
 (d) Ajay Kumar (e) Laxman Narasimhan Ans. d

155. Virat Kohli becomes first batter in the world to score 50 ODI centuries. In how many innings has Kohli achieved this position?
 (a) 269 (b) 279 (c) 259 (d) 299 (e) 288 Ans. b
156. Which company has won two prestigious awards at the Asian Oil and Gas Awards event held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia?
 (a) GAIL (India) Limited (b) Larsen & Toubro (L&T)
 (c) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (d) Tata Advanced Systems
 (e) Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) Ans. a
157. Who has been awarded the first-ever 'Lifetime Disturbing the Peace Award' by the Vaclav Havel Center?
 (a) Amitav Ghosh (b) Vikram Seth (c) Salman Rushdie (d) Aravind Adiga (e) Chetan Bhagat Ans. c
158. Recently, who has jumped off a helicopter from a height of 21,500 ft in front of the world's highest peak Mt Everest?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Vumlungmang Vualnam (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Ipsita Dasgupta (e) Shital Mahajan Ans. e
159. Which country has signed a contract to supply Igla-S hand-held anti-aircraft missiles to India?
 (a) France (b) Russia (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. b
160. Which company has signed a Transfer of Technology agreement with CSIR-National Aerospace Laboratories for the manufacturing of BMI Engine Production of LCA - Tejas Mk1A?
 (a) Reliance Industries Limited (b) Larsen & Toubro (L&T) (c) Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd
 (d) Tata Advanced Systems (e) Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) Ans. c
161. Who has become the first batsman to hit 50 Sixes in World Cup?
 (a) Virat Kohli (b) Rohit Sharma (c) Kane Williamson
 (d) David Warner (e) Devon Conway Ans. b
162. World Philosophy Day is observed annually on which day?
 (a) Third Wednesday of November (b) Third Thursday of November (c) Third Friday of November
 (d) Third Saturday of November (e) Third Sunday of November Ans. b
163. International Day of Tolerance is observed annually on which day?
 (a) 14 November (b) 15 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. c
164. National Press Day is observed annually on which day?
 (a) 14 November (b) 15 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. c
165. Which country will host the second edition of the Voice of Global South Summit?
 (a) India (b) Bangladesh (c) Oman (d) Singapore (e) UAE Ans. a
166. Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs Hardeep Singh Puri has launched the City Investments to Innovate, Integrate, and Sustain 2.0 (CITIIS 2.0) challenge in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai
 (d) Greater Noida (e) Thiruvananthapuram Ans. b
167. Which city's airport has recently introduced special services 'Sunflower Initiative' to facilitate people with hidden disabilities?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) Delhi (c) Hyderabad (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. b
168. Indian Railways has collaborated with IRCTC to launch the Bharat Gaurav Tourist Train Departing from _____.
 (a) Ayodhya Junction railway station (b) New Delhi railway station (c) Anand Vihar Terminal
 (d) Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus (e) Kanpur Central Ans. d
169. India and which country have signed an MoU with the objective of connecting both countries' dynamic startup ecosystems, particularly in critical and emerging technologies (CET)?
 (a) France (b) Russia (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. d

170. Which edition of the Global Media Congress commences at the Abu Dhabi National Exhibition Centre, UAE?
 (a) First (b) Second (c) Third (d) Fourth (e) Fifth Ans. b
171. Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) has added how many new workers under the ESI Scheme in September, as per the latest payroll data?
