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1.	In the guidelines announced by		(B) Israel (B) (B)				
	Union Finance Minister in the 2022-		(C) USA				
	2023 Budget, instead of using the		(D) Netherlands				
	term 'Crypto Currency', the term						
	is used.	4.	Which one of the following is not				
	(A) Bitcoins Assets		the objective of 'Operation Sajag'				
	(B) Ethercoins Assets		launched by Delhi Police?				
	(C) Altcoins Assets		(A) To curb area domination				
	(D) Virtual Digital Assets		exercise				
2.	Which State in India presented 'Child		(B) Keeping tap on criminals				
	Budget' as part of the Annual State		(C) Intensive checking at pickets				
	Budget?		(D) O Land de la Latin				
	(A) Andhra Pradesh		(D) Special rewards to traffic-				
	(B) Gujarat		friendly drivers				
	(C) Sikkim	5.	The GSI has approved the setting up				
	(D) Madhya Pradesh		of country's first Geological Park at				
3.	The Government of India announced		rectable about to appelled and dwyll in a rectable and appelled appelled and appelled and appelled and appelled appelled and appelled appelled appelled appelled and appelled app				
	it's decision to convert 150		(A) Lamheta, Jabalpur				
	villages into 'Villages of Excellence'		(B) Kadagu, Karnataka				
	with technical assistance from		(C) Idukki, Kerala				
	(A) Japan	19.1	(D) Talala Gir, Gujarat				

- 6. Match the following:
 - (I) Meghalaya (i) Hojagiri
 - (II) Mizoram
- (ii) Wangala

Dance

- (III) Manipur
- (iii)Bamboo

Dance

- (IV) Tripura
- (iv) Thang ta
- (A) (I) (ii), (II) (iii), (III) (iv), (IV) (i)
- (B) (I) (iii), (II) (i), (III) (ii), (IV) (iv)
- (C) (I) (ii), (II) (i), (III) (iii), (IV) (iv)
- (D) (I) (iii), (II) (iv), (III) (i), (IV) (iv)
- 7. The Central Board of Secondary

 Education has introduced 'Data

 Science Subject' as a subject for it's

 students of 8-12 class in

collaboration with _____

company.

- (A) Inter
- (B) Dell
- (C) Microsoft
- (D) Infosys
- 8. Which of the following Statements is not correct?
 - (A) Recently the Ministry of Earth
 Sciences has launched the
 Deep Ocean Mission
 - (B) This Mission mode project is to support the Green Economy initiative of Government of India
 - (C) This project is aimed to study bio-diversity, the impact of climate change etc
 - (D) In 2022 India signed a contract
 with International Sea Board
 Authority

9. Digital India 'BHASHINI' is (III) It is the third Lunar Exploration Mission of India's Artificial Intelligence-led Russia (A) Language Translation Platform (IV) The Chang'e5 Lunar It gives access to global content Space Craft was (B) launched on November in their own languages 23, 2020 It is a step to realize digital (C) (II) and (IV) photography (A) (III) only (D) It promotes Digital India Vision (B) Which one of the above is not (C) (IV) only correct? (I) only (D) The theme of 'Earth Day-2022 is 10. 12. Which country recently passed a law to make 'ethnic unity' mandatory? Nurture the Nature (A) Tibet (A) Go Green, Save Green Vietnam (B) Save the Earth, Save the Future Nepal (C) (D) Invest in our Planet (D) Myanmar 11. Which of the following statements is Which of the following countries is not not correct? a Member of SAARC? The Chang'e5 Lunar (A) Bhutan Space Craft Mission is Bangladesh (B) undertaken by China (C) Singapore

