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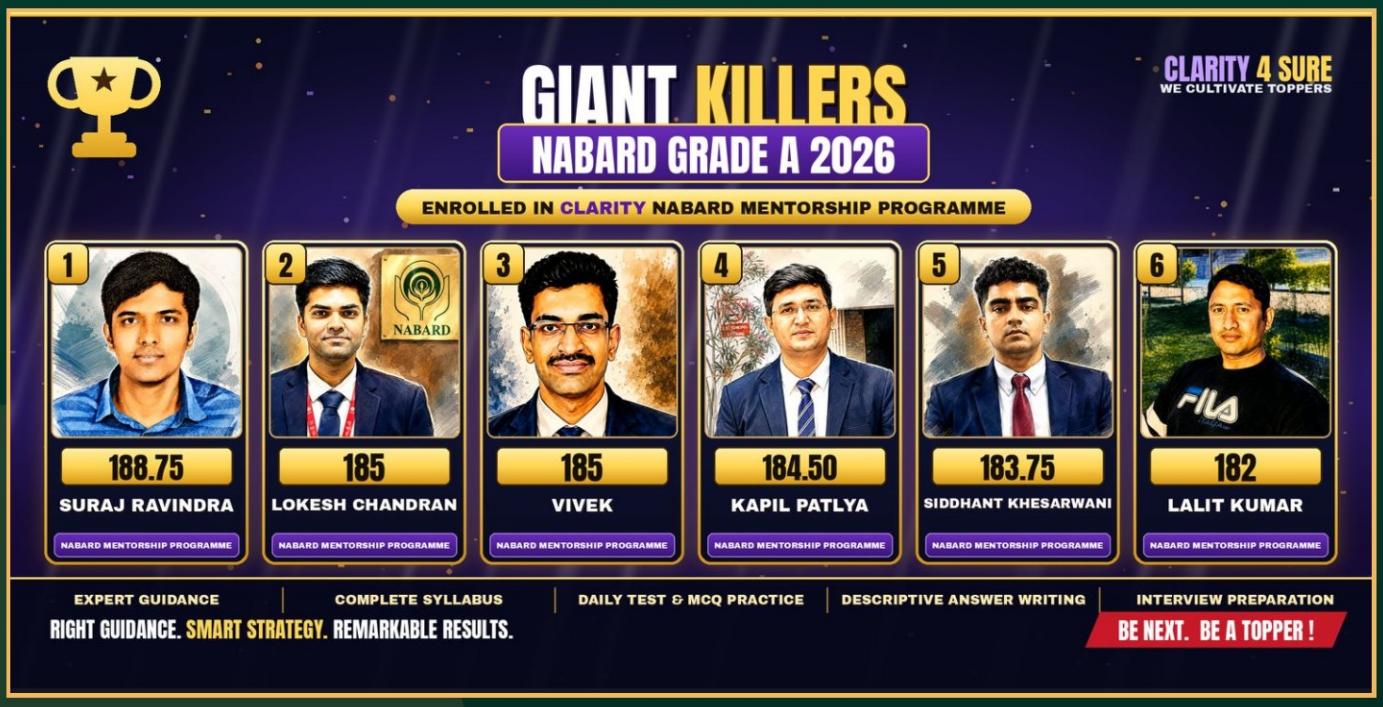
EXAM READY QUIZ

December 2024

54 must-know MCQs · picked from 137 · by topic, with answers

For NABARD Grade A · RBI Grade B · SEBI Grade A · IRDAI · SIDBI

Big themes · Banking 12 · Economy 9 · Schemes 7



6 OF THE TOP 10

Six of the ten highest scorers in NABARD Grade A 2026 came from this classroom — 32 final selections in one batch. The same mentors write these quizzes every day.

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The 54 must-know MCQs of December 2024, picked from 137 questions and grouped by topic — answers and explanations after each topic. Every line is linked; so is every bookmark in your PDF reader. Online: c4scourses.in/ca-quiz/2024-12

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PRACTISE THE WAY TOPPERS DO

How to use this book

The **Exam Ready** set is the month cut down to the questions that carry hard facts — names, numbers, schemes, reports, banking and agriculture — grouped by topic. Take a topic like a sectional test, then check the answers right after it.