 (a) 8.88 lakh (b) 18.88 lakh (c) 28.88 lakh (d) 1.88 lakh (e) 10.88 lakh Ans. b
172. In November 2023, the Reserve Bank of India imposed a monetary penalty of Rs.90.92 lakh on which bank for non-compliance with certain directions issued by RBI?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) ICICI Bank Ans. b
173. Pedro Sanchez was re-elected prime minister of Spain. What is the currency of Spain?
 (a) Dollar (b) Euro (c) Krona (d) Thai Baht (e) Shilling Ans. b
174. Indian Air Force will organize an air show on 23-24 November at which air force station?
 (a) Ambala Air Force Station (b) Hindan Air Force Station (c) Sullur Air Force Station
 (d) Thanjavur Air Force Station (e) Kalaikunda Air Force Station Ans. a
175. Which edition of the joint military exercise between India and Sri Lanka "Mitra Shakti 2023" commenced in Pune's Aundh?
 (a) 9th (b) 10th (c) 11th (d) 12th (e) 13th Ans. a
176. Mohammed Shami has become the fastest bowler to take 50 wickets in the ODI World Cup. In how many innings has Shami achieved this feat?
 (a) 12 (b) 17 (c) 21 (d) 39 (e) 16 Ans. b
177. National Epilepsy Awareness Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 19 November (b) 20 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. d
178. International Students Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 19 November (b) 20 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. d
179. World Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Day is observed every year on 17 November. What is the theme of World Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Day 2023?
 (a) Your Lungs for Life (b) Healthy Lungs - Never More Important
 (c) All Together to End COPD (d) Living Well with COPD - Everybody, Everywhere
 (e) Breathing is Life - Act Earlier Ans. e
180. Which place has been listed as one of the best places to visit in Asia in 2024 by London-based Luxury travel magazine Conde Nast?
 (a) Kochi (b) Mysore (c) Gangtok (d) Coimbatore (e) Sri Nagar Ans. a
181. Which edition of the India International Trade Fair was inaugurated in Pragati Maidan, New Delhi?
 (a) 39th (b) 40th (c) 41st (d) 42nd (e) 43rd Ans. d
182. In November 2023, which bank has launched UPI Lite to power small-value digital transactions in India?
 (a) Federal Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) IndusInd Bank (d) HDFC Bank (e) Bandhan Bank Ans. a
183. According to the Finance Minister, India is expected to overtake Japan and Germany to emerge as the third-largest economy in the world by which year?
 (a) 2025 (b) 2026 (c) 2027 (d) 2028 (e) 2029 Ans. c
184. Who has been appointed as the Director of Jio Financial Services?
 (a) Akash Ambani (b) Isha Ambani (c) Anant Ambani (d) Nita Ambani (e) Tina Ambani Ans. b
185. Who has been appointed as Indian envoy to the Caribbean Community (CARICOM) and High Commissioner to the Federation of St Kitts and Nevis and Antigua and Barbuda?
 (a) Anshika Singh (b) Sadhna Saxena Nair (c) Vasudha Gupta
 (d) Ipsita Dasgupta (e) Amit S Telang Ans. e
186. Ashok Vaswani has been appointed Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of which bank?
 (a) Federal Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) IndusInd Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) Kotak Mahindra Bank Ans. e

187. Who has been appointed as Director of Special Protection Group (SPG)?
 (a) Anish Dayal Singh (b) Sujoy Lal Thakosen (c) Alok Sharma
 (d) Pankaj Kumar Singh (e) Subodh Kumar Jaiswal Ans. c
188. Who expressed gratitude on receiving the 'Order of British Columbia', the province's highest form of recognition?
 (a) Ryan Reynolds (b) Blake Lively (c) Jeff Reynolds
 (d) Ryan Gosling (e) Rob McElhenney Ans. a
189. Who among the following have been conferred with Kenneth Boulding Award 2023?
 (i) Bina Agarwal (ii) Sheetal Shah (iii) David Barkin
 (a) only i (b) only ii (c) only iii (d) only i & ii (e) only i & iii Ans. e
190. Who will be honored with Maharashtra's Lata Mangeshkar Award 2023?
 (a) Deepak Shenoy (b) Neeli Bendapudi (c) Raghu Ram Pillarisetti
 (d) Suresh Wadkar (e) Deepika Misra Ans. d
191. World Prematurity Day is observed annually on which day every year?
 (a) 19 November (b) 20 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. d
192. International Men's Day is celebrated every year on which day?
 (a) 19 November (b) 20 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. a
193. Brijinder Nath Goswamy passed away recently at the age of 90. Who was he?
 (a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Theatre artist (d) Social Worker (e) Historian Ans. e
194. Which of the following has signed with the World Health Organization for 'Project Collaboration' on Traditional and Complementary Medicine?
