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UPSC- Prelims-2010

Section wise Test: III

G .S. –Current affairs

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Q-75

Time : 75 Min.

- 1) Which one of the following is not a vulture-breeding center?
 - a) Pinjore (Haryana)
 - b) Barmer (Rajasthan)
 - c) Buxa (West Bengal)
 - d) Rani Forest (Assam)
- 2) Who translated 'Vande - Mataram' into English?
 - a) Bankimchandra Chatterji
 - b) Ravindranath Tagore
 - c) Shri Aurobindo
 - d) Shorathchandra Chatterji
- 3) Leader of opposition in Loksabha has -
 - a) Constitutional Status
 - b) Statutory Status
 - c) Extra-constitutional, extra statutory status.
 - d) Conventional status.
- 4) Department of Biotechnology.
 - a) Is an independent department
 - b) Works under Prime Minister's Office.
 - c) Works under Ministry of Science and Technology.
 - d) Works under Ministry of Environment and Forest.
- 5) Which of the following has served as the speaker of Loksabha in two successive terms?
 - a) M. Ananthasayanam Ayyangar
 - b) Hukam Singh
 - c) Bali Ram Bhagat
 - d) Bal Ram Jokhad

- 6) Match the Following.

State	No. of Scats in Lok Sabha
A. Gujarat	1. 26
B. Karnataka	2. 28
C. Madhya Pradesh	3. 29
D. Rajasthan	4. 25

	A	B	C	D
a	4	2	1	3
b	1	3	2	4
c	4	1	2	3
d	1	2	3	4

- 7) National Mangrove Genetic Resources Center is in which state?
a) Orissa
b) Gujarat
c) West Bengal
d) Andhra Pradesh
- 8) Botanic Garden of the Indian Republic (BGIR) is in -
a) Noida
b) Faridabad
c) Dehradun
d) Gaziabad
- 9) Theo Van Gogh, who was murdered by a fundamentalist, was famous for -
a) Painting
b) Human rights
c) Film making
d) Fashion

10) Match the Following.

Famous Persons	Well known as
A. Ayaan Hirshi Ali	1. Wildlife photographer
B. Austin Stevens	2. Writer
C. Michael Wood	3. Adventure Expert
D. Bear Grylls	4. Historian & narrator

	A	B	C	D
a	1	2	4	3
b	4	3	1	2
c	2	1	4	3
d	2	4	1	3

- 11) Who founded 'Kalakshetra'?
a) Sonal Mansingh
b) Popul Jaykar
c) Mulkraj Anand
d) Rukminidevi Arundel
- 12) 'Green room negotiations' are related to which organization?
a) WTO
b) WMO
c) FAO
d) ILO
- 13) Which of the following is not a potential wintering site for Siberian Cranes, as identified in Almaty (Kazakhstan) convention on migratory species of wild animals?

- a) Pallikaronaï morsh (Chennai)
- b) Keoladeo National Park (Rajasthan)
- c) Etawah-Mainpuri Wetland (U.P.)
- d) Banni Grassland (Gujarat)

14) Which of the following is not correctly matched.

List I	List II
a) Project Elephant	1992
b) Project Crocodile	1974
c) Conservation of forest act	1986
d) Biodiversity act	2002

15) Which of the following statements are correct?

- 1) Assistance was provided to Haryana for creation of first elephant rehabilitation center in the country.
- 2) Permission was given for creation of three more elephant reserves - two in Chattisgarh namely -
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 2 only
 - c) both
 - d) neither

16) The National River Conservation Directorate functions under the ministry of -

- a) Environment and forest
- b) Earth science
- c) Rural Development
- d) Water Resources

17) Which of the following is obtained from the fractionation of human blood?

- a) Antivenom Serum
- b) Polio Vaccine.
- c) Gamma Globulin
- d) Diphtheria Antitoxin

18) In which business 'Prada' is a big name?

- a) Watch making
- b) Tourism
- c) Fashion
- d) Hotel chain

19) "Beyond the lost Blue Mountain" is the biography of -

- a) Nelson Mandela
- b) Mother Teresa
- c) Edmund Hillary
- d) J.R.D. Tata

20) Match the Following.

Persons	Famous For
A. Archana Sharma	1. Tabla
B. Anuradha Pal	2. Particle Physicist
C. Zohra Segal	3. Theatre
D. Alka Raghuvanshi	4. Painter

27) Match the Following.