Sri Lanka

It found water at its

landing site

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14.	The 15th 'World Forestry Congress'		(B) Kyiv is the largest city in				
	was held at		Ukraine				
	(A) Seoul, Korea		(C) It shares it's borders with				
	(B) Durban, South Africa		Russia to East and Northest				
	(C) Jakarta, Indonesia		borders				
	(D) Buenos Aires, Argentina		(D) It has coastline along the sea				
15.	'South Asia Economic Focus' a bi-		ofAzov				
	annual Economic Report is published by	18.	According to 'Charitable Aid				
	(A) Asian Development Bank		Foundation' which country topped				
	(B) IMF		'World Giving Index, 2021'?				
	(C) World Bank		(A) Kenya				
	(D) World Economic Forum	(B	(B) India				
16.	'Minamata Convention' is an international platform to discuss		(C) Indonesia (D) New Zeeland				
	about	19.	With which American Scientist				
	(A) Mercury Pollution		Professor Deepak Dhar shared the				
	(B) Air Pollution		prestigious Boltzmann medal in				
	(C) Soil Pollution		Statistical Physics for the Year				
	(D) Silicon Pollution		2022 ?				
17.	Which of the following statements is		(A) John Hopfield				
	not correct?		(B) Kenneth G. Wilson				
	(A) Ukraine is the fourth largest		(C) Sam F. Edwards				
	country in Europe after Russia		(D) Dan Frenkal				
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- 20. 'Dharma Guardian Military Exercise' is conducted between which of the following countries?
 - (A) India and Bhutan
 - (B) India and USA
 - (C) India and Japan
 - (D) India and France
- 21. Which of the following is not a matched pair?
 - (A) Gulab Singh / Jammu
 - (B) Duleep Singh / Punjab
 - (C) Shah Shuja / Rohilkhand
 - (D) Wajid Ali Shah / Awadh
- 22. Which is not the matched pair?
 - (A) Krishnaraja Wodeyar / Mysore
 - (B) Nizamulmulk Asaf Jah /
 Hyderabad
 - (C) Govinda Chandra / Cachar
 - (D) Zaman Shah / Peshawar
- 23. Clause 43, of the Charter Act of 1813 of the British Parliament concerned:
 - (A) Law and Order situation in India
 - (B) Education in India
 - (C) Foreign policy and trade relations in India
 - (D) Initiation of Indian Renaissance

- 24. For colonial times in India, which of the following sequence is in proper order – from the lowest to the highest?
 - (A) Munsif's Court, Sadr Amin's Court, Zilla Court, Sadr Diwani Adalat
 - (B) Sadr Diwani Adalat, Munsif's Court, Zilla Court, Sadr Amin's Court
 - (C) Munsif's Court, Zilla Court, Sadr Amin's Court, Sadr Diwani Adalat
 - (D) Sadr Diwani Adalat, Sadr Amin's Court, Zilla Court, Munsif's Court
- 25. Bhangi was a clan that ruled over a part of:
 - (A) Dakhan
 - (B) Rohilkhand
 - (C) Kaveri Delta
 - (D) Punjab
- 26. "ekam sat, vipraha bahudha vadanti" comes from the :
 - (A) Mahabharata
 - (B) Ramayana
 - (C) Vedas
 - (D) Brahmanas

- 27. Deindustrialisation was the result of:
 - (A) An effort by the colonial rulers to destroy India's economy
 - (B) India's industry not being able to adjust to modern industrial production
 - (C) Lack of scientific and technical education in India
 - (D) India not having easy access to petroleum sources
- 28. Which of the combination is correct?
 - (A) Mohandas Karamchand
 Gandhi was the editor of the
 Pratap; Vinayak Damodar
 Savarkar founded the National
 Herald; Jawaharlal Nehru
 founded the Free India
 Society; Madan Mohan
 Malviya was the Chairman of
 the Hindustan Times; Ganesh
 Shankar Vidyarthi worte the
 Hind Swaraj.
 - (B) Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi wrote the Hind Swaraj; Vinayak Damodar Savarkar founded the Free India Society; Jawaharlal Nehru