 (a) Ministry of Corporate Affairs (b) Ministry of Ayush
 (c) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (d) Ministry of Finance
 (e) Ministry of Home Affairs Ans. b
195. Union Fisheries Minister Parshottam Rupala has inaugurated the two-day Global Fisheries Conference India 2023 in which city?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Hyderabad (d) Ahmedabad (e) Mumbai Ans. d
196. Which was the opening film at the 54th International Film Festival of India?
 (a) Half CA (b) The Featherweight (c) Catching Dust
 (d) Cinderella Man (e) Big George Foreman Ans. c
197. The Sea Buckthorn of which state/UT recently got its Geographical Indication (GI) tag?
 (a) Gujarat (b) Kerala (c) Odisha (d) Ladakh (e) Puducherry Ans. d
198. Which of the following has launched a new Commission on Social Connection, to address loneliness as a pressing health threat, promote social connection as a priority, and accelerate the scaling up of solutions in countries of all incomes?
 (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
199. Recently, which country has successfully test-fired an 'M51.3' long-range ballistic missile?
 (a) France (b) Russia (c) UK (d) USA (e) Canada Ans. a
200. Tamil writer Perumal Murugan has won the JCB Prize for Literature for which novel?
 (a) Inglorious Empire (b) The Paradoxical Prime Minister (c) An Era of Darkness
 (d) Fire Bird (e) Why I Am a Hindu Ans. d
201. Sheynnis Palacios has been crowned Miss Universe for the year 2023, marking her country's first win at the international beauty pageant. She is from which country?
 (a) Ecuador (b) Paraguay (c) Nicaragua (d) Panama (e) El Salvador Ans. c

202. Indian star batter Virat Kohli has been awarded the "Player of the Tournament" title in the ICC World Cup 2023 for his exemplary performance. Kohli scored a total of how many runs in World Cup 2023?
(a) 747 (b) 765 (c) 797 (d) 777 (e) 757 Ans. b
203. Australia lifted the ICC Men's Cricket ODI World Cup 2023 defeating India by six wickets in the final at the Narendra Modi Stadium in Ahmedabad. With this win, Australia has won the ODI World Cup title how many times till?
(a) 5 times (b) 6 times (c) 4 times (d) 7 times (e) 3 times Ans. b
204. Africa Industrialization Day is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 19 November (b) 20 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. b
205. World Toilet Day is observed every year on which day?
(a) 19 November (b) 15 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. a
206. World Children's Day is observed every year on 20 November. What is the theme of World Children's Day 2023?
(a) Children are the future of the nation and the citizens of tomorrow
(b) A better future for every child (c) For Every Child, Every Right
(d) Children of today, our keepers tomorrow (e) Go Blue Ans. c
207. Women's Entrepreneurship Day is celebrated every year on which day?
(a) 19 November (b) 15 November (c) 16 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. a
208. S Venkitaramanan passed away recently at the age of 92. Who was he?
(a) Former Director general of Indian Army (b) Former Planning Commission Head
(c) Former RBI Governor (d) Former ISRO Chief
(e) Former DRDO Chief Ans. c
209. Which state government has launched the 'Every Right for Every Child' campaign to ensure equal opportunities for students?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan
(d) Maharashtra (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. a
210. Dharmendra Pradhan has launched 37 PM SHRI Kendriya Vidyalayas and 26 PM SHRI Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas in which state?
