



DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS- MARCH 2022 (MCQs)

1. Rajasthan state government has announced a 'Camel Protection and Development Policy' with Rs 10 crores budget in its budget 2022-23. Who is the present governor of Rajasthan?

(a) Vajubhai Vala

(b) Bandaru Dattatreya

(c) Bhagat Singh Koshyari

(d) Kalraj Mishra

Answer-D

2. Which state became the top performing state in India with a population over one crore in terms of growth rate of Per Capita Net State Domestic Product at Current Prices by Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI)?

(a) Karnataka

(b) Telangana

(c) Maharashtra

(d) Tamil Nadu

Answer-B

3. India's first Floating Storage and Regasification Unit (FSRU), Höegh Giant which sailed from Keppel Shipyard, Singapore has recently arrived at H-Energy's Jaigarh Terminal in _____.

(a) Gujarat

(b) Uttar Pradesh

(c) Himachal Pradesh

(d) Maharashtra

Answer-D

4. India Global Forum's (IGF) annual summit has been organized in _____.

(a) New Delhi

(b) Mumbai

(c) Hyderabad

(d) Bengaluru

Answer-D

5. Which state government has announced Matrushakti Udaymita Scheme to provide support to women entrepreneurs, on International Women's Day?

(a) Maharashtra

(b) West Bengal

(c) Gujarat

(d) Haryana

Answer-D

6. Which state government will implement 'Aama Yojna', a scheme for helping non-working mothers & 'Bahini Scheme' benefitting girl students of the state?

(a) Andhra Pradesh

(b) Sikkim

(c) Gujarat

(d) Bihar

Answer-B

7. Microsoft has announced to set up India's largest datacentre region in _____.

(a) New Delhi

(b) Mumbai

(c) Hyderabad

(d) Bengaluru

Answer-C

8. Which state's Chief Minister has launched the 'Kaushalya Matritva Yojana' by handing cheques of Rs 5,000 each to five women beneficiaries for the safe motherhood practices?

(a) Maharashtra

(b) Jharkhand

(c) Chhattisgarh

(d) West Bengal

Answer-C

9. Prime Minister Narendra Modi has unveiled a 9.5-foot tall statue of great Maratha warrior Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj in _____.

- (a) Nashik, Maharashtra
- (b) Pune, Maharashtra
- (c) Nagpur, Maharashtra
- (d) Mumbai, Maharashtra

Answer-B

10. Palle Pragathi and Pattana Pragathi are the schemes of which of the following state?

- A Karnatka
- (b) Telangana
- (c) Odisha
- (d) Tamil Nadu

Answer-B

11. India`s largest reclining statue of Lord Buddha is being built by Buddha International Welfare Mission in _____.

- (a) Bodh Gaya, Bihar
- (b) Kushinagar, Bihar
- (c) Sarnath, Bihar
- (d) Kesariya, Bihar

Answer-A

12. Which state government has launched 'Women@Work' program to provide five lakh jobs within 2026 to women with necessary employable skills?

- (a) Andhra Pradesh
- (b) Karnataka
- (c) Kerala
- (d) Odisha

Answer-B

13. Which state`s Chief Minister has announced a 'Sushma Swaraj Award' for women for their significant achievements or contribution in different walks of life in the international and national spheres?

- (a) Maharashtra
- (b) West Bengal
- (c) Madhya Pradesh

(d) Haryana

Answer-D

14. Which State Government has announced a special scheme 'MukhyamantriChaa Srami Kalyan Prakalpa', allotting Rs. 85 crores for its implementation, as a step towards bringing the 7000 tea garden workers under social security net?

(a) Tripura

(b) Assam

(c) Tamil Nadu

(d) Karnataka

Answer-A

15. Union Civil Aviation Minister Jyotiraditya Scindia has recently inaugurated the first drone school in _____.

(a) Vadodra

(b) Patna

(c) Gwalior

(d) Guwahati

Answer-C

16. India's first 100% women-owned industrial park became operational in which of the following city?

(a) Kolkata

(b) Chennai

(c) Mumbai

(d) Hyderabad

Answer-D

17. The Fifth session of the United Nations Environment Assembly (UNEA-5.2) was held in hybrid form in _____.

(a) Helsinki

(b) Berlin

(c) Nairobi

(d) Lisbon

Answer-C

18. Which country has been recently placed on the Financial Action Task Force (FATF)'s grey list?

(a) Qatar

(b) Oman

(c) Kuwait

(d) United Arab Emirates

Answer-D

19. Which country will host a virtual meeting of agriculture ministers from the G7 countries to discuss the impact of the RussiaUkraine conflict on world food security?

(a) Germany

(b) France

(c) India

(d) United States

Answer-A

20. International Paralympic Committee (IPC) has banned the athlete's entries from Russia and Belarus for the Beijing 2022 Winter Paralympics due to the war in Ukraine. Where is the headquarters of International Paralympic Committee?

