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1. According to the latest data released by the National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO), how many number of persons out of a labour force of 1000 are unemployed in India in 2009-10?
 - a) 25
 - b) **20**
 - c) 15
 - d) 30
 - e) 35

2. The Per Capita Income at the national level in year 2010-11 stands at
 - a) **Rs. 54,835**
 - b) Rs. 24,143
 - c) Rs. 36,343
 - d) Rs. 42,445
 - e) None of the above

3. During the fourth quarter of 2010-11 (Jan-March 2011), India's economic growth fell down to
 - a) 8.0 per cent
 - b) 8.2 per cent
 - c) 8.5 per cent
 - d) **7.8 per cent**
 - e) None of these

4. Shyamala Gopinath Committee constituted by the Ministry of Finance for reviewing National Small savings Fund has submitted its report to Finance Minister Mr. Pranab Mukherjee on June 7, 2011. Which of the following recommendations is NOT true in this context?
 - A) Interest rate on post office savings account should be raised from 3.5 to 4.0%
 - B) Kisan Vikas Patra Scheme should be closed down
 - C) Maturity period of Post Office Monthly Income Scheme and National Savings Certificate should be reduced from 6 to 4 years

a) Only (A) b) only (B) c) **Only (C)** d) Both (B) & (C) e) Both (A) & (B)

5. Which of the following countries government's long-term sovereign credit rating has downgraded from 'AAA' to 'AA+' by credit rating agency Standard & Poor's?
 - a) **USA**
 - b) Singapore
 - c) Canada

- d) Britain
 - e) France
- 6. According to the new rules for mergers and acquisitions of companies, released by Competition Commission of India (CCI), a deal of M&As must be cleared / approved within the maximum period of**
- a) 30 days
 - b) 90 days
 - c) **180 days**
 - d) 210 days
 - e) None of the above
- 7. Which of the following companies has become the largest private sector thermal power producer in India?**
- a) Tata Power Company Ltd.
 - b) **Adani Power Ltd**
 - c) Reliance Power Ltd.
 - d) Avantha Power & Infrastructure Ltd.
 - e) None of the above
- 8. Which of the following Indian Navy Warship has been commissioned recently?**
- a) INS Viraat
 - b) INS Kalpeni
 - c) INS Prahar
 - d) INS Vikrant
 - e) **INS Kabra**
- 9. The Century's longest and darkest total lunar eclipse occurred on**
- a) June 10, 2011
 - b) June 14, 2011
 - c) **June 16, 2011**
 - d) June 22, 2011
 - e) None of the above
- 10. To unravel the mysteries surrounding the nature of normal and dark matter in the universe, India is getting ready to set up a Gamma Ray Telescope at which of the following locations?**
- a) **Hanle (Leh)**
 - b) Gya (Ladakh)
 - c) Saluni (Chamba)
 - d) Kharu (Leh)
 - e) Sankoo(Kargil)
- 11. Centre for Wind Energy Technology (C-WET) is located at which of following places?**

- a) Gangtok
- b) Kolkata
- c) **Chennai**
- d) Hyderabad
- e) Bhubaneswar

12. As per SEBI regulations an FII can not invest more than _____ of total issued capital of an Indian company.

- a) 5 per cent
- b) **10 per cent**
- c) 15 per cent
- d) 20 per cent
- e) 51 per cent

13. In case of international market the funds are raised through

- a) ADR
- b) GDR
- c) FCCB
- d) QIP
- e) **All the above**

14. FDI is NOT prohibited in which of the following sectors/business in India?

- a) **Pisciculture**
- b) Lottery business
- c) Atomic energy
- d) Manufacture of cigars/tobacco
- e) None of these

15. A company can raise fund through a/an

- A) IPO
- B) FPO
- C) Debenture

- a) Only (A) b) Only (B) c) Only (C) d) Both (A) & (B) e) **All (A), (B) & (C)**

1. As per RBI First Quarter Review of Monetary Policy 2011-12 the Cash Reserve Ratio(CRR) maintained by commercial banks in India is