(a) Maharashtra (b) Tamil Nadu (c) Odisha (d) Andhra Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. c
211. Bihar Governor Rajendra Vishwanath Arlekar has approved the Bill raising reservation from 50% to how much percent?
(a) 55% (b) 60% (c) 65% (d) 70% (e) 75% Ans. c
212. What is the rank of India in Global Unicorn Rankings with a total valuation of \$195.75 billion?
(a) 1st (b) 2nd (c) 3rd (d) 4th (e) 5th Ans. c
213. Who has been appointed as interim Chief Executive officer of OpenAI?
(a) Jessica Livingston (b) Jessica Mira (c) Shiron Zilis
(d) Fei-Fei Li (e) Mira Murati Ans. e
214. Who has become the first woman to bag the Dhahan Prize for Punjabi literature?
(a) Anshika Singh (b) Deepti Babuta (c) Vasudha Gupta (d) Rinki Tyagi (e) Parul Goyal Ans. b
215. Which state has won the 'Best State' award for inland fisheries at the Global Fisheries Conference 2023?
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Gujarat (c) Rajasthan (d) Maharashtra (e) Uttarakhand Ans. a
216. World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic is observed every year on which day?
(a) 19 November (b) 20 November (c) 21 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. b
217. Sanjay Gadhvi passed away recently at the age of 6. Who was he?
(a) Writer (b) Politician (c) Actor (d) Social Worker (e) Film Director Ans. e
218. Who will serve as the head of the five-member jury for the best web series (OTT) award at the International Film Festival of India (IFFI)?
(a) Bela Segal (b) Sanjay Leela Bhansali (c) Vidhu Vinod Chopra
(d) Anupama Chopra (e) Rajkumar Hirani Ans. e

219. Ministry of Tourism has organized the 11th edition of the International Tourism Mart at which state?
 (a) Tripura (b) Mizoram (c) Assam (d) Manipur (e) Meghalaya Ans. e
220. According to data from startup data platform Tracxn, which city has topped in women-led startups?
 (a) Bengaluru (b) New Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Greater Noida (e) Mumbai Ans. a
221. Which edition of the Bengal Global Business Summit (BGBS) begins in Kolkata?
 (a) 5th (b) 6th (c) 7th (d) 8th (e) 9th Ans. c
222. Which of the following has launched the Investor Risk Reduction Access (IRRA) platform?
 (a) NABARD (b) RBI (c) PFRDA (d) SEBI (e) SIDBI Ans. d
223. Which bank has entered into a corporate tie-up with HDFC Life to offer life insurance products to its customers?
 (a) South Indian Bank (b) Axis Bank (c) Dhanalakshmi Bank
 (d) Karnataka Bank (e) Karur Vyasya Bank Ans. d
224. In November 2023, Luc Frieden was sworn in as Prime Minister of Luxembourg. What is the currency of Luxembourg?
 (a) Euro (b) Dollar (c) Krona (d) Franc (e) Somoni Ans. a
225. Vinay M Tonse has been appointed as the Managing Director of which bank for 2 years?
 (a) State Bank of India (b) Axis Bank (c) Yes Bank
 (d) HDFC Bank (e) Canara Bank Ans. a
226. Who has been appointed by Acko as its brand ambassador?
 (a) Ayushmann Khurrana (b) R Madhavan (c) Pankaj Tripathi
 (d) Mahendra Singh Dhoni (e) Rajkumar Rao Ans. b
227. Who has won the Formula One Las Vegas Grand Prix 2023?
 (a) Sebastian Vettel (b) Lewis Hamilton (c) Max Verstappen
 (d) Charles Leclerc (e) Sergio Pérez Ans. c
228. Which edition of the Indo-US Joint Special Forces exercise "VAJRA PRAHAR 2023" commenced at the Joint Training Node, Umroi?
