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19

daily quizzes

8

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QUIZ 1 OF 19

1 & 2 March 2026

10 questions · Sci & Env 3 · Banking 3 · Economy 2 · Schemes 1

Q1

Which military operation launched by Pakistan reportedly escalated tensions into a major confrontation with Afghanistan in recent developments?

- A. Operation Zarb-e-Azb
- B. Operation Ghazab lil-Haq
- C. Operation Radd-ul-Fasaad
- D. Operation Iron Shield
- E. Operation Swift Thunder

Q2

The Assembly, Test, Marking and Packaging (ATMP) semiconductor facility inaugurated in Sanand, Gujarat has been established by which company?

- A. Intel Corporation
- B. TSMC
- C. Micron Technology Inc.
- D. Samsung Electronics
- E. Qualcomm

Q3

Under the India Semiconductor Mission, what percentage of capital subsidy has been provided by the Union Government to support the Micron ATMP semiconductor project?

- A. 25%
- B. 40%
- C. 50%
- D. 60%
- E. 75%

Q4

The Government Bank Dashboard and Government Bank Manual initiative was launched by which authority to improve transparency and efficiency in government banking operations?

- A. Reserve Bank of India
- B. Ministry of Finance
- C. Controller General of Accounts
- D. National Payments Corporation of India
- E. NITI Aayog

Q5

India's first indigenously designed and developed dedicated combat helicopter, LCH Prachand, has been manufactured by which organisation?

- A. Bharat Electronics Limited
- B. Defence Research and Development Organisation
- C. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited
- D. Indian Space Research Organisation
- E. Bharat Dynamics Limited

Q6

National Waterway-2, where several new inland waterway infrastructure projects were recently inaugurated, is located on which river?

- A. Ganga
- B. Brahmaputra
- C. Godavari
- D. Krishna
- E. Narmada

Q7

As part of India's rupee internationalisation strategy, approximately what percentage of the country's international trade is currently conducted in Indian rupees?

- A. 1%
- B. 3%
- C. 5%
- D. 10%
- E. 15%

Q8

The digital healthcare platform eSushrut@Clinic, aimed at digitising small and mid-sized clinics, has been launched by which organisation?

- A. Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
- B. National Health Authority
- C. NITI Aayog
- D. Indian Council of Medical Research
- E. Medical Council of India

Q9

Fortified rice distributed through government welfare schemes is enriched with which of the following key micronutrients?

- A. Calcium, Vitamin D, Zinc
- B. Iron, Folic Acid, Vitamin B12
- C. Protein, Magnesium, Potassium
- D. Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Zinc
- E. Omega-3, Calcium, Iron

Q10

According to recent analysis highlighted by the World Bank, approximately what percentage of global agricultural subsidies are linked to deforestation?

- A. 5%
- B. 8%
- C. 10%
- D. 14%
- E. 20%

ANSWERS — 1 & 2 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 C	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 B	Q7 C	Q8 B	Q9 B	Q10 D

Q1. Which military operation launched by Pakistan reportedly escalated tensions into a major confrontation with Afghanistan in recent developments?

Answer B. Operation Ghazab lil-Haq

Pakistan reportedly launched Operation Ghazab lil-Haq during the recent escalation with Afghanistan. The operation aims to neutralise Afghan combatants, destroy militant infrastructure, and secure border regions along the Durand Line. The conflict marks a shift from sporadic border skirmishes to a more conventional military confrontation involving airstrikes, artillery, and armoured units.

Q2. The Assembly, Test, Marking and Packaging (ATMP) semiconductor facility inaugurated in Sanand, Gujarat has been established by which company?

Answer C. Micron Technology Inc.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated Micron Technology Inc.'s ATMP semiconductor facility in Sanand, Gujarat. ATMP facilities package semiconductor chips after fabrication and convert DRAM and NAND wafers into finished memory and storage products used in electronics, AI systems, data centres, and mobile devices.

Q3. Under the India Semiconductor Mission, what percentage of capital subsidy has been provided by the Union Government to support the Micron ATMP semiconductor project?

Answer C. 50%

The Micron ATMP semiconductor project has received 50% capital subsidy from the Union Government, amounting to around ₹22,516 crore. Additionally, the Gujarat Government has provided 20% support, reflecting strong public backing under the India Semiconductor Mission aimed at boosting domestic semiconductor manufacturing.

Q4. The Government Bank Dashboard and Government Bank Manual initiative was launched by which authority to improve transparency and efficiency in government banking operations?

Answer C. Controller General of Accounts

The Controller General of Accounts (CGA) launched the Government Bank Dashboard and Government Bank Manual. The initiative aims to modernise oversight of government banking transactions through real-time monitoring, standardised procedures, and improved reconciliation systems to strengthen transparency and accountability in managing public funds.

Q5. India's first indigenously designed and developed dedicated combat helicopter, LCH Prachand, has been manufactured by which organisation?

Answer C. Hindustan Aeronautics Limited

LCH Prachand is India's first indigenously developed light combat helicopter, designed and manufactured by Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL). It is capable of air-to-air combat, anti-armour operations, and counter-insurgency missions, and is specifically designed to operate in high-altitude areas such as the Siachen Glacier and Ladakh region.

Q6. National Waterway-2, where several new inland waterway infrastructure projects were recently inaugurated, is located on which river?

Answer B. Brahmaputra

National Waterway-2 (NW-2) runs along the Brahmaputra River in Assam. The government recently inaugurated projects such as the Bogibeel Customs & Immigration Complex and Dhubri Gateway CIC to improve cargo movement, cross-border trade connectivity, and river tourism in the Northeast region.

Q7. As part of India's rupee internationalisation strategy, approximately what percentage of the country's international trade is currently conducted in Indian rupees?

Answer C. 5%

Around 5% of India's international trade is currently invoiced and settled in rupees. The Reserve Bank of India has encouraged rupee trade through mechanisms such as Special Rupee Vostro Accounts (SRVAs) and local currency trade agreements with several countries to reduce dependence on the US dollar.

Q8. The digital healthcare platform eSushrut@Clinic, aimed at digitising small and mid-sized clinics, has been launched by which organisation?

Answer B. National Health Authority

The National Health Authority (NHA) launched eSushrut@Clinic, a SaaS-based digital platform designed for small and mid-sized clinics. It helps digitise patient records, manage appointments, streamline consultations, and integrate with the Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM) ecosystem.

Q9. Fortified rice distributed through government welfare schemes is enriched with which of the following key micronutrients?

Answer B. Iron, Folic Acid, Vitamin B12

Fortified rice is enriched with Iron, Folic Acid, and Vitamin B12 to combat micronutrient deficiencies such as anaemia. It has been distributed through schemes like TPDS, PM-POSHAN (Mid-Day Meal), ICDS, and PM Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana to improve nutrition among vulnerable populations.

Q10. According to recent analysis highlighted by the World Bank, approximately what percentage of global agricultural subsidies are linked to deforestation?

Answer D. 14%

The World Bank estimates that around 14% of global agricultural subsidies are directly linked to deforestation. Many subsidies encourage environmentally harmful practices such as excessive fertilizer use, which can degrade soil health and contribute to environmental damage.

QUIZ 2 OF 19

3 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 4 · Misc GA 2 · Sci & Env 1 · International 1

Q1

Which military operation was reportedly launched by the United States and Israel against Iran's nuclear and missile infrastructure in 2026?

- A. Operation Desert Shield
- B. Operation Epic Fury (Operation Genesis)
- C. Operation Iron Dome
- D. Operation Rising Lion
- E. Operation Global Strike

Q2

India recently signed a landmark uranium supply agreement worth about CAD \$2.6 billion with which country?

- A. Australia
- B. Canada
- C. France
- D. Russia
- E. Kazakhstan

Q3

The concept of 'Legacy Thrust Territories' introduced by the Ministry of Home Affairs is primarily related to which issue?

- A. Border infrastructure development
- B. Coastal security management
- C. Preventing resurgence of Left Wing Extremism
- D. Rehabilitation of refugees
- E. Urban smart city expansion

Q4

The National Arogya Fair 2026 was organised in which location?

- A. Nashik, Maharashtra
- B. Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh
- C. Shegaon, Maharashtra
- D. Nagpur, Maharashtra
- E. Indore, Madhya Pradesh

Q5

SEBI has mandated that market intermediaries must display which information while posting securities-related content on social media?

- A. PAN Number
- B. Aadhaar Number
- C. Registered name and SEBI registration number
- D. GST Registration Number
- E. CIN Number

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Q6

The Reserve Bank of India imposed a ₹11.50 lakh penalty on Mahindra & Mahindra Financial Services Limited primarily for violating which regulatory framework?

- A. Basel III Norms
- B. Fair Practices Code
- C. Prompt Corrective Action (PCA)
- D. Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR)
- E. Capital Adequacy Norms

Q7

What does the Index of Industrial Production (IIP) measure in the Indian economy?

- A. Inflation in consumer goods
- B. Agricultural productivity
- C. Industrial sector performance
- D. Export competitiveness
- E. Service sector output

Q8

Which institution regulates both Payments Banks and Small Finance Banks in India?

- A. SEBI
- B. IRDAI
- C. Reserve Bank of India
- D. Ministry of Finance
- E. NABARD

Q9

What EPF interest rate has been recommended by EPFO for the financial year 2025–26?

