

Quiz Date: 31st May 2020

Q1. The first Chief Minister of Chhattisgarh, _____ has passed away. A bureaucrat-turned politician, Ajit Jogi was a mass leader who dominated the state's politics for long time. He was an MLA from Marwahi seat in the current assembly.

- (a) Mohammad Akbar
- (b) Tamradhwaj Sahu
- (c) Ajit Jogi
- (d) Raman Singh
- (e) T. S. Singh Deo

Q2. What is the name of renowned astrologer, who passed away recently?

- (a) Sanjay B Jumaani
- (b) Prem Kumar Sharma
- (c) K.N. Rao
- (d) Ajai Bhambi
- (e) Bejan Daruwalla

Q3. India's gross domestic product (GDP) grew by _____ per cent in 2019-20 as compared to 6.1 per cent expansion in 2018-19, the slowest growth in GDP in 11 years.

- (a) 4.0 per cent
- (b) 4.1 per cent
- (c) 4.2 per cent
- (d) 4.3 per cent
- (e) 4.4 per cent

Q4. Name the Veteran lyricist, who wrote the lyrics of hit songs "Kahin duur jab din dhal jaye" and "Zindagi kaisi hai paheli", passed away recently.

- (a) Shreeraj Kurup
- (b) Rajat Arora
- (c) Faaiz Anwar
- (d) Yogesh Gaur
- (e) Sameer Anjaan

Q5. India's long-distance runner, _____ has been handed a four-year ban by World Athletics' anti-doping body for testing positive for a banned substance (Enobosarm).

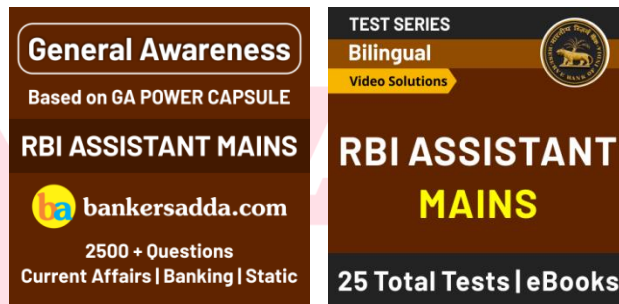
- (a) Tarlok Singh
- (b) Govindan Lakshmanan
- (c) Lalita Babar
- (d) Surat Mathur
- (e) Kiranjeet Kaur

Q6. Who among the following has been appointed the independent director of airline company IndiGo?

- (a) P.S. Reddy
- (b) Venkataramani Sumantran
- (c) K V Rajeswara Rao
- (d) Rakesh Kumar Singh
- (e) Tuffan Gazmer

Q7. Which of the following country recently host Heads of Tax Authorities meeting of the BRICS countries?

- (a) Brazil
- (b) India
- (c) South Africa
- (d) China
- (e) Russia



Q8. Which of the following state, recently inaugurated the “Mukhyamantri Swarozgar Yojana” for returnee migrants?

- (a) Punjab
- (b) Uttarakhand
- (c) Uttar Pradesh
- (d) Madhya Pradesh
- (e) Rajasthan

Q9. The foundation stone for a missile park “_____” was laid at INS Kalinga, Naval base in Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh.

- (a) Agneearsha
- (b) Agneeveer
- (c) Agneeprastha
- (d) Agneeshamak
- (e) Agneeyodha

Q10. The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports has extended the tenure of _____ as Director General of the Sports Authority of India (SAI) by two years.

- (a) Ram Murti
- (b) B.K. Thapa

- (c) Sandip Pradhan
- (d) Rajeev Sharma
- (e) R.K. Sonkar

Q11. In which of the following year Chhattisgarh state came into existence?

- (a) 2004
- (b) 2003
- (c) 2002
- (d) 2001
- (e) 2000

Q12. A _____-megawatt solar photovoltaic plant was commissioned at INS Kalinga by Vice Admiral Atul Kumar Jain.

- (a) 1-megawatt
- (b) 2-megawatt
- (c) 3-megawatt
- (d) 4-megawatt
- (e) 5-megawatt

Q13. Which of the following country is not the part of BRICS countries?

- (a) USA
- (b) India
- (c) Russia
- (d) Brazil
- (e) China

Q14. In which of the following day International Everest Day is being observed globally?

- (a) 25th May
- (b) 26th May
- (c) 27th May
- (d) 28th May
- (e) 29th May

Q15. Where is the headquarters of World Athletics' anti-doping agency?

- (a) Geneva, Switzerland
- (b) Montreal, Canada
- (c) Washington DC, US
- (d) Vienna, Austria
- (e) London, UK

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S1. Ans.(c)

Sol. The first Chief Minister of Chhattisgarh, Ajit Jogi has passed away. A bureaucrat-turned politician, Ajit Jogi was a mass leader who dominated the state's politics for long time. He was an MLA from Marwahi seat in the current assembly.

S2. Ans.(e)

Sol. Renowned astrologer, Bejan Daruwalla passed away. His name figured among the 100 great astrologers of the last 1,000 years in 'The Millennium Book of Prophecy', published by Harper Collins.

S3. Ans.(c)

Sol. India's gross domestic product (GDP) grew by 4.2 per cent in 2019-20 as compared to 6.1 per cent expansion in 2018-19, the slowest growth in GDP in 11 years.

S4. Ans.(d)

Sol. Veteran lyricist Yogesh Gaur passed away. He wrote the lyrics of hit songs "Kahin duur jab din dhal jaye" and "Zindagi kaisi hai paheli" that defined the superhit film Anand (1971).

S5. Ans.(e)

Sol. India's long-distance runner, Kiranjeet Kaur has been handed a four-year ban by World Athletics' anti-doping body for testing positive for a banned substance (Enobosarm).

S6. Ans.(b)

Sol. Venkataramani Sumantran has been appointed the independent director of airline company IndiGo. He presently served as the chairman and managing director of Chennai-based Celeris Technologies. He will hold the post for the next five years.

S7. Ans.(e)

Sol. The meeting of the Heads of Tax Authorities of the BRICS countries, namely Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa was held on 29 May. The meeting was hosted by the Federal Tax Service of Russia.

S8. Ans.(b)

Sol. Uttarakhand chief minister, Trivendra Singh Rawat has inaugurated the "Mukhyamantri Swarozgar Yojana" for returnee migrants.

S9. Ans.(c)

Sol. The foundation stone for a missile park "Agnepurastha" was laid at INS Kalinga, Naval base in Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh.

S10. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports has extended the tenure of Sandip Pradhan as Director General of the Sports Authority of India (SAI) by two years.

S11. Ans.(e)

Sol. Chhattisgarh came into existence in November 2000 and Ajit Jogi served as the first Chief Minister of Chhattisgarh from November 2000 to November 2003.

S12. Ans.(b)

Sol. A 2-megawatt solar photovoltaic plant was also commissioned at INS Kalinga by Vice Admiral Atul Kumar Jain.

S13. Ans.(a)

Sol. BRICS countries, namely Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa.

S14. Ans.(e)

Sol. International Everest Day is being observed on 29th May. Nepalese Tenzing Norgay and New Zealand's Edmund Hillary had climbed the Mt. Everest on this day (29th May) in 1953, as the first humans to achieve the feat.

S15. Ans.(b)

Sol. Montreal, Canada is the headquarters of World Athletics' anti-doping agency.