54	137	10	15 min
Exam Ready MCQs	questions they were picked from	topics covered	per topic, timed

1 Time a topic
About nine seconds a question. Pen and paper, no peeking.

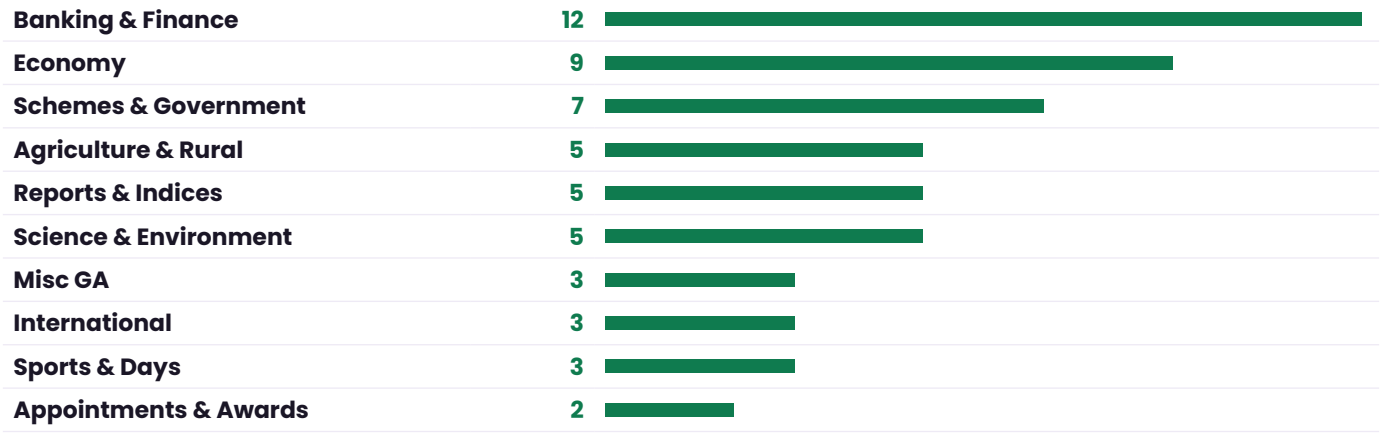
2 Check it
Answers and explanations follow each topic. Mark every miss.

3 Log the score
Write it in the tracker below, topic by topic.

4 Retake misses
Only the ones you got wrong, on day 3 and 7.

The month by topic

Where the Exam Ready questions came from. The long bars are what examiners had the most to ask about.



TRACK EVERY ATTEMPT

Your score tracker

A score that rises on the retake is a fact that has moved into exam-day memory.

TOPIC	SCORE	RETAKE +3	RETAKE +7	DONE	MISSED Q NOS.
Banking & Finance	___ / 12	___	___	☐	
Economy	___ / 9	___	___	☐	
Schemes & Government	___ / 7	___	___	☐	
Agriculture & Rural	___ / 5	___	___	☐	
Reports & Indices	___ / 5	___	___	☐	
Science & Environment	___ / 5	___	___	☐	
Misc GA	___ / 3	___	___	☐	
International	___ / 3	___	___	☐	
Sports & Days	___ / 3	___	___	☐	
Appointments & Awards	___ / 2	___	___	☐	

EXAM READY · TOPIC 1 OF 10

Banking & Finance

12 must-know MCQs · Q1–12 · about 2 minutes

Q1 · 6 December 2024

What is the current CRR after the recent RBI policy change?

A. 3.5%
B. 4%
C. 4.5%
D. 5%
E. 5.5%

Q2 · 6 December 2024

How much liquidity is expected to be released after the CRR cut?

A. ₹58,000 crore
B. ₹75,000 crore
C. ₹85,000 crore
D. ₹1.16 lakh crore
E. ₹1.5 lakh crore

Q3 · 7 December 2024

What is the current policy repo rate set by the RBI?

A. 5.5%
B. 6%
C. 6.5%
D. 7%
E. 6.25%

Q4 · 10 December 2024

Which scheme was launched by PM Modi in Haryana to empower women as insurance agents?

A. Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Yojana
B. LIC Bima Sakhi Yojana
C. Suraksha Bima Yojana
D. Mahila Shakti Yojana
E. Jan Suraksha Scheme

Q5 · 11 December 2024

What is the main objective of the Odisha OPELIP-II program funded by the ₹734.86 crore loan from IFAD?

A. Improve roads and communication in urban areas
B. Empower and improve livelihoods of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs)
C. Promote industrial growth in Odisha
D. Develop tourism in tribal regions
E. Focus on urban infrastructure in Odisha

Q6 · 12 December 2024

What is the current GDP growth forecast for India in 2024 as predicted by the Asian Development Bank (ADB)?

A. 6.1%
B. 6.3%
C. 6.5%
D. 6.7%
E. 7.0%

Q7 · 17 December 2024

What percentage of SME IPOs are now held by institutional investors in India in 2024?