- A. 8.00%
- B. 8.10%
- C. 8.15%
- D. 8.25%
- E. 8.50%

Q10

SEBI's newly introduced 50% portfolio overlap rule is applicable primarily to which type of mutual funds?

- A. Debt funds
- B. Balanced funds
- C. Index funds
- D. Thematic and sectoral funds
- E. Liquid funds

ANSWERS — 3 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 B	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 B	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 D	Q10 D

Q1. Which military operation was reportedly launched by the United States and Israel against Iran's nuclear and missile infrastructure in 2026?

Answer B. Operation Epic Fury (Operation Genesis)

In 2026, the United States and Israel reportedly launched a large-scale military offensive called Operation Epic Fury (Operation Genesis) targeting Iran's nuclear and ballistic missile infrastructure. The operation escalated tensions into a regional war and marked a shift from indirect conflict to direct military confrontation.

Q2. India recently signed a landmark uranium supply agreement worth about CAD \$2.6 billion with which country?

Answer B. Canada

India and Canada signed a long-term uranium supply agreement valued at about CAD \$2.6 billion (US \$1.9 billion). The agreement supports India's nuclear energy expansion and includes cooperation in Small Modular Reactors (SMRs) and advanced nuclear technology.

Q3. The concept of 'Legacy Thrust Territories' introduced by the Ministry of Home Affairs is primarily related to which issue?

Answer C. Preventing resurgence of Left Wing Extremism

Legacy Thrust Territories (LTTs) are previously Naxal-affected districts identified for continued monitoring and development intervention to prevent the resurgence of Left Wing Extremism (LWE) after major security successes.

Q4. The National Arogya Fair 2026 was organised in which location?

Answer C. Shegaon, Maharashtra

The National Arogya Fair 2026 was organised from 25–28 February 2026 at Shegaon in Buldhana district, Maharashtra. The event promoted integrated healthcare and showcased medical systems such as Allopathy, Ayurveda, Yoga, Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha, and Homeopathy.

Q5. SEBI has mandated that market intermediaries must display which information while posting securities-related content on social media?

Answer C. Registered name and SEBI registration number

SEBI requires all SEBI-registered intermediaries to display their registered name and SEBI registration number while posting securities-related content on digital platforms to prevent fraud and misinformation by unregistered influencers.

Q6. The Reserve Bank of India imposed a ₹11.50 lakh penalty on Mahindra & Mahindra Financial Services Limited primarily for violating which regulatory framework?

Answer B. Fair Practices Code

RBI imposed the penalty because the company charged revised foreclosure fees without updating loan agreements and showed deficiencies in grievance redressal procedures, violating RBI's Fair Practices Code for NBFCs.

Q7. What does the Index of Industrial Production (IIP) measure in the Indian economy?

Answer C. Industrial sector performance

The Index of Industrial Production (IIP) measures the output of the industrial sector, including manufacturing, mining, and electricity. It is an important indicator used to assess short-term economic activity.

Q8. Which institution regulates both Payments Banks and Small Finance Banks in India?

Answer C. Reserve Bank of India

Both Payments Banks and Small Finance Banks (SFBs) are licensed and regulated by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI). SFBs can provide loans and accept deposits, whereas Payments Banks mainly offer payment and deposit services.

Q9. What EPF interest rate has been recommended by EPFO for the financial year 2025–26?

Answer D. 8.25%

The Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) recommended keeping the EPF interest rate at 8.25% for FY 2025–26, maintaining stability in returns for more than 6 crore EPF subscribers.

Q10. SEBI's newly introduced 50% portfolio overlap rule is applicable primarily to which type of mutual funds?

Answer D. Thematic and sectoral funds

SEBI introduced a 50% portfolio overlap cap for thematic and sectoral mutual fund schemes within the same AMC to reduce duplication of portfolios and improve transparency and differentiation among schemes.

QUIZ 3 OF 19

4 & 5 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 4 · International 2 · Economy 2 · Agri & Rural 1

Q1

Which of the following best describes the strategic importance of the Strait of Hormuz?

- A. It connects the Mediterranean Sea with the Atlantic Ocean
- B. It connects the Red Sea with the Gulf of Aden
- C. It serves as a major maritime route for global oil and LNG shipments from the Persian Gulf
- D. It links the Arctic Ocean with the Pacific Ocean
- E. It connects the Caspian Sea with the Black Sea

Q2

The Strait of Hormuz lies between which two countries?

- A. Iran and Saudi Arabia
- B. Iran and Oman
- C. Iraq and Kuwait
- D. Qatar and Bahrain
- E. Oman and Yemen

Q3

Under the recommendations of the 16th Finance Commission (2026–31), what percentage of the divisible tax pool has been allocated to states?

- A. 35%
- B. 38%
- C. 41%
- D. 45%
- E. 50%

Q4

Which of the following criteria was newly introduced in the horizontal devolution formula by the 16th Finance Commission?

- A. Fiscal Discipline
- B. Demographic Performance
- C. Contribution to GDP
- D. Tax Effort
- E. Population Growth Rate

Q5

The National Mobile Monitoring System (NMMS) application is primarily used in the implementation of which government scheme?

- A. Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana
- B. Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme
- C. National Rural Livelihood Mission
- D. Jal Jeevan Mission
- E. PM Kisan Samman Nidhi

Q6**The Dusky Eagle-Owl belongs to which bird family?**

- A. Accipitridae
- B. Falconidae
- C. Strigidae
- D. Anatidae
- E. Columbidae

Q7**The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) has proposed shifting insurers from IGAAP to which accounting framework?**

- A. US GAAP
- B. IFRS directly
- C. Ind AS
- D. Basel III Accounting Framework
- E. GAAP-Lite

Q8**Under SEBI's revised mutual fund categorisation norms, the portfolio overlap between thematic or sectoral funds and other equity schemes is capped at:**

- A. 25%
- B. 40%
- C. 50%
- D. 60%
- E. 75%

Q9**A Certificate of Deposit (CD) is best described as:**

- A. A long-term capital market instrument issued by governments
- B. A short-term money market instrument issued by banks
- C. A government bond issued for infrastructure financing
- D. A derivative instrument traded on stock exchanges
- E. A savings certificate issued to retail investors

Q10**The Reserve Bank of India requires banks to maintain a minimum Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) of:**

- A. 75%
- B. 90%
- C. 100%
- D. 110%
- E. 120%

ANSWERS — 4 & 5 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 B	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 B
Q6 C	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 B	Q10 C

Q1. Which of the following best describes the strategic importance of the Strait of Hormuz?

Answer C. It serves as a major maritime route for global oil and LNG shipments from the Persian Gulf

The Strait of Hormuz is one of the world's most critical energy chokepoints. A large share of global oil and LNG exports from the Persian Gulf pass through this narrow maritime passage before reaching international markets.

Q2. The Strait of Hormuz lies between which two countries?

Answer B. Iran and Oman

The Strait of Hormuz is located between Iran to the north and Oman to the south. It connects the Persian Gulf with the Gulf of Oman and ultimately the Arabian Sea, making it strategically vital for global trade and energy transport.

Q3. Under the recommendations of the 16th Finance Commission (2026–31), what percentage of the divisible tax pool has been allocated to states?

Answer C. 41%

The 16th Finance Commission retained the states' share in the divisible pool of central taxes at 41%, continuing the arrangement recommended earlier by the 15th Finance Commission.

Q4. Which of the following criteria was newly introduced in the horizontal devolution formula by the 16th Finance Commission?

Answer C. Contribution to GDP

The 16th Finance Commission introduced "Contribution to GDP" with a weight of 10% as a new parameter in the horizontal devolution formula, replacing earlier parameters such as tax effort or fiscal discipline.

Q5. The National Mobile Monitoring System (NMMS) application is primarily used in the implementation of which government scheme?

Answer B. Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme

The National Mobile Monitoring System (NMMS) app is used under MGNREGS to record worker attendance, upload geotagged photos of worksites, and improve transparency in wage payments.

Q6. The Dusky Eagle-Owl belongs to which bird family?

Answer C. Strigidae

The Dusky Eagle-Owl (Ketupa coromanda) is a large bird of prey belonging to the owl family Strigidae and is found across South and Southeast Asia.

Q7. The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) has proposed shifting insurers from IGAAP to which accounting framework?

Answer C. Ind AS

IRDAI has proposed that insurers transition from Indian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (IGAAP) to Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS), which are aligned with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

Q8. Under SEBI's revised mutual fund categorisation norms, the portfolio overlap between thematic or sectoral funds and other equity schemes is capped at:

Answer C. 50%

SEBI has capped portfolio overlap at 50% to ensure meaningful differentiation between mutual fund schemes and prevent asset management companies from launching multiple funds with similar portfolios.

Q9. A Certificate of Deposit (CD) is best described as:

Answer B. A short-term money market instrument issued by banks

Certificates of Deposit (CDs) are short-term money market instruments issued by banks to raise funds from institutional investors. Their maturity period typically ranges from 7 days to 1 year.

Q10. The Reserve Bank of India requires banks to maintain a minimum Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) of:

Answer C. 100%

The Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) ensures that banks hold enough high-quality liquid assets to meet their short-term obligations during a 30-day stress scenario. RBI mandates a minimum LCR of 100%.