Special Police Forces	Country
A. SWAT	1. Australia
B. CO19	2. Israel
C. YANAM	3. U.S.A.
D. STAR FORCE	4. U.K.

	A	B	C	D
a	3	2	4	1
b	4	1	2	3
c	1	4	2	3
d	3	4	2	1

28) Which of the following is not correctly matched?

- a) Kokbrok : Local language in Meghalaya.
- b) Rouff: Folk dance of Kashmir.
- c) Koodiyattom: Sanskrit drama based on Ramayana, Kerala.
- d) Kalari: Folk dance, Kerala.

29) Which of the following Nobel laureate were born in India?

- 1) Rudyard Kipling
- 2) Ronald Ross
- 3) Gunnar Myrdal
- 4) J. M. Coetzee

- a) 1 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 1, 2, and 3
- d) All the above

30) The new car unveiled by US auto giant Ford to document its presence in small car segment in India is -

- a) Figo
- b) Dodge
- c) Kia
- d) Geo

31) Anuradha Sawhney - is an eminent personality in the field of -

- a) Animal Rights
- b) Bio informatics
- c) Forensic Science
- d) Theatre

32) Popular umpire David Shepherd, who passed away recently, belonged to which country?

- a) Australia
- b) South Africa
- c) U.K.
- d) New Zealand

33) Which of the following groups belong to South Korea?

- 1) LG
- 2) Samsung
- 3) Hyundai
- a) 1 & 2
- b) 2 & 3
- c) 1 & 3
- d) All the above

34) First "World Pneumonia Day" was celebrated on -

- a) 22 November
- b) 4 December
- c) 2 November
- d) 2 January

35) UNESCO's Confucius prize is awarded in the field of -

- a) Literature
- b) Literacy
- c) Religion
- d) Culture

- 36) Which of the following statements is / are correct?
- 1) On 26 January, IGNOU launched an education channel Gyandarshan which is now a 24 hour channel.
 - 2) Distance Education Council, established by the IGNOU as a statutory authority, is an apex body for coordination and determination of standards in distance education.
- a) Only 1 b) Only 2 c) Bothd) Neither

- 37) Which of the following statement is not correct?
- a) Administering the copyright act, 1957, is the responsibility of the Union Ministry of Human Resource Development.
 - b) The Copyright Act has never been amended.
 - c) The Copyright Board is a quasi-judicial body.
 - d) The Chairman and other members of the Copyright Board are appointed for a term of five years.

- 38) Where is the India Institute of Information Technology?
- a) Allahabad b) Gwalior c) Jabalpur d) Hyderabad

- 39) Which of the following is wrongly matched?

Book	Writer
a) Idea of Justice	Amartya Sen
b) Algebra of infinite justice	Arundhati Roy
c) Swami and Friends	R. K. Narayan
d) Listening to Grasshoppers	Gurucharan Das

- 40) Peter Broke brought 'Mahabharat' first time on the stage. Name the only Indian in that drama who portrayed Draupadi.
- a) Seema Biswas
 - b) Sushama Seth
 - c) Rita Ganguli
 - d) Mallika Sarabhai

- 41) Match the Following.

Person	Well Known as
A. Victor Banerjee	1) Santoor Player
B. Shruti Adhikari	2) Science Writer
C. Pallava Bagla	3) Actor
D. Mani Kaul	4) Film Maker

	A	B	C	D
a	3	4	2	2
b	1	2	3	4
c	3	1	2	4
d	1	2	4	3

- 42) Match the Following.

Persian	Organization / Business Group
A. A. M. Naik	1) Indian Oil
B. Sarthak Behuria	2) L & T
C. Manisha Girotra	3) JP Morgan

D. Kalpana Morparia	4) UBS India
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	A	B	C	D
a	2	1	3	4
b	2	1	4	3
c	1	2	3	4
d	1	2	4	3

- 43) The Prestigious UNEC-WP-29, 4th Environmentally Friendly Vehicle (EFV) conference, first time held in developing country in India at -
a) New Delhi
b) Bangalore
c) Hyderabad
d) Jaipur
- 44) 97th Indian Science Congress held in Thiruvanthapuram under the chairmanship of -
a) K. C. Pandey
b) Geetha Bali
c) S. P. Thygarajan
d) A. Sivanathan Pillai
- 45) World Investment Report 2009 Top five most attractive locations for FDI in decreasing order are -
1. Brazil 2. India 3. China 4. USA
A) 4 3 2 1 B) 2 3 4 1 C) 3 4 2 1 D) 3 4 1 2

46) Match the Following.