A. 20%
B. 30%
C. 40%
D. 50%
E. 60%

Q8 · 18 December 2024

What is the primary reason for India's banking system liquidity deficit of ₹1.5 trillion?

A. Lower credit demand
B. High GST outflows
C. Strong foreign investment inflows
D. Increase in gold reserves
E. Decline in inflation rates

Q9 · 18 December 2024

What triggered the decline of the Indian Rupee to an all-time low of ₹84.93 against the US dollar?

A. Decreased oil prices
B. Surplus trade balance
C. Increased US bond yields
D. Surge in forex reserves
E. Strengthened domestic market

Q10 · 19 December 2024

What is the minimum investment required in SEBI's new Specialized Investment Funds (SIFs)?

A. ₹5 lakh
B. ₹7 lakh
C. ₹8 lakh
D. ₹10 lakh
E. ₹12 lakh

Q11 · 19 December 2024

What percentage of GST is proposed for term life insurance under the new recommendation?

A. 18%
B. 15%
C. 12%
D. 10%
E. 5%

Q12 · 21 December 2024

What is the projected market size of India's Global Capability Centres (GCCs) by 2030?

A. $50 billion
B. $75 billion
C. $100 billion
D. $125 billion
E. $150 billion

ANSWERS — BANKING & FINANCE

Q1 B	**Q2** D	**Q3** C	**Q4** B	**Q5** B
Q6 C	**Q7** D	**Q8** B	**Q9** C	**Q10** D
Q11 E	**Q12** C			

Q1. What is the current CRR after the recent RBI policy change?

Answer B. 4%

The CRR was reduced from 4.5% to 4%.

Q2. How much liquidity is expected to be released after the CRR cut?

Answer D. ₹1.16 lakh crore

The CRR cut is expected to infuse ₹1.16 lakh crore into the banking system.

Q3. What is the current policy repo rate set by the RBI?

Answer C. 6.5%

The RBI's current policy repo rate is 6.5%, used to control inflation and liquidity in the economy.

Q4. Which scheme was launched by PM Modi in Haryana to empower women as insurance agents?

Answer B. LIC Bima Sakhi Yojana

The LIC Bima Sakhi Yojana aims to empower 1 lakh women by providing them insurance agent roles within a year.

Q5. What is the main objective of the Odisha OPELIP-II program funded by the ₹734.86 crore loan from IFAD?

Answer B) Empower and improve livelihoods of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs)

The OPELIP-II program aims to enhance the socio-economic conditions and livelihoods of PVTGs in Odisha through financial support and infrastructure improvements.

Q6. What is the current GDP growth forecast for India in 2024 as predicted by the Asian Development Bank (ADB)?

Answer C. 6.5%

Explanation: The Asian Development Bank (ADB) regularly publishes economic outlook reports, revising growth forecasts based on economic performance and projections. India's projected GDP growth rate for 2024 is set at 6.5% due to robust domestic demand and policy reforms.

Q7. What percentage of SME IPOs are now held by institutional investors in India in 2024?

Answer D. 50% </br>

Institutional investors now hold about 50% of SME IPO shares in India, reflecting growing investor confidence and participation.

Q8. What is the primary reason for India's banking system liquidity deficit of ₹1.5 trillion?

Answer B. High GST outflows

India's banking system liquidity deficit is attributed to increased credit demand, GST outflows, festive season withdrawals, and slow deposit growth.

Q9. What triggered the decline of the Indian Rupee to an all-time low of ₹84.93 against the US dollar?

Answer C. Increased US bond yields

The rupee's decline was due to a trade deficit, increased US bond yields, foreign equity outflows, and rising oil prices.

Q10. What is the minimum investment required in SEBI's new Specialized Investment Funds (SIFs)?

Answer D. ₹10 lakh

SEBI's Specialized Investment Funds require a minimum investment of ₹10 lakh, targeting high-net-worth investors.

Q11. What percentage of GST is proposed for term life insurance under the new recommendation?

Answer E. 5%

A Group of Ministers recommended reducing GST on term life insurance from 18% to 5% to encourage wider insurance coverage.

Q12. What is the projected market size of India's Global Capability Centres (GCCs) by 2030?

Answer C) $100 billion

According to recent reports, India's GCCs are projected to become a $100 billion industry by 2030, employing over 2.5 million professionals. This growth is driven by India's talent pool, cost competitiveness, and adaptability in the business environment.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 2 OF 10

Economy

9 must-know MCQs · Q13–21 · about 2 minutes

Q13 · 8 & 9 December 2024

When does Norway plan to ratify the India-EFTA free trade agreement?