QUIZ 4 OF 19

6 & 7 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 5 · Economy 2 · Reports 1 · Sci & Env 1

Q1

India's 7th National Biodiversity Report is submitted to which international convention?

- A. United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)
- B. Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)
- C. Ramsar Convention
- D. Convention on Migratory Species
- E. International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)

Q2

The Kunming–Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework (KMGBF) aims to protect what percentage of land and marine areas by 2030?

- A. 10%
- B. 20%
- C. 30%
- D. 40%
- E. 50%

Q3

The mascots "Pragati" and "Vikas" were introduced for which national initiative?

- A. National Population Policy 2025
- B. Census 2027
- C. Digital India Programme
- D. National Family Health Survey
- E. Ayushman Bharat Mission

Q4

The term "Sanand 2.0" refers to the transformation of Sanand in Gujarat into a hub for which industry?

- A. Textile manufacturing
- B. Automobile manufacturing
- C. Semiconductor manufacturing
- D. Pharmaceutical manufacturing
- E. Aerospace manufacturing

Q5

The ₹590-crore fraud uncovered in Haryana government accounts was linked to which bank?

- A. HDFC Bank
- B. ICICI Bank
- C. IDFC First Bank
- D. Punjab National Bank
- E. Axis Bank

Q6

Under RBI's proposed relief for small digital fraud victims, the maximum compensation that a customer may receive is:

- A. ₹10,000
- B. ₹15,000
- C. ₹20,000
- D. ₹25,000
- E. ₹50,000

Q7

Which organisation notified the amendments to include crypto assets and CBDCs under India's tax reporting framework?

- A. Reserve Bank of India (RBI)
- B. Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)
- C. Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT)
- D. Ministry of Finance
- E. NITI Aayog

Q8

SEBI's debit freeze facility for mutual fund folios allows investors to:

- A. Increase SIP contributions automatically
- B. Block all debit transactions from their folio
- C. Convert mutual funds into fixed deposits
- D. Transfer units automatically to another investor
- E. Increase redemption limits

Q9

SWIFT stands for:

- A. Secure Worldwide International Financial Transactions
- B. Society for Worldwide Interbank Financial Telecommunication
- C. System for Worldwide Interbank Financial Transfers
- D. Secure Wire Interbank Finance Technology
- E. Society for Worldwide Internet Financial Transactions

Q10

India and the UAE are planning to link their CBDCs for instant cross-border transfers. India's CBDC is known as:

- A. Digital Rupee
- B. e-Rupee
- C. Bharat Coin
- D. IndiaCoin
- E. RuPay Digital

ANSWERS — 6 & 7 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 C	Q3 B	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 D	Q7 C	Q8 B	Q9 B	Q10 B

Q1. India's 7th National Biodiversity Report is submitted to which international convention?

Answer B. Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)

India's 7th National Biodiversity Report has been submitted to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD). The report assesses India's progress in biodiversity conservation and alignment with the Kunming–Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework (KMGBF) targets for 2030.

Q2. The Kunming–Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework (KMGBF) aims to protect what percentage of land and marine areas by 2030?

Answer C. 30%

The Kunming–Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework introduced the "30×30 target", which aims to protect 30% of global land and marine areas by 2030 in order to halt biodiversity loss and protect ecosystems.

Q3. The mascots "Pragati" and "Vikas" were introduced for which national initiative?

Answer B. Census 2027

The Government of India unveiled the mascots "Pragati" and "Vikas" to promote awareness and participation in Census 2027. Pragati represents a female enumerator and Vikas represents a male enumerator, symbolising inclusive development.

Q4. The term "Sanand 2.0" refers to the transformation of Sanand in Gujarat into a hub for which industry?

Answer C. Semiconductor manufacturing

"Sanand 2.0" describes the transformation of Sanand in Gujarat from an automobile manufacturing hub (Sanand 1.0) into a semiconductor manufacturing ecosystem with the establishment of Micron Technology's ATMP semiconductor facility.

Q5. The ₹590-crore fraud uncovered in Haryana government accounts was linked to which bank?

Answer C. IDFC First Bank

A ₹590-crore fraud was detected in Haryana government accounts maintained at a Chandigarh branch of IDFC First Bank. The scam reportedly involved forged cheques, manipulation of bank records, and diversion of funds to private entities.

Q6. Under RBI's proposed relief for small digital fraud victims, the maximum compensation that a customer may receive is:

Answer D. ₹25,000

RBI has proposed that customers who lose up to ₹50,000 in digital fraud may receive compensation of up to ₹25,000 if the fraud is reported within five days of the incident. The cost will be shared between RBI and banks.

Q7. Which organisation notified the amendments to include crypto assets and CBDCs under India's tax reporting framework?

Answer C. Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT)

The Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) notified amendments to the Income-tax Rules, 2026, bringing crypto assets, CBDCs, and certain electronic money products under the financial account reporting framework.

Q8. SEBI's debit freeze facility for mutual fund folios allows investors to:

Answer B. Block all debit transactions from their folio

SEBI introduced a voluntary debit freeze facility that allows investors to lock their mutual fund folio. When activated, redemption, transfer, or any outflow transactions are blocked until the investor unlocks the folio.

Q9. SWIFT stands for:

Answer B. Society for Worldwide Interbank Financial Telecommunication

SWIFT is a global financial messaging network used by more than 11,000 financial institutions to securely transmit payment instructions and facilitate international banking transactions.

Q10. India and the UAE are planning to link their CBDCs for instant cross-border transfers. India's CBDC is known as:

Answer B. e-Rupee

India's Central Bank Digital Currency is called the e-Rupee and is issued by the Reserve Bank of India. India and the UAE are exploring a CBDC bridge connecting the e-Rupee with the UAE's Digital Dirham for instant cross-border payments.

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8 & 9 March 2026

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Q1

The SHINE mobile application launched by Indian Railways is primarily designed to:

- A. Track train safety incidents
- B. Report corruption in railway recruitment
- C. Enable women employees to report workplace harassment
- D. Monitor employee attendance
- E. Manage railway passenger grievances

Q2

Under the National Green Hydrogen Mission, the Government of India has announced standards for:

- A. Green steel and green cement
- B. Green ammonia and green methanol
- C. Green coal and green petroleum
- D. Bioethanol and biodiesel
- E. Hydrogen fuel cells

Q3

Very Low Earth Orbit (VLEO) satellites typically operate at an altitude of:

- A. 50–100 km
- B. 100–150 km
- C. 150–450 km
- D. 500–2000 km
- E. 2000–36000 km

Q4

The first Khelo India Tribal Games (KITG) in 2026 will be hosted by which state?

- A. Odisha
- B. Jharkhand
- C. Madhya Pradesh
- D. Chhattisgarh
- E. Gujarat

Q5

The SWAYATT initiative is associated with which government platform?

- A. Udyam Portal
- B. Government e-Marketplace (GeM)
- C. Startup India Portal
- D. Digital India Platform
- E. BharatNet

Q6

The Reserve Bank of India waived the requirement of forming a Non-Operative Financial Holding Company (NOFHC) for which bank?

- A. Equitas Small Finance Bank
- B. Jana Small Finance Bank
- C. AU Small Finance Bank
- D. Ujjivan Small Finance Bank
- E. Suryoday Small Finance Bank

Q7

Under the current regulatory framework, the risk weight assigned to retail loans for NBFCs is:

- A. 50%
- B. 60%
- C. 75%
- D. 90%
- E. 100%

Q8

Under RBI's Scale-Based Regulation (SBR) framework, large and systemically important NBFCs fall under which category?

- A. Base Layer
- B. Middle Layer
- C. Upper Layer
- D. Strategic Layer
- E. Priority Layer

Q9

The National Climate Stack Innovation Challenge was launched by:

- A. Ministry of Agriculture
- B. Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)
- C. NABARD
- D. NITI Aayog
- E. Ministry of Environment

Q10

The DiCRA platform mentioned in the National Climate Stack initiative stands for:

- A. Digital Climate Risk Assessment
- B. Data in Climate Resilient Agriculture
- C. Development in Climate Resource Analytics
- D. Digital Innovation for Climate Research in Agriculture
- E. Data Intelligence for Crop Resilience Analysis

ANSWERS — 8 & 9 MARCH 2026

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

Q1. The SHINE mobile application launched by Indian Railways is primarily designed to:

Answer C. Enable women employees to report workplace harassment

The SHINE (Sexual Harassment Incident Notification for Empowerment) app was launched by Indian Railways on International Women's Day (March 8) to provide a digital platform for women railway employees to report sexual harassment at the workplace. It is integrated with the Human Resources Management System (HRMS) and ensures confidential reporting and faster grievance redressal.

Q2. Under the National Green Hydrogen Mission, the Government of India has announced standards for:

Answer B. Green ammonia and green methanol

The Government of India has announced standards for green ammonia and green methanol to promote the production and trade of green hydrogen derivatives under the National Green Hydrogen Mission. These standards define emission thresholds and ensure transparency and credibility in green hydrogen production.

Q3. Very Low Earth Orbit (VLEO) satellites typically operate at an altitude of:

Answer C. 150–450 km

Very Low Earth Orbit (VLEO) refers to satellite orbits between 150 km and 450 km above Earth's surface. This is lower than traditional Low Earth Orbit (LEO), which generally ranges from 500 km to 2000 km. Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) and Bellatrix Aerospace have partnered to develop VLEO satellite systems.

