



## Daily Current Affairs Prelims Quiz 25-02-2025 (Prelims Test)

1) Jhumur dance is primarily associated with which of the following communities?

- Bodos
- Tea-tribes of Assam
- Gonds
- Santhals of Jharkhand

Answer : b

### Jhumur dance

- Jhumur is a traditional folk dance performed by Assam's tea-tribe community.
- The tea-tribes trace their ancestry to Central India (Jharkhand, Odisha, Chhattisgarh, West Bengal).
- Women lead the dance and singing, while men play instruments like madal, dhol, and flutes.
- The dance narrates themes of migration, labor struggles, and cultural heritage.

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2) Which of the following statements about Bay of Bengal Inter-Governmental Organisation (BOBP-IGO) is/are correct?

1. It was established in 2003 to assist member countries in improving the livelihoods of small-scale fisherfolk in the Bay of Bengal region.
2. Its area of competence includes the Exclusive Economic Zones (EEZs) of member states and contiguous areas beyond national jurisdiction.
3. The Governing Council of BOBP-IGO meets twice a year to oversee its activities.

Select the correct answer using the code below:

- 1 and 2 only
- 2 and 3 only
- 1 and 3 only
- 1, 2 and 3

Answer : a

### Bay of Bengal Programme Inter-Governmental Organisation

- Explanation - **(Statement 3 is incorrect)** because the Governing Council meets once a year, not twice.
- BOBP-IGO was formed in 2003 to assist small-scale fishers in the Bay of Bengal region.
- Bangladesh, India, Maldives, and Sri Lanka are full members, with other regional partners.
- It aims to enhance livelihood opportunities, transfer appropriate technology, and promote

sustainable fisheries.

- It plays a key role in ensuring food security, marine resource management, and regional cooperation.

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3) The slogan “Pagri Sambhal Jatta” was first used during protests against which colonial law?

- a. The Rowlatt Act, 1919
- b. The Punjab Land Alienation Act, 1900
- c. The Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885
- d. The Government of India Act, 1935

Answer : b

### **Pagri Sambhal Jatta Movement**

- Ajit Singh, uncle of Bhagat Singh, led the movement in 1907 against British-imposed agricultural laws.
- The Punjab Land Alienation Act restricted farmers’ rights, favoring landlords and moneylenders.
- The phrase was coined by poet Banke Dayal to inspire farmers to resist British policies.
- The movement influenced later revolutionary actions, including the Ghadar Movement and Bhagat Singh’s activism.

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4) Which of the following statements about Nayanamritham 2.0 is incorrect?

- a. It is the world’s first government-led AI-powered eye screening program.
- b. It was launched by the Government of Kerala.
- c. Nayanamritham 2.0 focuses only on cataract detection.
- d. It builds upon the earlier Nayanamritham 1.0 initiative, which targeted diabetic retinopathy screening.

Answer : c

### **Nayanamritham 2.0**

- Incorrect Statement: Nayanamritham 2.0 does not focus only on cataract detection; it is designed for screening multiple chronic eye diseases using AI.
- It was launched by the Kerala government as the world’s first AI-driven vision screening program.
- The earlier version targeted diabetic retinopathy screening, while 2.0 expands to other eye conditions.
- The program improves accessibility to quality eye care and enables early intervention for better treatment outcomes.

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5) Bathouism constitutes the traditional religion of which community?

- a. Bodos
- b. Assamese
- c. Manipuris
- d. Nagas

Answer : a

### **Bathouism**

- Bathouism is the long-established spiritual tradition of the Bodo community.
- This religion plays a pivotal role in the cultural and religious identity of the Bodos.
- Predominantly residing along the Brahmaputra River in Assam, the Bodos uphold Bathouism as their indigenous faith.
- The faith is characterized by the worship of Bathoubwrai and the reverence of five elemental forces, setting it apart from the practices of other communities.

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