A. January 15, 2024
B. February 20, 2024
C. March 10, 2024
D. April 5, 2024
E. May 1, 2024

Q14 · 8 & 9 December 2024

The ASEAN-India Free Trade Area (AIFTA) agreement was signed in which year?

A. 2008
B. 2010
C. 2012
D. 2014
E. 2016

Q15 · 13 December 2024

What factor contributed most to India's retail inflation easing in November 2024?

A. Increase in oil prices
B. Decrease in vegetable prices
C. Higher food grain production
D. Reduced electricity tariffs
E. Fuel subsidy reforms

Q16 · 15 & 16 December 2024

According to CRISIL, which sector is projected to grow by 7-9% in India?

A. Automobile
B. Agrochemical
C. IT Services
D. Pharmaceutical
E. Steel Manufacturing

Q17 · 17 December 2024

India’s merchandise exports in November 2024 fell by what percentage, causing a record trade deficit?

A. 3.5%
B. 4.0%
C. 4.83%
D. 5.2%
E. 6.0%

Q18 · 17 December 2024

What is the expected GDP growth rate for India in FY25 according to CRISIL?

A. 5.9%
B. 6.2%
C. 6.5%
D. 6.7%
E. 7.0%

Q19 · 17 December 2024

What budget reduction did the Labour Ministry propose for the Employment Linked Incentive (ELI) Scheme for FY25?

A. ₹5,000 crore
B. ₹6,852 crore
C. ₹7,200 crore
D. ₹8,500 crore
E. ₹9,000 crore

Q20 · 18 December 2024

What action did the Parliamentary Committee recommend concerning MGNREGS wages?

A. Elimination of the scheme
B. Free health insurance for workers
C. Revision of wages due to inflation
D. Reducing working hours
E. Stopping agricultural support

Q21 · 27 December 2024

Which prominent figure in Indian politics passed away at the age of 92 in 2024?

A. Atal Bihari Vajpayee
B. Manmohan Singh
C. P. V. Narasimha Rao
D. Inder Kumar Gujral
E. H.
D. Deve Gowda

ANSWERS — ECONOMY

Q13 C	**Q14** B	**Q15** B	**Q16** B	**Q17** C
Q18 D	**Q19** B	**Q20** C	**Q21** B	

Q13. When does Norway plan to ratify the India-EFTA free trade agreement?

Answer C. March 10, 2024

Norway plans to ratify the India-EFTA free trade agreement on March 10, 2024, in Brussels, following the signing of the agreement between India and the European Free Trade Association (EFTA).

Q14. The ASEAN-India Free Trade Area (AIFTA) agreement was signed in which year?

Answer B) 2010 </br>

The ASEAN-India Free Trade Area (AIFTA) agreement was signed in 2010 to promote trade and economic cooperation between India and ASEAN countries.

Q15. What factor contributed most to India's retail inflation easing in November 2024?

Answer B. Decrease in vegetable prices </br>

India's retail inflation dropped to 9.04% in November 2024 due to reduced vegetable prices, despite oil and fat prices rising.

Q16. According to CRISIL, which sector is projected to grow by 7-9% in India?

Answer B. Agrochemical </br>

CRISIL predicts that India's agrochemical sector will grow by 7-9%, driven by domestic demand and recovering export markets.

Q17. India's merchandise exports in November 2024 fell by what percentage, causing a record trade deficit?

Answer C. 4.83% </br>

India's merchandise exports fell by 4.83% to $32.11 billion in November 2024, causing a trade deficit of $37.84 billion due to increased imports.

Q18. What is the expected GDP growth rate for India in FY25 according to CRISIL?

Answer D. 6.7% </br>

CRISIL forecasts India's GDP growth at 6.7% in FY25, citing moderated investment growth and a fiscal deficit expected at 4.9% of GDP.

Q19. What budget reduction did the Labour Ministry propose for the Employment Linked Incentive (ELI) Scheme for FY25?

Answer B. ₹6,852 crore </br>

The Labour Ministry proposed reducing the Employment Linked Incentive Scheme budget by ₹6,852 crore, impacting EPFO-registered employees' benefits.

Q20. What action did the Parliamentary Committee recommend concerning MGNREGS wages?

Answer C. Revision of wages due to inflation

The committee recommended raising MGNREGS wages to reflect current inflation and ensure better financial stability for workers.

Q21. Which prominent figure in Indian politics passed away at the age of 92 in 2024?

