

BANK EXAMS

GENERAL AWARENESS

1. On 1st June 2016, Union Cabinet cleared a proposal to set up an India post payments bank as a public limited company under the Department of Posts. The Union government will own 100 percent equity in the bank, which will have an outlay of
 - 1) Rs.1000 crore
 - 2) Rs.100 crore
 - 3) Rs.500 crore
 - 4) Rs.10 crore
 - 5) Rs.800 crore
2. Payments bank will serve as a wider platform to implement financial inclusion programmes. India Post's payments bank will start functioning from
 - 1) March 2017
 - 2) March 2018
 - 3) March 2019
 - 4) March 2020
 - 5) March 2025
3. India Post appointed as consultant to establish payments bank.
 - 1) Microsoft
 - 2) Infosys
 - 3) SBI
 - 4) Deloitte
 - 5) Dell
4. The Islamic Development Bank (IDB) head office located in
 - 1) Qatar
 - 2) Iran
 - 3) Iraq
 - 4) Afghanistan
 - 5) Saudi Arabia
5. To prevent cases of ATM / debit and credit cards being cloned or skimmed, RBI has mandated that banks completely do away with ATMs accepting cards with magnetic stripes by
 - 1) 30th September 2016
 - 2) 30th June 2016
 - 3) 31st July 2017
 - 4) 1st January 2017
 - 5) 30th September 2017
6. Copying the information contained in a debit or credit card's magnetic stripe for unauthorised use is called as
 - 1) Near Future Technology
 - 2) Card Notes
 - 3) Skimming
 - 4) Processing
 - 5) Normal See Through
7. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) tightened norms for P-notes or PNs as part of its efforts to curb money laundering. In this context, P-note or PN stands for
 - 1) Priority Note
 - 2) Primary Note
 - 3) Point Note
 - 4) Participatory note
 - 5) Pin Note
8. An instrument issued by registered Foreign Institutional Investors (FII) to overseas investors, who wish to invest in the Indian stock markets without registering themselves with the market regulator SEBI is called as
 - 1) Participatory note
 - 2) Bill of Exchange
 - 3) Foreign Portfolio Non-Investment
 - 4) Garnishee Order
 - 5) Certificate of Deposit

9. HDFC bank launched Smart Up, a first-of-its-kind dedicated solution for start-ups in Kolkata in association with NASSCOM (National Association of Software and Services Companies) on 6th April 2016. Who is the new chairman of NASSCOM?
- 1) Sunil Kanoria
2) Harsha Vardhan Neotia
3) C.P. Gurnani
4) Sumit Mazumder
5) Ananth Geethe
10. Which bank launched country's first contactless business credit card for SMEs (Small and Mid-sized Enterprises) and their employees on 12th May 2016?
- 1) SBI
2) HDFC
3) ICICI
4) Axis Bank
5) Indian Overseas Bank
11. launched Electronic Maintenance Management System (e-MMS) Project, an automated military maintenance system, one of the largest Maintenance Repair Overhaul (MRO) IT implementation in the world on 12th May 2016.
- 1) Indian Army
2) Indian Air force
3) BSF
4) CRPF
5) CBI
12. RBI issues the new banknotes of Rs.1,000 denomination soon. Which among the following statement is wrong related in this context?
- 1) It will have inset letter 'R' in both the number panels.
2) It will have ascending size of numerals.
3) Bleed lines taken away as it is old fashion.
4) Enlarged identification mark will be there.
5) It will also have the year of printing '2016' printed on the reverse.
13. Rs.1,000 currency note bear the signature of
- 1) Prime Minister of India
2) President of India
3) RBI Governor
4) Finance Secretary
5) Union Minister of Commerce and Trade
14. ICICI Bank inked MoU with New Development Bank (NDB) for a partnership in bond issuances, co-financing, treasury management and human resource. Who is the president of NDB?
- 1) Dinesh Sharma
2) Xian Zhu
3) Vladimir Kazbekov
4) K.V. Kamath
5) Lou Jiwei
15. National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) entered into collaboration with which nation for a special programme on 'Soil Protection and Rehabilitation for Food Security'?
- 1) USA
2) UK
3) Japan
4) Germany
5) France
16. Who is the present chairman of NABARD?
- 1) R.S. Sharma
2) Devender Kumar Sikri
3) Harsh Kumar Bhanwala
4) Raghuram Rajan
5) Hemant C.Contractors

17. An Indian Economist working as the Chief Economist and Senior Vice-president of World Bank. He is
- 1) Kaushik Basu
2) Subhir Gokarn
3) Raghuram Rajan
4) Shyamala Gopinath
5) H.R. Khan
18. Which committee submitted its report for the evolution of New Education Policy (NEP)?
- 1) B.B. Tandon
2) Madhukar Guptha
3) TSR Subramanian
4) Ashok Dalwai
5) Mahesh Kumar Singla
19. Union Government on 20th May 2016 constituted a committee of experts on defence spending headed by
- 1) Lt Gen DB Shekatkar
2) Prakash Singh
3) Ashok Lahiri
4) Ajay Shankar
5) Justice R.M. Lodha
20. Narendra Modi jointly inaugurated the Afghan-India Friendship Dam (Salma Dam) with President of Afghanistan Dr.Ashraf Ghani at Chist-e-Sharif in Herat province in Western Afghanistan on 4th June 2016. The capital and currency of Afghanistan are
- 1) Kabul and Rupee
2) Islamabad and Afghani
3) Multan and Afghani
4) Kabul and Afghani
5) Tehran and Rial
21. Union Ministry of Human Resource Development (HRD) will launch a student tracking system by name
- 1) ASMITA
2) NEET
3) ATTEND
4) GRADE
5) RANK
22. Union Ministry of Human Resource Development launched which multilingual knowledge portal the first knowledge portal of its kind in India?
- 1) www.bharatvani.in
2) www.saraswati.in
3) www.vidyadevi.in
4) www.gurusishya.in
5) www.jaibharatvani.in
23. Which Union Territory became first to sign '24 × 7 Power for All' as declared by government of India on 27th May 2016?
- 1) Andaman and Nicobar Islands
2) Dadra and Nagar Haveli
3) Lakshadweep
4) Chandigarh
5) Puducherry
24. Who was appointed by the President as the Lieutenant Governor (LG) of Puducherry?
- 1) Vijay Kumar
2) Vajubhai Rudabhai Vala
3) Kiran Bedi
4) N.N.Vohra
5) Kalyan Singh