- founded the National Herald;
 Madan Mohan Malviya was the
 Chairman of the Hindustan
 Times; Ganesh Shankar
 Vidyarthi was the editor of the
 Pratap
- (C) Mohandas Karamchand
 Gandhi wrote the Hind Swaraj;
 Vinayak Damodar Savarkar
 founded the Free India
 Society; Jawaharlal Nehru
 founded the National Herald;
 Madan Mohan Malviya was the
 editor of the Pratap; Ganesh
 Shankar Vidyarthi was the
 Chairman of the Hindustan
 Times.
- (D) Mohandas Karamchand
 Gandhi wrote the Hind Swaraj;
 Vinayak Damodar Savarkar
 was the editor of the Pratap;
 Jawaharlal Nehru founded the
 National Herald; Madan Mohan
 Malviya was the Chairman of
 the Hindustan Times; Ganesh
 Shankar Vidyarthi founded the
 Free India Society

29.	Which ruler was known as		32.	Who / which among the following has			
	'but	shikan'?		bee	n given the power by the		
	(A)	Alauddin Khalji		Con	stitution of India to impose		
	(B)	Sikandar Shah Miri	la Ma	'Rea	asonable Restrictions' on the		
	(C)	Sikandar Lodhi		Fund	damental Rights?		
	(D)	Aurangzeb		(A)	President of India		
30.	The five principles of Panchsheel are			(B)	Parliament		
		stantially a reiteration of :		(C)	Supreme Court		
	(A)	The UN Charter	° 126	(D)	High Courts		
	(B)	The Charter of the League of	33.	Artic	cle 21A refers to :		
		Nations		(A)	Right to Freedom		
	(C)	The Treaty of Berlin		(B)	Right to Religion		
	(D)	The Protocols of Zion		(C)	Right to Education		
31.	From	n which Constitution, Indian		(D)	Right Against Exploitation		
	Con	stitution borrowed the provision	34.	Whi	ch of the Rights deals with Right		
200	of Single Citizenship?			to Vote and to be elected in India?			
	(A)	Australia		(A)	Fundamental Rights		
	(B)	Canada	. 6	(B)	Natural Rights		
	(C)	USSR		(C)	Constitutional Right		
	(D)	British	I S	(D)	Legal Right ·		

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- 35. Who / Which of the following can abolish a State Legislative Council?
 - (A) Parliament
 - (B) Governor
 - (C) President
 - (D) State Assembly
- 36. Which of the following Articles of the Constitution of India refers to proportional Representation by means of the single transferable vote?
 - (A) Article 53
 - (B) Article 54
 - (C) Article 54A
 - (D) Article 55(3)
- 37. In which year did the Constitution (99th) Amendment Act come into force?
 - (A) 2013
 - (B) 2014
 - (C) 2015
 - (D) 2016

- 38. Which of the following statements is not correct?
 - (A) The Chairman of the UPSC shall be ineligible for further employment under the Government of India or of any State
 - (B) A member of the UPSC is eligible for appointment as Chairman of the UPSC or Chairman of any State Commission
 - (C) The Chairman of a State

 Commission shall be eligible

 for appointment as a member

 or Chairman of the UPSC or as

 Chairman of any other State

 Commission
 - (D) A member of the State

 Commission will be eligible for any other employment under the Government of India or of a State

- 39. Which of the following Amendments has repealed Articles 19(1) (F) and 31?
 - (A) 42nd Amendment
 - (B) 43rd Amendment
 - (C) 44th Amendment
 - (D) 73rd Amendment
- 40. Who among the following appoints Comptroller and Auditor General of India?
 - (A) President
 - (B) Prime Minister
 - (C) Chief Justice of the Supreme
 Court
 - (D) Finance Minister of India
- 41. Which of the following has submitted 'Right to Information: Master key to Good Governance' report?
 - (A) Sarkaria Commission
 - (B) Punchhi Commission