(a) Montreal, Canada

(b) Lausanne, Switzerland

(c) Bonn, Germany

(d) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Answer-C

21. With which country, India has signed an MoU on cooperation in Science, Technology and Innovation?

(a) Saudi Arabia

(b) UAE

(c) England

(d) Singapore

Answer-D

22. Government of India, and Government of West Bengal have signed \$125 million loan with which organization to support efforts to help poor and vulnerable groups access social protection services in West Bengal?

(a) International Monetary fund

(b) World bank

(c) Asian Development Bank

(d) Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank

Answer-B

23. Who has been appointed as the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Jet Airways (India) Limited?

(a) Ravi Chopra

(b) Vipula Gunatilleka

(c) Vineet Joshi

(d) Sanjiv Kapoor

Answer-D

24. Who among the following has resigned as the Additional Solicitor General (ASG) of India at the Supreme Court?

(a) Tushar Mehta

(b) Deepak Das

(c) Suresh N Patel

(d) Aman Lekhi

Answer-D

25. Who has been appointed as the Chairperson of Telecom Disputes Settlement and Appellate Tribunal (TDSAT)?

(a) Indu Malhotra

(b) Raghuvendra Tanwar

(c) Sudha Ragunathan

(d) Dhirubhai Naranbhai Patel

Answer-D

26. Who among the following has been named president of the Financial Action Task Force (FATF)?

(a) T Raja Kumar

(b) Mukhmeet S Bhatia

(c) Rajnish Kumar

(d) Amit Chadha

Answer-A

27. Who has been appointed as the Brand Ambassador of Lupin Limited's Women's Cardiovascular Health Awareness Initiative – 'Shakti Campaign'?

(a) PV Sindhu

(b) Mary Kom

(c) Vandana Katariya

(d) Disha Patani

Answer-B

28. Who has taken over as Commandant of Air Force Academy, Indian Air Force?

(a) Sree Harilal Sarma

(b) VS Pathania

(c) B Chandra Sekhar

(d) Udayan Banerjee

Answer-C

29. Who among the following has been appointed as a whole-time member (WTM) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)?

(a) Aswini Kumar Tewari

(b) Ashwani Bhatia

(c) C.S. Setty

(d) Swaminathan Janakiraman

Answer-B

30. ToneTag has partnered with which Payments Bank and NPCI to launch its "VoiceSe UPI payments service" for feature phone users?

(a) Paytm Payments Bank

(b) Airtel Payments Bank

(c) NSDL Payments Bank

(d) Jio Payments Bank

Answer-C

31. Which company has partnered with Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) to offer digital ticketing services to consumers through Automatic Ticket Vending Machines (ATVM) installed at railway stations across India?

(a) PhonePe

(b) Google Pay

(c) Paytm

(d) Amazon Pay

Answer-C

32. Google Cloud has entered into a multi-year strategic partnership with which company to help fast-track company's innovation and cloud strategy?

(a) Paytm

(b) Byju's

(c) Flipkart

(d) Tata Consultancy Services

Answer-C

33. Which Mutual Fund has launched a women-led financial empowerment initiative 'LaxmiForLaxmi' which will connect women investors to a woman financial expert near them through a unique missed call service?

(a) ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund

(b) HDFC Mutual Fund

(c) Axis Mutual Fund

(d) UTI Asset Management

Answer-B

34. Reserve Bank of India has launched a booklet named "BE(A)WARE" to enhance public awareness about financial frauds perpetrated on gullible customers. Where is the headquarters of RBI?

(a) Mumbai

(b) Delhi

(c) Kolkata

(d) Ahmedabad

Answer-A

35. Banks Board Bureau (BBB) has launched a development programme for public sector bank management with the goal of boosting the quality of bank boards. Who is the present Chairperson of BBB?

(a) Rajkiran Rai G

(b) Soma Sankara Prasad

(c) Ravi Mittal

(d) Bhanu Pratap Sharma

Answer-D

36. Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI) has signed an MoU with Indian Banks Association (IBA) to collaborate on capacity building for financial creditors on topics related to insolvency, bankruptcy and related subjects. Who is the current Chairperson of IBBI?

(a) Atul Kumar Goel

(b) Navrang Saini

(c) Arun Kumar Mishra

(d) Ravi Mittal

Answer-D

37. Which bank has rolled out the 'HouseWorksWork' initiative to bring educated women to workforce?

(a) ICICI Bank

(b) RBL Bank

(c) State Bank of India

(d) Federal Bank

(e) Axis Bank

Answer-E

38. CRISIL has projected India's GDP growth rate at _____ for 2022-23.

(a) 7.8%

(b) 8.4%

(c) 9.5%

(d) 10.1%

Answer-A

39. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has raised the investment limit for retail investors applying in public debt securities issuance via the Unified Payments Interface (UPI) mechanism to Rs _____ from Rs 2 lakh previously.

(a) Rs 3 lakh

(b) Rs 3.5 lakh

(c) Rs 4 lakh

(d) Rs 5 lakh

Answer-D

40. Which country's environmental lawyer Rizwana Hasan has been selected for the US International Women of Courage (IWOC) Award for 2022?