 (a) 10th (b) 11th (c) 12th (d) 13th (e) 14th Ans. e
229. World Television Day is observed every year on which day?
 (a) 21 November (b) 20 November (c) 19 November (d) 17 November (e) 18 November Ans. a
230. Daisaku Ikeda passed away recently at the age of 95. He was the former head of which organization?
 (a) Unification Church (b) Happy Science (c) Kenshokai
 (d) Soka Gakkai (e) Honmon-ji Ans. d
231. Which Indian state is going to celebrate the Hornbill festival in December?
 (a) Mizoram (b) Sikkim (c) Asam (d) Nagaland (e) West Bengal Ans. d
232. A campaign named 'water smart kid campaign' has recently started to encourage youth to water conservation awareness. This campaign has been initiated by which Indian state?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Punjab (c) Meghalaya (d) Kerala (e) Odisha Ans. c
233. Which state's tourism mission has made its place in the Global list of case studies of the United Nation World Tourism Organization?
 (a) Odisha (b) Kerala (c) West Bengal (d) Sikkim (e) Goa Ans. b
234. Geographical identification registry has recently got a GI tag to the saffron spice of Kishtwar district. Kishtwar district is in which Indian state?
 (a) Jammu and Kashmir (b) Jharkhand (c) Odisha
 (d) Uttar Pradesh (e) Rajasthan Ans. a
235. Which date of November month has been announced as a 'No Non Veg Day' by the Uttar Pradesh government?
 (a) 24th November (b) 25th November (c) 26th November (d) 27th November (e) 28th November Ans. b

236. In which state and which district India's largest tiger Reserve is about to be operational?
 (a) Damoh, Madhya Pradesh (b) Jaipur, Rajasthan (c) Bhubaneswar, Odisha
 (d) Kolkata, West Bengal (e) Patna, Bihar Ans. a
237. ASEAN-India Millet Festival 2023 Kicks Off In which country?
 (a) USA (b) United Kingdom (c) Indonesia (d) India (e) Japan Ans. c
238. Who has become the PM of Dutch?
 (a) Geert Wilders (b) Christopher Luxon (c) Olaf Scholz
 (d) Joko Widodo (e) Lee Hsien Loong Ans. a
239. Till when RBI extended the significant scheme named Payment Infrastructure Development Fund scheme?
 (a) Till 2024 (b) Till 2025 (c) Till 2026 (d) Till 2027 (e) Till 2028 Ans. b
240. Asian Development Bank has approved USD _____ to Kochi to transform water landscape in the city. Fill in the blank.
 (a) USD 170 (b) USD 160 (c) USD 200 (d) USD 250 (e) USD 400 Ans. a
241. ADB has recently approved 500mn loan to the healthcare and medical education in which Indian state?
 (a) Delhi (b) Uttar Pradesh (c) Maharashtra
 (d) Madhya Pradesh (e) Kerala Ans. c
242. Souray Ganguly has been appointment brand ambassador of which state?
 (a) Punjab (b) West Bengal (c) Delhi
 (d) Mumbai (e) Madhya Pradesh Ans. b
243. Chandra Shekhar Ghosh has been appointment as MD and CEO of which bank?
 (a) Punjab and Sindh Bank (b) Au small finance Banks (c) Bandhan bank
 (d) RBL (e) SBI Ans. c
244. Who has been appointment as a president of FICCI?
 (a) Anish Shah (b) O P Narayan (c) Mira Maruti (d) Amit S Telang (e) Ajay Kumar Ans. a
245. Irish author Paul Lynch won Booker price 2023. For which novel he has won this price?
 (a) Prophet song (b) The gone girl (c) Red sky in morning
 (d) Grace (e) The black snow Ans. a
246. Surya Kiran defence exercise commenced in pithoragarh is a joint military exercise between India and which country?
 (a) Singapore (b) Japan (c) Malaysia (d) Nepal (e) Bangladesh Ans. d
247. Anhat Singh is belong to which sport?
 (a) Cricket (b) Squash (c) Badminton (d) Chess (e) Football Ans. b
248. Shaheedi Diwas or Martyrdom Day Of 'Guru Tegh Bahadur' is celebrated on which date?
 (a) 24th November (b) 25th November (c) 26th November (d) 27th November (e) 28th November Ans. a
249. What is the theme of International Day for The Elimination of Violence Against Women 2023?
 (a) Empowering women (b) Security is priority
 (c) UNITE! Invest to prevent violence against women and girls."