- a) **6.0%**
- b) 7.0%
- c) 7.5%
- d) 8.0%
- e) 6.25%

2. At present, what is total installed power generation capacity of India? (in gigawatts)

- a) 142 GW

- b) 173 GW
 - c) 187 GW
 - d) **164 GW**
 - e) None of these
3. **India's Atomic Minerals Division has recently found huge deposits of uranium at Tumulappalli mine which could turn out to be among the biggest reserves of the mineral in the world. Tumulappalli mine is situated in**
- a) Karanataka
 - b) **Andhra Pradesh**
 - c) Gujarat
 - d) Madhya Pradesh
 - e) Tamilnadu
4. **Which of the following ministries will be the nodal Ministry for the operation of the National Social Security Fund for unorganised workers recently approved by Union Cabinet?**
- a) Ministry of MSME
 - b) Ministry of Rural Development
 - c) **Ministry of Labour & Employment**
 - d) Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
 - e) None of the above
5. **Which of the following states has created an armed group of special police officers, Koyo Commando, to fight against the Naxal violence?**
- a) Assam
 - b) Sikkim
 - c) Meghalaya
 - d) **Chhattisgarh**
 - e) West Bengal
6. **As per the figures of 2011 Census, the least populated Union Territory is**
- a) Chandigarh
 - b) **Lakshadweep**
 - c) Puducherry
 - d) Daman and Diu
 - e) Andaman and Nicobar islands
7. **Dorjee Khandu who recently died in chopper crash was the CM of**
- a) Sikkim
 - b) Tripura
 - c) Assam
 - d) Meghalaya
 - e) **Arunachal Pradesh**

8. The next 2012 World Investment Forum will be held in
- a) Abuja
 - b) **Doha**
 - c) Beijing
 - d) Brussels
 - e) Hyderabad
9. Lokpal Bill – 2011 envisages setting up the institution of Lokpal consisting of Chairperson and _____Members.
- a) four
 - b) six
 - c) seven
 - d) **eight**
 - e) None of the above
10. Where is UN Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Headquarters situated?
- a) **Rome**
 - b) Geneva
 - c) Vienna
 - d) Washington
 - e) Newyork
11. Polavaram Project is a multi-purpose irrigation project across the river
- a) **Godavari**
 - b) Narmada
 - c) Brahmaputra
 - d) Kaveri
 - e) None of the above
12. Truong Tan Sang has taken over as new president of
- a) Libiya
 - b) Mynmaar
 - c) **Vietnam**
 - d) South Sudan
 - e) Nigeria
13. Prahaar is a supersonic short range _____missile.
- a) air-to-air
 - b) air-to-surface
 - c) surface-to-air
 - d) **surface-to-surface**
 - e) None of the above
14. Anaemia is caused by inadequate intake and poor absorption of
- a) calcium
 - b) **iron**

- c) iodine
- d) glucose
- b) None of these

15. What is the full form of the term UNCTAD as used in global financial news?

- a) UN Conference on Transport and Development
- b) UN Conference on Tourism and Development
- c) **UN Conference on Trade and Development**
- d) UN Conference on Telecom and Development
- e) None of the above

1. How much percent of premium is contributed by The Government of India to the families of unorganised workers under the National Health Insurance Scheme?

- a) 25 per cent
- b) 50 per cent
- c) **75 per cent**
- d) 100 per cent
- e) None of these

2. 'Saffron Mission' aims at revival of saffron cultivation in which of the following states?

- a) Assam
- b) Sikkim
- c) Meghalaya
- d) **Jammu & Kashmir**
- e) Himachal Pradesh

3. With which among the following countries India has not signed a civil nuclear cooperation deal?

- a) Namibia
- b) Argentina
- c) South Korea
- d) Kazakhstan
- e) **Uzbekistan**

4. India's battery powered and compressor less mini refrigerator 'ChotuKool' is a product of which of the following companies?

- a) LG
- b) **Godrej**
- c) Whirlpool
- d) Videocon
- e) Samsung

5. According to the maternal mortality ratio (MMR) figures for 2007-09 recently released by India's Registrar General and Census Commissioner of India, the highest decline in MMR was observed in _____.

- a) **Assam**
 - b) Bihar
 - c) Uttarakhand
 - d) Uttar Pradesh
 - e) Rajasthan
6. **The UN Climate change Conference 2011 will take place in which of the following places?**
- a) Bali
 - b) **Durban**
 - c) Panama
 - d) Manila
 - e) Brussels
7. **According to the 2010 report of the National Rural Health Mission, malnutrition among children is the most prevalent in which of following states?**
- a) Orissa
 - b) Bihar
 - c) **Madhya Pradesh**
 - d) Uttar Pradesh
 - e) Andhra Pradesh
8. **The first session of world's first intergovernmental agency on renewable energy 'IRENA Assembly' was held at _____.**
- a) Doha
 - b) Muscot
 - c) **Abu Dhabi**
 - d) Vienna
 - e) Cairo
9. **According to the UNCTAD's annual investment survey 'World Investment Report 2011' India's ranking on the list of countries attracting the highest foreign direct investment (FDI) in 2010 fell to _____.**
- a) 4th position
 - b) 6th position
 - c) 7th position
 - d) 10th position
 - e) **14th position**
10. **Accelerated Fodder Development Programme (AFDP) is a part of which of the following schemes?**
- a) National Rural Health Mission
 - b) **Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana**
 - c) Accredited Social Health Activist
 - d) National Rural Livelihood Mission
 - e) None of the above

