

EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

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- 1. Consider the following statements regarding the achievements of India in the past 9 years as per the Union Budget 2023-24:
 - 1) 11.7 crore household toilets constructed under Swachh Bharat Mission.
 - 2) 9.6 Crore LPG connections provided under Ujjwala.
 - 3) 220 crore covid vaccination of 102 crore persons.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 2. Consider the following statements regarding the achievements of India in the past 9 years as per the Union Budget 2023-24:
 - 1) 1.47.8 Crore PM Jan Dhan bank accounts.
 - 2) Insurance cover for 44.6 crore persons under PM Suraksha Bima and PM Jeevan Jyoti Yojana.
 - 3) Cash transfer of ₹2.2 lakh crore to over 11.4 crore farmers under PM Kisan Samman Nidhi.

Which of the above statements 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 Disinvestment in India, consider the following statements:
 - 1) Disinvestment by the Government of India has steadily increased in the last 5 years.
 - 2) Disinvestment always leads to complete privatisation of an enterprise.

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
- 4. Which of the following is a member of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)?

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- Saudi Arabia
 Iraq
- 3) Qatar
- 4) Bahrain

Select the correct answer using the code given below

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2, 3 and 4 only
- c) 1,3 and 4 only
- d) 1,2,3 and 4
- 5. Consider the following statements regarding SCO's Council of Heads of Government (CHG) Meeting of 2022:
 - 1) It was the 21st meeting hosted under the chairmanship of India in New Delhi.
 - 2) CHG approves the budget, considers and decides upon issues related to economic spheres.

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 regarding Union Budget 2023-24:
 - 1) 157 new nursing colleges to be established in co-location with the existing 157 medical colleges established since 2014.
 - 2) Centre to recruit 38,800 teachers and support staff for the 740 Eklavya Model Residential Schools, serving 3.5 lakh tribal students over the next three years.
 - 3) Outlay for PM Awas Yojana is being enhanced by 66% to over Rs. 79,000 crore.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 7. Consider the following statements regarding Union Budget 2023-24:
 - 1) Urban Infrastructure Development Fund (UIDF) will be established through use of priority Sector Lending shortfall, which will be managed by the national Housing Bank, and will be used by public agencies to create urban infrastructure in Tier 2 and Tier 3 cities.

- 2) Entity DigiLocker to be setup for use by MSMEs, large business and charitable trusts to store and share documents online securely.
- 3) 500 new 'waste to wealth' plants under GOBARdhan (Galvanizing Organic Bio-Agro Resources Dhan) scheme to be established .

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 8. Consider the following statements the 'Panchamrit' goals of India.
 - 1) India will increase its non-fossil capacity to 500 gigawatt by 2030.
 - 2) India will reduce at least one billion tonnes of total projected emissions between now and 2030.
 - 3) India will achieve a zero emissions target by 2070.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 1 and 3 only
- c) 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 9. Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM) is:
 - a) The sale of credits set out in Article 17 of the Kyoto Protocol that permit a certain level of carbon dioxide emission with the goal of reducing overall emissions
 - b) A carbon-pricing system proposed for imports into the European Union (EU)
 - c) An initiative of UNFCCC that works within the existent system to alter the carbon footprint of the world's highest emitting companies
 - d) An international agreement set up by UNDP which aims to ensure the safe handling, transport and use of items containing more than 50% carbon
- 10. Consider the following statements regarding Union Budget 2023-24:
 - 1) 30 Skill India International Centres to be set up across different States to skill youth for international opportunities.
 - 2) Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana 4.0, to be launched to skill lakhs of youth within the next three years covering new age courses for Industry 4.0

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

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

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