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1. Who has taken over charge as new Director-General (DG) of National Investigation Agency (NIA)?

[A] Jainam Shah [B] Ankit Awasthi

[C] Sharad Kumar Sinha [D] Yogesh Chander Modi

2. Who has been elected as the 95th Prime Minister of Japan?

[A] Tadamori Oshima [B] Shinzo Abe

[C] Hirotaka Akamatsu [D] Junichiro Koizumi

3. What is the India's rank in the latest World Bank (WB)'s Ease of Doing Business ranking 2018?

[A] 111th [B] 130th [C] 115th [D] 100th

4. The joint training exercise "PRABAL DOSTYK – 2017" has started between India and which country?

[A] Israel [B] Iran [C] Myanmar [D] Kazakhstan

5. Pension regulator PFRDA has increased maximum age of joining National Pension Scheme (NPS) Private Sector from 60 to \_\_\_\_\_?

[A] 70 years [B] 65 years [C] 63 years [D] 67 years

6. Which country is hosting the 21st World Congress of Mental Health (WCMH) 2017?

[A] Nepal [B] Indonesia [C] India [D] Thailand

7. India's first-ever conservation reserve for black buck will come up in which city?

[A] Bhopal [B] Udaipur [C] Allahabad [D] New Delhi

8. What is the India's rank in the 2017 World Economic Forum's (WEF) Global Gender Gap index? [A] 100th [B] 111th [C] 144th [D] 108th

9. The 2017 World Food India (WFI) has started in which city?

[A] Jaipur [B] New Delhi [C] Kanpur [D] Nagpur

10. The bi-annual multilateral exercise 'Blue Flag-17' has started in which country?

[A] Brazil [B] South Africa [C] Israel [D] China

11. The 2017 World Tsunami Awareness Day (WTAD) is observed on which date?

[A] November 4 [B] November 5 [C] November 3

[D] November 6

12. Which Indian temple has won the UNESCO Asia Pacific Award of Merit 2017?

[A] Kamakhya Temple

[B] Ramanathaswamy Temple

[C] Sri Ranganathaswamy Temple

[D] Konark Sun Temple

13. Who has been chosen for the 53rd Jnanpith Award 2017?

[A] Krishna Sobti [B] Leeladhar Mandloi

[C] Ramakant Rath [D] Girishwar Misra

14. Which country's team has clinched the 2017 Women's Hockey Asia Cup Tournament?

[A] China [B] England [C] India [D] Japan

15. Which committee has been constituted by the Central Government to probe into NTPC's Unchahar Thermal Power Plant incident?

[A] PD Siwal committee

[B] Subir Chakraborty committee

[C] Dhawal Prakash Antapurkar committee

[D] L.D. Papney committee

16. The 2nd edition of India International Cherry Blossom festival has started in which state?

[A] Odisha [B] Mizoram [C] Jammu & Kashmir

[D] Meghalaya

17. Who has won the 2017 men's singles National Badminton Championships?

[A] Kidambi Srikanth\

[B] Pranaav Jerry Chopra

[C] H S Prannoy

[D] Kashyap Parupalli

18. Which country to host the Organic World Congress (OWC) – 2017?

[A] Turkey [B] India [C] China [D] Israel

19. The Indo-Bangladesh joint military exercise “Sampriti-7” has started in which of the following states?

[A] Meghalaya and Mizoram

[B] Tripura and West Bengal

[C] Assam and Odisha

[D] Nagaland and Arunachal Pradesh

20. Which state will be the first state to use EVMs with VVPAT machines on all booths during assembly elections?

[A] Gujarat

[B] Himachal Pradesh

[C] Madhya Pradesh

[D] Rajasthan

21. Which Indian organization has developed sub-sonic cruise missile ‘Nirbhay’, which is successfully test fired recently?