11. According to a study by consultancy McKinsey, the power deficit in India could be as high as _____ by 2017.
- a) 15 per cent
 - b) 18 percent
 - c) 20 percent
 - d) **25 percent**
 - e) None of these
12. The International Day for Biological Diversity (IDB) was celebrated around the world on
- a) May 5, 2011
 - b) **May 22, 2011**
 - c) June 5, 2011
 - d) June 20, 2011
 - e) July 10, 2011
13. The winner of 65th edition of the Santosh Trophy Football Championship 2011 is
- a) Kerala
 - b) Manipur
 - c) **West Bengal**
 - d) Madhya Pradesh
 - e) Andhra Pradesh
14. According to the UNICEF India's report on malnutrition, one in every _____ of malnourished children in the world lives in India.
- a) **three**
 - b) five
 - c) seven
 - d) ten
 - e) twenty
15. Many a time we read a term "PPP" in financial newspapers. What does the term PPP stands for as used in financial world?
- a) Population Purchasing Parity
 - b) **Purchasing Power Parity**
 - c) Present Purchasing Power
 - d) Public Per Capita Power
 - e) None of the above
1. The government has adopted a new index, measuring the growth in industrial production on June 10, 2011. Which of the following items is excluded in the new series having base year 2004-2005?
- a) UPS
 - b) Rice
 - c) **Fireworks**

- d) Wood furniture
- e) Computer stationary

2. According to the new guidelines issued by Union Rural Development Ministry for new BPL Census, a household will not be included in the Below Poverty Line (BPL) category if the households have -

- i) a member earning more than 10,000 per month
- ii) a member with Kisan Credit Card having a limit of 50,000
- iii) owning a landline phone
- iv) three or more rooms with pucca walls

- a) Only (i), (ii) & (iii)
- b) Only (ii),(iii)& (iv)
- c) Only (i), (ii) & (iv)
- d) Only (i), (iii) & (iv)
- e) **All (i), (ii), (iii) & (iv)**

3. How much amount has recently been released by Central Government to 12 States for integrated development of fodder under Accelerated Fodder Development Programme (AFDP) .

- a) Rs. **119.5 crore**
- b) Rs. 120.2 crore
- c) Rs. 125.7 crore
- d) Rs. 135.6 crore
- e) None of the above

4. Which of the following is the name of Toyota's small car launched recently?

- a) Innova
- b) Fiorano
- c) Elantra
- d) **Etios Liva**
- e) Sedan Fiesta

5. Who has been awarded Best Actress Award in 58th National Film Festival?

- a) Priyanka Chopra
- b) Sonakshi Sinha
- c) Vidya Balan
- d) Katrina Kaif
- e) **None of the above**

6. To which one among the following states the Central Government has recently released Rs.75.83 crore as central capital investment subsidy for industrial units?

- a) Gujarat
- b) Karanataka
- c) Uttarakhand

- d) Jharkhand
 - e) **Himachal Pradesh**
7. **PHC is the first contact point between village community and the Medical Officer. What does the term PHC stands for?**
- a) Public Health Center
 - b) **Primary Health Center**
 - c) Public Health Court
 - d) Primary Health Court
 - e) None of these
8. **The 60th anniversary of United Nations Refugee Agency 'UNHCR' was celebrated on -**
- a) 5th June 2011
 - b) 8th June 2011
 - c) 10th June 2011
 - d) 13th June 2011
 - e) **20th June 2011**
9. **Which film won the Best Picture award in 83rd Oscar Award 2011 ceremony conferred in February 2011.**
- a) Inception
 - b) The Social Network
 - c) The Departed
 - d) **The King's Speech**
 - e) The Wolfman
10. **Which of the following countries has recently been declared as free of landmines by United Nation?**
- a) Libya
 - b) Iran
 - c) **Nepal**
 - d) Sri-Lanka
 - e) Bangladesh
11. **What is the name of the capital of newly born nation South Sudan?**
- a) **Juba**
 - b) Bor
 - c) Wau
 - d) Tumbura
 - b) Malakal
12. **GLONASS, a radio-based satellite navigation system operated by which of the following countries?**
- a) USA
 - b) U.K.

