

- 1 The World Theatre Day is observed on---27 Mar**
- 2 Jatropha plantation is associated with the production of--biofuel**
- 3 The list of states with highest seeded Aadhaar numbers was topped by which state with 87.73 per cent of its Jan-Dhan accounts linked with Aadhaar numbers?--Andhra Pradesh**
- 4 _____ is likely to be the first PSU insurer to tap the capital market as the Finance Ministry has started scouting for merchant bankers to manage its Initial Public Offering (IPO).--GIC Re**
- 5 Karnataka Bank has launched the 'MoneyPlant RuPay International Platinum Debit Card' to provide more privileges to its premium and HNI clients. Here, the term HNI stands for--- High Net-worth Individual**
- 6 The National Housing Bank (NHB) is headquartered in--New Delhi**
- 7 BHEL has commissioned a 250-MW eco-friendly unit using low-grade coal (lignite) as a primary fuel in Bhavnagar district of--Gujarat**
- 8 The American financial magazine Barron's has listed the name of Aditya Puri in its list of world's 30 best CEOs. Puri is the present MD of--HDFC Bank**
- 9 _____ was honoured with the Kala Ratan Award by Vice President Hamid Ansari at Punjab University, Chandigarh recently.--Anupam Kher**
- 10 Shaun Tait has announced his retirement from international cricket. Tait is a fast bowler who has been playing fo-- Australia**
- 11 In which cities, the 03-day global conference on Nuclear Terrorism has begun on 08th February 2017?----New Delhi, India**
- 12 Name the person, who has won the women's singles titles in the 81st Senior National Badminton Championships tournament in Patna, Bihar?--Rituparna Das**
- 13 Who has been appointed as the CEO of Adani Group for its renewable energy business unit in Australia in a bid to drive its plans to become the largest renewable energy player in the country?--Jennifer Purdie**
- 14 Minister of State in Prime Minister's Office Jitendra Singh stated that over 13 thousand Divyangs have been given jobs in various central government departments recently. Where is constituency of Jitendra Singh?---Udhampur, Jammu and Kashmir**
- 15 Israel's Parliament has passed a law retroactively legalising about 4,000 homes built in Area (C) of the occupied West Bank. What is the name of Parliament of Israel?-----Knesset**
- 16 Which banks has tied up with IFFCO, a cooperative, to provide co-branded debit cards with inbuilt overdraft facilities to the farmers?---Bank of Baroda**

17 Which Bank has partnered with leading online data and information portal Commodity Online for the distribution of loans against warehouse receipts and collateral management services across the country.--- Federal Bank

18 RBI governor Urjit Patel led Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) has kept the key repo rate unchanged at _____ in the first monetary policy review of 2017 and after Budget 2017. --- 6.25 percent

19 ICICI Securities, a subsidiary of ICICI Bank, has entered into a strategic partnership with Saxo Bank, an online multi-asset trading and investment specialist. Saxo Bank based in---- Denmark

20 The Supreme Court has approved the government's plan to record the identification details of mobile subscribers through an e-KYC mechanism linked to Aadhaar in a bid to enhance national security and prevent fake users. What is meaning of "C" in KYC?-- Customer

21 Ankur Mittal, who won a gold medal, recently, is associated with which of the following games?--- Shooting

22 The Sahitya Akademi winner Ashokamitran passed away recently. He was a prominent writer of--Tamil

23 Hosni Mubarak was freed from detention recently. He is the former President of--Egypt

24 What is India's ranking on the Energy Architecture Performance Index (EAPI) released by Geneva-based World Economic Forum (WEF) recently?--87th

25 Which of the following countries has topped the Energy Architecture Performance Index (EAPI) released by Geneva-based World Economic Forum (WEF) recently?Which of the following countries has topped the Energy Architecture Performance Index (EAPI) released by Geneva-based World Economic Forum (WEF) recently?--Switzerland

26 The RBI accorded its approval for the appointment of who among the following as part-time Chairman of the central bank?--TS Anantharaman