 (d) Fight against it. (e) More power to women Ans. c
250. World sustainable transport day is celebrated on which date?
 (a) 24th November (b) 25th November (c) 26th November (d) 27th November (e) 28th November Ans. c
251. Gurunank Jayanti is observed on which date?
 (a) 24th January (b) 18 February (c) 5 March (d) 27th November (e) 27th December Ans. d
252. Asia Pacific money laundering workshop is hosted by which ministry?
 (a) Ministry of Ayush (b) Ministry of rural development
 (c) Ministry of panchayat (d) Ministry of finance
 (e) Ministry of urban and Housing affairs Ans. d

253. Upcoming Kashi Tamil Sangamam is organized in which month?
 (a) November 2023 (b) December 2023 (c) March 2024 (d) April 2024 (e) February 2024 Ans. b
254. In which state India's first telecom center of excellence is going to be set?
 (a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Uttarakhand (c) Kerala
 (d) Madhya Pradesh (e) West Bengal Ans. a
255. ASEAN-INDIA 4th Grassroots innovation forum launched in which country?
 (a) USA (b) UAE (c) UK (d) Malaysia (e) Singapore Ans. d
256. Which personality received satyajit ray lifetime achievement award in IFFI inaugurated in Goa?
 (a) Abbas Amini (b) Stephan Komandarev (c) Michael Douglas
 (d) Pouria Rahimi (e) Melanie Thiery Ans. c
257. The Defence Ministry has recently signed a contract worth 2956 cr with which entity?
 (a) HEL (b) NTPC (c) ISRO (d) BEL (e) BHEL Ans. e
258. Who has been appointed as Director of HDFC Bank?
 (a) Harsh Kumar Bhanwala (b) S Rangan (c) Pradeep Kumar
 (d) Jaydeep Singh (e) Sandeep Bakshi Ans. a
259. Which state's government has launched an unique AMA BANK scheme?
 (a) Madhya Pradesh (b) Odisha (c) Kerala (d) West Bengal (e) Chennai Ans. b
260. Who has been appointed as a chairman of Fino Payments Bank?
 (a) Rajat Kumar Jain (b) Rajkumar Singh (c) B N Lal Jain
 (d) Om Prakash Narayan (e) R Narayana Ans. a
261. HDFC Bank has launched HDFC SKY with the collaboration of whom?
 (a) Amazon Web Services (b) Infosys (c) Google
 (d) Meta (e) Apple Ans. a
262. IBSF 6 Red snooker world championship title has been secured by whom?
 (a) Vidya Pillai (b) Ronnie O'Sullivan (c) John Higgins
 (d) Pankaj Advani (e) Aditya Mehta Ans. a
263. Which country won Devis cup 2023?
 (a) Australia (b) Italy (c) Singapore (d) China (e) India Ans. b
264. International Day of Solidarity with Palestinian People is celebrated on which day?
 (a) 25th November (b) 5th March (c) 3rd January (d) 29th November (e) 8th December Ans. d
265. Which company received the Environment Protection trophy at the Greentech environment award?
 (a) BHEL (b) NTPC (c) BEL (d) HAL (e) IRCTC Ans. b
266. As per the recent report by the International Labour Organisation, the death rate of workers by which percent is caused by work related accidents?
