

LAWgical Series

General Knowledge

1. Voter Verifiable Paper Audit Trail (VVPAT) is an independent verification system for EVM designed to

- I. allow voters to verify that their votes are cast correctly.
- II. detect possible election fraud or malfunction.
- III. Provide a means to audit the stored electronic results.
- IV. Voter can see printout and take it out too.

- (a) I and II (b) I, III and IV
 (c) I, II and III (d) All of the above

2. The Film Federation of India (FFI) has selected the Hindi film to represent India in Best Foreign Language category at the 90th Academy Awards (Oscars),

- (a) Padmavat (b) Dangal
 (c) Bahubali (d) Newton

3. Who is awarded the Person of the Year for 2017 by Times magazine ?

- (a) The Silence Breakers
 (b) Crown Prince Mohammed bin Salman
 (c) The Dreamers
 (d) Colin Kaepernick

4. How many banks have merged with SBI with effect from October 2017 ?

- (a) 4 (b) 5
 (c) 6 (d) 7

5. According to a recent report by NASA, the El Nino led to excessive carbon dioxide releases in which of the following ways ?

I. Hot weather and drought caused extensive wildfires in south-east Asia.

II. Drought in the Amazon rainforest stunted plant growth, reducing the amount of carbon they absorb while growing.

III. Warmer weather and near normal rainfall in Africa caused forests to exhale more CO₂.

- (a) I only (b) II only
 (c) II and III (d) I, II and III

6. Scientists from which of the following countries have developed the world's first artificial intelligence politician named SAM ?

- (a) New Zealand (b) Japan
 (c) China (d) Korea

7. Which State became the first State in India to operate electric bus services ?

- (a) Assam (b) Himachal Pradesh
 (c) Karnataka (d) Maharashtra

8. Officially launched its own oil-backed cryptocurrency called Petro.

- (a) China (b) Venezuela
 (c) Senegal (d) Singapore

9. is the first Indian woman pilot of Indian Air Force who created history by completing a solo flight on a MiG-21 Bison fighter aircraft.

- (a) Bhawana Kanth (b) Mohana Singh
 (c) Anny Divya (d) Avani Chaturvedi

10. is first city in India to get World Heritage City status by United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO).

- (a) Delhi (b) Mumbai
 (c) Ahmedabad (d) Jaipur

11. Which of these digital payment mechanisms does not require an internet connection ?

- (a) USSD (b) UPI
 (c) e- wallets (d) IMPS 24X7

12. is a popular statistical simulation named after a city.

- (a) Bristol (b) Vienna
 (c) Berlin (d) Monte Carlo

13. BookMyShow and PayTM are examples of respectively. And wallets,

- (a) Open, Closed
 (b) Closed, Semi-closed
 (c) Semi-open, Semi-closed
 (d) Semi-closed, closed

14. Which of the following Indian companies had become one of the top three most- valuable brands in the information technology (IT) service sector of the world ?

- (a) Wipro (b) Infosys
 (c) HCL Technologies (d) Tata Consultancy Services

15. ICC Under-19 World Cup Trophy 2018 was won by India defeating Australia. What is special about this tournament ?

- (a) Shubman Gill of India was declared the 'Man of the Tournament'.
 (b) Team Afghanistan defeated three high profile teams namely Pakistan, Sri Lanka and New Zealand.
 (c) India now holds the most wins record in Under-19 World Cup.
 (d) All of the above

16. When ghee is kept in open air/sunlight for 30 minutes, the loss of Vitamin 'A' is

- (a) 100% (b) 75%
 (c) 34% (d) None of the above

17. Which one of the following has been appointed first female independent Director of International Cricket Council in 2018 ?

- (a) Naina Lai Kidwai (b) Indra Nooyi
 (c) Nita Ambani (d) Chitra Ramkrishna

18. Light waves can be polarised because they

- (a) have high frequency (b) have short wavelength
 (c) are compressive (d) are transverse

19. As per NITI Aayog's Health Index, 2018, which of the following States is the healthiest State in India ?

- (a) Punjab (b) Haryana
 (c) Kerala (d) Tamil Nadu

20. Which one of the following has been described as a 'Frozen Moment in History' ?

- (a) Fatehpur Sikri (b) Jallianwala Bagh
 (c) Gol Gumbas Bijapur (d) Kutub Minar

21. In a coastal city, a high tide occurs every

- (a) 24 hours (b) 12 hours and 25 minutes
 (c) 12 hours (d) 24 hours and 25 minutes

22. Which of the followings are the exclusive powers of Rajya Sabha under the Constitution of India ?

- I. Creation of new All India Services.
- II. Enable Parliament to enact law on a subject in State List.
- III. Enforcing proclamation of emergency when Lok Sabha is dissolved.

- (a) I, II (b) II, III
(c) I, III (d) I, II, III
23. India and China jointly submitted a proposal to the World Trade Organisation (WTO) calling for the elimination - by developed countries - of the most trade-distorting form of farm subsidies, known in WTO parlance as support as a prerequisite for consideration of other reforms in domestic support negotiations.
(a) Amber Box (b) Green Box
(c) Blue Box (d) Orange Box
24. Which of the following statements is correct as per the announcement of Union Budget 2018-19?
(a) 24 new Medical Colleges will be established as green field projects.
(b) 24 new Medical Colleges to be established by upgrading leading district hospitals.
(c) 24 new Medical Colleges to be established in tribal areas.
(d) 24 new Medical Colleges to be established for girl students.
25. Which has been termed as the 'Green Gold' by the Finance Minister ?
(a) Shell Gas (b) CNG
(c) Bamboo (d) Medicinal and Aromatic plants
26. Which of the following statements is not true about UNAIDS' target 90: 90: 90 ?
(a) 90% control of HIV infection by the year 2020.
(b) 90% of all people living with HIV will know their HIV status.
(c) 90% of all people with diagnosed HIV infection will receive sustained anti-retroviral therapy.
(d) 90% of all people receiving anti-retroviral therapy will have viral suppression.
27. According to John Templeton - Bull markets are born on pessimism, grow on scepticism, mature on optimism and die on .
(a) Excitement (b) Euphoria
(c) Ebullition (d) Ravishment
28. If RBI lowers the Cash Reserve Ratio (CRR), then
I. supply of money in the economy may increase.
II. banks will increase the interest rates.
III. exports will become cheaper.
(a) I (b) I, II
(c) I, III (d) I, II, III
29. GST has a -tier structure for taxation of goods and services.
(a) Two (b) Three
(c) Four (d) Five
30. Which of the following statements is correct about FDI in India ?
(a) 100% FDI is allowed in single brand retail via automatic route
(b) 100% FDI is admissible in construction sector via automatic route
(c) Foreign airlines are allowed to invest upto 49% in Air India through approval route
(d) All of the above
31. 'Diopter' is the unit of measurement of .
(a) Heat (b) Sound
(c) Energy (d) power of a lens
32. If the election of the President of India is declared void by the Supreme Court, the acts performed by the President incumbent before the date of such decision of court are
(a) valid but subject to judicial review
(b) invalid

- (c) valid
(d) valid but subject to the approval of the Parliament
33. In 2018, scientists have discovered a new organ which could also be the biggest organ in human body. What is the name of the organ?
(a) Interstitium (b) Mesentery
(c) Langerhans (d) Myeloid
34. World's longest sandstone cave has been discovered in which of the following States ?
(a) Assam (b) Meghalaya
(c) Jammu & Kashmir (d) Nagaland
35. Which is the first Indian city to have its own logo for promoting tourism ?
(a) Goa (b) Agra
(c) Jaipur (d) Bengaluru

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