27 The World Bank has signed a USD 100-mn credit agreement with the Centre and which state to improve the quality of health care services in all 13 districts of the state?--Uttarakhand

28 The Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters has awarded the Abel Prize for 2017, the top mathematics prize, to---Yves Meyer

29 The World Tuberculosis Day is observed every year on---24 Mar

30 The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has announced that the cash withdrawal limit on savings accounts will be scrapped from---- 13th March 2017

31 Which two private sector banks are live with the Bharat Bill Payment System (BBPS) that is aimed at easing utility and other repetitive bill payments for consumers?--- HDFC Bank and Kotak Mahindra Bank

- 32 In which Indian city, the 23rd edition of International Conference and Exhibition on Terrestrial & Satellite Broadcasting was held?--- New Delhi
- 33 Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has decided to phase out weekly limit on cash withdrawal from savings accounts recently. The weekly withdrawal limit for savings accounts will be raised to how much amount from 20th February 2017? -- Rs. 50,000
- 34 With the government taking steps to improve ease of doing business and relax regulations, FDI into the country surged by 60% to USD 4.68 billion in November 2016. What is meaning of "I" in FDI?--- Investment
- 35 Lok Sabha Speaker Sumitra Mahajan inaugurated the two-day South Asian Speaker's summit held in _____, recently.
--- Madhya Pradesh
- 36 President Dr. Pranab Mukherjee has extended his greetings and felicitations to the Government and people of the Islamic Republic of The Gambia on the occasion of their Independence Day. What is the capital of Gambia?---- Banjul
- 37 _____ has been given the maximum ratings by the World Health Organisation (WHO) for vaccine regulations, recently.---- National Regulatory Authority of India
- 38 Which bank has bagged the "National MSME Excellence Award 2017" instituted by the Federation of Industry, Trade and Services, recently?---- Corporation Bank
- 39 Who has been appointed as non-executive chairman of Punjab National Bank, recently?--- Sunil Mehta
- 40 The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) has launched _____ appeal to help two million acutely malnourished children across Sudan including hundreds of thousands living in conflict areas.-- US \$110 million
- 41 India has been ranked 143 out of 186 economies in the annual Index of Economic Freedom 2017 released by US based Think Tank, The Heritage Foundation.
- 42 Which country has topped the annual Index of Economic Freedom 2017? ----A Hong Kong
- 43 The South Indian Bank introduced its Aadhar-based payment app recently. The bank has its headquarters in---Thrissur
- 44 Mahesh Kumar Jain has been has been appointed as Managing Director and CEO of IDBI Bank. Earlier, he was the MD and CEO of--Indian Bank
- 45 Which of the following banks has announced the launch of a mobile banking app 'Mera iMobile' for rural customers?--ICICI Bank
- 46 What is India's ranking out of 155 countries in the recently released World Happiness Report, 2017?--122nd
- 47 Which of the following High Courts in the country recently gave the status of "living human entities" to the Ganga and Yamuna?---Uttarakhand High Court
- 48 The three-day International Buddhist Conference was held recently in--Rajgir

49 Reliance Industries Chairman Mukesh Ambani tops the list of richest Indians in the Forbes' list while the global list is topped by--Bill Gates

50 _____ has signed a pact to buy out the debt-ridden, Gujarat State Petroleum Corporation's (GSPC) entire 80% stake in KG-basin natural gas block for \$1.2 bn.---ONGC

51 The Bharatiya Mahila Bank (BMB) will be merged with the country's largest lender State Bank of India (SBI). The BMB is headquartered at---New Delhi

52 The United Nations' (UN) International Day of Forests is observed every year on---21 Mar

53 Irfan Kolothum Thodi is associated with which of the following games-- Athletics

54 The Union Minister of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Shri Radha Mohan Singh has inaugurated the Indian Seed Congress 2017 in---- Kolkata