Answer B) Manmohan Singh

Former Prime Minister Manmohan Singh, known for his pivotal role in India's economic liberalization, passed away at the age of 92 in 2024. He served as PM for two terms (2004–2014) and was the Finance Minister under P.V. Narasimha Rao.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 3 OF 10

Schemes & Government

7 must-know MCQs · Q22–28 · about 2 minutes

Q22 · 6 December 2024

What is the maximum family income eligibility for the PM Vidyalaxmi scheme?

A. ₹5 lakh
B. ₹6 lakh
C. ₹7 lakh
D. ₹8 lakh
E. No income limit

Q23 · 6 December 2024

What is the interest subvention rate provided by the PM Vidyalaxmi scheme?

A. 1%
B. 2%
C. 3%
D. 4%
E. 5%

Q24 · 8 & 9 December 2024

When was the National Mission for Manuscripts (NMM) established?

A. 2000
B. 2001
C. 2003
D. 2005
E. 2010

Q25 · 8 & 9 December 2024

What is the purpose of India's anti-drone unit?

A. To smuggle arms and drugs across borders
B. To counter the growing threat of unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs)
C. To monitor satellite activities
D. To develop space missions
E. To track meteorological changes

Q26 · 11 December 2024

Which ministry is responsible for implementing the One Nation One Subscription (ONOS) scheme?

A. Ministry of Finance
B. Ministry of Education
C. Ministry of Science and Technology
D. Ministry of Culture
E. Ministry of Information and Broadcasting

Q27 · 11 December 2024

What is the key focus of the National AYUSH Mission (NAM)?

A. Providing free health insurance to rural areas
B. Establishing AYUSH health centers at PHCs and CHCs
C. Developing Ayurvedic medicines for export
D. Training paramedics for allopathic medicine
E. Promoting Western medicine over traditional systems

Q28 · 20 December 2024

What does the PM Vidyalaxmi scheme aim to provide?

A. Scholarships for international studies
B. Loans for small businesses
C. Financial support for meritorious students pursuing higher education
D. Start-up grants for entrepreneurs
E. Government-sponsored internships

ANSWERS — SCHEMES & GOVERNMENT

Q22 D	**Q23** C	**Q24** C	**Q25** A	**Q26** B
Q27 B	**Q28** C			

Q22. What is the maximum family income eligibility for the PM Vidyalaxmi scheme?

Answer D. ₹8 lakh

Students with an annual family income of ₹8 lakh or less are eligible for the scheme.

Q23. What is the interest subvention rate provided by the PM Vidyalaxmi scheme?

Answer C. 3%

A 3% interest subvention is offered during the moratorium period for loans up to ₹10 lakh.

Q24. When was the National Mission for Manuscripts (NMM) established?

Answer C) 2003 </br>

The National Mission for Manuscripts (NMM) was established in 2003 to locate, conserve, and digitize manuscripts in India.

Q25. What is the purpose of India's anti-drone unit?

Answer A) 2019 </br>

The Jammu and Kashmir Reorganization Act, which was passed in August 2019, bifurcated the state into two Union Territories, Jammu and Kashmir, and Ladakh.

Q26. Which ministry is responsible for implementing the One Nation One Subscription (ONOS) scheme?

Answer B) Ministry of Education

The Ministry of Education is leading the ONOS scheme, which aims to provide access to global research papers for higher educational institutions and research bodies.

Q27. What is the key focus of the National AYUSH Mission (NAM)?

Answer B) Establishing AYUSH health centers at PHCs and CHCs

NAM focuses on08:00 PM improving healthcare services by integrating AYUSH facilities with existing healthcare centers, providing patients a holistic approach to treatment.

Q28. What does the PM Vidyalaxmi scheme aim to provide?

Answer C) Financial support for meritorious students pursuing higher education.

The PM Vidyalaxmi scheme provides financial assistance to meritorious students pursuing higher education. It helps students secure loans for their studies through various banks.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 4 OF 10

Agriculture & Rural

5 must-know MCQs · Q29–33 · about 2 minutes

Q29 · 6 December 2024

What is the revised maximum loan amount eligible for collateral-free agriculture loans?

A. ₹1 lakh
B. ₹1.5 lakh
C. ₹1.6 lakh
D. ₹2 lakh
E. ₹2.5 lakh

Q30 · 6 December 2024

Under which scheme is maize cultivation encouraged?

A. PM-KISAN
B. National Crop Initiative
C. Crop Diversification Programme (CDP)
D. Agricultural Credit Guarantee Scheme
E. Green Revolution Scheme

Q31 · 10 December 2024

What is ITCMAARS primarily focused on?