- (C) Administrative Reforms

 Commission 1
- (D) Administrative Reforms

 Commission 2
- 42. Which of the following commissions has identified 27 modes of curruption?
 - (A) Vohra Committee
 - (B) Central Vigilance Commission
 - (C) Santhanam Committee
 - (D) Sarkaria Commission
- 43. How many members are in Finance Commission?
 - (A) A chairman and two other members
 - (B) A chairman and three other members
 - (C) A chairman and four other members
 - (D) A chairman and five other members

44.	Whi	ch of the following is the most	47.	In w	hich of the Five Year Plans in
	effec	ctive means of citizen's control		India	a, the concept of financial
	over	administration?		inclu	sion was included for the first
	(A) Public Opinion			time	?
	(B)	Election		(A)	8th
	(C)	Pressure groups		(B)	9th
	(D) Advisory Committee			(C)	10th
45.	How	can a new All India Service be		(D)	11th
	crea	ted?	48.	Whic	ch of the following is accountable
	(A) By a resolution of the Rajya			for th	ne assessment of poverty?
		Sabha		· (A)	HRD Ministry
	(B)	By an order of the President		(B)	Ministry of Defence
	(C)	By a resolution of the UPSC		(C)	NITIAayog
	(D)	By an act of the Parliament		(D)	Home Ministry
46.	Whi	ch of the following committees	49.	Who	among the following had
	laid	down the British concept of Civil	ado	oted the strategy of 'Rolling	
	Serv	vice neutrality?		Plan	'?
	(A)	Fulton Committee		(A)	Jawaharlal Nehru
	(B)	Masterman Committee		(B)	Rajiv Gandhi
	(C)	Sapru Committee		(C)	Narendra Modi
	(D)	Northcote – Trevelyn Committee		(D)	Morarji Desai
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50.	Whi	ch of the lists contains Econom	ic 53.	VVni	ch country hosted the virtual		
	Plar	nning as a subject?		mod	de of the Summit meeting of 20th		
	(A)	Concurrent List		Sha	nghai Cooperation Organisation		
	(B)	State List		(SC	O) in November, 2021?		
	(C)	Union List		(A)	China		
		Special List		(B)	Russia		
	(0)	7012.401		(C)	India		
51.	Who	is the first Chairperson of th	е	(D)	Kazakhstan		
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	Con	nmission?	54.	VVh	at are the total membership		
	(4)	A) Luctice Denganath Michra		coul	countries of NATO?		
	(A)	Justice Ranganath Mishra		(A)	29		
	(B)	Justice M. N. Venkatachalliah) del	(B)	30		
	(C)	Justice J. S. Verma		(C)	33		
	(D)	Justice K. G. Balakrishnan		(D)	35		
52.	Whe	ere is the Head-quarter of th	e	ristratê	pawolo ed to out W 186		
iolilo:	Where is the riead-quarter of the			Whe	ere is the head-quarter of the		
	Inter	rnational Solar Alliance?		NATO?			
	(A)	Gurugram		(A)	London		
	(B)	Paris		(B)	Madrid		
	(C)	Leon		(C)	Brussels		
	(D)	London (C)	eatin.	(D)	Istanbul		
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- 56. Which country hosted the firth Summit meeting of BIMSTEC in virtual mode in March, 2022?
 - (A) India
 - (B) Sri Lanka
 - (C) Bangladesh
 - (D) Myanmar
- 57. Which among the following countries was elected to the UN Security

 Council as a Non-permanent member in June 2022?
 - (A) Mozambique
 - (B) South Korea
 - (C) Canada
 - (D) Peru
- 58. How many years does a nonpermanent member serve in the UN. Security Council?
 - (A) One year
 - (B) Two years

- (C) Three years
- (D) Five years
- 59. Which organization vision is to enable 'One World, One Sun, One Grid'?
 - (A) Ministry of New and Renewable Energy
 - (B) Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.
 - (C) International Solar Alliance
 - (D) Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change
- 60. With which is the principle of 'Common But Differentiated Responsibilities' associated?
 - (A) Paris Agreement on Climate
 Change
 - (B) BRICS Summit 2022
 - (C) NATO
 - (D) International Solar Alliance

