

Daily Current Affairs Prelims Quiz 10-04-2023 (Online Prelims Test)

- 1) Jaivik Kheti Portal is associated with which of the following?
 - a. Aquaculture
 - b. Organic Farming
 - c. Missing Children
 - d. GI Tagged products

Answer: b

Jaivik Kheti Portal

- It is an initiative of Ministry of Agriculture (MoA) along with MSTC (E-commerce company).
- Aim It aims to promote organic farming globally.
- **Objective** It is a one stop solution for facilitating organic farmers to sell their organic produce and promoting organic farming and its benefits.

Organic Farming System

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- It is a method of farming system which primarily aimed at sustainable agricultural production in an eco-friendly pollution free environment.
- It is an agricultural system that uses fertilizers of organic origin and places emphasis on techniques such as crop rotation and companion planting.
- 2) Consider the following statements with respect to Parvatmala Scheme
 - 1. It aims to develop national highways in the mountainous and border areas.
 - 2. The scheme is being implemented by the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways.

Which of the statement(s) given above is/are correct?

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

Answer: b

Parvatmala Scheme

- It is a *National Ropeway Development Programme*.
- **Aim** It aims to improve connectivity by developing ropeways in hilly areas of the country, besides promoting tourism.
- Mode It will be taken up on Public- Private Partnership (PPP) mode.
- **Ministry** Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MORTH).

- This may also cover congested urban areas, where conventional mass transit system is not feasible.
- **Coverage** The scheme is being presently started in regions like Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh, Manipur, Jammu & Kashmir and the other North Eastern states.
- 3) Consider the following statements with respect to Multi Modal Logistics Parks (MMLP)
 - 1. It integrates multiple modes of freight transport through highways, railways & inland waterways.
 - 2. It enables a shift from the hub-and-spoke model to point-to-point model in logistics sector.
 - 3. Multi modal logistics park will be established under the Sashaktikaran Pariyojana.

Which of the statement(s) given above is/are correct?

- a. 1 only
- b. 1 and 3 only
- c. 2 and 3 only
- d. 1, 2 and 3

Answer: a

Multi Modal Logistics Parks (MMLP)

- These are developed under Bharatmala Pariyojana.
- **Ministry** Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH).
- Objective To centralize freight consolidation and reduce logistics cost.
- **Model** It enables a shift from the *hub-and-spoke model to point-to-point model* in logistics sector.
- The MMLP will integrate multiple modes of freight transport through highways, railways & inland waterways.
- 4) Which of the following statements with respect to Guardian Ring Program is *incorrect*?
 - a. It is a unique innovative programme envisaged for International Yoga Day, 2022.
 - b. It aims to raise awareness on the volcanic hazards in the Pacific Ring of Fire.
 - c. It is a collaborative exercise between 79 countries and United Nations organisations.
 - d. It celebrates the movement of the Sun, underlining the concept of 'One Sun, One Earth'.

Answer: b

Guardian Ring Program

- The International Yoga Day is being observed today on 21 June across the world.
- 'The Guardian Ring' is a unique and innovative programme envisaged for International Yoga Day, 2022.
- Theme for 2022 Yoga for humanity
- Implementation The programme involved collaboration with Ministry of Ayush and Ministry of External Affairs.
- **Participants** The programme is a collaborative exercise between 79 countries and United Nations organisations along with Indian Missions abroad.
- The programme celebrates the movement of the Sun, underlining the concept of 'One Sun, One Earth'.
- **Program** From East to West, people from all countries welcomed the Sun with Yoga with Surya Namaskar or sun-salutation.
- Starting from Fiji in the east it moves westward and end in San Francisco.
- People performing yoga in 16 different time zones along with the rise of the sun was exclusively live-streamed on DD-India.

- 5) Consider the following statements with respect to National Urban Digital Mission (NUDM)
 - 1. It aims to facilitate electronic delivery of municipal services to citizens across towns and cities of the country.
 - 2. It is being implemented by the Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs.

Which of the statement(s) given above is/are correct?

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

Answer: c

National Urban Digital Mission (NUDM)

- It was launched to facilitate electronic delivery of municipal services to citizens across towns and cities of the country.
- Year NUDM was launched in February 2021.
- Implementing Ministry Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs
- Aim NUDM will create a shared digital infrastructure for urban India, working across the 3 pillars of people, process, and platform to provide holistic support to cities and towns.
- The shared digital infrastructure will strengthen the capacity of the urban ecosystem to solve complex problems at scale and speed.
- **Target** Institutionalize a citizen-centric and ecosystem-driven approach to urban governance and service delivery in 2022 cities by 2022, and across all cities and towns in India by 2024.

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