[A] BARC [B] Bharat Earth Movers [C] ISRO

[D] DRDO

22. The Nokrek National Park (NNS) is located in which state?

[A] Arunachal Pradesh [B] Meghalaya

[C] Jammu & Kashmir [D] Sikkim

23. Mary Kom has won gold medal in which category at 2017 Asian women’s Boxing Championships?

[A] 52kg category [B] 57kg category

[C] 48kg category [D] 42kg category

24. Which committee has been constituted by the Union Government to continuously monitor the solutions to air pollution?

[A] Bhure Lal committee

[B] Sunita Narain committee

[C] C.K Mishra committee

[D] Harsh Vardhan committee

25. Who has won the 2017 Women's singles National Badminton Championships?

[A] Shriyanshi Pardeshi [B] Prajakta Sawant

[C] Saina Nehwal [D] PV Sindhu

26. The Mathikettan Shola National Park (MSNS) is located in which state?

[A] Karnataka [B] Andhra Pradesh [C] Odisha

[D] Kerala

27. Which Indian city has been included in the UNESCO Creative Cities Network for its rich musical tradition?

[A] Chennai [B] Surat [C] Lucknow [D] Amritsar

28. Which country is hosting the 2017 Asia-Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC) summit?

[A] India [B] Indonesia [C] Vietnam [D] Malaysia

29. Which international organisation will get 2017 Mother Teresa Memorial Award for Social Justice?

[A] International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) [B] World Food Programme (WFP)

[C] United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)

[D] International Organization for Migration (IOM)

30. Which language has been declared as the second official language by the Telangana state government? [A] Tamil [B] Hindi [C] English [D] Urdu

31. The 2017 National Legal Services Day (NLSD) is celebrated on which date in India?

[A] November 11 [B] November 9 [C] November 10 [D] November 12

32. Which country to host the 12th edition of East Asia Summit (EAS-2017)?

[A] Philippines [B] India [C] Vietnam [D] Malaysia

33. Which of the following Indian states will jointly organize a security exercise ‘Sagar Kavach’ on coastline?

- [A] Assam and Odisha
- [B] Odisha and West Bengal
- [C] Karnataka and West Bengal
- [D] Karnataka and Kerala

34. President Ramnath Kovind has launched JOHAR scheme in which state to double income of rural poor? [A] Chhattisgarh

- B] Rajasthan
- [C] Gujarat
- [D] Jharkhand

35. India’s first offshore desalination plant will be set up by NIOT in which state?

- [A] Tamil Nadu [B] Karnataka [C] Andhra Pradesh [D] Kerala

36. The 2017 National Press Day (NPD) is celebrated on which date in India?

- [A] November 15 [B] November 17 [C] November 16 [D] November 14

37. The 2017 UN Climate Change Conference (COP23) was held in which country?

- [A] France [B] United States [C] India [D] Germany



38. Which web portal has been launched by the Union Government for monitoring universal household electrification?

- [A] MyGaav [B] Sangam [C] Saubhagya  
[D] SmartNet

39. Who will be honoured with the 2017 Indira Gandhi Prize for Peace, Disarmament and Development?

- [A] Raghuram Rajan [B] Mamata Banerjee  
[C] Manmohan Singh [D] Pranab Mukherjee

40. Where is the headquarters of the Indian Institute of Rice Research (IIRR)? [A] Lucknow [B] Jabalpur [C] Bikaner [D] Hyderabad

41. The exercise code-named India-Myanmar Bilateral Army Exercise (IMBAX) has started in which state?

- [A] Himachal Pradesh [B] Sikkim [C] Maharashtra  
[D] Meghalaya

42. As per which article of Constitution, the Union Cabinet has approved to set up 15th Finance Commission?

[A] Article 281 [B] Article 282 [C] Article 280

[D] Article 283

<b>NOVEMBER – 17 ANSWER KEY</b>			
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9	B	30	D
10	C	31	B
11	B	32	A
12	C	33	B
13	A	34	D
14	C	35	A
15	A	36	C
16	D	37	D
17	C	38	C
18	B	39	C
19	A	40	D
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21	D	42	C