

Monthly Mock Test**June – 2025**

Q1. What is the name of the new postal service launched by the Department of Posts in June 2025 for the affordable delivery of books?

- A) Book Post
- B) Gyan Setu
- C) Gyan Post
- D) Shiksha Mail

Answer: C

Explanation: The Department of Posts has launched 'Gyan Post', a dedicated postal service to deliver educational, cultural, social, and religious books at affordable rates, supporting the objectives of the New Education Policy (NEP).

Q2. Who has been appointed as the Secretary of RAW (Research and Analysis Wing) from July 1, 2025?

- A) Ravi Sinha
- B) Rakesh Asthana
- C) Parag Jain
- D) Samant Goel

Answer: C

Explanation: On July 1, 2025, Parag Jain, a 1989-batch IPS officer from the Punjab cadre, took charge as the new Secretary of RAW, India's external intelligence agency.

Q3. The Indus Waters Treaty (IWT) of 1960 has recently been in the news due to a dispute over which two hydroelectric projects?

- A) Baglihar and Uri
- B) Kishenganga and Ratle

- C) Sardar Sarovar and Tehri
- D) Dulhasti and Salal

Answer: B

Explanation: On June 27, 2025, India rejected a "supplemental award" from a Court of Arbitration under the Indus Waters Treaty. The dispute pertained to the design and operation of the Kishenganga and Ratle hydroelectric projects in Jammu & Kashmir.

Q4. Samvidhaan Hatya Diwas is observed annually on June 25th in remembrance of the Emergency. Who was the President of India when the Emergency was declared in 1975?

- A) Neelam Sanjiva Reddy
- B) Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed
- C) Ramaswamy Venkataraman
- D) Zakir Hussain

Answer: B

Explanation: Samvidhaan Hatya Diwas is observed on June 25th to remember the day in 1975 when the Emergency was declared. President Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed declared the state of Emergency under Article 352 upon the advice of Prime Minister Indira Gandhi.

Q5. Which major Government scheme for urban infrastructure development completed 10 years on 25 June 2025?

- A) Smart Cities Mission
- B) AMRUT (Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation)
- C) PM Awas Yojana - Urban
- D) Swachh Bharat Mission - Urban



Answer: B

Explanation: The AMRUT (Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation) scheme, a flagship program for urban infrastructure development, completed its 10th anniversary on June 25, 2025.

Q6. Amid the escalating conflict between Iran and Israel in June 2025, what was the name of the evacuation mission launched by India to bring back its citizens from Iran?

- A) Operation Vande Bharat
- B) Operation Samudra Setu
- C) Operation Sindhu
- D) Operation Suraksha

Answer: C

Explanation: The Government of India launched Operation Sindhu to evacuate Indian nationals stranded in Iran due to the escalating conflict in the region.

Q7. Where did Prime Minister Narendra Modi lead the main event for the International Day of Yoga 2025 celebrations?

- A) Rishikesh
- B) Varanasi
- C) Visakhapatnam
- D) New Delhi

Answer: C

Explanation: Prime Minister Narendra Modi led the national celebrations for the 11th International Day of Yoga from Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh.

Q8. According to the QS World University Rankings 2026, which Indian institute ranked the highest among all Indian universities?

- A) IIT Kanpur
- B) IIT Madras
- C) IIT Bombay
- D) IIT Delhi

Answer: D

Explanation: In the QS World University Rankings 2026, the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Delhi emerged as the highest-ranked Indian institution.

Q9. What is the official theme for the 11th International Day of Yoga (IDY) in 2025?

- A) Yoga for Global Peace
- B) Yoga for Wellness and Harmony
- C) Yoga for One Earth, One Health
- D) Yoga for Climate and Community

Answer: C

Explanation: The theme for the 11th International Day of Yoga in 2025 is "Yoga for One Earth, One Health," emphasizing the interconnectedness of individual well-being and the health of the planet.

Q10. What is the name of India's first Anti-Submarine Warfare Shallow Water Craft (ASW-SWC) commissioned into the Navy in June 2025?

- A) INS Vikrant
- B) INS Kalvari
- C) INS Arnala
- D) INS Vagir

Answer: C

Explanation: INS Arnala, the first in the series of eight Anti-Submarine Warfare Shallow Water Craft (ASW-SWC), was commissioned into the Indian Navy's Eastern Naval Command. It is designed for roles like sub-surface surveillance and search and rescue in coastal waters.



Q11. Where was the G7 Summit 2025 held from 16 to 17 June 2025?

- A) Paris
- B) Kananaskis
- C) Berlin
- D) Tokyo

Answer: B

Explanation: Canada hosted the 51st G7 Summit in Kananaskis, Alberta. This was the seventh time Canada held the rotating presidency of the G7.

Q12. What is the name of the biennial Indo-French joint military exercise, the 8th edition of which was held in June 2025?

- A) Varuna
- B) Shakti
- C) Indra
- D) Surya Kiran

Answer: B

Explanation: A 90-member Indian Army contingent participated in Exercise Shakti-VIII, the joint Indo-French military exercise, held from June 18 to July 1, 2025, at Camp Larzac in southern France.

Q13. The upcoming national Census, to be conducted in 2026-2027, will be which number in the sequence of Indian Censuses?

- A) 14th
- B) 15th
- C) 16th
- D) 17th

Answer: C

Explanation: The Population Census 2027 will be the 16th National Census of India. The process was delayed due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Q14. Which team won the ICC World Test Championship Final 2025?