 (a) 65 percent (b) 64 percent (c) 78 percent (d) 86 percent (e) 74 percent Ans. b
267. India and the European Union have recently signed a MOU in which fields?
 (a) Agriculture (b) Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (c) Semiconductors
 (d) Electricity (e) Renewable Energy Ans. c
268. Which is the latest country to join in the list of countries granting visa free entry for Indians?
 (a) Singapore (b) Bangladesh (c) New Zealand (d) Nicaragua (e) Malaysia Ans. e
269. Angkor wat temple which has been recognised as 8th wonder of the world is situated in which country?
 (a) Cambodia (b) New Zealand (c) China (d) USA (e) UK Ans. a
270. Indigenous tank Zorawar is developed by which institute?
 (a) HAL (b) BHEL (c) DRDO (d) NTPC (e) BEL Ans. c

271. The World Climate Summit 2023 attended by PM Narendra Modi is organized by which country?
(a) New Zealand (b) USA (c) UK (d) UAE (e) Egypt Ans. d
272. What is the logo of Khelo India Para Games 2023?
(a) Ujjwala (b) Moga (c) Shera (d) Chakra (e) Loin Ans. a
273. S&P projected India's GDP---
(a) 6.5 percent (b) 6.4 percent (c) 7.3 percent (d) 6.7 percent (e) 6.9 percent Ans. b
274. How many entities are in RBI's list of Unauthorized forex trading platforms?
(a) 76 (b) 78 (c) 79 (d) 75 (e) 80 Ans. d
275. Hamfest 2023 inaugurated by Devusinh Chauhan, union minister of state for communications is scheduled in which Indian state?
(a) Ahmedabad (b) New Delhi (c) Lucknow (d) Meghalaya (e) Mumbai Ans. a
276. According to the Public Labour Force Survey- July to September 2023 what is the percentage of urban unemployment?
(a) 6.6 percentage (b) 5.6 percentage (c) 5.3 percentage (d) 7.2 percentage (e) 5.1 percentage Ans. a
277. PM JANMAN scheme is related to which field?
(a) Women (b) Child Development (c) Education
(d) Tribal populations (e) Infrastructure Ans. d
278. Under the scheme, the PMGKY Cabinet has approved how much for the next five years starting from 2023?
(a) 12.60 lakh crore (b) 11.80 lakh crore (c) 10.50 lakh crore
(d) 11.20 lakh crore (e) 15.60 lakh crore Ans. b
279. The Centrally Sponsored Scheme for Fast Track Special Courts is going to extend till which year?
(a) 2024 (b) 2025 (c) 2026 (d) 2027 (e) 2028 Ans. c
280. Recently the cabinet has approved a central sector scheme to provide drones to which group?
(a) Children above 15 years (b) Tribal Groups (c) NGO
(d) SHG (e) Women self-help groups Ans. e
281. Anganwadi Protocol for Divyang Children is launched by which ministry?
(a) Ministry of urban and Housing affairs (b) Ministry of women and child development
(c) Ministry of social justice and empowerment (d) Ministry of ayush
(e) Ministry of aviation Ans. b
282. Merriam Webster named which word as the word of 2023?
(a) AI (b) Authentic (c) Chatgpt (d) OpenAi (e) Climate Ans. b
283. Andry Rajoelina re-elected as the president of which country?
(a) Australia (b) Cambodia (c) Nigeria (d) Madagascar (e) Egypt Ans. d
284. SBI has received the nod from RBI to buy how many shares of Karur Vysya Bank?
(a) 5.5 percentage (b) 9.9 percentage (c) 10.99 percentage
(d) 50 percentage (e) 20 percentage Ans. b
285. Which financial institute has recently approved a task force to examine the effect of digital personal data protection act in the insurance sector?
(a) RBI (b) SEBI (c) SIDBI (d) NABARD (e) IRDAI Ans. e
286. International ESG Day is celebrated on which day?
(a) 24th November (b) 25th November (c) 27th November (d) 30th November (e) 5th March Ans. d

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