55 Who has/have been appointed as the new executive director of Bank of India?--- Atanu Kumar Das and Neelam Damodaran

56 The Bihar cabinet has cleared an amendment in the state prohibition law, after which bureaucrats, judges or magistrates caught drinking anywhere in the world will be punished. Who is the present Chief Minister of Bihar?---Nitish Kumar

57 _____ has received markets regulator SEBI's approval to raise Rs. 4,300 crore through Initial Public Offering (IPO), recently.--IRB InvIT Fund

58 Name the first Indian sportsperson to ink Rs 100-cr deal for eight years with Puma--Virat Kohli

59 The decks have been cleared for the national rollout of accrual accounting in Railways. The CA Institute's _____ has signed an agreement with Railways for this purpose.---Accounting Research Foundation (ARF)

60 On the occasion of the Foundation Day of Oriental Bank of Commerce (OBC), it has come up with several digital offerings including launch of mobile wallet 'Oriental Batuaa', recently. Its headquarter is in _____.Gurugram

61 Name the e-commerce company that has tied up with Microsoft to be partners on 'cloud' in Bangalore, recently.--Flipkart

62 Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has successfully ground tested its indigenously developed Cryogenic Upper Stage engine for GSLV Mark III at its Liquid Propulsion Complex at Mahendragiri in Tirunelveli district of _____.Tamil Nadu

**63 Jambuvantrao Dhote died in Yavatmal of Maharashtra due to heart attack, recently. He was famous _____.
Politician**

64 A famous Indian singer _____ has been honoured with the 'Legendary Award' 2017 by Brand Laureate. The Brand Laureate Awards recognise world-class achievement in branding amongst individuals and companies.--- Lata Mangeshkar

65 An Indian Coast Guard Ship (ICGS) has been commissioned at Kochi recently by Vice Admiral AR Karwe, Flag Officer Commanding-in- Chief, Southern Naval Command. It is the 20th and the last in the series of 20 Fast Patrol Vessels being built by Cochin Shipyard Ltd. What is the name of this Ship?-- AYUSH

66 Which country has hosted the Women's World Chess Championship 2017, a 64-player knock-out tournament?--- Iran

67 Who has been selected for 2016 Vyas Samman for his novel "Kaatna Shami Ka Vriksha Padma Pankhuri Ki Dhar Se"?--Surendra Verma

68 There are 75 small operational airports in the country, and this number will increase to over 125 with the successful implementation of UDAN the new scheme through which the government hopes to make flying viable to Tier II and III cities.

UDAN stands for----Ude Desh ka Aam Nagrik

69 Eight Executive Directors (EDs) have been appointed in various public sector banks on the recommendations of Banks Board Bureau Initially, they have been appointments for _____ year period.---Three year

70 The second highest peacetime gallantry award ‘Kirti Chakra’ was awarded by the President Pranab Mukherjee recently to--Rohit Suri

71 Four Indian cities are among the cheapest to live in globally as per a report by Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU). Which of the following is NOT one of these four cities?---Hyderabad

72 Which of the following cities has been ranked as the most expensive to live for the fourth consecutive year as per a report by Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU)?---Singapore

73 Who among the following has been appointed as the Interim Director General (IDG) of the International Solar Alliance (ISA) on a full time basis?--- Upendra Tripathy

74 The world’s biggest river island is all set to become India’s first carbon neutral district. Name the river Island.---Majuli

75 The Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre is a major space research centre of the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) which is located in---Thiruvananthapuram

76 The critical 1,035 MW Sharavathi hydropower plant is located in which state accounting for 25 per cent of state power corporation’s generation?---Karnataka

77 The World Water Day is observed annually on---22 Mar

78 The VTB bank has decided to close its only office in India to cut costs but will continue to work in India. The bank is based in---- Russia

79 Who among the following took oath as the new Chief Minister of Uttarakhand?---Trivendra Singh Rawat

80 In recently released 2017 Women in Politics Map report, India was ranked at what position in representation of women in executive govt?---148th