- A) Australia
- B) England
- C) India
- D) South Africa

Answer: D

Explanation: On June 14, 2025, South Africa won their first-ever ICC World Test Championship title by defeating the defending champions, Australia, by five wickets at Lord's Cricket Ground, London.

Q15. A devastating Air India crash on June 12, 2025, involved which type of aircraft?

- A) Airbus A320
- B) Boeing 777
- C) Boeing 737 Max
- D) Boeing 787-8 Dreamliner

Answer: D

Explanation: The Air India crash involved a Boeing 787-8 Dreamliner (Flight AI-171) headed to London, which crashed shortly after takeoff from Ahmedabad, claiming 241 lives.

Q16. What is the name of Israel's military operation launched in June 2025, targeting Iran's nuclear and military sites?

- A) Desert Thunder
- B) Iron Shield
- C) Rising Lion
- D) Storm Falcon

Answer: C

Explanation: Israel launched "Operation Rising Lion" on June 13, 2025, which targeted over 100 of Iran's nuclear and military sites, significantly escalating the conflict between the two nations.

Q17. According to the International Labour Organization's (ILO) ILOSTAT data released in June 2025, what is India's global rank in terms of the number of social protection beneficiaries?

- A) First
- B) Second
- C) Third
- D) Fourth

Answer: B

Explanation: As per the ILO's report, India ranks second globally in the number of people covered under social protection schemes, highlighting the vast scale of its welfare initiatives.

Q18. Which Indian astronaut is a part of the Axiom-4 mission, making him the first Indian to visit the International Space Station (ISS) in 41 years?

- A) Rakesh Sharma
- B) Kalpana Chawla
- C) Shubhanshu Shukla
- D) Sunita Williams

Answer: C

Explanation: Indian Air Force Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla is the pilot for the Axiom-4 mission. The mission, launched on June 10, 2025, sent four astronauts to the ISS, making him the second Indian in space after Rakesh Sharma.

Q19. What was the revised policy repo rate announced by the RBI's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) in its June 2025 meeting?

- A) 5.0%
- B) 5.25%
- C) 5.5%
- D) 6.0%

Answer: C

Explanation: The RBI's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) on June 6, 2025, announced a reduction in the policy repo rate by 50 basis points, bringing it down to 5.5% to support economic growth.

Q20. Which of the following is India's first cable-stayed rail bridge, inaugurated as part of the Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail Link (USBRL) project?

- A) Chenab Bridge
- B) Pamban Bridge
- C) Anji Khad Bridge
- D) Godavari Arch Bridge

Answer: C

Explanation: The Anji Khad Bridge, India's first cable-stayed rail bridge, was inaugurated by PM Modi on June 6, 2025. It is a critical part of the USBRL project connecting Jammu with the Kashmir Valley.

Q21. What significant new feature is being included for the first time in the Population Census 2027?

- A) Online data collection
- B) Biometric verification
- C) Caste enumeration
- D) Use of Aadhaar-linked data only

Answer: C

Explanation: The Government of India will conduct the Population Census 2027 with the inclusion of caste enumeration for the first time, along with the standard demographic data collection.

Q22. What is the main theme of World Environment Day 2025, observed on June 5?



- A) Climate Action
- B) Clean Energy
- C) Ending Plastic Pollution
- D) Reforestation

Answer: C

Explanation: The theme for World Environment Day on June 5, 2025, is "Ending Plastic Pollution," focusing on global efforts to combat plastic waste and promote sustainable alternatives.

Q23. In Poland's 2025 presidential runoff election, who emerged as the winner?

- A) Rafal Trzaskowski
- B) Andrzej Duda
- C) Karol Nawrocki
- D) Helga Schmid

Answer: C

Explanation: Karol Nawrocki, an independent candidate supported by the opposition Law and Justice party, won the Polish presidential runoff election with approximately 51% of the vote on June 2, 2025.

Q24. Who was crowned Miss World 2025 at the 72nd pageant held in Hyderabad, India?

- A) Hasset (Ethiopia)
- B) Krystyna Pyszková
- C) Opal Suchata Chuangsri
- D) Nandini Gupta

Answer: C

Explanation: Opal Suchata Chuangsri, representing Thailand, was crowned Miss World 2025 at the pageant held on May 31, 2025, in Hyderabad, India.

Q25. The 17th edition of the 'Nomadic Elephant' joint military exercise was

conducted between India and which other country?

- A) Kazakhstan
- B) Kyrgyzstan
- C) Mongolia
- D) Uzbekistan

Answer: C

Explanation: The 17th edition of the India-Mongolia joint military exercise, 'Nomadic Elephant', began on May 31, 2025, in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, focusing on counter-terrorism and UN peacekeeping operations.

Q26. Who became the first Indian badminton player to win a BWF World Tour title in 2025?

- A) Lakshya Sen
- B) Kidambi Srikanth
- C) Ayush Shetty
- D) Prannoy H.S.

Answer: C

Explanation: 20-year-old Ayush Shetty made history by becoming the first Indian to win a BWF World Tour title in 2025 after he clinched the US Open 2025 title on June 29, 2025.

Q27. Where was the NATO Summit 2025 held?

