



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. Recently, an Earth Observation Satellite (EOS-04) was launched by the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) using which of the following launch vehicles?
 - a) Satellite Launch Vehicle (SLV)
 - b) Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle (PSLV)
 - c) Geosynchronous Satellite Launch Vehicle (GSLV)
 - d) Small Satellite Launch Vehicle (SSLV)

2. Consider the following statements regarding Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA):
 - 1) It is a Central Sector Scheme.
 - 2) Under the scheme, Grants will be provided for strengthening both accredited and non-accredited Universities and CollegesWhich of the statements given above 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) It was established in 1945 by a UN Charter.
 - 2) Its headquarter is in Hague, Netherlands.
 - 3) It settles legal disputes between member countries.The above statements are most appropriately related to which of the following UN bodies?
 - a) International Court of Justice
 - b) International Labour Organisation
 - c) United Nations Security Council
 - d) Economic and Social Council

4. Consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is the core legal body of the United Nations system in the field of international trade law.
 - 2) Its model law is the most widely accepted legal framework to deal with cross-border insolvency issues.
 - 3) India is only one of eight countries that has been a member of this body since its inception.The above statements most appropriately describe which of the following UN bodies?
 - a) World Trade Organisation (WTO)
 - b) UNCTAD

c) International Trade Center (ITC)

d) UNCITRAL

5. Consider the following statements about the Rural Infrastructure Development Fund (RIDF):

1) The RIDF was set up in 1995-96 to fund complete infrastructure projects in rural areas.

2) This fund was launched by the union government with the help of the Reserve Bank of India.

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

6. Consider the following statements about the Indradhanush Plan:

1) The Central Government announced the Indradhanush Plan for revamping the Public Sector Banks (PSBs) in 2018.

2) The plan was envisaged to recapitalize banks based on their performance and their ability to support credit expansion.

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. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1) Indian Prime Minister will virtually inaugurate Asia's largest Bio-CNG plant at Indore in Madhya Pradesh.

2) Anaerobic digestion of biomass is the process in which organic matter, in the absence of oxygen, is mainly transformed into a mixture of methane and carbon dioxide which is usually referred to as biogas.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

a) 1 only

b) 2 only

c) Both 1 and 2

d) neither 1 nor 2

8. Which of the following statements is/are correct?

1) The National Dam Safety Authority will have its head quarters in New Delhi.

2) The Authority will be headed by a chairman and assisted by five members to lead its five wings.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

a) 1 only

b) 2 only

c) Both 1 and 2

d) Neither 1 nor 2

9. Consider the following statements regarding 'Indian Desert Cat'

1) It is listed as 'Vulnerable' in the IUCN Red List.

2) It is found in semi-arid and arid regions of Rajasthan, Gujarat, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh.

Choose the correct code:

a) 1 Only

b) 2 Only

c) Both 1 and 2

d) Neither 1 nor 2

10. The Objectives of 'Extended producer responsibility (EPR)' which is part of 'Plastic Waste Management Amendment Rules, 2021' are

- 1) Integration of environmental costs
- 2) Reduction of disposal
- 3) Reduction of burden on municipalities

Select the correct code:

a) 1 and 2

b) 2 and 3

c) 1 and 3

d) All of the above