- c) China
- d) **Russia**
- e) Japan

13. Under the scheme of Marginal Standing Facility, a bank can borrow money from RBI upto how much percent of its Net Demand and Time Liabilities?

- a) **1%**
- b) 3%
- c) 5%
- d) 7%
- e) 10%

14. 'World Bank' is also known as

- a) International Bank for Research and Development
- b) International Bank for Refinance and Development
- c) International Bank for Rehabilitation and Development
- d) **International Bank for Reconstruction and Development**
- e) None of the above

15. The rate at which Reserve Bank of India borrows money from banks by lending securities is

- a) Repo rate
- b) Bank rate
- c) **Reverse repo rate**
- d) MSF Rate
- e) None of these

1. To encourage farmers take up pulses cultivation, the Union Government recently increased the minimum support price of pulses by up to _____ for 2011-12.

- a) Rs. 200
- b) Rs. 300
- c) **Rs. 400**
- d) Rs. 500
- e) Rs. 425

2. At present, the board of directors of 'Navratna' PSUs can take investment decision up to _____.

- a) Rs. 2,000 crore
- b) **Rs. 1,000 crore**
- c) Rs. 5,000 crore
- d) Rs. 2,500 crore
- e) None of these

3. RBI increased the repo rate under the Liquidity Adjustment Facility (LAF) by how much basis points in its Mid-Quarter Monetary Policy Review, June 2011?

- a) **25**

- b) 50
 - c) 75
 - d) 100
 - e) None of these
4. **The Union Government has taken a decision that the SHGs will get bank loans at the same rate at which crop loans are given. At present, banks extend loans to SHGs under bank linkage programme at**
- a) 8%
 - b) 10%
 - c) **12%**
 - d) 14%
 - e) None of these
5. **As per 2011 census figures, the sex ratio is in favour of women in which of the following States?**
- a) West Bengal
 - b) Tamilnadu
 - c) Gujarat
 - d) Karnatka
 - e) **Kerala**
6. **The National Institute of Marine Biodiversity, first institute in India dedicated to the study of deep-sea life has recently-inaugurated at which of the following locations?**
- a) **Jamnagar**
 - b) Coimbatore
 - c) Jharsuguda
 - d) Banglore
 - e) Raichur
7. **Chashma -2 Nuclear Power Plant recently was in news. It is located in**
- a) Japan
 - b) Iran
 - c) **Pakistan**
 - d) Russia
 - e) Kuwait
8. **The winner of Senior Men's National Hockey Championship 2011 is**
- a) **Haryana**
 - b) Jharkahnd
 - c) Karnatka
 - d) Punjab
 - e) West Bengal
9. **Christine Lagarde was in news recently. She is**
- A) first female head of International Monetary Fund

- B) 11th head of International Monetary Fund
- C) French Foreign Minister

a) Only (A) b) Only (B) c) Only (C) d) **Both (A) & (B)** e) All (A),(B)& (C)

10. International Indian Film Academy (IIFA) – 2011 Awards ceremony was recently held in which city?

- a) Mumbai
- b) Dubai
- c) Colombo
- d) **Toronto**
- e) Macau

11. Which among the following countries recently got its first civilian government after 49 years of direct military rule?

- a) Libya
- b) Egypt
- c) Syria
- d) Nepal
- e) **Myanmar**

12. The famous Maqbool Fida Husain has passed away recently. He was associated with which field?

- a) Sports
- b) Politics
- c) **Arts and Painting**
- d) Classical Music
- e) Science & Technologies

13. Non-Performing Asset (NPA) is a loan or an advance where interest and/ or installment of principal remain overdue for a period of more than _____days.

- a) **90**
- b) 120
- c) 180
- d) 100
- e) 365

14. The term “Paper Gold” is associated with -

- a) Deficit financing
- b) **SDR's of IMF**
- c) Foreign exchange reserves
- d) Currency in Gold standard
- e) Securities exchangeable with Gold

15. The minimum quantum of money against deposits which the banks have to retain as cash or specified government securities is called

- a) **Cash Reserve Ratio**
- b) Excess Reserve
- c) Deposit Reserve
- d) Forex Reserves
- e) None of these