- A) Brussels, Belgium
- B) The Hague, Netherlands
- C) Berlin, Germany
- D) Paris, France

Answer: B

Explanation: The NATO Summit 2025 took place in The Hague, Netherlands, where key decisions regarding the alliance's strategic direction and defence spending were made.

Q28. Neeraj Chopra won the men's javelin throw title at which Diamond League event in June 2025?

- A) Doha Diamond League
- B) Zurich Diamond League
- C) Paris Diamond League
- D) Rome Diamond League

Answer: C

Explanation: Indian javelin thrower Neeraj Chopra won the gold medal at the Paris Diamond League event in June 2025, continuing his excellent form in the lead-up to major championships.

Q29. Which university topped the QS World University Rankings 2026?

- A) Stanford University
- B) University of Oxford
- C) Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
- D) Harvard University

Answer: C

Explanation: The Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) retained its top position, being ranked as the number one university in the world in the QS World University Rankings for the 2026 edition.

Q30. A judge of the Punjab and Haryana High Court is facing possible impeachment over allegations of misconduct. Who is the judge?

- A) Justice G.S. Sandhawalia
- B) Justice Anu Sivaraman
- C) Justice Yashwant Varma
- D) Justice Sheel Nagu

Answer: C

Explanation: Justice Yashwant Varma of the Punjab and Haryana High Court is facing potential impeachment proceedings after a significant amount of half-burnt

cash was discovered at his official residence in March 2025.

Q31. The world's highest railway arch bridge, the Chenab Bridge, was inaugurated in June 2025. In which railway project is this bridge a key component?

- A) Konkan Railway
- B) Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corridor
- C) Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail Link (USBRL)
- D) Dedicated Freight Corridor

Answer: C

Explanation: The Chenab Bridge, located in the Reasi district of Jammu & Kashmir, is a crucial part of the Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail Link (USBRL) project, designed to provide all-weather connectivity to the Kashmir Valley.

Q32. The PM Modi-led NDA government completed how many years at the Centre in June 2025?

- A) 10 years
- B) 11 years
- C) 12 years
- D) 9 years

Answer: B

Explanation: Having first come to power in May 2014, the NDA government led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi completed 11 years in office in June 2025.

Q33. Which Indian cricketer was inducted into the prestigious ICC Hall of Fame in June 2025?

- A) Virat Kohli
- B) Rahul Dravid
- C) MS Dhoni
- D) Sachin Tendulkar

Answer: C



Explanation: Former Indian captain Mahendra Singh Dhoni was inducted into the ICC Hall of Fame in June 2025, recognized for his outstanding contributions to cricket, including leading India to three major ICC titles.

Q34. Who won the Women's Singles title at the French Open 2025?

- A) Aryna Sabalenka
- B) Serena Williams
- C) Coco Gauff
- D) Iga Swiatek

Answer: C

Explanation: American tennis player Coco Gauff won her first French Open Women's Singles title in 2025, defeating world No. 1 Aryna Sabalenka in the final.

Q35. Which two are the main pilgrimage routes for the annual Shri Amarnath Ji Yatra?

- A) Jammu and Leh
- B) Pahalgam and Baltal
- C) Gulmarg and Sonmarg
- D) Kargil and Pulwama

Answer: B

Explanation: The two traditional and main routes for the Shri Amarnath Ji Yatra are the longer, 48-km Nunwan-Pahalgam route in Anantnag district and the shorter but steeper 14-km Baltal route in Ganderbal district.

Q36. Defence Minister Rajnath Singh has granted Miniratna Category-I status to three defence PSUs. Which of the following is one of them?

- A) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL)
- B) Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL)
- C) Armoured Vehicles Nigam Limited (AVNL)
- D) Bharat Dynamics Limited (BDL)

Answer: C

Explanation: The three Defence PSUs granted "Miniratna Category-I" status are Munitions India Limited (MIL), Armoured Vehicles Nigam Limited (AVNL), and India Optel Limited (IOL). This enhances their financial and operational autonomy.

Q37. Where is India's first Artificial Intelligence (AI) Special Economic Zone (SEZ) being established?

- A) Bengaluru, Karnataka
- B) Hyderabad, Telangana
- C) Nava Raipur, Chhattisgarh
- D) Pune, Maharashtra

Answer: C

Explanation: India is setting up its first AI Special Economic Zone (SEZ) in Nava Raipur, Chhattisgarh. The project, with an investment of ₹1,000 crore, aims to create a hub for AI research, development, and innovation.

Q38. The Indian Army is conducting large-scale field trials of indigenously developed defence technologies at strategic locations like Pokhran and Babina. This aligns with which government initiative?

- A) Digital India
- B) Skill India
- C) Aatmanirbhar Bharat
- D) Start-up India

Answer: C

Explanation: The trials of next-generation indigenous defence technologies are part of the Army's "Decade of Transformation" vision and align with the Aatmanirbhar Bharat (Self-reliant India) initiative to boost domestic defence manufacturing.

Q39. The 'Ayush Suraksha Portal' was launched by the Ministry of AYUSH for what primary purpose?

- A) To promote Yoga and Meditation
- B) To certify traditional medicine practitioners
- C) To tackle misleading advertisements and monitor adverse drug reactions
- D) To provide online consultations for AYUSH treatments

Answer: C

Explanation: The Ayush Suraksha Portal was launched to serve as a unified platform for reporting misleading advertisements and adverse drug reactions related to AYUSH products, thereby enhancing consumer safety and regulatory oversight.

