

PPSC Naib Tehsildar Previous Year Paper - 1

Ques 1 The element that produces "Ouch Ouch" disease in humans and is typically absorbed by plants along with Zn is

- (a) Tin (Sn)
- (b) Cadmium (Cd)
- (c) Mercury (Hg)
- (d) Chromium (Cr)

Ques 2. The most recent Supreme Court decision on the Lt. Governor of Delhi's authority relative to the Delhi chief minister has been generating headlines. Which of the following defence attorneys for the Aam Aadmi Party was involved in this case?

- (a) Ram Jathmalani
- (b) P. Chidambaram
- (c) Dushyant Dave
- (d) Mukul Rohatgi

Ques 3. We constantly hear the term "Oilzapper" in the news; what does it mean?

- (a) It is an environmentally friendly method for cleaning up greasy sludge and spills.
- (b) It represents the most recent advancement in undersea oil exploration technology.
- (c) It is a Maige type with a high biofuel yield that was genetically modified.
- (d) It uses the most recent technologies to put out oil well flames that have mistakenly started.

Ques 4 What is the difference between a CFL and an LED lamp?

1. A CFL employs phosphor and mercury vapour to produce light, whereas an LED lamp uses semiconductor material.
2. An LED bulb has a substantially shorter lifespan on average than a CFL.
3. Compared to an LED light, a CFL uses more energy.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

Ques 5. A species is deemed severely endangered by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) if its estimated geographic extent (extent of occurrence) is less than ----- km².

- (a) 50
- (b) 100
- (c) 150
- (d) 200

Ques6. Consider the following statements about an estuary:

1. The meeting point of fresh river water and saltwater is known as an estuary.
2. This area is highly productive.
3. This area is highly unproductive.

Which of the above statements is/are true?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 3 only

Ques 7. Compounds of cause Minamata disease.

- (a) Mercury
- (b) Cadmium
- (c) Cobalt

(d) Fertilizers

Ques 8. In light of the Clean Energy Ministerial (CEM), take into consideration the following statements.

1. It serves as a global forum to push policies and initiatives that improve clean energy technology and promote the shift to a clean energy economy on a global scale.
2. India is one of the countries taking part in the Clean Energy Ministerial.
3. The programme 21st Century Power under Clean Energy Ministerial has been rejected by India.

Which of the above statements are correct?

- (a) 2 and 3 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

Ques 9. Take into consideration the following statement in relation to the Wildlife (Protection) Act of 1972:

1. It was established in order to fulfil India's commitment to the Convention on Biological Diversity on a global scale.
2. Only a small portion of a wild animal is permitted to be used as a trophy under law.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only.
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ques 10. Punjab's Kanjli Wetland is located in which district?

- (a) Kapurthala
- (b) Moga
- (c) Tarn Taran
- (d) Fazilka

11. Which of the following assertions about the new MSP for Paddy announced by the government in July 2018 is true?

1. The MSP for paddy has raised by Rs. 200 per quintal for the common variety and by Rs. 160 per quintal for the Grade A type.
2. The MSP for paddy has gone up by Rs. 160 per quintal for the common grade and by Rs. 200 (two hundred) per quintal (Qtl.) for the Grade A variety.
3. The new MSP for Grade A and Common Grade paddy is 1750 per quintal.
4. New MSPs for Grade A and Common Grade Paddy are Rs. 1800 and Rs. 1750 per quintal, respectively.

- (a) 2 and 4 only
- (b) 1 and 4 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only
- (d) 2 and 3 only

12. What is the zoological name of the Punjab State Bird?

- (a) Accipiter gentilis
- (b) Antilope cervicapra
- (c) Dalbergia sissoo
- (d) Eichhornia crassipes

13. The Raptro MoU has received Indian approval. Which of the following statements about the Raptor MOU is true?

1. It is covered by the UN treaty on the conservation of migratory wild animal species.
2. It concerns the preservation of raptors in Africa and Eurasia.
3. It is not legally binding.

4. The Raptor MoU expands its scope to include 76 species of raptors, many of which are also found in India.
- 1 only
 - 2 only
 - 3 and 4 only
 - 1,2,3 and 4

14. Which statement regarding Indian vulture is true?

- Gyps Indicus is the name given to it in binomial nomenclature.
- It has been determined that poisoning from the veterinary medicine Diclofenac is to blame for the reduction in the number of Indian vultures.
- Jatayu Conservation Breeding Centre-is-situated in Jharkhand.
- The Haryana government just started the Gyps Vulture Reintroduction Programme to protect Indian Vultures.

- 1 and 2 only
- 3 and 4 only
- 1,2,3 and 4
- 1, 2 and 4 only

15. Match the area of the agroclimatic zone in column (A) with column (B):

A	B
1. Central Plain Zone:	I. Hoshiarpur
2 Sub Mountain Undulating Zone	II. Jalandhar
3 Western Zone	III. Ferozepur
4. Western Plain Zone	IV. Moga

- | | A | B | C | D |
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| (a) | I | II | III | IV |
| (b) | II | I | IV | III |
| (c) | II | III | I | IV |
| (d) | IV | I | III | IV |

16. Read the following statements:

- On the Chenab River, the Baglihar Hydropower Project was created.
- The Jhelum River has been used to create the Dulhasti Hydropower Project.
- Salal Hydropower Project has been developed on river Rai.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- 1 only
- 1 and 2 only
- 1 and 3 only
- 1, 2 and 3

17. Among the following, which is incorrectly matched?

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| (a) Mundra | Ultra Mega Power project |
| (b) Kandla | Tidal Project |
| (c) Sethu Samudram | Hydropower Project |
| (d) Kudankulam | Nuclear Project |

18.) Because of its location on India's geographic centre, which of the following cities is referred to as "Zero Mile Centre"?

- Bhopal
- Jabalpur
- Nagpur
- Indore

19. What advantages come with putting the comprehensive Watershed Development programme into practise?

1. Prevention of soil run off
2. connecting the nation's year-round rivers with its seasonal rivers.
3. collecting rainwater and recharging the groundwater table.
4. Regeneration of natural vegetation.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2, 3 and 4 only
- (c) 1,3 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

20. Which of the following pairs are correct?

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| 1. Zawar | Uranium |
| 2. Khetri | Copper |
| 3. Balaghat | Manganese |
| 4. Jaduguda | Zinc |

Select the appropriate response using the code below:

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 4 only
- (d) 1 and 3 only

1 (b)	2 (b)	3 (a)	4 (c)	5 (b)
6 (c)	7 (a)	8 (c)	9 (d)	10 (a)
11 (c)	12 (a)	13 (d)	14 (d)	15 (b)
16 (a)	17 (c)	18 (c)	19 (c)	20 (b)