



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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- With reference to 5G, consider the following statements:
 - 5G or fifth generation is the latest upgrade in the long term evolution (LTE) mobile broadband networks.
 - 5G networks are designed to multiple-input multiple-output (MIMO) efficient which improves signal throughput for all devices on the network.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
- Recently seen in news, Azad Pattan hydel power project is on which of the following river?
 - Jhelum
 - Ravi
 - Sutlej
 - Beas
- With reference to the State of Food Security and Nutrition in the World (SOFI) 2020 report, consider the following statements:
 - It was released on the sidelines of the High-Level Political Forum (HLPF) on Sustainable Development which tracks the progress of nations towards achieving Sustainable Development Goals 2030.
 - Africa remains home to the greatest number of undernourished.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
- With reference to the Maternal Mortality in India 2016-18, consider the following statements:
 - The Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) in India has declined to 113 in 2016-18 from 122 in 2015-17 and 130 in 2014-2016.
 - The target 3.1 of Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) set by the United Nations aims to reduce the global maternal mortality ratio to less than 70 per 1,00,000 live births.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
- With reference to the Security Council ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaida Sanctions Committee, consider the following statements:
 - It was initially established in 1999, pursuant to UN Security Council Resolution 1267.
 - The Committee comprises all 15 members of the Security Council and makes its decision by consensus.Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - 1 only
 - 2 only
 - Both 1 and 2
 - Neither 1 nor 2
- With reference to the Trinity (Nuclear Test), consider the following statements:
 - Trinity was the code name of the first detonation of a nuclear device in 1945.
 - The Manhattan Project was a research and development undertaking during World War II that produced the first nuclear weapons.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both 1 and 2 d) Neither 1 nor 2

7. Consider the following statements regarding National Biopharma Mission:

- 1) The mission is being implemented by the Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC).
- 2) The Innovate in India (i3) programme has been launched under this mission to promote indigenous manufacturing in the biopharma sector.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both 1 and 2 d) Neither 1 nor 2

8. With reference to the fundings of Rural Local Bodies (RLBs), consider the following statements:

- 1) The RLBs receive the grants from the Union Government based on the recommendations of the Finance Commission.
- 2) The Basic grants received from the Union Government can be used by RLBs for location-specific needs.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only b) 2 only c) Both 1 and 2 d) Neither 1 nor 2

9. Which of the following statements is/are correct about the 2nd voluntary national review of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) report-

- 1) Voluntary national review of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) report is presented by Niti Ayog.
- 2) Around 271 million people were lifted out of multidimensional poverty in the last decade.
- 3) The poverty estimates presented were drawn from the global Multidimensional Poverty Index -2019 (MPI).

Select the correct answer using the code given below-

- a) 1 and 2 only b) 2 and 3 only c) 1 and 3 only d) 1, 2 and 3

10. With reference to the Delimitation Commission, consider the following statements:

- 1) It is appointed by the President of India and works in collaboration with the Election Commission of India.
- 2) It redraws Lok Sabha, state assembly constituencies and urban local body constituencies.
- 3) It works on the principle of One Vote One Value.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only b) 2 and 3 only c) 1 and 3 only d) 1, 2 and 3