Q40. Which state recently became fully functionally literate under the Ullas-New India Literacy Programme, with a literacy rate of 99.7%?

- A) Kerala
- B) Mizoram
- C) Goa
- D) Tripura

Answer: C

Explanation: The Union Government declared Goa a fully functionally literate state on its 39th Statehood Day. The state achieved a literacy rate of 99.7%, surpassing the 95% benchmark set under the Ullas-New India Literacy Programme.

Q41. The 'Dharti Aaba Janbhagidari Abhiyan' was launched by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs. What is its main objective?

- A) To promote tribal art and culture
- B) To ensure benefit saturation and doorstep delivery of schemes in tribal areas

- C) To establish new Eklavya Model Residential Schools
- D) To grant land rights to tribal communities under the Forest Rights Act

Answer: B

Explanation: The Dharti Aaba Janbhagidari Abhiyan is a massive campaign aimed at achieving 100% saturation of government scheme benefits in over 1 lakh tribal-dominated villages, with a focus on Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs) under the PM-JANMAN framework.

Q42. What is the name of the AI-powered Advanced Traffic Management System (ATMS) recently launched on the Dwarka Expressway?

- A) Smart-Trans
- B) Safe-Way
- C) VIDES (Video Incident Detection and Enforcement System)
- D) AI-Highway

Answer: C

Explanation: India's first AI-powered ATMS has been deployed on the Dwarka Expressway. A key component is the Video Incident Detection and Enforcement System (VIDES), which uses AI to monitor traffic, detect violations, and manage incidents in real-time.

Q43. In a significant boost to 'Make in India' in defence, which company will manufacture the fuselage of the Rafale fighter aircraft in India?

- A) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited
- B) Larsen & Toubro
- C) Tata Advanced Systems Limited
- D) Reliance Defence

Answer: C



Explanation: France's Dassault Aviation and India's Tata Advanced Systems Limited (TASL) have signed agreements to jointly manufacture the fuselage of the Rafale fighter jet in India, marking the first time this critical component will be made outside of France.

Q44. The Union Cabinet approved the establishment of the International Potato Centre's South Asia Regional Centre (CSARC) in which Indian city?

- A) Shimla, Himachal Pradesh
- B) Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
- C) Singna, Agra, Uttar Pradesh
- D) Patna, Bihar

Answer: C

Explanation: The Cabinet has approved the establishment of the International Potato Centre's (CIP) South Asia Regional Centre at Singna, near Agra, Uttar Pradesh. This centre will focus on research and development for potato and sweetpotato crops in the region.

Q45. Which two organizations signed an MoU to establish India's first-ever indigenous Polar Research Vessel (PRV)?

- A) Cochin Shipyard and a Russian firm
- B) Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers (GRSE) and a Norwegian firm
- C) Mazagon Dock and a French firm
- D) Hindustan Shipyard and a US firm

Answer: B

Explanation: India's Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers (GRSE) and Norway's Kongsberg Oslo signed an MoU to facilitate the indigenous construction of India's first Polar Research Vessel (PRV), a significant step for scientific exploration.

Q46. Which state government has received approval for its first nuclear power plant, which will utilize Small Modular Reactor (SMR) technology?

- A) West Bengal
- B) Odisha
- C) Bihar
- D) Jharkhand

Answer: C

Explanation: The central government has approved the establishment of Bihar's first nuclear power plant as part of India's new Nuclear Energy Mission. The plant will use advanced Small Modular Reactor (SMR) technology to enhance regional energy security.

Q47. India recently won the bid to host the 2029 World Police & Fire Games (WPFG). In which state will the event be held?

- A) Maharashtra
- B) Delhi
- C) Gujarat
- D) Tamil Nadu

Answer: C

Explanation: India secured the hosting rights for the 2029 World Police & Fire Games. The international event will be held across multiple cities in Gujarat, including Ahmedabad and Gandhinagar.

Q48. India's first dedicated e-waste eco park is being established in which area of Delhi?

- A) Okhla
- B) Narela
- C) Holambi Kalan
- D) Mayur Vihar

Answer: C

Explanation: The Delhi government announced the development of India's first e-waste eco park in Holambi Kalan, North Delhi. The facility will be built on the Public-Private Partnership (PPP) model to scientifically and safely manage electronic waste.

Q49. In which city has Google launched its first Safety Engineering Centre (GSEC) in the Asia-Pacific region?

- A) Singapore
- B) Bengaluru
- C) Hyderabad
- D) Tokyo

Answer: C

Explanation: Google has established its first Asia-Pacific Safety Engineering Centre (GSEC) in Hyderabad, Telangana. The centre will serve as a hub for cybersecurity, promoting user safety and responsible AI development in the region.

Q50. The International Day for the Elimination of Sexual Violence in Conflict is observed annually on which date?

- A) June 15
- B) June 19
- C) June 23
- D) June 26

Answer: B

Explanation: Observed on June 19, this day aims to raise awareness about the need to end conflict-related sexual violence. The date marks the adoption of UN Security Council Resolution 1820 in 2008, which condemned sexual violence as a tactic of war.

Q51. The first consignment of rose-scented litchi was exported from Pathankot, Punjab, to which country?

- A) UAE
- B) Saudi Arabia
- C) Qatar
- D) Oman

Answer: C

Explanation: In a boost to agricultural exports, India flagged off its first consignment of 1 metric tonne of rose-scented litchi from Pathankot, Punjab, to Doha, Qatar.