Q4. The first Khelo India Tribal Games (KITG) in 2026 will be hosted by which state?

Answer D. Chhattisgarh

The first-ever Khelo India Tribal Games (KITG) will be held in Chhattisgarh from 25 March to 6 April 2026. The event will take place in Raipur, Jagdalpur, and Sarguja and aims to promote tribal sporting talent under the Khelo India Scheme.

Q5. The SWAYATT initiative is associated with which government platform?

Answer B. Government e-Marketplace (GeM)

SWAYATT (Startups, Women and Youth Advantage through e-Transactions) is an initiative launched in 2019 under the Government e-Marketplace (GeM). It aims to promote inclusive public procurement by enabling startups, women entrepreneurs, and youth-led enterprises to participate in government procurement.

Q6. The Reserve Bank of India waived the requirement of forming a Non-Operative Financial Holding Company (NOFHC) for which bank?

Answer C. AU Small Finance Bank

RBI relaxed the requirement of creating a Non-Operative Financial Holding Company (NOFHC) for AU Small Finance Bank as it transitions into a universal bank. However, the NOFHC structure will be required if the bank plans to establish additional financial services entities in the future.

Q7. Under the current regulatory framework, the risk weight assigned to retail loans for NBFCs is:

Answer E. 100%

NBFCs currently face a higher risk weight of 100% on retail loans, whereas banks face a lower risk weight of around 75%. This difference increases capital requirements for NBFCs and reduces their competitiveness compared to banks.

Q8. Under RBI's Scale-Based Regulation (SBR) framework, large and systemically important NBFCs fall under which category?

Answer C. Upper Layer

RBI classifies NBFCs under the Scale-Based Regulation framework into Base Layer, Middle Layer, Upper Layer, and Top Layer. Large and systemically important NBFCs fall under the Upper Layer and face stricter regulatory supervision similar to banks.

Q9. The National Climate Stack Innovation Challenge was launched by:

Answer C. NABARD

The National Climate Stack Innovation Challenge was launched by NABARD in March 2026. It aims to build a National Climate Stack to provide decision-ready climate intelligence for agriculture, rural finance, and public planning.

Q10. The DiCRA platform mentioned in the National Climate Stack initiative stands for:

Answer B. Data in Climate Resilient Agriculture

DiCRA stands for Data in Climate Resilient Agriculture. It is a digital public good platform that will be upgraded into a digital public infrastructure to support climate-resilient agriculture, rural finance planning, and climate-based policy decisions under the National Climate Stack initiative.

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10 & 11 March 2026

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Q1

According to the SIPRI Report 2025, which country emerged as the largest arms importer during 2021–2025?

- A. India
- B. Saudi Arabia
- C. Ukraine
- D. China
- E. Egypt

Q2

LaBL 2.0 initiative launched by TERI primarily focuses on which of the following?

- A. Nuclear energy expansion
- B. Urban infrastructure development
- C. Decentralised renewable energy access
- D. Defence technology innovation
- E. Artificial intelligence research

Q3

The Commission on the Status of Women (CSW) operates under which UN body?

- A. UN General Assembly
- B. UN Security Council
- C. UN Economic and Social Council
- D. UNESCO
- E. UNICEF

Q4

Under the Indian Constitution, the Chief Election Commissioner can be removed in the same manner as which of the following?

- A. President of India
- B. Prime Minister
- C. Supreme Court Judge
- D. Attorney General
- E. Comptroller and Auditor General

Q5

What is the maximum dividend payout allowed by RBI under the revised guidelines for banks?

- A. 50% of net profit
- B. 60% of PAT
- C. 75% of PAT
- D. 90% of PAT
- E. 100% of PAT

Q6

In Open Market Operations (OMO), what happens when RBI purchases government securities?

- A. Liquidity decreases
- B. Interest rates increase
- C. Liquidity increases
- D. Inflation rises immediately
- E. Currency depreciates

Q7

What is the key benefit of allowing NBFCs to include quarterly profits in their capital base?

- A. Reduction in tax liability
- B. Increased lending capacity
- C. Elimination of NPAs
- D. Lower interest rates
- E. Reduced regulatory compliance

Q8

What is the main objective of green bonds issued by banks like Bank of Baroda?

- A. Funding defence projects
- B. Financing government salaries
- C. Supporting environmentally sustainable projects
- D. Increasing foreign exchange reserves
- E. Funding infrastructure unrelated to climate

Q9

What percentage of agricultural landholdings in India are owned by women?

- A. 10.5%
- B. 13.9%
- C. 25%
- D. 33%
- E. 50%

Q10

Which initiative specifically promotes sustainable agriculture practices among women farmers?

- A. PM-KISAN
- B. Namo Drone Didi Scheme
- C. Mahila Kisan Sashaktikaran Pariyojana
- D. PM Fasal Bima Yojana
- E. Soil Health Card Scheme

ANSWERS — 10 & 11 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 C	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 C	Q7 B	Q8 C	Q9 B	Q10 C

Q1. According to the SIPRI Report 2025, which country emerged as the largest arms importer during 2021–2025?

Answer C. Ukraine

As per the SIPRI Report 2025, Ukraine became the largest arms importer with a share of 9.7% of global arms imports, mainly due to the ongoing conflict with Russia.

Q2. LaBL 2.0 initiative launched by TERI primarily focuses on which of the following?

Answer C. Decentralised renewable energy access

LaBL 2.0 (Lighting a Billion Lives 2.0) is a decentralised renewable energy programme aimed at providing clean energy access in rural and underserved areas.

Q3. The Commission on the Status of Women (CSW) operates under which UN body?

Answer C. UN Economic and Social Council

CSW is a functional commission of the UN Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC), established in 1946 to promote gender equality and women's empowerment.

Q4. Under the Indian Constitution, the Chief Election Commissioner can be removed in the same manner as which of the following?

Answer C. Supreme Court Judge

As per Article 324(5), the Chief Election Commissioner can only be removed in the same manner and on the same grounds as a judge of the Supreme Court, ensuring independence of the Election Commission.

Q5. What is the maximum dividend payout allowed by RBI under the revised guidelines for banks?

Answer C. 75% of PAT

RBI has capped dividend payouts at 75% of Profit After Tax (PAT), subject to conditions like capital adequacy and asset quality.

Q6. In Open Market Operations (OMO), what happens when RBI purchases government securities?

Answer C. Liquidity increases

When RBI purchases government securities, it injects money into the banking system, thereby increasing liquidity.

Q7. What is the key benefit of allowing NBFCs to include quarterly profits in their capital base?

Answer B. Increased lending capacity

Recognising quarterly profits as capital allows NBFCs to expand lending and investment activities during the financial year.

Q8. What is the main objective of green bonds issued by banks like Bank of Baroda?

Answer C. Supporting environmentally sustainable projects

Green bonds are used to raise funds for projects with environmental benefits such as renewable energy and sustainable infrastructure.

Q9. What percentage of agricultural landholdings in India are owned by women?

Answer B. 13.9%

Only 13.9% of agricultural landholdings in India are owned by women, limiting their access to institutional credit and government schemes.

Q10. Which initiative specifically promotes sustainable agriculture practices among women farmers?

Answer C. Mahila Kisan Sashaktikaran Pariyojana

This programme focuses on empowering women farmers by promoting sustainable agricultural practices and improving their participation in decision-making.

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1213 & 14 March 2026

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Q1

The Fiscal Health Index (FHI) released by NITI Aayog evaluates states based on how many core pillars?

- A. 3
- B. 4
- C. 5
- D. 6
- E. 7

Q2

Which state ranked first in the Fiscal Health Index (FY 2023–24)?

- A. Gujarat
- B. Maharashtra
- C. Odisha
- D. Goa
- E. Jharkhand

Q3

Jal Jeevan Mission 2.0 aims to shift focus from infrastructure creation to:

- A. Urban water supply
- B. Irrigation expansion
- C. Reliable service delivery
- D. River linking
- E. Water privatization

Q4

Passive euthanasia in India involves:

- A. Administering lethal injection
- B. Actively ending life
- C. Withdrawing life-support treatment
- D. Physician-assisted suicide
- E. None of the above

Q5

The Reserve Bank of India asked banks to report which type of exposure related to the Middle East?

- A. Only direct loans
- B. Only indirect exposure
- C. Only trade finance
- D. Direct, indirect, and contingent liabilities
- E. Only forex reserves

Q6**In the co-lending model, which of the following is TRUE?**

- A. Only banks provide loans
- B. Only NBFCs provide funds
- C. Banks and NBFCs jointly lend
- D. Government provides loans directly
- E. Only foreign banks are involved

Q7**Under RBI's Scale-Based Regulation (SBR), which NBFC layer includes systemically important entities?**

- A. Base Layer
- B. Middle Layer
- C. Upper Layer
- D. Top Layer
- E. Retail Layer

Q8**SEBI's new rules on intraday borrowing by mutual funds aim to:**

- A. Increase speculation
- B. Promote long-term investment
- C. Ensure liquidity and prevent misuse
- D. Reduce stock market trading
- E. Eliminate borrowing

Q9**Bhavantar Bhugtan Yojana (BBY) is an example of which type of scheme?**

- A. Crop insurance scheme
- B. Subsidy scheme
- C. Price Deficiency Payment Scheme
- D. Loan waiver scheme
- E. Irrigation scheme

Q10**Joha rice, recently exported from India, is primarily grown in which state?**

- A. West Bengal
- B. Odisha
- C. Assam
- D. Bihar
- E. Uttar Pradesh

ANSWERS — 1213 & 14 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 C	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 D
Q6 C	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 C	Q10 C

Q1. The Fiscal Health Index (FHI) released by NITI Aayog evaluates states based on how many core pillars?

