

EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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- 1. Wholesale inflation slowed to a 11 month low in August 2022. In this context consider the following:
 - 1) WPI has exceeded 10% continuously for the past 15 months.
 - 2) WPI is calculated by the office of Economic Advisor, ministry of Commerce and Industries.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 2. Consider the following statements about India's Rice Exports:
 - 1) India is the World's biggest exporter of the Rice
 - 2) India has banned the Shipment of Broken Rice and imposed a 20% duty on exports of various grades of rice.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 3. Consider the following statements
 - 1) The value of Indo-Sri Lanka Trade has consistently increased in the last decade.
 - 2) "Textile and textile articles constitute an important item of trade between India and Bangladesh
 - 3) In the last five years, Nepal has been the largest trading partner of India in South Asia Which of the statements given above is/are correct?
 - a) 1 and 2 only
 - b) 2 only
 - c) 3 only

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- d) 1,2 and 3
- 4. Consider the following statements:
 - 1) The United Nations Convention against Corruption (UNCAC) has a 'Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air'.
 - 2) The UNCAC is the ever-first legally binding global anti-corruption instrument.
 - 3) A highlight of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime (UNTOC) is the inclusion of a specific chapter aimed at returning assets to their rightful owners from whom they had been taken illicitly.
 - 4) The United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) is mandated by its members States to assist in the implementation of both UNCAC and UNTOC.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- a) 1 and 3 only
- b) 2,3 and 4 only
- c) 2 and 4 only
- d) 1,2,3 and 4
- 5. With reference to the government's reform initiatives related to the energy crisis, consider the following statements:
 - 1) Both Central and State Electricity Regulatory Commission have been established as a regulatory mechanism.
 - 2) Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) has been allowed into the power sector to meet the growing demand for electricity.

Which of the above statements is/are incorrect?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 6. Consider the following statements regarding power consumption in India:
 - 1) In India, commercial sources of energy contribute the largest share to the total consumed energy.

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2) During the post-independence period, the transportation sector was the largest consumer of commercial energy.

Which of the statements given above is/are incorrect?

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

7. Consider the following statements:

- 1) The Chalukyan rulers of Gujarat patronized Jainism.
- 2) The Ganga rulers of Karnataka were great patrons of Jainism.
- 3) The Paramara rulers of Malwa built many huge images of Jain saints and of Mahavira.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

8. Consider the following statements:

- 1) Ramanuja argued that in order to attain salvation, grace of God was more important than knowledge about Him.
- 2) He (Ramanuja) tried to build a bridge between the popular movement based on Bhakti and the upper caste movement based on the Vedas.
- 3) The tradition established by Ramanuja was followed by a number of thinkers, such as Madhvacharya in north India.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

- 9. In the context of which one of the following are the terms 'pyrolysis and plasma gasification' mentioned?
 - a) Extraction of rare earth elements
 - b) Natural gas extraction technologies
 - c) Hydrogen fuel-based automobiles
 - d) Waste-to-energy technologies
- 10. Which of the following tiger reserves are famous for sighting Melanistic Tiger?
 - a) Bandipur Tiger Reserve
 - b) Corbett National Park
 - c) Simlipal Tiger Reserve
 - d) Ranthambore National Park