Q52. Who has been appointed as the first Indian-American Provost of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)?

- A) Sundar Pichai
- B) Satya Nadella
- C) Anantha Chandrakasan
- D) Arvind Krishna

Answer: C

Explanation: Professor Anantha Chandrakasan has been appointed as the first Indian-American Provost of MIT. He is a distinguished academic and has served as the Dean of the School of Engineering since 2017.

Q53. Which Indian animated short film won the Jury Award for Best Commissioned Film at the Annecy International Animation Festival 2025?

- A) Bombay Dreams
- B) The Clay Cow
- C) Desi Oon
- D) Mystic Tales

Answer: C

Explanation: 'Desi Oon', an animated film by Indian filmmaker Suresh Eriyat, won the prestigious Jury Award for Best Commissioned Film at the Annecy International Animation Festival 2025 in

France, bringing global recognition to Indian animation.

Q54. India's rank in the World Economic Forum's (WEF) Energy Transition Index 2025 was 71st. Which country topped the index?

- A) Denmark
- B) Norway
- C) Sweden
- D) Finland

Answer: C

Explanation: India ranked 71st in the WEF's Energy Transition Index 2025. Sweden retained the top spot, followed by Finland and Denmark, recognizing their leadership in creating a sustainable, secure, and affordable energy system.

Q55. What is the name of the first Fast Patrol Vessel (FPV) built by Goa Shipyard Ltd (GSL) that was ceremoniously launched for the Indian Coast Guard?

- A) Veer
- B) Shaurya
- C) Achal
- D) Prahar

Answer: C

Explanation: 'Achal' is the fifth Fast Patrol Vessel (FPV) in a series of eight being constructed by Goa Shipyard Ltd for the Indian Coast Guard. The vessel was launched in Goa and features over 60% indigenous content.

Q56. Which national cricket team ended a nearly three-decade trophy drought by winning the ICC World Test Championship 2023–25?

- A) New Zealand
- B) England

- C) South Africa
- D) Pakistan

Answer: C

Explanation: The South African men's cricket team won their first major ICC title in 27 years by defeating Australia to clinch the ICC World Test Championship 2023–25, marking a historic moment for the nation.

Q57. In which city was the National Conference of Estimates Committees of Parliament and State/UT Legislative Bodies held in June 2025?

- A) New Delhi
- B) Mumbai
- C) Chennai
- D) Kolkata

Answer: B

Explanation: The National Conference of Estimates Committees was held at Maharashtra Vidhan Bhawan, Mumbai, on June 23-24, 2025, to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the Lok Sabha's Estimates Committee and discuss efficient budget monitoring.

Q58. Hardeep Singh Puri attended the 40th anniversary memorial service of the Air India Flight 182 (Kanishka) bombing. In which country was the memorial held?

- A) Canada
- B) United Kingdom
- C) Ireland
- D) United States

Answer: C

Explanation: Union Minister Hardeep Singh Puri attended the 40th-anniversary memorial for the victims of the Air India 'Kanishka' bombing at the Ahakista



Memorial in Cork, Ireland. The flight was bombed by Khalistani terrorists in 1985.

- C) ₹5 lakhs
- D) ₹10 lakhs

Q59. Who chaired the 15th meeting of the Empowered Task Force (ETF) on Ganga conservation?

- A) Gajendra Singh Shekhawat
- B) Hardeep Singh Puri
- C) C.R. Patil
- D) Jitendra Singh

Answer: C

Explanation: Union Jal Shakti Minister C.R. Patil chaired the 15th meeting of the Empowered Task Force on Ganga conservation, where he reviewed the progress made under the Namami Gange Programme and launched new ecological initiatives.

Q60. The Competition Commission of India (CCI) recently approved the acquisition of equity shares in Aakash Educational Services Limited by which entity?

- A) Reliance Group
- B) Adani Group
- C) Manipal entities
- D) Tata Group

Answer: C

Explanation: The CCI approved the acquisition of a stake in Aakash Educational Services by Manipal Health Systems Pvt Ltd and Manipal Education and Medical Group India Pvt Ltd, a significant development in the education sector.

Q61. The Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) has increased the auto-settlement limit for advance claims from ₹1 lakh to what new amount?

- A) ₹2 lakhs
- B) ₹3 lakhs

Answer: C

Explanation: To facilitate quicker fund disbursal, EPFO has raised the auto-settlement limit for advance claims related to illness, education, marriage, and housing to ₹5 lakhs, up from the previous limit of ₹1 lakh.

Q62. Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla became the first Indian astronaut to visit the ISS in 41 years. From which space launch facility did the Axiom-4 mission lift off?

- A) Satish Dhawan Space Centre, Sriharikota
- B) Baikonur Cosmodrome, Kazakhstan
- C) SpaceX Starbase Launch Complex, Texas
- D) NASA's Kennedy Space Center, Florida

Answer: D

Explanation: The Axiom-4 mission, with Indian astronaut Shubhanshu Shukla, lifted off from NASA's Kennedy Space Center in Florida. The mission used a SpaceX Dragon spacecraft to travel to the International Space Station (ISS).

Q63. What is India's position in the 2025 Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) Index released by the UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network?

- A) 112
- B) 109
- C) 99
- D) 74

Answer: C

Explanation: India ranked 99th out of 167 countries in the 2025 SDG Index, marking

the first time it has entered the top 100. The report highlighted India's consistent progress in various development indicators.