Answer C. 5

The Fiscal Health Index evaluates states based on five pillars: Quality of Expenditure, Revenue Mobilisation, Fiscal Prudence, Debt Index, and Debt Sustainability.

Q2. Which state ranked first in the Fiscal Health Index (FY 2023–24)?

Answer C. Odisha

Odisha secured Rank 1 with a score of 73.1 due to strong fiscal management, stable revenues, and controlled deficits.

Q3. Jal Jeevan Mission 2.0 aims to shift focus from infrastructure creation to:

Answer C. Reliable service delivery

JJM 2.0 focuses on ensuring reliable and sustainable water supply services rather than just providing tap connections.

Q4. Passive euthanasia in India involves:

Answer C. Withdrawing life-support treatment

Passive euthanasia involves withholding or withdrawing life-sustaining treatment and is permitted in India under Supreme Court guidelines.

Q5. The Reserve Bank of India asked banks to report which type of exposure related to the Middle East?

Answer D. Direct, indirect, and contingent liabilities

RBI requested detailed reporting including direct loans, indirect exposure, and contingent liabilities such as guarantees and letters of credit.

Q6. In the co-lending model, which of the following is TRUE?

Answer C. Banks and NBFCs jointly lend

In co-lending, banks provide low-cost funds while NBFCs handle customer reach and loan origination.

Q7. Under RBI's Scale-Based Regulation (SBR), which NBFC layer includes systemically important entities?

Answer C. Upper Layer

The Upper Layer consists of systemically important NBFCs that require stricter regulatory oversight.

Q8. SEBI's new rules on intraday borrowing by mutual funds aim to:

Answer C. Ensure liquidity and prevent misuse

SEBI introduced rules to allow borrowing only for specific purposes and prevent speculative misuse, ensuring investor protection.

Q9. Bhavantar Bhugtan Yojana (BBY) is an example of which type of scheme?

Answer C. Price Deficiency Payment Scheme

BBY compensates farmers when market prices fall below MSP by paying the difference directly.

Q10. Joha rice, recently exported from India, is primarily grown in which state?

Answer C. Assam

Joha rice is a GI-tagged aromatic rice variety from Assam, known for its fragrance and cultural significance.

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15 & 16 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 4 · Schemes 3 · Agri & Rural 2 · Sci & Env 1

Q1

Purple Fest is primarily organised to promote which of the following?

- A. Digital literacy in rural areas
- B. Awareness about climate change
- C. Inclusivity and dignity of persons with disabilities
- D. Urban waste management
- E. Financial inclusion

Q2

Dumpsite Remediation Accelerator Programme (DRAP) is implemented under which mission?

- A. Smart Cities Mission
- B. AMRUT
- C. Swachh Bharat Mission – Urban 2.0
- D. National Clean Air Programme
- E. Jal Jeevan Mission

Q3

The Great Indian Bustard is classified under which category in the IUCN Red List?

- A. Vulnerable
- B. Endangered
- C. Near Threatened
- D. Critically Endangered
- E. Least Concern

Q4

The Samridh Gram Phygital Services Initiative is built on which infrastructure?

- A. India Stack
- B. BharatNet
- C. Aadhaar Network
- D. Digital India Platform
- E. National Knowledge Network

Q5

The RBI's "Awareness Program on Digital Payments" was launched as part of which event?

- A. Financial Literacy Week
- B. Digital India Campaign
- C. Digital Payments Awareness Week (DPAW)
- D. Banking Reforms Summit
- E. Jan Dhan Mission

Q6

Bancassurance refers to:

- A. Insurance provided by the government
- B. Banks insuring their deposits
- C. Partnership where banks sell insurance products
- D. Digital-only insurance services
- E. Insurance for agriculture loans

Q7

Which RBI tool involves buying government bonds to inject liquidity into the system?

- A. Repo Rate
- B. Reverse Repo Rate
- C. Cash Reserve Ratio
- D. Open Market Operations
- E. Statutory Liquidity Ratio

Q8

Mis-selling in bancassurance mainly refers to:

- A. Selling insurance at low prices
- B. Selling policies without government approval
- C. Selling unsuitable insurance products to customers
- D. Selling policies online only
- E. Offering insurance only to corporates

Q9

Which agricultural product is most vulnerable due to high export dependence on West Asia?

- A. Wheat
- B. Rice
- C. Pulses
- D. Sugar
- E. Cotton

Q10

Which allied sector has shown the highest average annual growth in recent years?

- A. Crop sector
- B. Livestock
- C. Fisheries
- D. Horticulture
- E. Agro-forestry

ANSWERS — 15 & 16 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 C	Q3 D	Q4 B	Q5 C
Q6 C	Q7 D	Q8 C	Q9 B	Q10 C

Q1. Purple Fest is primarily organised to promote which of the following?**Answer** C. Inclusivity and dignity of persons with disabilities

Purple Fest is organised by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment to celebrate the achievements of Divyangjan and promote inclusivity, awareness, and equal participation in society.

Q2. Dumpsite Remediation Accelerator Programme (DRAP) is implemented under which mission?

Answer C. Swachh Bharat Mission – Urban 2.0

DRAP is a one-year targeted programme launched under Swachh Bharat Mission – Urban 2.0 to clear legacy waste dumpsites and reclaim land for productive use.

Q3. The Great Indian Bustard is classified under which category in the IUCN Red List?

Answer D. Critically Endangered

The Great Indian Bustard is one of the most endangered bird species and is classified as Critically Endangered in the IUCN Red List, receiving the highest level of protection.

Q4. The Samridh Gram Phyigital Services Initiative is built on which infrastructure?

Answer B. BharatNet

The initiative uses BharatNet rural broadband infrastructure to provide integrated “phyigital” services through village-level Samridhi Kendras.

Q5. The RBI’s “Awareness Program on Digital Payments” was launched as part of which event?

Answer C. Digital Payments Awareness Week (DPAW)

The RBI launched this initiative during the 6th edition of Digital Payments Awareness Week (March 9–13, 2026) to promote safe digital transactions and financial literacy.

Q6. Bancassurance refers to:

Answer C. Partnership where banks sell insurance products

Bancassurance is a model where banks distribute insurance products of insurance companies through their branches to customers.

Q7. Which RBI tool involves buying government bonds to inject liquidity into the system?

Answer D. Open Market Operations

Under Open Market Operations (OMOs), RBI purchases government securities from the market, thereby injecting liquidity into the banking system.

Q8. Mis-selling in bancassurance mainly refers to:

Answer C. Selling unsuitable insurance products to customers

Mis-selling occurs when customers are misled or pressured into buying insurance products that do not match their financial needs or capacity.

Q9. Which agricultural product is most vulnerable due to high export dependence on West Asia?

Answer B. Rice

Rice exports are highly dependent on West Asian markets, making them particularly vulnerable to disruptions caused by geopolitical tensions.

Q10. Which allied sector has shown the highest average annual growth in recent years?

Answer C. Fisheries

Fisheries have grown at around 8.8% annually, higher than livestock (7.1%) and crop sector (3.5%), making it the fastest-growing allied agricultural sector.

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17 March 2026

10 questions · Sci & Env 4 · Banking 3 · Misc GA 2 · Schemes 1

Q1

The failure of an atomic clock was recently reported in which satellite system of India?

- A. GAGAN
- B. NavIC
- C. INSAT
- D. Cartosat
- E. RISAT

Q2

Atomic clocks used in navigation satellites typically operate based on which elements?

- A. Uranium and Thorium
- B. Hydrogen and Oxygen
- C. Rubidium or Cesium
- D. Lithium and Sodium
- E. Carbon and Nitrogen

Q3

How many satellites are required at minimum for accurate trilateration in satellite navigation?

- A. 2
- B. 3
- C. 4
- D. 5
- E. 6

Q4

The Pinaka Multi-Barrel Rocket Launcher system has been developed by which organization?

- A. HAL
- B. ISRO
- C. DRDO
- D. BEL
- E. BARC

Q5

What is the firing capability of a single Pinaka launcher?

- A. 6 rockets in 30 seconds
- B. 10 rockets in 60 seconds
- C. 12 rockets in 44 seconds
- D. 15 rockets in 50 seconds
- E. 20 rockets in 90 seconds

Q6
Sujal Gaon ID is associated with which mission?

- A. Swachh Bharat Mission
- B. Jal Jeevan Mission
- C. AMRUT Mission
- D. Smart Cities Mission
- E. PMGSY

Q7
Megamalai Wildlife Sanctuary is located in which state?

- A. Kerala
- B. Karnataka
- C. Tamil Nadu
- D. Andhra Pradesh
- E. Odisha

Q8
SEBI has proposed the launch of which digital platform for regulatory guidance?

- A. SEBI Connect
- B. SEBI Link
- C. SEBI Setu
- D. SEBI Bridge
- E. SEBI Portal

Q9
SEBI's working group aims to review overlap between which two entities?