- 61. Which one of the following options are not correctly matched with respect to the name of plates and the type of plate boundary?
 - (A) The North American plate and
 Eurasian plate are diverging
 plates
 - (B) The Nazca plate and South

 American plates are diverging

 plates
 - (C) The Nazca plate and Pacific plates are exhibiting diverging plate boundary
 - (D) Indian-Australian plate and
 Eurasian plate are converging
 plates
- 62. Which one of the following ocean current is found in southern hemisphere?
 - (A) Oyashio Current
 - (B) West Wind Drift
 - (C) Gulf Stream
 - (D) Canaries Current

- 63. Which one of the following is not correctly matched?
 - (A) Prairies → North America
 - (B) Pampas → North America
 - (C) Veldt → South Africa
 - (D) Steppes → European Russia
- 64. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below:

List – I List – II

(Type of Mountain) (Example)

- (a) Block-moun- (i) Himalayas
- (b) Old folded (ii) Black-forest mountain
- (c) Relict (iii) Scottish
 mountain Highlands
- (d) Young folded (iv) Appalachian mountain

Code:

(a) (b) (c) (d)

(A) (iii) (i) (ii) (iv)

(B) (iii) (i) (iv) (ii)

(C) (ii) (iv) (iii) (i)

(D) (ii) (iv) (i) (iii)

65.	Wh	ich one of the following regions		(C)	Mi	stral	→Fr	ance	14
	has	the largest number of active		(D)	Sa	ımoo	\rightarrow A	merica	
	volc	canoes?						y of their	
	(A)	Alaska	68.	Mat	ch Li	ist – I	with	List – II a	nd select
	(,			the	corr	ect a	nswe	er using	the code
	(B)	Aleutian Islands		give	en be	low:			
	(C)	Hawaii Islands						edition.	
					Li	st-I		List	-11
	(D)	Iceland		(Te.	onica	l Cual	on a)	/Desient	Caumami)
66.	\//hi	ch one of the following rivers has		(111)	opica	l Cycl	one	(Region/	Country)
00.	VVIII	chone of the following fivers has		(a)	Bai	gio		(i) Chin	a
	a "b	ird-foot" delta?							
	(A)	Danube		(b)	Cyc	clone		(ii) Philip	ppines
	(/-)	Dariube		(c)	Hur	rican	e	(iii) Mada	nascar
	(B)	Mississippi		(-)				helasi	guoda
	(C)	Niger		(d)	Тур	hoon		(iv) USA	
	(0)	Migel		Code:					
	(D)	Nile		Cou	e.				
67.	Whi	ch one of the following is not			(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	
				(A)	· (ii)	(iii)	(i)	(iv)	
	corre	ectly matched?							
	(A)	Khamsin → North Africa and		(B)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(i)	
		Arabia		(C)	(iii)	(iv)	(i)	(ii)	
	(B)	Bora → Adriatic coast		(D)	(iii)	(iv)	(ii)	(i)	
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69.	Matc	h List – I with	List – II and select		(C)	Indian ocean
	the correct answer using the code given below:			(D)	Pacific ocean	
			71.	Which one of the following		
		List-I	List-II		geos	ynclines is the oldest?
	(Kor	pen's Symbo	l) (Climate)		(A)	Delhi geosyncline
	(a)	BWk	(i) Cold Mid-		(B)	Dharwar geosyncline
			latitude steppe		(C)	Eastern Ghat geosyncline
	(b)	BWh	(ii) Hot Mid-		(D)	Satpura geosyncline
		oran disa	latitude steppe			
	(c)	BSh	(iii) Hot low	72.	Whi	ch one of the following rivers
			latitude desert		does	s not originate from the Maikal
	(d)	BSk	(iv) Cold low		Ran	ge?
			latitude desert		(A)	Тарі
	Code:			(B)	Son Manage Manag	
		(a) (b) (c) (d)		(C)	Narmada
	(A)	(iv) (iii) (ii) (i)		(D)	Mahanadi
	(B)	(iv) (ii) (i	iii) (i)	73.	Wh	ich category of the following
	(C)	(i) (iii) (ii) (iv)		fore	ests occupy the largest
	(D)	(i) (ii) (iii) (iv)		per	centage in India?
70.	The	widest cont	inental shelf is found		(A)	Conifers and pines
	in th		(4) (II.) - (2)		(B)	Equatorial evergreen
	(A)	Arctic oce	an	•	(C)	Tropical deciduous
	(B) Atlantic ocean				(D)	Desert vegetation
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- 74. Consider the following statements and select the correct answer using the code given below:
 - (i) The Gujarat Plain was formed by the depositional work of parallel consequent rivers
 - (ii) The Gujarat Plain contains the Cretaceous lava formations