Director / Film maker	Film
E. Tapan Sinha	5. Kati Patang
F. Shakti Samanta	6. EK Doctor Ki Mout
G. Prakash Mehara	7. Zanjeer

- A) a b c
B) b c a
C) b a c
D) a c b
- 47) Which statements are correct?
a) Largest number Brinjal collectively producing state WB and Orissa.
b) Largest number Brinjal collectively producing state Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh.
c) Bihar became a first state to reject the commercial cultivation of genetically modified Bt. Brinjal.
A) a & c correct B) b & c correct
C) a, b, c correct D) None of them
- 48) Govt. of India organized "Mini Pravasi Bhartiya Diwas - 2009" at -
A) Singapore B) Hague
C) New York D) Copenhagen
- 49) New generation carrier based fighter Aircraft and world leading air craft manufacturing country -

1. Typhoon	A. France
2. Dassault	B. European
3. SAAB	C. UK
4. Sea Harriers	D. Sweden

	1	2	3	4
A	B	A	D	C
B	A	D	B	C
C	B	C	D	A
D	A	D	C	B

- 50) Kayelekara Uranium mine (Malawi) owned by -
 A) Australia B) China C) Brazil D) Russia

- 51) Match the Following.

Cyclone / Typhoon	Country
1. Market	A. Philippines
2. Mudslip	B. Western Coast of India
3. Ketsana	C. Southern California
4. Phyan	D. China / Taiwan

	1	2	3	4
A	D	B	A	C
B	D	C	A	B
C	A	C	D	B
D	A	D	B	C

- 52) Irina Bokova, the first woman elected as Director General of UNESCO, she's representing the country –
 a) Belgium b) Bulgaria c) Belarus d) Bratislav

- 53) ACER became second longest PC maker (The first non-American company reach that position) from which country.
 A) China B) Taiwan C) Japan D) South Korea

- 54) Match the Following.

1. M. B. Lal Committee	A. To suggest reforms in Pricing of Auto and cooking fuels
2. B. K. Chaturvedi	B. Genetic Engineering approve of Bt Brinjal
3. Arjun Reddy	C. Examine how to expedite award and financing of highway project
4. Kirit Parikh	D. Find the causes of Jaipur SOC depot fire.

	1	2	3	4
A	D	C	B	A
B	C	D	B	A
C	A	C	D	B
D	D	A	C	B

55) Match the Following.

Traditional Festival & Dance	State
1. Yoga Festival	A. Jharkhand
2. Yugadi	B. Andaman & Nicobar
3. Sarhul	C. Pondicherry
4. Ossuary Feast	D. Kerala
	E. Karnataka

	1	2	3	4
A	C	D	A	E
B	A	D	B	C
C	C	E	A	B
D	D	E	B	C

56) Among the whom to be appointed a 'Privy Councilor of British Empire"

- A) Salman Rushdie C) Devendra Ghai
 B) Swaraj Paul D) Jit Paul

57) First Zirconium plant set up in -

- A) Tutikorim B) Tirunelveli C) Tiruchirappalli D) Tiruppur

58) Country's first female armed police force recruitment by -

- A) Rajasthan B) Delhi C) Punjab D) Haryana

59) Rural Development programme "Gramotsav" was developed by -

- A) SBI B) Bank of India C) Punjab National Bank
 D) Bank of Baroda

60) Match the Following.

Personality	Field
1. B. M. Bhatia	A. Ophthalmologist
2. K. Balagopal	B. Journalist
3. Prabash Joshi	C. Economist
4. Jaiveer Agrawal	D. Civil Right activist

	1	2	3	4
A	C	D	B	A
B	B	C	D	A
C	A	D	B	C
D	C	A	D	B

61) According to LMF Report - 2009 India spend 6.7% on social sector of its GDP. Following countries spend more on social sector, arrange the decreasing order -

1. Germany 2. France 3. USA 4. UK

- A) 2 3 1 4
 B) 1 2 4 3
 C) 4 2 1 3
 D) 3 2 1 4

62) Match the Following.