81 The Public Accounts Committee (PAC) comprising selected members of Parliament is constituted for auditing of the revenue and expenditure of the govt. Who among the following is all set to become its next chairman?---Mallikarjun Kharge

82 India and Brazil recently initialed the text of the Social Security Agreement between the two BRICS countries in Brasilia. The currency of Brazil is---Real

83 The World Bank has approved funding for India's ambitious National Hydrology Project to be disbursed by the IBRD which stands for----International Bank for Reconstruction and Development

84 Union Human Resource Development Ministry has stated that to avail benefit under the Central Sector Scholarship Scheme for College and University students, applicants will now have to furnish proof of possession of Aadhaar card or undergo Aadhaar authentication. Who is the present Union Human Resource Development (HRD) minister?--- Prakash Javadekar

85 The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has increased the gold loan limit for RRBs (Regional Rural Banks) to _____ from the current Rs 1 lakh to help the farmers and artisans have access to credit who are willing to pledge gold as collateral.--- 2,00,000

86 Statehood day of Arunachal Pradesh and Mizoram is celebrated on 20th February every year. These two states of India were established in year _____. 1987

87 An MoU was signed at the 'Momentum Jharkhand: Global Investors' Summit & Trade Exhibition between Jharkhand government and a leading IT company to leverage cloud technologies to drive the state's digital ambitions. What is the name of that IT company?----- Microsoft India

88 The world famous 'Khajuraho Dance Festival' begun in Madhya Pradesh, recently. When did UNESCO inscripted Khajuraho in World Heritage Centre?-- 1986

89 Former Chief Justice of India Altamas Kabir passed away, recently. He was _____ years old.--- 68

90 People of Mizoram and Arunachal Pradesh celebrated statehood day on 20th february. It was _____ statehood day of Arunachal Pradesh and Mizoram.-- 31st

91 Legendary American jazz singer Al Jarreau passed away in Los Angeles. He was _____ years old.--- 76

92 The International Monetary Fund (IMF) launched its first fully integrated capacity development centre, South Asia Training and Technical Assistance Center (SARTTAC) in _____, recently.--- New Delhi

93 West Bengal CM Mamata Banerjee declared _____ as 21st district of West Bengal. The new district is from Darjeeling.--- Kalimpong

94 The total foodgrain production in the country has been pegged at record 272 million tonne, recently. It is higher by 6.94 million tonnes than the previous record production of 265 million tonnes in 2013-14. It is a noticeable success in the field of agriculture. Who is the union minister of Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare?

--- Radha Mohan Singh

95 The 2017 Cobra Gold Military Exercise kicked off at the Sattahip Royal Thai Marine Corps Base in Chonburi Province, Thailand .Cobra Gold 2017 is the _____ edition of the multinational drill and is co-organized by United States and Thailand.--- 36th

96 Union Health Secretary C.K. Mishra has recently launched a kit that will provide information on adolescent related issues such as puberty and mental health, among others. What is the name of that kit?--- Saathiya Resource Kits

97 Astronomers of NASA have discovered seven Earth-like Exoplanets, recently. Name of this Exoplanet system is _____.-- TRAPPIST-1

98 The WTO's trade facilitation agreement, which seeks to ease customs norms, came into effect with its two-third members ratifying the pact, recently. Director-General of WTO is _____ and its Headquarter is in _____, respectively.--- Roberto Azevêdo, Geneva

99 In the recent list of ICC women's' ranking India's one day captain Mithali Raj and batter Harmanpreet Kaur were placed on 2nd and 10th positions, respectively. Name the First Rank holder in the list.--- Meg Lanning

100 The country's largest telecom services provider, Bharti Airtel (Airtel) has recently acquired a telecom service provider company. What is the name of that company?

-- Telenor India

101 India is among nine countries that will be part of a global health network focused on improving the quality of care for new mothers and babies and strengthen national efforts to end preventable deaths of pregnant women and newborns by _____.--- 2030