Q64. Tripura became India's third fully literate state with a 95.6% literacy rate. This was largely attributed to which central government program?

- A) Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan
- B) National Literacy Mission
- C) ULLAS – New India Literacy Programme
- D) Digital India Initiative

Answer: C

Explanation: Tripura's achievement in literacy is attributed to the successful implementation of the 'ULLAS – New India Literacy Programme', a centrally sponsored scheme aimed at promoting lifelong learning and literacy for all.

Q65. The first-ever joint military exercise "Tiger Claw" was conducted between the Air Force Special Forces of India and which other country?

- A) France
- B) Israel
- C) United States
- D) United Kingdom

Answer: C

Explanation: "Tiger Claw" was the first-ever joint military exercise between the Indian Air Force's Garud Special Forces and the United States Air Force Special Forces, aimed at enhancing interoperability in special operations.

Q66. The Reserve Bank of India has extended the closing time for the call money market to 7:00 PM. This decision was based on the recommendations of a Working Group chaired by whom?

- A) Michael Patra
- B) T. Rabi Sankar
- C) Radha Shyam Ratho
- D) Shaktikanta Das

Answer: C

Explanation: The RBI extended the call money market trading hours based on the recommendations of a Working Group chaired by Radha Shyam Ratho, which was formed to review the timings of various financial markets.

Q67. Where is the ₹417-crore Electronics Manufacturing Cluster (EMC 2.0) being developed in Uttar Pradesh to boost local electronics production?

- A) Lucknow
- B) Kanpur
- C) Gautam Budh Nagar
- D) Varanasi

Answer: C

Explanation: The Central Government has approved a ₹417-crore Electronics Manufacturing Cluster (EMC 2.0) at Sector 10, Yamuna Expressway, in Gautam Budh Nagar. The project aims to attract investment and generate employment in the electronics sector.

Q68. Which state government signed an MoU to establish a Data Intelligence and Technical Support Unit to tackle the drug menace?

- A) Haryana
- B) Punjab
- C) Rajasthan
- D) Uttar Pradesh

Answer: B

Explanation: The Punjab Government signed an MoU with Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Medical Sciences, Mohali, and



Vidyasagar Institute of Mental Health, Amritsar, to set up a Data Intelligence Unit to develop strategies for combating drug addiction.

Q69. Which government body has launched the innovative 'Pratibha Setu' initiative to connect high-performing exam candidates who missed final selection with job opportunities?

- A) Staff Selection Commission (SSC)
- B) Union Public Service Commission (UPSC)
- C) Institute of Banking Personnel Selection (IBPS)
- D) National Testing Agency (NTA)

Answer: B

Explanation: The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) launched the 'Pratibha Setu' platform to help talented candidates from its various examinations find suitable job opportunities in government departments, PSUs, and private companies.

Q70. What is the title of the book released on 'Samvidhan Hatya Diwas', which is a compilation of PM Narendra Modi's experiences during the Emergency?

- A) A Leader's Struggle
- B) The Dark Days
- C) The Emergency Diaries – Years that Forged a Leader
- D) Resisting Tyranny

Answer: C

Explanation: Union Home Minister Amit Shah released the book 'The Emergency Diaries – Years that Forged a Leader'. It highlights Prime Minister Narendra Modi's underground activities and resistance efforts during the Emergency period.

Q71. What major milestone will the Titans Space mission in 2029 achieve for astronaut Jahnvi Dangeti?

- A) First Indian woman on the Moon
- B) First Indian to walk in space
- C) First Indian astronaut on the Titans Space mission
- D) First Indian to land on Mars

Answer: C

Explanation: Jahnvi Dangeti is set to become the first Indian astronaut to fly on the US-based Titans Space mission in 2029, a significant achievement for India in the field of human space exploration.

Q72. The Dharti Aaba Janbhagidari Abhiyan is being implemented under which broader government vision?

- A) Make in India
- B) Digital India
- C) Atmanirbhar Bharat
- D) Viksit Bharat@2047

Answer: D

Explanation: The Dharti Aaba Janbhagidari Abhiyan, part of the Janjatiya Gaurav Varsh, operates within the PM-JANMAN framework and aligns with the larger vision of Viksit Bharat@2047, aiming for the inclusive development of tribal communities.

Q73. What new name has been given to Kerala's Aralam Wildlife Sanctuary, making it India's first protected forest dedicated entirely to butterflies?

- A) Balram Butterfly Sanctuary
- B) Aralam Butterfly Reserve
- C) Aralam Butterfly Sanctuary
- D) Kilo Butterfly Sanctuary

Answer: C

Explanation: The Kerala State Wildlife Board has officially renamed the Aralam Wildlife Sanctuary in Kannur as the Aralam Butterfly Sanctuary. It hosts over 266 butterfly species and is the first of its kind in India.

Q74. As a result of the 2025 NATO summit, what is the new agreed-upon defence spending target as a percentage of GDP for member countries?

- A) 2.5%
- B) 3%
- C) 4%
- D) 5%

Answer: D

Explanation: At the Hague Summit, NATO leaders agreed to a historic commitment to raise their annual defence spending to 5% of their GDP by the year 2035, a significant increase from the previous 2% target.

Q75. According to the Union Ministry of Environment's Management Effectiveness Evaluation (MEE) for 2020-2025, which state received the highest overall rating for the management of its protected areas?