Writer	Book
1. Warren Buffet	A. Two state, the story of my marriage
2. Jhumpa Lahiri	B. Summer in Calcutta
3. Kamala Das Suraiya	C. The Snowball
4. Chetan Bhagat	D. Unaccustomed Earth

	1	2	3	4
A	D	C	B	A
B	B	D	C	A
C	C	D	B	A
D	B	C	A	D

63) Match the Following.

Personality	Field
1. D. K. Pattammal	A. Film Critic
2. Leela Naidu	B. Classical Music
3. Amita Malik	C. Social activist
4. Lakshmi Krishnamurti	D. Film Actor

	1	2	3	4
A	B	D	A	C
B	C	A	D	B
C	B	A	D	C
D	C	D	A	B

64) Match the Following.

2009	Place
1. National Basketball Championship	A. Patna
2. National Badminton Championship	B. Delhi
3. National Billiard & Snooker Championship	C. Surat
4. National Squash Championship	D. Agra

	1	2	3	4
A	A	C	B	D
B	A	C	D	B
C	C	A	B	D
D	C	A	D	B

65) Salary pass is in -

- A) Afghanistan B) Pakistan C) Tajkistan D) China

66) ONGC Videsh Ltd. (OVL) and Oil India Ltd. along with Rensol YPF, SA (Spain) and National Bdh (Malaysian) developed the Corabobo - I Block. In which country it is-

- A) Namibia B) Venezuela C) Nigeria D) Angola

67) Arrange decreasing order - Uranium Producing Countries

1. Australia 2. Kazakhstan 3. Canada 4. USA

A	-	1	2	3	4
B	-	2	1	3	4
C	-	3	1	4	2
D	-	4	2	1	3

- 68) Clinton Climate Initiative (CCI) a programme of WS based William J. Clinton foundation to set up four world's largest solar power plant - 3000 MW, one of them set up in India in which state.
A) Orissa B) Rajasthan C) Gujarat D) Tamil Nadu

- 69) Dalom is the tri-junction border of -
A) India, China, Bhutan
B) India, Pakistan, Afghanistan
C) India, Tibet, Nepal
D) India, China, Myanmar

- 70) Match the Following.

1. Irani Cup	A. Tennis
2. Durand Cup	B. Hockey
3. Aglan Shah Cup	C. Cricket
4. Toronto Cup	D. Football

	1	2	3	4
A	B	A	C	D
B	B	D	C	A
C	C	D	B	A
D	C	A	D	B

- 71) Suresh Tendulkar expects committee report - India's overall poverty rate -37.2%.
The poverty level in South Indian State arrange decreasing order -
1) Tamil Nadu 2) Andhra Pradesh
3) Kerala 4) Karnataka

A	2	4	3	1
B	4	2	1	3
C	4	3	2	1
D	2	4	1	3

- 72) 'Meri Shakti Meri Beti' project launched by -
a) Women & Child Development Ministry
b) Health & family Welfare Ministry
c) National Women Commission.
d) Social Justice and Empowerment Ministry

- 73) 'Meena Didi Se Poocho' book is published by -
a) Woman and Child Development Ministry
b) Health & Family Welfare Ministry
c) National Women Commission
d) Human Resource Development Ministry

- 74) Stree Shakti Puraskar is presented by -
a) Woman and Child Development Ministry

- b) Health and Family Welfare Ministry
- c) National Women Commission
- d) Social Justice and Empowerment Ministry

75) European Commission President has won a 2nd term of office recently. To which country he belongs?

- a) Portugal b) Norway
- c) Spain d) Denmark



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G .S. –Current affairs

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Time : 75 Min.

ANSWER KEY

1	b	26	c	51	b
2	c	27	d	52	b
3	b	28	a	53	b
4	c	29	b	54	a
5	d	30	a	55	c
6	d	31	a	56	b
7	a	32	c	57	a
8	a	33	d	58	a
9	c	34	c	59	d
10	c	35	b	60	a
11	d	36	c	61	b
12	a	37	b	62	c
13	a	38	a	63	d
14	c	39	d	64	d
15	c	40	d	65	a
16	a	41	c	66	b
17	c	42	b	67	a
18	c	43	a	68	c
19	d	44	c	69	a
20	a	45	c	70	c
21	b	46	c	71	b
22	c	47	a	72	b
23	a	48	b	73	c
24	c	49	a	74	a
25	b	50	a	75	a

