

## Prelims Practice Questions 25-01-2018

01. Consider the following statements.

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1. India is a member of Brasilia declaration on Road Safety, 2015
2. The declaration was adopted in the 1<sup>st</sup> Global High level Conference on Road Safety.
3. 2011-2020 is regarded as the Decade of Action for Road Safety.

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Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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

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02. Consider the following statements.

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1. World Economic Outlook is released by World Bank.
2. As per the report, global growth is boosted by tax cuts in U.S.

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3. The report forecasted that the growth of European economy continues to decline further.
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Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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- a. 1 and 3 only
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- b. 2 only
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- c. 2 and 3 only
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- d. 3 only
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03. Consider the following pairs.

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**Wetlands : States**

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1. Mangalajodi : Odisha
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2. Bhoj : Maharashtra
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3. Chandra Taal : Himachal Pradesh
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Which of the above pairs is/are correct?

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- a. 1 and 2 only

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- b. 2 only
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- c. 1 and 3 only
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- d. 1, 2, 3
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04. Consider the following statements.

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1. Gir Forest National Park and sanctuary is in Gujarat.
  2. Sasan-Gir sanctuary is the only natural habitat of the Asiatic Lion in the world.
  3. Kamaleshwar reserve is inside the sanctuary.
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Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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- a. 1 and 2 only
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- b. 2 and 3 only
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- c. 1 and 3 only
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- d. 1, 2, 3
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05. Consider the following statements.

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1. Aurangabad hosts Ajanta Caves, Ellora Caves and Bibi ka Makbara.

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2. Bibi ka Makbara shrine is styled on the Taj Mahal.

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3. The city of Aurangabad is founded by Aurangzeb.

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Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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a. 1 and 2 only

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b. 1 and 3 only

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c. 2 and 3 only

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d. 1 only

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06. Which one of the following is adopted on March 22, 1957?

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a. National Emblem

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b. National Flag

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c. National Anthem

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d. National Calender

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07. Consider the following statements.

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1. RCEP is proposed between the member states of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) and the six states with which ASEAN has existing FTAs.

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2. RCEP aims to boost goods trade by eliminating most tariff and non-tariff barriers.

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Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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- a. 1 only

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- b. 2 only

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- c. Both 1 and 2

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- d. Neither 1 nor 2

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08. Consider the following statements.

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1. Environmental Performance Index has been developed UNEP.

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2. India ranks 177 in the recently released index.

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Which of the above statements is/are correct?

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- a. 1 only
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  - b. 2 only
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  - c. Both 1 and 2
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  - d. Neither 1 nor 2
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09. Which of the following statements regarding the ITCZ is/are **not** correct?

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- 1. It is a high pressure zone located at the equator.
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  - 2. Shifting of ITCZ with shifting of Sun helps in forming southwest monsoon and northeast monsoon.
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Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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- a. 1 only
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  - b. 2 only
  - \n
  - c. Both 1 and 2
  - \n
  - d. Neither 1 nor 2
  - \n

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10. Which of the following factors determine the climate of India?

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1. Latitude

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2. Distance from the Sea

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3. Distribution of air pressure on the surface of the Earth

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Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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a. 3 only

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b. 1 and 2 only

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c. and 3 only

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d. 1, 2 and 3

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## **Answers & Explanations**

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01. c

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The Brasilia declaration was adopted in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Global High level Conference on Road Safety, Brazil.

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02. b

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World Economic Outlook is released by IMF. The report forecasts upward

revision of the European Economy.

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03. c

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Bhoj wetland is in Madhya Pradesh.

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04. c

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Sasan-Gir sanctuary is the only natural habitat of the Asiatic Lion outside Africa.

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05. a

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The city of Aurangabad is founded by Malik Amber, the Prime Minister of Ahmadnagar.

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06. d

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07. c

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08. b

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The EPI index was developed by Yale University and Columbia University in collaboration with the World Economic Forum and the Joint Research Centre of the European Commission.

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09. a



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Inter Tropical Convergence zone (ITCZ) is a low pressure zone located at the equator where trade winds converge and it is a zone where air tends to ascend.

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10. d

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***Share your answers and thoughts in the comment section***

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