

## **EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY**

## **DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS**

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- 1. With reference to the Arbitration Council of India, recently seen in the news, consider the following statements:
  - 1) The institution chosen by the Supreme Court and High Courts will make all arbitrator nominations.
  - 2) The establishment of ACI is based on Article 51 of the Indian Constitution.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 2. With reference to the Foreign Portfolio Investments (FPI), recently seen in the news, consider the following statements:
  - 1) FPI is a component of a country's capital account that appears on the Balance of Payments.
  - 2) Hot money is a term used to describe foreign portfolio investment (FPI).
  - 3) FPI does not grant direct ownership of financial assets to the investor. Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
  - a) 1 and 2 only
  - b) 2 and 3 only
  - c) 1 and 3 only
  - d) 1, 2 and 3
- 3. With reference to the Geo-spatial Sector, recently seen in the news, consider the following statements:
  - 1) To acquire geospatial data, Indian firms will no longer need to obtain prior clearance or a license.

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2) All Indian entities now have open access to geospatial data and services, according to the Indian government.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 4. With reference to the GI Tags, recently seen in the news, consider the following statements:
  - 1) Darjeeling tea was the first product in India to receive a GI tag label.
  - 2) The World Trade Organization's (WTO) Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS) governs GI on a global scale.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 5. With reference to the PolarGap Project, consider the following statements about the functions of the project:
  - 1) It keeps track of how the world's ice fields are responding to global warming.
  - 2) It also obtains fresh and important information about the Earth's global gravity field.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 6. Consider the following statements regarding World Anti-doping Agency (WADA):
  - 1) Its foundation was initiated by the International Olympics Committee.

2) It is an intergovernmental body.	
Which of the statements given above is/are correct	?
a) 1 only	
b) 2 only	

- 7. Which of the following regions of the continents experience the Mediterranean climate?
  - a) Northern tips of Australia

c) Both 1 and 2

d) Neither 1 nor 2

- b) Southern tips of Australia
- c) Northern tips of Africa
- d) Southern tips of Africa
- 8. The terms Jamatia, Noatia, Uchai, Mog pertains to,
  - a) Dance forms of southern India
  - b) Tribal peoples in North Eastern Region
  - c) Musical instruments
  - d) Pre-historic cave paintings
- 9. With reference to polar regions, consider the following statements:
  - 1) Polar Regions are less sensitive to climate change in comparison to Equitorial regions.
  - 2) In the Arctic, Sea ice reaches its maximum extent around March and shrinks to its minimum extent in September

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
- 10. Which of the following organizations released the Air Quality Database 2022:
  - a) World Bank

- b) World Meteorological Organization
- c) World Health Organization
- d) None of these