- A) Karnataka
- B) Kerala
- C) Maharashtra
- D) Tamil Nadu

Answer: B

Explanation: Kerala secured the highest state rating of "Very Good" with an overall MEE score of 76.22% for the effective management of its 21 national parks and wildlife sanctuaries.

Q76. What is the title of former Indian cricketer Shikhar Dhawan's newly released autobiography?

- A) Beyond the Boundary
- B) The One: Cricket, My Life and More
- C) My Cricketing Odyssey
- D) Warrior on the Pitch

Answer: B

Explanation: Former Indian cricketer Shikhar Dhawan has released his autobiography titled "The One: Cricket, My Life and More," which provides insights into his cricketing career and personal journey.

Q77. Who won the women's title at the inaugural edition of the Hockey India Masters Cup 2025?

- A) Hockey Unit of Tamil Nadu
- B) Hockey Association of Odisha
- C) Hockey Chandigarh Association
- D) Hockey Karnataka Association

Answer: B

Explanation: In the inaugural Hockey India Masters Cup 2025 held in Chennai, the Hockey Association of Odisha won the women's title (for players above 35), while the Hockey Unit of Tamil Nadu won the men's title (for players above 40).

Q78. The Ministry of Power has allowed private Indian companies to be designated as Renewable Energy Implementing Agencies (REIAs). What is the minimum net worth requirement for a company to be eligible?

- A) ₹100 crore
- B) ₹250 crore
- C) ₹500 crore
- D) ₹1000 crore

Answer: C

Explanation: According to the new guidelines, private Indian companies must have a minimum net worth of more than ₹500 crore and a long-term credit rating of

'A' or above to be designated as a Renewable Energy Implementing Agency (REIA).

Q79. In addition to India, the 2025 ICC Women's ODI World Cup will see some matches hosted in which other country?

- A) Bangladesh
- B) UAE
- C) Sri Lanka
- D) Nepal

Answer: C

Explanation: While India is the official host of the 2025 ICC Women's ODI World Cup, Sri Lanka will co-host some matches, including all of Pakistan's fixtures, due to political considerations.

Q80. Who has been re-appointed as the Chairman of the Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) for a one-year term?

- A) Nitin Gupta
- B) Pramod Chandra Mody
- C) Ravi Agrawal
- D) Sushil Chandra

Answer: C

Explanation: The Appointments Committee of the Cabinet has approved the re-appointment of Ravi Agrawal as the Chairman of the CBDT on a contract basis for one year, from July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026.

Q81. On which date is the International Day of the Tropics observed annually?

- A) June 21
- B) June 25
- C) June 29
- D) June 30

Answer: C

Explanation: The International Day of the Tropics is observed every year on June 29 to celebrate the diversity of the tropics and highlight the unique challenges and opportunities faced by tropical regions.

Q82. World Asteroid Day is observed on June 30th to raise awareness about asteroids. It marks the anniversary of which major impact event?

- A) The Chelyabinsk meteor event
- B) The Tunguska event
- C) The Chicxulub impact
- D) The Barringer Crater formation

Answer: B

Explanation: World Asteroid Day is observed on June 30th, the anniversary of the Tunguska event in Siberia in 1908. This event, caused by a massive explosion from an asteroid or comet, is the largest impact event on Earth in recorded history.

Q83. Which city hosted the 25th Central Zonal Council meeting, chaired by the Union Home Minister?

- A) Bhopal
- B) Lucknow
- C) Raipur
- D) Varanasi

Answer: D

Explanation: The 25th meeting of the Central Zonal Council, comprising Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, and Uttarakhand, was held in Varanasi and was chaired by Union Home Minister Amit Shah.

Q84. The RBI has directed all regulated entities to ensure KYC details for low-risk individual customers are updated by which new extended deadline?

- A) December 31, 2025
- B) March 31, 2026



- C) June 30, 2026
D) December 31, 2026

Answer: C

Explanation: The RBI has instructed all regulated entities to ensure that Know Your Customer (KYC) details for "low-risk" individual customers are updated by June 30, 2026, or within one year of the due date, whichever is later.

Q85. In which Indian city will the country's first Quantum Computing Valley be launched by January 2026?

- A) Bengaluru, Karnataka
B) Hyderabad, Telangana
C) Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh
D) Pune, Maharashtra

Answer: C

Explanation: India's first Quantum Computing Valley will be launched in Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh, by January 2026. This initiative aims to advance research, innovation, and industrial growth in quantum technology.

Q86. In June 2025, India signed an MoU with which European country to facilitate the use of UPI for seamless cross-border digital transactions?

- A) Greece
B) Italy
C) Cyprus
D) Spain

Answer: C

Explanation: India and Cyprus signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to enable the introduction of UPI services in Cyprus, aiming to facilitate real-time international digital payments.

Q87. Sivasubramanian Ramann has assumed charge as the new Chairperson of which regulatory body?

- A) SEBI
B) IRDAI
C) PFRDA
D) TRAI

Answer: C

Explanation: Sivasubramanian Ramann has officially assumed charge as the new Chairperson of the Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA) for a term of five years or until the age of 65.

Q88. The Delhi government has partnered with which IIT to implement its first-ever artificial rain/cloud seeding pilot project to combat air pollution?