Code:

- (A) Only (i) is correct
- (B) Only (ii) is correct
- (C) Both (i) and (ii) are correct
- (D) Neither (i) nor (ii) is correct
- 75. Who among the following scholars did not delineate 'the climatic regions of India'?
 - (A) Blandford, H. E.

- (B) Coppack, J.
- (C) Spate, O. H. K.
- (D) Singh, R. L.
- 76. Arrange the rivers in ascending order of their contribution to the formation of coastal plains:
 - (A) The Mahanadi > the Brahmani> the Baitarini > the Rushikulya> the Subarnarekha
 - (B) The Mahanadi > the Baitarini > the Brahmani > the Subarnarekha > the Rushikulya
 - (C) The Mahanadi > the Rushikulya> the Brahmani > the Baitarini> the Subarnarekha
 - (D) The Mahanadi > the Brahmani
 > the Baitarini > the
 Subarnarekha > the Rushikulya

77. Match the morphological units of Rolling uplands (List – I) with the correct river basin (List – II).

List – I List – II

(Morphological Units) (Basin

Associated)

- (a) The Rajgang- (i) Ib Basin

 pur Panposh

 Uplands
- (b) The Jharsu- (ii) Northern Tel guda Uplands Basin
- (c) The Balangir (iii) The Sabari

 Titlagarh- Basin

 Patnagarh

 Uplands
- (d) The Malakana- (iv) Koel and the giri Uplands Sankh Rivers

Code:

- (a) (b) (c) (d)
- (A) (iv) (i) (ii) (iii)
- (B) (i) (ii) (iii) (iv)
- (C) (iii) (ii) (i) (iv)
- (D) (ii) (iii) (i) (iv)

- 78. Ranga Mati and Rugidia soil belongs to which primary soil group in Odisha?
 - (A) Regur Soil
 - (B) Laterite Soil
 - (C) The Brown Forest Earth
 - (D) Yellow Earth
- 79. Which of the following factor is responsible for fluctuation in Monsoon in India?
 - (A) If 2nd equatorial trough does not merge with ITCZ
 - (B) Southern Branch of South West

 Tropical Jet re-establish over

 Northern India
 - (C) Late disappearance of

 Southern Branch of Subtropical

 Westerly jet stream from

 Northern India
 - (D) Development of Strong Low
 Pressure cell over Tibetan
 Landmass

- 80. Among the following options which mountain pass doesn't belongs to the correct state:
 - (A) Bara Lacha Ia Pass →Himachal Pradesh
 - (B) Mana Pass → Uttarakhand
 - (C) Jelep La → Arunachal Pradesh
 - (D) Nathu La → Sikkim
- 81. The Indian National Defence
 University (INDU) is located at:
 - (A) Dehradun
 - (B) New Delhi
 - (C) Binola Village, Haryana
 - (D) Chennai
- 82. The present Chief of Air Staff of India is:
 - (A) MM Naravane
 - (B) V. R. Chaudhari
 - (C) Bipin Rawat
 - (D) Hari Kumar