A. Urban Development
B. E-commerce Growth
C. Digital Marketing
D. Agricultural Services
E. Financial Audits

Q32 · 20 December 2024

Which of the following agricultural commodities has been banned from derivative trading in India until January 31, 2025?

A. Wheat
B. Soyabean
C. Crude palm oil
D. Non-basmati paddy
E. All of the above

Q33 · 21 December 2024

What is the MSP set for ball copra for the year 2025?

A. ₹11,000 per quintal
B. ₹11,800 per quintal
C. ₹12,000 per quintal
D. ₹12,100 per quintal
E. ₹13,000 per quintal

ANSWERS — AGRICULTURE & RURAL

Q29 D	**Q30** C	**Q31** D	**Q32** E	**Q33** D

Q29. What is the revised maximum loan amount eligible for collateral-free agriculture loans?

Answer D. ₹2 lakh

The collateral-free loan limit for farmers was increased from ₹1.6 lakh to ₹2 lakh.

Q30. Under which scheme is maize cultivation encouraged?

Answer C. Crop Diversification Programme (CDP)

CDP encourages farmers to shift from paddy to high-value crops like maize.

Q31. What is ITCMAARS primarily focused on?

Answer D. Agricultural Services

ITCMAARS provides agricultural advisory services, market linkages, and farm services for 10 million farmers.

Q32. Which of the following agricultural commodities has been banned from derivative trading in India until January 31, 2025?

Answer E) All of the above

The Indian government has extended its ban on derivative trading for seven agricultural commodities, including wheat, soyabean, crude palm oil, non-basmati paddy, and more, until January 31, 2025. This move affects multiple agricultural markets in India.

Q33. What is the MSP set for ball copra for the year 2025?

Answer D) ₹12,100 per quintal

The Minimum Support Price (MSP) for ball copra has been increased to ₹12,100 per quintal for the year 2025, marking a slight increase from ₹12,000 in 2024. This helps provide financial security to farmers.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 5 OF 10

Reports & Indices

5 must-know MCQs · Q34–38 · about 2 minutes

Q34 · 11 December 2024

According to the India Skills Report 2025, what percentage of Indian graduates are expected to be employable globally by 2025?

A. 45%
B. 51.2%
C. 55%
D. 60%
E. 70%

Q35 · 13 December 2024

What sector is expected to see a 7-9% growth according to CRISIL's report?

A. Pharmaceutical
B. Steel Manufacturing
C. Agrochemical
D. Automobile
E. IT Services

Q36 · 17 December 2024

Which index fell to 1.89% in November 2024 due to reduced food prices?

A. Consumer Price Index (CPI)
B. Retail Price Index (RPI)
C. Producer Price Index (PPI)
D. Wholesale Price Index (WPI)
E. Inflation Index

Q37 · 19 December 2024

Which country ranks 10th in the U.S. trade deficit rankings as of 2024?

A. China
B. Mexico
C. India
D. Canada
E. Brazil

Q38 · 27 December 2024

How many votes were not counted or rejected during the 2024 Lok Sabha elections?

A. 5.23 lakh
B. 8.45 lakh
C. 10.58 lakh
D. 12.67 lakh
E. 15.34 lakh

ANSWERS — REPORTS & INDICES

Q34 C	**Q35** C	**Q36** D	**Q37** C	**Q38** C

Q34. According to the India Skills Report 2025, what percentage of Indian graduates are expected to be employable globally by 2025?

Answer C) 55%

The report predicts that 55% of Indian graduates will be employable globally by 2025, an increase from 51.2% in 2024.

Q35. What sector is expected to see a 7-9% growth according to CRISIL's report?

Answer C. Agrochemical </br>

CRISIL's report predicts 7-9% growth in the agrochemical sector due to strong domestic demand and export recovery.

Q36. Which index fell to 1.89% in November 2024 due to reduced food prices?

Answer D. Wholesale Price Index (WPI) </br>

The Wholesale Price Index (WPI) fell to 1.89% in November 2024 due to lower food prices, indicating reduced inflationary pressures.

Q37. Which country ranks 10th in the U.S. trade deficit rankings as of 2024?

Answer C. India

India ranked 10th in the U.S. trade deficit rankings due to increased electronics exports, with a deficit of $38 billion in 2024.

Q38. How many votes were not counted or rejected during the 2024 Lok Sabha elections?

Answer C) 10.58 lakh

According to the Election Commission's statistical report, over 10.58 lakh votes were either not counted or rejected during the 2024 Lok Sabha elections, raising concerns about vote validity and inclusivity.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 6 OF 10

Science & Environment

5 must-know MCQs · Q39–43 · about 2 minutes

Q39 · 11 December 2024

What is the primary objective of India's Gaganyaan Mission?