- A) IIT Bombay
B) IIT Delhi
C) IIT Kanpur
D) IIT Madras

Answer: C

Explanation: The Delhi government has received approval for its first artificial rain pilot project. The project is being spearheaded in collaboration with IIT Kanpur, which will provide the technical support and expertise for the cloud seeding operation.

Q89. How many new houses have been approved under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban 2.0 (PMAY-U 2.0) as per the June 2025 CSMC meeting?

- A) 1.50 lakh
B) 2.10 lakh
C) 2.35 lakh
D) 2.75 lakh

Answer: C



Explanation: The Central Sanctioning and Monitoring Committee (CSMC) has approved the construction of 2,34,864 houses under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban 2.0 (PMAY-U 2.0) across 9 states.

Q90. World Refugee Day is observed every year on June 20. What is the theme for 2025?

- A) Hope Away From Home
- B) Whoever, Wherever, Whenever
- C) For a World Where Refugees Are Welcomed
- D) Together We Heal, Learn and Shine

Answer: C

Explanation: World Refugee Day is observed on June 20. The theme for 2025 is "For a World Where Refugees Are Welcomed," promoting empathy, inclusion, and support for refugees in host societies.

Q91. India Post Payments Bank (IPPB) was recently honoured with the Digital Payments Award 2024–25 by which ministry?

- A) Ministry of Communications
- B) Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
- C) Ministry of Finance
- D) Ministry of Commerce and Industry

Answer: C

Explanation: India Post Payments Bank (IPPB) received the Digital Payments Award 2024–25 from the Department of Financial Services (DFS), Ministry of Finance, for its exceptional efforts in promoting digital payments and financial inclusion.

Q92. World Kidney Cancer Day is observed annually on June 19. What is the theme for 2025?

- A) Care for Kidneys Globally
- B) Act Early, Treat Early
- C) Protect Your Kidney Health
- D) Show Your Kidneys Some Love

Answer: D

Explanation: World Kidney Cancer Day is observed on June 19. The theme for 2025 is "Show Your Kidneys Some Love," which emphasizes care and awareness for kidney health and early detection of kidney cancer.

Q93. In the Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Rankings 2025, which assess universities on their contributions to the UN SDGs, how many Indian institutions secured a spot in the global Top 100?

- A) 2
- B) 3
- C) 4
- D) 5

Answer: C

Explanation: Four Indian universities secured places in the Top 100 of the THE Impact Rankings 2025. These are Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham (41st), Lovely Professional University (48th), JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research (96th), and Shoolini University (96th).

Q94. Which public sector telecom company launched the country's first SIM-less, fixed-wireless-access (FWA) 5G service called Quantum 5G FWA?

- A) MTNL
- B) BSNL
- C) RailTel
- D) PowerGrid

Answer: B

Explanation: BSNL soft-launched Quantum 5G FWA in Hyderabad, offering India's first SIM-less, fixed-wireless 5G solution with fibre-like speeds. The entire solution is 100% indigenous, developed under the Atmanirbhar Bharat initiative.

- A) 1.0 overs
- B) 1.5 overs
- C) 2.2 overs
- D) 3.0 overs

Answer: C

Q95. Mizoram government signed an MoU with the Digital India BHASHINI Division to promote what?

- A) Digital literacy in schools
- B) E-commerce for local artisans
- C) Multilingual governance using native language technology
- D) Cybersecurity awareness

Answer: C

Explanation: The Government of Mizoram signed an MoU with the BHASHINI Division to promote multilingual governance by adopting its platform. This will make government services and information accessible in the Mizo language, preserving linguistic heritage.

Q96. What was India's WPI-based inflation rate in May 2025?

- A) 0.85%
- B) 0.72%
- C) 1.04%
- D) 0.39%

Answer: D

Explanation: According to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, India's wholesale price index (WPI)-based inflation eased to a 14-month low of 0.39% in May 2025, down from 0.85% in April.

Q97. According to the RBI's revised Playing Conditions, if a T20 match is reduced to an eight-over innings, how many overs will be allocated as powerplay?

Explanation: Under the new ICC Playing Conditions effective from July 2025, an eight-over T20 innings will feature 2.2 overs (2 overs and 2 balls) of powerplay, where only two fielders are allowed outside the 30-yard circle.

Q98. Prime Minister Modi flagged off the export of India's first made-in-Bihar diesel locomotive. To which African country was it sent?

- A) Kenya
- B) Nigeria
- C) Guinea
- D) Ethiopia

Answer: C

Explanation: The first made-in-Bihar diesel locomotive from the Wabtec plant in Marhowrah was exported to Guinea. The deal involves a total of 150 locomotives for the Simandou iron ore project.

Q99. According to S&P Global Ratings, what is the revised GDP growth forecast for India for FY26?

- A) 6.0%
- B) 6.2%
- C) 6.5%
- D) 6.8%

Answer: C

Explanation: S&P Global Ratings revised India's FY26 GDP growth forecast upward to 6.5% (from 6.3%), citing resilient domestic demand, expectations of a normal monsoon, and potential monetary easing.

Q100. Who has been appointed as the brand ambassador of the World Para Athletics Championships 2025 to be held in New Delhi?

- A) Deepa Malik
- B) Priyanka Chopra
- C) Kangana Ranaut
- D) Mary Kom

Answer: C

Explanation: Actor and newly elected MP Kangana Ranaut has been named the brand ambassador for the World Para Athletics Championships 2025, which are scheduled to be held in New Delhi from September 26 to October 5.

