

Quiz Date: 02nd April 2023

Q1. What is the current value of India's forex reserves?

- (a) \$572.80 billion
- (b) \$578.78 billion
- (c) \$583.98 billion
- (d) \$589.66 billion
- (e) \$596.32 billion

Q2. By how much did India's forex reserves increase?

- (a) \$5.89 billion
- (b) \$5.98 billion
- (c) \$6.07 billion
- (d) \$6.14 billion
- (e) \$6.26 billion

Q3. What is the fiscal deficit till February 2023?

- (a) Rs 14.5 lakh crore
- (b) Rs 16.5 lakh crore
- (c) Rs 18.5 lakh crore
- (d) Rs 20.5 lakh crore
- (e) Rs 22.5 lakh crore

Q4. What is India's current account deficit as a percentage of GDP in Q3?

- (a) 2.2%
- (b) 2.5%
- (c) 2.8%
- (d) 3.1%
- (e) 3.4%

Q5. Which organization releases data on India's current account deficit?

- (a) Reserve Bank of India
- (b) Securities and Exchange Board of India
- (c) Ministry of Finance
- (d) National Stock Exchange of India
- (e) None of the above

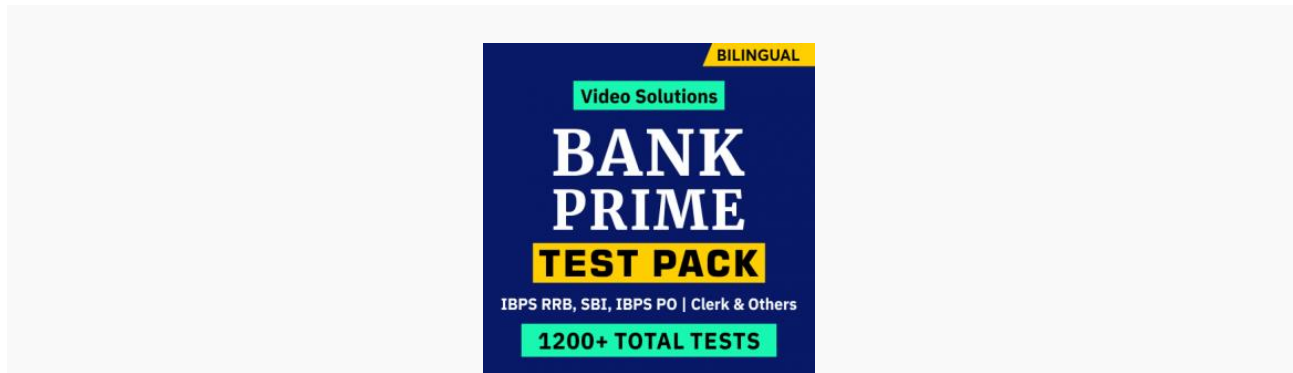
Q6. What is the target for India's exports by 2030, as per the newly unveiled Foreign Trade Policy?

- (a) USD 1 trillion
- (b) USD 1.5 trillion

- (c) USD 2 trillion
- (d) USD 2.5 trillion
- (e) USD 3 trillion

Q7. What is the target of the New India Literacy Programme?

- (a) To cover 1 crore non-literates in age group of 10 years and above
- (b) To cover 3 crore non-literates in age group of 15 years and above
- (c) To cover 5 crore non-literates in age group of 15 years and above
- (d) To cover 7 crore non-literates in age group of 20 years and above
- (e) To cover 10 crore non-literates in age group of 25 years and above



Q8. Which government body is responsible for implementing the New India Literacy Programme?

- (a) Ministry of Education
- (b) Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
- (c) Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
- (d) National Literacy Mission Authority
- (e) None of the above

Q9. Which state has become the first state in India to have 100% electrified railway network?

- a) Maharashtra
- b) Gujarat
- c) Haryana
- d) Tamil Nadu
- e) Kerala

Q10. Which state's tea has recently been granted a European Geographical Indication (GI) tag?

- (a) Assam

- (b) Darjeeling
- (c) Kangra
- (d) Nilgiris
- (e) Munnar

Q11. Which country failed to qualify directly for the ICC Cricket World Cup 2023?

- (a) India
- (b) Australia
- (c) Sri Lanka
- (d) England
- (e) South Africa

Q12. When and where will the ICC Cricket World Cup 2023 be held?

- (a) 2023 in India
- (b) 2023 in Australia
- (c) 2023 in England
- (d) 2023 in South Africa
- (e) 2023 in West Indies

Q13. Who was Sarah Thomas?

- (a) A journalist
- (b) A scientist
- (c) A novelist and short story writer
- (d) A politician
- (e) A social activist

Q14. When was RBI Foundation Day observed in 2023?

- (a) 1st January
- (b) 1st February
- (c) 1st March
- (d) 1st April
- (e) 1st May

Q15. How many members does NATO have after Finland's approval?

- (a) 28
- (b) 29
- (c) 30
- (d) 31
- (e) 32

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S1. Ans.(b)

Sol. India's forex reserves have risen by \$5.98 billion to reach \$578.78 billion.

S2. Ans.(b)

Sol. India's forex reserves increased by \$5.98 billion.

S3. Ans.(a)

Sol. The fiscal deficit till February 2023 has hit 83% of the FY23 target at Rs 14.5 lakh crore.

S4. Ans.(a)

Sol. India's current account deficit narrowed to 2.2% of GDP in Q3.

S5. Ans.(a)

Sol. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) releases data on India's current account deficit.

S6. Ans.(c)

Sol. The newly unveiled Foreign Trade Policy aims to achieve USD 2 trillion in exports by 2030.

S7. Ans.(c)

Sol. The target of the New India Literacy Programme is to cover 5 crore non-literates in the age group of 15 years and above.

S8. Ans.(d)

Sol. National Literacy Mission Authority

S9. Ans.(c)

Sol. Haryana has become the first state in India to have 100% electrified railway network.

S10. Ans.(c)

Sol. Himachal Pradesh's Kangra tea has been granted a European Geographical Indication (GI) tag.

S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. Sri Lanka failed to qualify directly for the ICC Cricket World Cup 2023.

S12. Ans.(a)

Sol. The ICC Cricket World Cup 2023 will be held in India in 2023.

S13. Ans.(c)

Sol. Sarah Thomas was a novelist and short story writer.

S14. Ans.(d)

Sol. RBI Foundation Day was observed on 1st April in 2023.

S15. Ans.(d)

Sol. Finland has become the 31st member of NATO after Turkey's approval.