A. Launching a Mars probe
B. Developing a reusable rocket
C. Sending three astronauts to space
D. Establishing a space station
E. Sending satellites into geostationary orbit

Q40 · 12 December 2024

What is a significant feature of Google's AI model Gemini 2.0?

A. Only text-based capabilities
B. Limited to web search functions
C. Multilingual support for images and audio
D. Designed exclusively for data analysis
E. Limited to Google Assistant integration

Q41 · 19 December 2024

Which launch vehicle is being assembled for India's Gaganyaan mission?

A. PSLV-C53
B. GSLV Mk-II
C. HLVM3
D. GSLV Mk-III
E. RLV-TD

Q42 · 27 December 2024

Where will the 26th edition of the IIT-Madras tech fest "Shaastra" be held?

A. Bengaluru
B. Chennai
C. Mumbai
D. Hyderabad
E. New Delhi

Q43 · 29 & 30 December 2024

What caused the oil floods in the Black Sea as reported in December 2024?

A. Earthquake
B. Volcanic eruption
C. Collision of two tankers
D. Industrial spill
E. Heavy rainfall

ANSWERS — SCIENCE & ENVIRONMENT

Q39 C	**Q40** C	**Q41** C	**Q42** B	**Q43** C

Q39. What is the primary objective of India's Gaganyaan Mission?

Answer C) Sending three astronauts to space

The Gaganyaan Mission aims to send three Indian astronauts, known as "Vyomanauts," into space, marking India's first crewed space mission.

Q40. What is a significant feature of Google's AI model Gemini 2.0?

Answer C. Multilingual support for images and audio

Google's Gemini 2.0 AI model supports advanced multimodal capabilities, enabling processing of text, images, and audio in multiple languages. It represents a breakthrough in artificial intelligence by enhancing understanding across diverse data types.

Q41. Which launch vehicle is being assembled for India's Gaganyaan mission?

Answer C. HLVM3

ISRO is assembling the Human Rated Launch Vehicle Mark-3 (HLVM3) for the Gaganyaan mission, India's first human spaceflight.

Q42. Where will the 26th edition of the IIT-Madras tech fest "Shaastra" be held?

Answer B) Chennai

The 26th edition of Shaastra, hosted by the Indian Institute of Technology-Madras, is scheduled to take place in Chennai from January 3 to 7, 2025. It is one of the premier tech festivals in India.

Q43. What caused the oil floods in the Black Sea as reported in December 2024?

Answer C) Collision of two tankers

The oil floods in the Black Sea were caused by a collision between two tankers near Crimea in the Kerch Strait on December 15. This incident led to significant environmental damage, including the destruction of coral reefs and loss of marine biodiversity. The Black Sea is bordered by Bulgaria, Georgia, Romania, Russia, Turkey, and Ukraine, and is a critical marine ecosystem.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 7 OF 10

Misc GA

3 must-know MCQs · Q44–46 · about 2 minutes

Q44 · 7 December 2024

How many Special Leave Petitions (SLPs) are typically heard by the Supreme Court of India annually?

A. 10,000
B. 25,000
C. 60,000
D. 100,000
E. 50,000

Q45 · 17 December 2024

What amount did NPCIL raise through 15-year bonds at a 7.14% coupon rate?

A. ₹2,000 crore
B. ₹3,500 crore
C. ₹4,600 crore
D. ₹5,200 crore
E. ₹6,000 crore

Q46 · 27 December 2024

What percentage of Lok Sabha seats had no women candidates in the 2024 elections?

A. 15%
B. 20%
C. 25%
D. 28%
E. 30%

ANSWERS — MISC GA

Q44 C	**Q45** C	**Q46** D		

Q44. How many Special Leave Petitions (SLPs) are typically heard by the Supreme Court of India annually?

Answer C. 60,000

The Supreme Court of India hears approximately 60,000 SLPs annually.

Q45. What amount did NPCIL raise through 15-year bonds at a 7.14% coupon rate?

Answer C. ₹4,600 crore </br>

The Nuclear Power Corporation of India Limited raised ₹4,600 crore through 15-year bonds with a 7.14% coupon rate to fund nuclear projects.

Q46. What percentage of Lok Sabha seats had no women candidates in the 2024 elections?

Answer D) 28%

The Election Commission of India reported that 28% of the seats in the 2024 Lok Sabha elections did not have any women candidates, highlighting the gender disparity in Indian politics.

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International

3 must-know MCQs · Q47–49 · about 2 minutes

Q47 · 8 & 9 December 2024

How many Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) were adopted by the United Nations in 2015?