25. Who of the following was sworn-in as the Chief Minister of Kerala?
- 1) VS Achuthanandan
 - 2) Kodyeri Balakrishnan
 - 3) Pinarayi Vijayan
 - 4) Sadasivam
 - 5) Mubeena Jes
26. United Nations World Humanitarian Summit between 23rd – 24th May 2016 held at
- 1) Istanbul
 - 2) Tokyo
 - 3) Beijing
 - 4) Geneva
 - 5) New York
27. 2016 Millennium Technology Prize conferred on
- 1) Robert Buch
 - 2) Frances Arnold
 - 3) Kethy Shome
 - 4) Peter Smith Owl
 - 5) Francis Kole
28. An Indian–American student won the one of Intel Foundation Young Scientist Awards for developing a low–cost electronically aided knee brace. He is
- 1) Syamantak Payra
 - 2) Syam Arora
 - 3) Priyaka Praduma
 - 4) Rajashekar Pole
 - 5) Prabhu Syamantak
29. Red Line campaign in the news related to
- 1) Global Warming
 - 2) More dose of Lead in the eatables
 - 3) Misuse of antibiotics
 - 4) Pollution in the cities
 - 5) Killing of animals
30. Which Tiger Reserve received the India Biodiversity Award 2016 in Mumbai on 22nd May 2016?
- 1) Parambikulam Tiger Reserve (Kerala)
 - 2) Dudhwa Tiger Reserve (Uttar Pradesh)
 - 3) Pakke Tiger Reserve (Arunachal Pradesh)
 - 4) Kanha Tiger Reserve (Madhya Pradesh)
 - 5) Mudumalai Tiger Reserve (Tamilnadu)
31. What was the theme of the 2016 International Day for Biological Diversity, which is observed annually on 22nd May?
- 1) Biodiversity is Your Life and Theme : Got It!
 - 2) Biodiversity and You for Sustainable Development
 - 3) Mainstreaming Biodiversity : Sustaining People and their Livelihoods
 - 4) Biodiversity for the Development of Humanity
 - 5) This one and That one not possible
32. List of Tiger Reserves in India given. The wrong combination is
- 1) Bandipur – Karnataka
 - 2) Manas – Manipur
 - 3) Rajaji – Uttarakhand
 - 4) Kawal – Telangana
 - 5) Orang – Assam

33. Bed Bahadur Sunuwar won the world's highest marathon on Mount Everest on 30th May 2016. He belongs to
- 1) India
2) Nepal
3) Bhutan
4) China
5) Vietnam
34. Which Indian woman author won Asian Book Award for her manuscript 'Codex: The Lost Treasure Of The Indus'?
- 1) Anita Desai
2) Arundhati Roy
3) Aditi Krishnakumar
4) Amrita Pritam
5) Jhumpa Lahiri
35. 2016 Thomas Cup badminton tournament winner is
- 1) Indonesia
2) Denmark
3) Korea
4) Malaysia
5) China
36. Which football club won the Federation Cup defeated Aizawl FC?
- 1) Churchill Brothers
2) East Bengal
3) Mohun Bagan
4) Dempo SC
5) Mahindra United
37. New BCCI President is
- 1) N.Srinivasan
2) Sanjay Bangra
3) Shashank Manohar
4) Anurag Thakur
5) Ravi Shastri
38. On 26th May 2016, who was appointed as the head coach of Indian Cricket team for Zimbabwe tour?
- 1) Sunil Gavaskar
2) Kapil Dev
3) Sourav Ganguly
4) Rahul Dravid
5) Sanjay Bangar
39. BEAM is the first experimental inflatable room attached to the International Space Station that was successfully deployed by NASA. BEAM stands for
- 1) Bungalow Expandable Activity Module
2) Bigelow Expandable Activity Module
3) Bigelow Extend Activity Module
4) Born Expandable Activity Module
5) Bigelow Expandable Air Module
40. 2016 European Champions League winner is
- 1) Atletico Madrid
2) Real Madrid
3) Barcelona
4) Manchester United
5) Chelsea

41. What is the theme of World Hypertension Day (WHD) 2016?

- 1) Heart and pulse
- 2) Take care of your Heart with BP!
- 3) Know your numbers
- 4) Pulse and Money
- 5) You and Pulse

ANSWERS

1-5; 2-1; 3-4; 4-5; 5-5; 6-3; 7-4; 8-1; 9-3; 10-3; 11-2; 12-3; 13-3; 14-4; 15-4; 16-3; 17-1; 18-3; 19-1; 20-4; 21-1; 22-1; 23-3; 24-3; 25-3; 26-1; 27-2; 28-1; 29-3; 30-3; 31-3; 32-2; 33-2; 34-3; 35-2; 36-3; 37-4; 38-5; 39-2; 40-2; 41-3.

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