

Quiz Date: 25th July 2020

Q1. India has appointed Brajendra Navnit as India's new ambassador to the World Trade Organization (WTO). In which year World Trade Organization was founded?

- (a) 1993
- (b) 1975
- (c) 1945
- (d) 1944
- (e) 1995

Q2. World Economic Forum to host Unique Twin Summit in 2021. Who among the following is the founder and executive Chairman of the World Economic Forum?

- (a) Orit Gadiesh
- (b) Chrystia Freeland
- (c) Laurence D. Fink
- (d) Klaus Schwab
- (e) Marc Benioff

Q3. World Environment Day is observed globally on 5th June every year to raise awareness about protecting the environment and to remind people not to take nature granted. Name the present Union Minister of Earth Sciences.

- (a) Mahendra Nath Pandey
- (b) Smriti Zubin Irani
- (c) Prakash Javadekar
- (d) Dharmendra Pradhan
- (e) Harsh Vardhan

Q4. Jammu and Kashmir Lieutenant Governor, Girish Chandra Murmu has launched a salary tracker mobile app MeraVetan (Version-1) for government employees in order to provide Salary Related information to Employees. This application has been developed by the National Informatics Centre. In which year NIC was established?

- (a) 1976
- (b) 1992
- (c) 1994
- (d) 1996
- (e) 1998

Q5. Minister of State (IC) for Power and New & Renewable Energy, _____ has launched the "#iCommit" initiative on the occasion of World Environment Day to create a robust and resilient energy system in the future by moving towards energy efficiency, renewable energy, and sustainability.

- (a) Hardeep Singh Puri
- (b) Prahalad Singh Patel

- (c) Jitendra Singh
- (d) Raj Kumar Singh
- (e) Mansukh L. Mandaviya

Q6. HDFC Bank has launched the “Summer Treats” campaign. Where is the headquarters of HDFC Bank?

- (a) Kolkata
- (b) Delhi
- (c) Mumbai
- (d) Bengaluru
- (e) Chennai

Q7. India has been awarded the hosting rights of the 2022 Women’s Asian Cup by the Asian Football Confederation. Name the present President of All India Football Federation.

- (a) Subhash Chopra
- (b) Manvendra Singh
- (c) Subrata Dutta
- (d) Praful Patel
- (e) K M I Mather



Q8. United Nations celebrates Russian Language Day every year on _____ to raise awareness of the history, culture and development of each of the six official languages of the UN: Arabic, Russian, Spanish, Chinese, English and French.

- (a) 25th June
- (b) 21st June
- (c) 5th June
- (d) 15th June
- (e) 6th June

Q9. The information booklet titled “Safe online learning in the times of COVID-19” has been launched. It has been developed by the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT), and UNESCO New Delhi Office. Who is the present director of NCERT?

- (a) Mukesh Kumar
- (b) Harsh Kumar

- (c) Hrushikesh Senapaty
- (d) Sridhar Srivastava
- (e) Bahadur Singh

Q10. Council of Scientific & Industrial Research has partnered with Atal Innovation Mission to promote innovation in India. Name the present Director General of Council of Scientific & Industrial Research.

- (a) Shekhar C Mande
- (b) Vijay Kumar
- (c) Labh Singh
- (d) P.S.Negi
- (e) Jamna Das

Q11. Rahul Shrivastava has been appointed as the next Ambassador of India to Romania. What is the capital of Romania?

- (a) Oradea
- (b) Sibiu
- (c) Iasi
- (d) Brasov
- (e) Bucharest

Q12. The United Nations celebrates World Food Safety Day (WFSD) on _____ every year to raise awareness about different foodborne risks and the measures of how to prevent it.

- (a) 25 June
- (b) 28 June
- (c) 18 June
- (d) 16 June
- (e) 7 June

Q13. NABARD extends Rs 270 crore to Assam Gramin Vikash Bank. Who among the following is the present chairman of National Bank For Agriculture And Rural Development?

- (a) Ashok Gulati
- (b) Revathy Iyer
- (c) M. D. Patra
- (d) G R Chintala
- (e) Sanjay Agarwal

Q14. Monika Kapil Mohta has been appointed as the next Ambassador of India to Switzerland. What is the currency of Switzerland?

- (a) Euro
- (b) Dollar
- (c) Lira

- (d) Peso
- (e) Franc

Q15. Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) has signed an agreement with Aryabhata Research Institute of Observational Sciences (ARIES) for cooperation in the field of Space Situational Awareness (SSA) and Astrophysics. Where is the headquarters of ARIES?

- (a) Dispur
- (b) Kanpur
- (c) Nainital
- (d) Pune
- (e) Bhopal

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S1. Ans.(e)

Sol. The WTO officially commenced on 1 January 1995 under the Marrakesh Agreement, signed by 123 nations on 15 April 1994, replacing the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT), which commenced in 1948.

S2. Ans.(d)

Sol. Klaus Schwab is the founder and executive Chairman of the World Economic Forum.

S3. Ans.(e)

Sol. Harsh Vardhan is the present Union Minister of Earth Sciences.

S4. Ans.(a)

Sol. National Informatics Centre (NIC) was established in 1976.

S5. Ans.(d)

Sol. Minister of State (IC) for Power and New & Renewable Energy, Raj Kumar Singh has launched the “#iCommit” initiative on the occasion of World Environment Day to create a robust and resilient energy system in the future by moving towards energy efficiency, renewable energy, and sustainability.

S6. Ans.(c)

Sol. HDFC Bank Limited is an Indian banking and financial services company headquartered in Mumbai, Maharashtra.

S7. Ans.(d)

Sol. Praful Patel is the present President of All India Football Federation.

S8. Ans.(e)

Sol. United Nations celebrates Russian Language Day every year on 6th June to raise awareness of the history, culture and development of each of the six official languages of the UN: Arabic, Russian, Spanish, Chinese, English and French.

S9. Ans.(c)

Sol. Hrushikesh Senapaty is the present director of National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT).

S10. Ans.(a)

Sol. Shekhar C Mande is the present Director General of Council of Scientific & Industrial Research.

S11. Ans.(e)

Sol. Bucharest is the capital of Romania.

S12. Ans.(e)

Sol. The United Nations celebrates World Food Safety Day (WFSD) on 7 June every year to raise awareness about different foodborne risks and the measures of how to prevent it.

S13. Ans.(d)

Sol. G R Chintala is the present chairman of National Bank For Agriculture And Rural Development.

S14. Ans.(e)

Sol. The franc is the currency and legal tender of Switzerland.

S15. Ans.(c)

Sol. Nainital, Uttarakhand is the headquarters of Aryabhata Research Institute of Observational Sciences (ARIES).