A. 15
B. 16
C. 17
D. 18
E. 19

Q48 · 12 December 2024

Which country accounted for about half of all estimated malaria cases in the South-East Asia region in 2023?

A. Indonesia
B. Thailand
C. India
D. Bangladesh
E. Sri Lanka

Q49 · 20 December 2024

Which organ of the UN adopted the text of the proposed Crimes Against Humanity (CAH) treaty on December 4, 2024?

A. UN Security Council
B. International Court of Justice
C. UN General Assembly
D. UN Economic and Social Council
E. UN Human Rights Council

ANSWERS — INTERNATIONAL

Q47 C	**Q48** C	**Q49** C		

Q47. How many Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) were adopted by the United Nations in 2015?

Answer C) 17 </br>

The United Nations adopted 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in 2015 to address global challenges such as poverty, inequality, and climate change by 2030.

Q48. Which country accounted for about half of all estimated malaria cases in the South-East Asia region in 2023?

Answer C. India

India has the largest population in the WHO South-East Asia region, making it highly prone to malaria outbreaks. In 2023, India accounted for about half of the malaria cases due to its tropical climate and high-risk zones in certain states.

Q49. Which organ of the UN adopted the text of the proposed Crimes Against Humanity (CAH) treaty on December 4, 2024?

Answer C) UN General Assembly

The UN General Assembly adopted the text of the proposed Crimes Against Humanity (CAH) treaty on December 4, 2024. The adoption marks a significant step toward establishing a universal legal framework for prosecuting crimes against humanity.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 9 OF 10

Sports & Days

3 must-know MCQs · Q50–52 · about 2 minutes

Q50 · 13 December 2024

Who became the youngest world chess champion in 2024 by defeating Ding Liren?

A. Magnus Carlsen
B. Viswanathan Anand
C. D. Gukesh
D. Fabiano Caruana
E. Ian Nepomniachtchi

Q51 · 15 & 16 December 2024

Which Indian chess player broke Garry Kasparov's record as the youngest world chess champion in 2024?

A. Praggnanandhaa
B. Nihal Sarin
C. D. Gukesh
D. Vidit Gujrathi
E. Arjun Erigaisi

Q52 · 15 & 16 December 2024

Which country's women's cricket team won the ICC Women's T20 World Cup 2024?

A. England
B. Australia
C. South Africa
D. India
E. New Zealand

ANSWERS — SPORTS & DAYS

Q50 C	**Q51** C	**Q52** D		

Q50. Who became the youngest world chess champion in 2024 by defeating Ding Liren?

Answer C. D. Gukesh </br>

D. Gukesh became the youngest world chess champion by defeating Ding Liren, surpassing Garry Kasparov's record. The championship took place from Nov 25 to Dec 13, 2024, in Singapore.

Q51. Which Indian chess player broke Garry Kasparov's record as the youngest world chess champion in 2024?

Answer C. D. Gukesh </br>

D. Gukesh defeated Ding Liren in the World Chess Championship 2024, becoming the youngest world champion at just 18 years, breaking Garry Kasparov's record.

Q52. Which country’s women's cricket team won the ICC Women’s T20 World Cup 2024?

Answer D. India </br>

The Indian women's cricket team won the ICC Women’s T20 World Cup 2024 by defeating England, marking a historic achievement in women’s cricket.

EXAM READY · TOPIC 10 OF 10

Appointments & Awards

2 must-know MCQs · Q53–54 · about 2 minutes

Q53 · 8 & 9 December 2024

Which organization or individual won the Nobel Peace Prize in 2023?

A. World Health Organization (WHO)
B. Greta Thunberg
C. International Red Cross
D. Narges Mohammadi
E. Malala Yousafzai

Q54 · 15 & 16 December 2024

Who received the prestigious Indira Gandhi Peace Prize for 2024?

A. Angela Merkel
B. Bill Gates
C. Narendra Modi
D. Malala Yousafzai
E. Greta Thunberg

ANSWERS — APPOINTMENTS & AWARDS

Q53 D	**Q54** A			

Q53. Which organization or individual won the Nobel Peace Prize in 2023?

Answer D) Narges Mohammadi </br>

Iranian human rights activist Narges Mohammadi was awarded the 2023 Nobel Peace Prize for her courageous fight for women's rights and freedom in Iran.

Q54. Who received the prestigious Indira Gandhi Peace Prize for 2024?

Answer A. Angela Merkel </br>

Former German Chancellor Angela Merkel was awarded the 2024 Indira Gandhi Peace Prize for her exceptional leadership in fostering global peace and international cooperation.

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