- A. Banks and NBFCs
- B. Stock Brokers and Depositories
- C. Mutual Fund Distributors and Investment Advisers
- D. Insurance Companies and Brokers
- E. AMCs and Custodians

Q10
Which institute will provide simplified certification for advisory professionals as per SEBI measures?

- A. RBI Academy
- B. IIMs
- C. NISM
- D. ICAI
- E. SEBI Institute

ANSWERS — 17 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 C	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 B	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 C	Q10 C

Q1. The failure of an atomic clock was recently reported in which satellite system of India?

Answer B. NavIC

The atomic clock failure was reported in the NavIC system, specifically onboard IRNSS-1F, affecting navigation accuracy.

Q2. Atomic clocks used in navigation satellites typically operate based on which elements?

Answer C. Rubidium or Cesium

Atomic clocks use vibrations of Rubidium or Cesium atoms to maintain highly precise time.

Q3. How many satellites are required at minimum for accurate trilateration in satellite navigation?

Answer C. 4

At least four satellites are required to determine position accurately (latitude, longitude, altitude, and time).

Q4. The Pinaka Multi-Barrel Rocket Launcher system has been developed by which organization?

Answer C. DRDO

The Pinaka system was developed by ARDE under DRDO.

Q5. What is the firing capability of a single Pinaka launcher?

Answer C. 12 rockets in 44 seconds

A single Pinaka launcher can fire 12 rockets in less than 44 seconds.

Q6. Sujal Gaon ID is associated with which mission?

Answer B. Jal Jeevan Mission

Sujal Gaon ID is launched under Jal Jeevan Mission 2.0 for digital mapping of rural water supply.

Q7. Megamalai Wildlife Sanctuary is located in which state?

Answer C. Tamil Nadu

Megamalai Wildlife Sanctuary is located in Tamil Nadu and is part of a tiger reserve.

Q8. SEBI has proposed the launch of which digital platform for regulatory guidance?

Answer C. SEBI Setu

SEBI Setu will provide end-to-end regulatory guidance and compliance support.

Q9. SEBI's working group aims to review overlap between which two entities?

Answer C. Mutual Fund Distributors and Investment Advisers

The group will address regulatory overlaps between MFDs and IAs.

Q10. Which institute will provide simplified certification for advisory professionals as per SEBI measures?

Answer C. NISM

NISM will offer simplified certification modules for advisory professionals.

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18 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 3 · Schemes 2 · Reports 2 · Agri & Rural 2

Q1**The Government of India withdrew the Jan Vishwas (Amendment of Provisions) Bill, 2025 primarily for what reason?**

- A. Lack of parliamentary majority
- B. Opposition protests
- C. To introduce modifications and improvements
- D. Financial constraints
- E. Judicial intervention

Q2**According to the "State of Working India 2026" report by Azim Premji University, what percentage of unemployed youth (20–29 years) were graduates in 2023?**

- A. 32%
- B. 45%
- C. 50%
- D. 67%
- E. 75%

Q3**Exercise Sea Dragon is primarily focused on which of the following operations?**

- A. Cyber warfare
- B. Anti-submarine warfare
- C. Space surveillance
- D. Air defence drills
- E. Nuclear deterrence

Q4**The proposed Public Insurance Registry (PIR) by Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India aims to:**

- A. Replace all private insurance companies
- B. Create a unified insurance data infrastructure
- C. Eliminate insurance intermediaries
- D. Fix premium rates
- E. Provide loans to insurers

Q5**The ".bank.in" domain launched by Reserve Bank of India is mainly intended to:**

- A. Promote digital lending
- B. Improve banking profitability
- C. Enhance cybersecurity in digital banking
- D. Increase foreign investment
- E. Replace IFSC codes

Q6

Under RBI's new acquisition finance rules, what is the maximum bank financing allowed for acquisitions?

- A. 50%
- B. 60%
- C. 70%
- D. 75%
- E. 90%

Q7

According to the Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations report, what percentage of India's fertiliser value chain depends on imports?

- A. 45%
- B. 55%
- C. 68.6%
- D. 75%
- E. 80%

Q8

The ICRIER paper recommends bringing urea under which scheme?

- A. MSP Scheme
- B. PM-KISAN
- C. Nutrient-Based Subsidy (NBS)
- D. Soil Health Card Scheme
- E. PMFBY

Q9

The Asia-Africa Agri Alliance (AAAA) is established as what type of institution?

- A. Public Sector Undertaking
- B. Private Company
- C. Section 8 not-for-profit organisation
- D. Cooperative Society
- E. Multilateral Bank

Q10

Which of the following is a key objective of the Asia-Africa Agri Alliance (AAAA)?

- A. Military cooperation
- B. Space exploration
- C. Agricultural trade and technology transfer
- D. Currency exchange regulation
- E. Tourism promotion

ANSWERS — 18 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 D	Q3 B	Q4 B	Q5 C
Q6 D	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 C	Q10 C

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Q1. The Government of India withdrew the Jan Vishwas (Amendment of Provisions) Bill, 2025 primarily for what reason?

Answer C. To introduce modifications and improvements

The government withdrew the bill to rework provisions and introduce improvements before re-presenting it in Parliament.

Q2. According to the “State of Working India 2026” report by Azim Premji University, what percentage of unemployed youth (20–29 years) were graduates in 2023?

Answer D. 67%

The report highlights that 67% of unemployed youth in 2023 were graduates, showing a sharp rise in educated unemployment.

Q3. Exercise Sea Dragon is primarily focused on which of the following operations?

Answer B. Anti-submarine warfare

Exercise Sea Dragon is a multinational ASW exercise led by the United States Navy to enhance maritime surveillance and anti-submarine capabilities.

Q4. The proposed Public Insurance Registry (PIR) by Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India aims to:

Answer B. Create a unified insurance data infrastructure

PIR will consolidate insurance data across the lifecycle of policies to improve transparency, fraud detection, and customer experience.

Q5. The “.bank.in” domain launched by Reserve Bank of India is mainly intended to:

Answer C. Enhance cybersecurity in digital banking

The .bank.in domain is a dedicated secure domain to reduce phishing and increase trust in digital banking systems.

Q6. Under RBI’s new acquisition finance rules, what is the maximum bank financing allowed for acquisitions?

Answer D. 75%

RBI has capped bank financing for acquisitions at 75% of the deal value, requiring at least 25% equity contribution from the acquirer.

Q7. According to the Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations report, what percentage of India’s fertiliser value chain depends on imports?

Answer C. 68.6%

The report highlights that 68.6% of India’s fertiliser value chain depends on imports, making it vulnerable to global shocks.

Q8. The ICRIER paper recommends bringing urea under which scheme?

Answer C. Nutrient-Based Subsidy (NBS)

Bringing urea under NBS will promote balanced fertiliser use and reduce excessive nitrogen consumption.

Q9. The Asia-Africa Agri Alliance (AAAA) is established as what type of institution?

Answer C. Section 8 not-for-profit organisation

AAAA is a Section 8 institution aimed at promoting agricultural cooperation between Asia and Africa.

Q10. Which of the following is a key objective of the Asia-Africa Agri Alliance (AAAA)?

Answer C. Agricultural trade and technology transfer

AAAA focuses on trade, investment, technology transfer, and capacity building in agriculture between Asia and Africa.

QUIZ 11 OF 19

19 March 2026

10 questions · Economy 3 · Schemes 2 · Misc GA 2 · Banking 2

Q1

Which Article of the Constitution mandates that no money can be withdrawn from the Consolidated Fund of India without Parliamentary approval?

- A. Article 110
- B. Article 112
- C. Article 114
- D. Article 116
- E. Article 123

Q2

The Appropriation Bill is classified as which type of bill?

- A. Financial Bill Type I
- B. Constitutional Amendment Bill
- C. Ordinary Bill
- D. Money Bill
- E. Finance Bill

Q3

Which of the following expenditures is NOT voted by the Lok Sabha?

- A. Defence expenditure
- B. Infrastructure spending
- C. Charged expenditure
- D. Welfare schemes
- E. Subsidy expenditure

Q4

The Economic Stabilisation Fund is primarily aimed at:

- A. Reducing fiscal deficit permanently
- B. Providing financial buffer during economic shocks
- C. Funding infrastructure projects
- D. Supporting MSMEs only
- E. Managing tax collection

Q5

The BHAVYA Scheme aims to develop how many industrial parks by 2032?

- A. 50
- B. 75
- C. 100
- D. 150
- E. 200

Q6

Domestic Systemically Important Banks (D-SIBs) are often referred to as:

- A. Priority Sector Banks
- B. Development Banks
- C. Too Big to Fail Banks
- D. Cooperative Banks
- E. Shadow Banks

Q7

Which of the following banks is NOT currently classified as a D-SIB in India?

- A. State Bank of India
- B. HDFC Bank
- C. ICICI Bank
- D. Punjab National Bank
- E. None of the above

Q8

CCUS technology is mainly used for:

- A. Soil fertility improvement
- B. Capturing carbon from industrial emissions
- C. Irrigation efficiency
- D. Crop diversification
- E. Livestock management

Q9

Why is agriculture generally not suitable for CCUS?