(a) India

(b) Bangladesh

(c) Pakistan

(d) Afghanistan

Answer-B

41. Which of the following state has retained its number one spot in the SKOCH State of Governance rankings in 2021?

(a) Uttar Pradesh

(b) Rajasthan

(c) Goa

(d) Andhra Pradesh

Answer-D

42. According to the Swedish based V-Dem (Varieties of Democracy) Institute report titled, 'Democracy Report 2022: Autocratisation Changing Nature' which country has topped in Liberal Democracy Index (LDI)?

(a) Sweden

(b) Denmark

(c) Norway

(d) Costa Rica

Answer-A

43. With which country, India has conducted the 9th edition of naval exercise SLINEX in Visakhapatnam?

(a) South Korea

(b) Singapore

(c) Switzerland

(d) Sri Lanka

Answer-D

44. Indian Navy has successfully test-fired extended range BrahMos cruise missile from INS Chennai. Who is the present Director-General of the BrahMos Aerospace Private Limited?

(a) Pawan Goenka

(b) Jayant Patil

(c) Rahul Vatts

(d) Atul Dinkar Rane

Answer-D

45. India's first indigenously developed Flying Trainer 'HANSA-NG' has successfully completed sea-level trials at Puducherry. It has been designed and developed by

(a) National Research Development Corporation (NRDC)

(b) Defence Research and Development Laboratory (DRDL)

(c) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL)

(d) Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR)

Answer-D

46. The Centre for Development of Advanced Computing (C-DAC) has designed and installed a supercomputer named "PARAM Ganga", at _____, under Phase II of National Supercomputing Mission (NSM).

- (a) IIT Bombay
- (b) IIT Dharwad
- (c) IIT Guwahati
- (d) IIT Roorkee

Answer-D

47. Yoon Suk-yeol has been elected as the new President of which of the following country?

- (a) South Korea
- (b) Japan
- (c) Vietnam
- (d) Malaysia

Answer-A

48. Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI)'s Indian Premier League (IPL) Governing Council has announced _____ as an official partner for the Tata IPL 2022.

- (a) RuPay
- (b) Star India
- (c) Patanjali
- (d) Paytm

Answer-A

49. Aarushi Verma from Delhi has been selected to represent India at the 2041 Climate Force Antarctica Expedition which is set to be held in March 2022. She is related to which sport?

- (a) Shooting
- (b) Table Tennis
- (c) Badminton
- (d) High Jump

Answer-A

50. Who among the following has become first woman cricketer to appear at six Cricket World Cup?

(a) Smriti Mandhana

(b) Mithali Raj

(c) Jhulan Goswami

(d) Shafali Verma

Answer-B

51. Who among the following has become India's twenty-third Woman Grandmaster?

(a) Priyanka Nutakki

(b) Tania Sachdev

(c) Padmini Rout

(d) Soumya Swaminathan

Answer-A

52. Who among the following has won the Grandisacchi Cattolica International Open Chess Tournament, held in Italy?

(a) R Praggnanandhaa

(b) Harshit Raja

(c) Bharath Subramaniam

(d) S L Narayanan

Answer-D

53. India has topped the medal standings with a total of how many medals at the ISSF World Cup 2022 in Cairo, Egypt?

(a) 7

(b) 8

(c) 9

(d) 10

Answer-A

54. Who authored the book titled 'The Blue Book: A Writer's Journal'?

(a) Ramesh Thamilmani

(b) Amitava Kumar

(c) Ramesh Kandula

(d) Rohan J. Alva

Answer-B

55. Who is the author of the book titled "The Queen Of Indian Pop: The Authorised Biography Of Usha Uthup"?

(a) Vikas Kumar Jha

(b) Anirudh Suri

(c) Shantanu Gupta

(d) V L Indira Dutt

Answer-A

56. Who has released his autobiography titled "On Board: Test. Trial. Triumph. My years in BCCI"?

(a) Arup Roy Choudhury

(b) Anirudh Suri

(c) Deepam Chatterjee

(d) Ratnakar Shetty

Answer-D

57. Who is the author of the biography of late Soli Sorabjee titled "Soli Sorabjee: Life and Times"?

(a) Deepam Chatterjee

(b) Abhinav Chandrachud

(c) Amitava Kumar

(d) Vikas Kumar Jha

Answer-B

58. Australian cricket legend Shane Warne passed away. Warne has the record for the second most wickets taken by any bowler in Test cricket. Shane Warne has _____ wickets

(a) 700 wickets

(b) 702 wickets

(c) 704 wickets

(d) 706 wickets

(e) 708 wickets

Answer-E

59. Rafiq Tarar passed away recently. He was a/an _____.

(a) President

(b) Supreme Court judge

(c) Prime Minister

(e) Both a & b

Answer-D

60. The raising day of CISF has celebrated on _____ in 2022.

(a) 3 March

(b) 4 March

(c) 5 March

(d) 6 March

Answer-D

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