



### Daily Current Affairs Prelims Quiz 08-11-2025 (Online Prelims Test)

1) Consider the following with respect to Contempt of Court in India?

1. The Contempt of Court concept traces its origin from American tradition.
2. A private person can initiate a contempt proceedings with or without the consent of the Attorney General of India.

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

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

Answer : d

#### Explanation

- **Statement 1 is incorrect** - The contempt of court law in India has deep colonial roots, originating from **British legal traditions** that prioritized judicial authority over public criticism.
- **Statement 2 is incorrect** - A private party **must obtain the written consent** of the Attorney General (for the Supreme Court) or the Advocate General (for High Courts).
- **Private petition** - A private party can bring the matter to the court's attention, but they are considered an "informer" or "relator," not a complainant.
  - **With consent** - To initiate proceedings for criminal contempt, a private party must obtain the written consent of the Attorney General (for the Supreme Court) or the Advocate General (for High Courts).
  - **Without consent** - If the AG denies consent, the petition cannot proceed.

To know more about Contempt of Court, click [here](#)

2) With respect to history of India, who among the following is referred as "Sahitya Samrat"?

- a. Gopal Hari Deshmukh
- b. Rabindranath Tagore
- c. Bankimchandra Chatterji
- d. Dinabandhu Mitra

Answer : c

#### Explanation

- Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay, the Bengali novelist, poet, and journalist, is known as "**Sahitya Samrat**," which translates to "Emperor of Literature".
- He is widely celebrated for his literary contributions and for composing the national song of India, "Vande Mataram".

To know more about Bankimchandra Chatterji, Click [here](#)

3) Which among the following statements is/are *incorrect* with respect to Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF)?

1. It is aviation fuel derived from non-fossil sources, offers a carbon emission reduction of up to 70% compared to conventional jet fuel.
2. The global aviation target to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 5% by 2030, and reach net-zero carbon emissions by 2050.
3. India has set its blending target of 1% by 2026 and 3% by 2028.

Select the answer using the code given below:

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

Answer : a

### Explanation

- **Statement 1 is incorrect** - Aviation fuel derived from non-fossil sources, such as agricultural residue, municipal solid waste, used cooking oil, etc.
- It offers a life-cycle carbon emission **reduction of up to 80%** compared to conventional jet fuel.
- **Statement 2 is correct** - International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) aims to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in international aviation by 5% by 2030, and reach net-zero carbon emissions by 2050.
- **Statement 3 is incorrect** - India has set its blending targets of **1% by 2027, 2% by 2028 and 5% by 2030**.

To know more about Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF), Click [here](#)

4) Consider the following statements:

1. Fiscal deficit indicates the borrowing requirement of the government to meet its expenditure.
2. The Central government aims to contain the fiscal deficit at 4.4% of GDP for FY26.

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

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

Answer : c

### Explanation:

- **Statement 1 is correct** - Fiscal deficit indicates the borrowing requirement of the government to meet its expenditure.
- **Statement 2 is correct** - The Central government aims to contain the fiscal deficit at 4.4% of GDP for FY26.

To know more about fiscal deficit, click [here](#)

5) The species "Pilia malenadu" which is recently seen in news is ?

- a. Creeper plant
- b. Spider

- c. Frog
- d. Snake

Answer : b

### **Explanation**

- **Option b is correct** - It is a new spider species found in Chikkamagaluru, Karnataka.
- It belongs to the Pilia, a genus of jumping spiders.

To know more about Pilia malenadu, Click [here](#)