- 83. QUAD comprises of the following countries:
 - (A) USA, UK, Japan and India
 - (B) Russia, UK, France, India and Australia
 - (C) USA, India, Japan and Australia
 - (D) UK, Japan, India and Australia
- 84. Who is known as the 'Missile Woman of India'?
 - (A) Dr. Tessy Thomas
 - (B) Indira Gandhi
 - (C) Gunjan Saxena
 - (D) Mary Kom
- 85. On 28 January, 2022, which helicopter was officially inducted into Indian Naval Ship (INS) Utkrosh at Port Blair:
 - (A) ALH Mk III
 - (B) MI-24
 - (C) CH-47 Chinook
 - (D) AH-64 Apache

- 86. The only Air Force Officer to have received the Param Vir Chakra is:
 - (A) Air Commodore Ravish

 Malhotra
 - (B) Flying Officer Nirmal Jit Singh Sekhon
 - (C) Sqn. Ldr. Abhinandan Varthaman
 - (D) Wing Commander Rakesh Sharma
- 87. The S-400 Missile Defence System is procured by India from:
 - (A) France
 - (B) Russia
 - (C) USA
 - (D) Israel
- 88. In a boost to Atmanirbhar Bharat, which aircraft is was given Acceptance of Necessity by the Defence Acquisition Council in June 2022, to be manufactured by HAL?
 - (A) Rafael
 - (B) Mirage 2000
 - (C) Dornier
 - (D) SU-30

- 89. In January 2022, the Border Roads
 Organisation carried out the final
 blast on Sela Tunnel. The tunnel is
 located in:
 - (A) Meghalaya
 - (B) Manipur
 - (C) Ladakh
 - (D) Arunachal Pradesh
- 90. The equivalent rank of a Squadron Leader in the Army is:
 - (A) Major
 - (B) Brigadier
 - (C) Captain
 - (D) Subedar Major
- 91. Who were awarded Nobel Prize in Chemistry in 2019 for developing lithium-ion batteries?
 - (A) Benjamin List and David

 MacMillan
 - (B) Emmanuelle Charpentier and Jennifer A. Doudna
 - (C) Roger Penrose, Reinhard Genzel and Andrea Ghez
 - (D) John B. Goodenough, M. Stanley Whittingham and Akira Yoshino

- Which recent online campaign led to 92. declaration of Jaypore Rainforest as National Park in Assam? 96. (A) Siang Bachao Andolan Takam Mishing Porin Kebang (B) Save Dehing Patkai (C) (A) (D) None of these (B) (C) 93. Which of the following is not a greenhouse gas? 03 (A) 97. (B) N₂O (C) NO2 (D) CFCs 94. Who developed the concept of (C) hotspots? (D) (A) Stuart L. Pimm
 - (C) Microparasites (D) Holoparasites How frequently pollutants are being monitored under National Air Quality Monitoring Programme [NAMP]? Once in a week Twice in a week Alternate days (D) Once in a fortnight What is the total species deversity across all communities within a geographic area called? (A) Alpha diversity Beta diversity Gamma diversity Delta diversity 98. Which is the world's largest Solar Park?
 - (B) Edward J. Laurent(C) John Muir(D) Norman Myers
- 95. What are parasitic, photosynthetic plants called?
 - (A) Semiparasites
 - (B) Hemiparasites

- (A) Benban Solar Park, Egypt
- (B) Bhadla Solar Park, India
- (C) Huanghe Hydropower Hainan Solar Park, China
- (D) Noor Abu Dhabi, United Arab
 Emirate

- 99. What is the modeling approach for evaluating the response of individual species to climate change called?
 - (A) Zero dimension model
 - (B) Box model
 - (C) General circulation model
 - (D) Bioclimatic envelope model

- 100. Which of the following have high assimilation efficiencies of over 90 percent?
 - (A) Secondary carnivores
 - (B) Herbivores
 - (C) Predatory spiders
 - (D) Social insects

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