- A. High cost
- B. Lack of farmers
- C. Diffuse and biological nature of emissions
- D. Lack of government support
- E. Low productivity

Q10

India's global rank in coconut production is:

- A. 2nd
- B. 3rd
- C. 5th
- D. 1st
- E. 4th

ANSWERS — 19 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 D	Q3 C	Q4 B	Q5 C
Q6 C	Q7 D	Q8 B	Q9 C	Q10 D

Q1. Which Article of the Constitution mandates that no money can be withdrawn from the Consolidated Fund of India without Parliamentary approval?

Answer C. Article 114

Article 114 states that no money can be withdrawn from the Consolidated Fund of India without approval through an Appropriation Act passed by Parliament.

Q2. The Appropriation Bill is classified as which type of bill?

Answer D. Money Bill

The Appropriation Bill is classified as a Money Bill under Article 110 because it deals with withdrawal of funds from the Consolidated Fund of India.

Q3. Which of the following expenditures is NOT voted by the Lok Sabha?

Answer C. Charged expenditure

Charged expenditure (e.g., salaries of President, Supreme Court judges, CAG) is not subject to voting in Lok Sabha.

Q4. The Economic Stabilisation Fund is primarily aimed at:

Answer B. Providing financial buffer during economic shocks

The fund is designed to handle global uncertainties like oil shocks, supply disruptions, and geopolitical conflicts without disturbing fiscal stability.

Q5. The BHAVYA Scheme aims to develop how many industrial parks by 2032?

Answer C. 100

Under the BHAVYA Scheme, the government plans to develop 100 plug-and-play industrial parks across India by 2032.

Q6. Domestic Systemically Important Banks (D-SIBs) are often referred to as:

Answer C. Too Big to Fail Banks

D-SIBs are called "Too Big to Fail" because their failure can disrupt the entire financial system and economy.

Q7. Which of the following banks is NOT currently classified as a D-SIB in India?

Answer D. Punjab National Bank

Currently, SBI, HDFC Bank, and ICICI Bank are classified as D-SIBs. Punjab National Bank is not on the list.

Q8. CCUS technology is mainly used for:

Answer B. Capturing carbon from industrial emissions

CCUS (Carbon Capture, Utilization, and Storage) captures CO₂ from industrial sources and stores or reuses it to reduce emissions.

Q9. Why is agriculture generally not suitable for CCUS?

Answer C. Diffuse and biological nature of emissions

Agricultural emissions are spread across fields and involve gases like methane and nitrous oxide, making CCUS unsuitable.

Q10. India's global rank in coconut production is:

Answer D. 1st

India is the world's largest producer of coconut with a share of about 30.37% in global production.

QUIZ 12 OF 19

20 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 3 · Reports 2 · Economy 2 · Agri & Rural 2

Q1**Which theme was highlighted in the World Happiness Report 2026?**

- A. Climate Change and Happiness
- B. Happiness and Social Media
- C. Global Peace and Stability
- D. Economic Growth and Happiness
- E. Digital Economy and Well-being

Q2**What was India's rank in the World Happiness Report 2026?**

- A. 99th
- B. 104th
- C. 116th
- D. 127th
- E. 134th

Q3**The Krishi Sakhi Initiative is launched to primarily benefit which group?**

- A. Urban entrepreneurs
- B. MSME workers
- C. Women farmers
- D. Exporters
- E. Industrial laborers

Q4**Which organization is responsible for implementing the BHAVYA scheme?**

- A. NITI Aayog
- B. Ministry of Finance
- C. National Industrial Corridor Development Corporation
- D. SEBI
- E. NABARD

Q5**The ALMM framework was expanded to include which additional components of solar manufacturing?**

- A. Solar panels only
- B. Solar batteries
- C. Solar inverters
- D. Solar ingots and wafers
- E. Solar tracking systems

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Q6

What is the primary purpose of a Variable Rate Repo (VRR) auction conducted by RBI?

- A. Control inflation permanently
- B. Manage short-term liquidity
- C. Finance government deficit
- D. Regulate foreign exchange
- E. Control fiscal deficit

Q7

Which facility allows banks to park surplus funds with RBI without collateral?

- A. Repo Rate Facility
- B. Marginal Standing Facility
- C. Standing Deposit Facility
- D. Open Market Operations
- E. Reverse Repo

Q8

The depreciation of the Indian rupee to ₹93.72 per dollar was mainly due to which factor?

- A. Increase in exports
- B. Fall in interest rates
- C. Surge in crude oil prices
- D. Increase in remittances
- E. Rise in agricultural output

Q9

The West Asia conflict affects Indian agriculture primarily through which channel?

- A. Increase in rainfall
- B. Decrease in labor supply
- C. Rise in input costs like fuel and fertilizers
- D. Increase in land productivity
- E. Technological advancements

Q10

India imports a significant amount of fertilizers from which region?

- A. Europe
- B. North America
- C. West Asia
- D. East Asia
- E. Africa

ANSWERS — 20 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 C	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 D
Q6 B	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 C	Q10 C

Q1. Which theme was highlighted in the World Happiness Report 2026?

Answer B. Happiness and Social Media

The World Happiness Report 2026 focused on the theme "Happiness and Social Media," analyzing the impact of digital platforms on well-being.

Q2. What was India's rank in the World Happiness Report 2026?

Answer C. 116th

India ranked 116th in 2026, showing gradual improvement from 118th (2024) and 126th (2023), though still behind some regional peers.

Q3. The Krishi Sakhi Initiative is launched to primarily benefit which group?

Answer C. Women farmers

The Krishi Sakhi Initiative aims to empower women farmers by increasing their participation in agriculture and improving awareness of crop insurance schemes.

Q4. Which organization is responsible for implementing the BHAVYA scheme?

Answer C. National Industrial Corridor Development Corporation

BHAVYA is implemented by the National Industrial Corridor Development Corporation under the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade.

Q5. The ALMM framework was expanded to include which additional components of solar manufacturing?

Answer D. Solar ingots and wafers

The ALMM framework has been expanded to include solar ingots and wafers to strengthen domestic manufacturing and reduce import dependence.

Q6. What is the primary purpose of a Variable Rate Repo (VRR) auction conducted by RBI?

Answer B. Manage short-term liquidity

VRR auctions are used by RBI to inject liquidity into the banking system for short durations, helping manage temporary liquidity mismatches.

Q7. Which facility allows banks to park surplus funds with RBI without collateral?

Answer C. Standing Deposit Facility

The Standing Deposit Facility (SDF) allows banks to deposit surplus funds with RBI without requiring collateral and acts as the floor of the liquidity corridor.

Q8. The depreciation of the Indian rupee to ₹93.72 per dollar was mainly due to which factor?

Answer C. Surge in crude oil prices

Rising crude oil prices increased the import bill and dollar demand, leading to depreciation of the rupee.

Q9. The West Asia conflict affects Indian agriculture primarily through which channel?

Answer C. Rise in input costs like fuel and fertilizers

Higher crude oil and gas prices increase diesel and fertilizer costs, raising overall agricultural input costs and reducing farmer profitability.

Q10. India imports a significant amount of fertilizers from which region?

Answer C. West Asia

India depends on West Asian countries like Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Oman, and UAE for fertilizer imports, making it vulnerable to geopolitical disruptions.

QUIZ 13 OF 19

21 & 22 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 5 · Schemes 2 · Misc GA 1 · Economy 1

Q1**Suraksha Sankalp Karyashala is primarily related to which sector?**

- A. Agriculture Development
- B. HIV/AIDS Management
- C. Rural Employment
- D. Education Reform
- E. Digital Governance

Q2**The Suraksha Sankalp Karyashala focuses on how many priority districts in India?**

- A. 150
- B. 180
- C. 200
- D. 219
- E. 250

Q3**The 95:95:95 (or 95:95:99) targets under HIV/AIDS aim to achieve which of the following?**

- A. Vaccination coverage
- B. Disease eradication through sanitation
- C. Diagnosis, treatment, and viral suppression
- D. Universal health insurance
- E. Nutritional security

Q4**PRARAMBH 2026 is associated with which major reform?**

- A. GST Amendment
- B. Labour Code Implementation
- C. New Income Tax Act, 2025
- D. Banking Regulation Act
- E. SEBI Reforms

Q5**Which AI-based tool has been introduced under PRARAMBH 2026?**

- A. Tax Mitra
- B. Kar Saathi
- C. Digi Tax Helper
- D. FinBot
- E. Bharat AI

Q6**Interest Subvention on Export Credit is mainly intended to:**

- A. Increase export taxes
- B. Provide subsidies to importers
- C. Reduce cost of borrowing for exporters
- D. Promote domestic consumption
- E. Strengthen banking capital

Q7**Under the revised export credit interest subvention scheme, when does the benefit stop?**

- A. After 6 months
- B. After loan restructuring
- C. When loan becomes NPA
- D. After export completion
- E. After RBI approval

Q8**The revised export credit interest subvention scheme is applicable to loans disbursed after:**

- A. January 1, 2025
- B. April 1, 2025
- C. January 2, 2026
- D. March 31, 2026
- E. July 1, 2026

Q9**The recent depreciation of the Indian Rupee to ₹93.72 per US dollar was mainly driven by:**

- A. Increase in exports
- B. Decline in imports
- C. High dollar demand and rising crude oil prices
- D. RBI intervention
- E. Decrease in inflation

Q10**What is the current repo rate mentioned after RBI's rate cuts since February 2025?**

- A. 4.50%
- B. 5.00%
- C. 5.25%
- D. 5.75%
- E. 6.00%

ANSWERS — 21 & 22 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 D	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 B
Q6 C	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 C	Q10 C

Q1. Suraksha Sankalp Karyashala is primarily related to which sector?**Answer** B. HIV/AIDS Management

Suraksha Sankalp Karyashala is a national-level workshop initiative organised by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare through NACO to strengthen HIV/AIDS management at the district level.

