



## CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1Q.Consider the following statements:

Article 312 of the constitution of India gives authority to the Rajya Sabha to set up new branches of the All India Services with a simple majority vote.  
Cabinet Secretary is the ex-officio Chairman of the Civil Services Board.  
Cabinet Secretary holds the 11th position in the Order of Precedence of India.

Which of the given above statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2
- (b) 1 Only
- (c) 2 and 3
- (d) 2 Only

Answer:c ) 2 and 3

2Q.Consider the following statements:

1.Russia-India-China grouping was conceived by the then Russian foreign minister in 1998.

2.All three are nuclear powers and permanent members of the UN Security Council.

Which of the given above statements is/are correct?

(a) 1 Only

(b) 2 Only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

Answer: a) 1 Only

3Q.With reference to One Nation One Ration Card (ONOR) scheme, Consider the following statements:

1.Under this, a person can buy his/her share of food grains as per his/her entitlement under the NFSA act 2013.

2.For national portability, the central government will set up data centers in all states.

Which of the given above statements is/are correct?

(a) 1 Only

(b) 2 Only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

Answer: a) 1 Only

4Q.Consider the following statements regarding Sand mining.

1.The Enforcement and Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining 2020 push for online sales and purchase of sand and other riverbed materials to make the process transparent.

2.The Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 empowers state governments to make rules to prevent illegal mining, transportation and storage of minerals.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

Answer: c) Both 1 and 2

5Q.Consider the following statements regarding Sophisticated Analytical & Technical Help Institutes (SATHI)

It has been launched by Department of Science and Technology (DST)

The first phase SATHI facilities are being located at IIT-Delhi, IIT-Kharagpur and BHU- Varanasi.

The facilities provided by the SATHI shall be utilized by any user/organization without any charge.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

Answer: c) 1 and 2 only

6Q.With reference to 'Dexamethasone', sometimes seen in the news, consider the following statements:

1.It is used to treat conditions in which the body's immune system does not function properly.

2.It can also be used in the manufacture of agricultural pesticides.

Which of the given above statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 Only
- (b) 2 Only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

Answer : a ) 1Only

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- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

Answer: c) Both 1 and 2

8Q.Consider the following statements:

1.Jagannath Rath Yatra also popularly known as the 'Festival of Chariots'.

2.All the three deities of the temple travel in three different chariots during this festival.

Which of the given above statements is/are correct?

- (a) 1 Only
- (b) 2 Only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

Answer: c) Both 1 and 2

10Q.Consider the following statements.

- 1.India is the world's largest milk producer.
- 2.Milk is the largest crop in India in terms of value.
- 3.The total value of milk produced in India is more than the total value of paddy and wheat put together.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1, 2
- b) 1, 3
- c) 1 only
- d) 1, 2, 3

Answer-d ) 1, 2, 3