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Q2. The Suraksha Sankalp Karyashala focuses on how many priority districts in India?

Answer D. 219

The initiative adopts a district-focused strategy covering 219 priority districts with localized interventions based on data analysis.

Q3. The 95:95:95 (or 95:95:99) targets under HIV/AIDS aim to achieve which of the following?

Answer C. Diagnosis, treatment, and viral suppression

The targets aim for 95% of people knowing their HIV status, 95% of diagnosed individuals receiving treatment, and 95–99% achieving viral suppression.

Q4. PRARAMBH 2026 is associated with which major reform?

Answer C. New Income Tax Act, 2025

PRARAMBH 2026 is a nationwide awareness campaign to ensure smooth implementation of the new Income Tax Act, 2025 effective from 1 April 2026.

Q5. Which AI-based tool has been introduced under PRARAMBH 2026?

Answer B. Kar Saathi

‘Kar Saathi’ is an AI chatbot introduced to provide real-time assistance and simplify taxpayer queries under PRARAMBH 2026.

Q6. Interest Subvention on Export Credit is mainly intended to:

Answer C. Reduce cost of borrowing for exporters

Interest subvention is an interest subsidy provided to exporters on pre- and post-shipment credit to make financing cheaper, especially for MSMEs.

Q7. Under the revised export credit interest subvention scheme, when does the benefit stop?

Answer C. When loan becomes NPA

As per the revised norms, interest subvention is discontinued from the date the loan is classified as a Non-Performing Asset (NPA).

Q8. The revised export credit interest subvention scheme is applicable to loans disbursed after:

Answer C. January 2, 2026

The scheme applies only to export credit disbursed on or after January 2, 2026, ensuring new loans follow updated norms.

Q9. The recent depreciation of the Indian Rupee to ₹93.72 per US dollar was mainly driven by:

Answer C. High dollar demand and rising crude oil prices

The rupee depreciated due to increased demand for dollars by importers and a surge in global crude oil prices, impacting India's import bill.

Q10. What is the current repo rate mentioned after RBI's rate cuts since February 2025?

Answer C. 5.25%

After reducing the repo rate by 125 basis points since February 2025, the RBI has maintained the current repo rate at 5.25%.

QUIZ 14 OF 19

23 March 2026

10 questions · Agri & Rural 4 · Banking 2 · Schemes 1 · Economy 1

Q1

The Corporate Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2026 proposes to amend which of the following Acts?

- A. Companies Act, 2013 only
- B. LLP Act, 2008 only
- C. Both Companies Act, 2013 and LLP Act, 2008
- D. Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016
- E. SEBI Act, 1992

Q2

What is the primary objective of the Finance Bill, 2026?

- A. To regulate corporate governance
- B. To implement Union Budget proposals
- C. To amend labour laws
- D. To regulate banking sector
- E. To control inflation

Q3

Exercise Lamitiye 2026 is conducted between India and which country?

- A. Maldives
- B. Sri Lanka
- C. Seychelles
- D. Mauritius
- E. Indonesia

Q4

The National DMF Summit 2026 focuses on improving the utilisation of funds under which programme?

- A. Smart Cities Mission
- B. Aspirational Districts Programme
- C. PM Gati Shakti
- D. Digital India Mission
- E. Make in India

Q5

What is the key reform proposed by SEBI regarding Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPIs)?

- A. Introduction of new taxes
- B. Netting of funds for settlement
- C. Ban on intraday trading
- D. Restriction on foreign investment
- E. Mandatory listing of all FPIs

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Q6

The UPI-linked overdraft facility launched by Bank of Baroda is targeted at:

- A. Corporate firms
- B. Urban salaried individuals
- C. Women SHG members with PMJDY accounts
- D. Foreign investors
- E. MSMEs only

Q7

The Depositor Education and Awareness (DEA) Fund is managed by:

- A. SEBI
- B. Ministry of Finance
- C. RBI
- D. NABARD
- E. SIDBI

Q8

Real-time crop monitoring primarily uses which of the following technologies?

- A. Blockchain only
- B. AI and IoT sensors
- C. Manual surveys
- D. Paper-based records
- E. Telephone-based reporting

Q9

What is the main benefit of using QR codes in agricultural supply chains?

- A. Increase crop yield
- B. Reduce labour cost
- C. Provide traceability and transparency
- D. Improve irrigation
- E. Reduce pesticide usage

Q10

How does Artificial Intelligence (AI) contribute to agriculture?

- A. Replaces farmers completely
- B. Eliminates need for irrigation
- C. Converts farm data into actionable insights
- D. Stops climate change
- E. Removes need for fertilizers

ANSWERS — 23 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 B	Q3 C	Q4 B	Q5 B
Q6 C	Q7 C	Q8 B	Q9 C	Q10 C

Q1. The Corporate Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2026 proposes to amend which of the following Acts?**Answer** C. Both Companies Act, 2013 and LLP Act, 2008

The Corporate Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2026 aims to amend both the Companies Act, 2013 and the Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008 to simplify regulations and improve ease of doing business.

Q2. What is the primary objective of the Finance Bill, 2026?

Answer B. To implement Union Budget proposals

The Finance Bill provides legal backing to taxation, revenue mobilisation, and fiscal policy measures proposed in the Union Budget 2026–27.

Q3. Exercise Lamitiye 2026 is conducted between India and which country?

Answer C. Seychelles

Exercise Lamitiye is a bilateral military exercise between India and Seychelles. “Lamitiye” means friendship in Creole, reflecting strong strategic ties.

Q4. The National DMF Summit 2026 focuses on improving the utilisation of funds under which programme?

Answer B. Aspirational Districts Programme

The summit focuses on effective utilisation of District Mineral Foundation funds, especially in Aspirational Districts and Blocks (ADP/ABP).

Q5. What is the key reform proposed by SEBI regarding Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPIs)?

Answer B. Netting of funds for settlement

SEBI proposes allowing FPIs to settle only the net amount of buy and sell transactions, reducing capital requirements and improving efficiency.

Q6. The UPI-linked overdraft facility launched by Bank of Baroda is targeted at:

Answer C. Women SHG members with PMJDY accounts

The initiative provides digital micro-credit up to ₹5,000 to verified women SHG members holding Jan Dhan accounts.

Q7. The Depositor Education and Awareness (DEA) Fund is managed by:

Answer C. RBI

The DEA Fund is maintained by RBI and holds unclaimed deposits, which are later used for investor awareness and protection initiatives.

Q8. Real-time crop monitoring primarily uses which of the following technologies?

Answer B. AI and IoT sensors

Real-time crop monitoring uses AI analytics, IoT sensors, and satellite data to track crop health, soil quality, and irrigation patterns.

Q9. What is the main benefit of using QR codes in agricultural supply chains?

Answer C. Provide traceability and transparency

QR codes allow consumers to access information about crop origin, farming practices, and quality, improving trust and transparency.

Q10. How does Artificial Intelligence (AI) contribute to agriculture?

Answer C. Converts farm data into actionable insights

AI helps analyse complex agricultural data, enabling better decision-making, predictive analytics, and improved crop management.

QUIZ 15 OF 19

24 March 2026

10 questions · Economy 3 · Sci & Env 2 · Banking 2 · Misc GA 1

Q1

SWAMIH Investment Fund II is primarily aimed at which of the following?

- A. Promoting exports of real estate
- B. Completing stalled housing projects
- C. Financing luxury housing
- D. Providing tax rebates to builders
- E. Supporting foreign real estate investment

Q2

The stealth frigate Taragiri (F41) is built under which project?

- A. Project 15B
- B. Project 16
- C. Project 17A
- D. Project 75
- E. Project Varsha

Q3

Why did India withdraw from the Iran–Pakistan–India (IPI) pipeline project?

- A. Lack of natural gas demand
- B. Environmental concerns
- C. U.S. sanctions pressure and security concerns
- D. High domestic production of gas
- E. Opposition from Iran

Q4

The term “Orange Economy” refers to industries driven by:

- A. Agriculture and mining
- B. Manufacturing and exports
- C. Creativity, culture, and technology
- D. Heavy industries
- E. Defence production

Q5

Under CGSMFI-2.0, what is the maximum guarantee coverage provided to small MFIs?

- A. 60%
- B. 65%
- C. 70%
- D. 75%
- E. 80%

Q6

Negative Net FDI implies which of the following?

- A. More inflows than outflows
- B. No foreign investment
- C. Outflows exceeding inflows
- D. Only equity investment
- E. Increase in domestic savings

Q7

SEBI reduced the minimum investment in Social Impact Funds (AIFs) to:

- A. ₹10,000
- B. ₹50,000
- C. ₹1 lakh
- D. ₹1,000
- E. ₹2 lakh

Q8

What is the key objective of cross-border CBDC initiatives by RBI?

- A. Replace physical currency
- B. Eliminate banks
- C. Enable faster and cheaper international payments
- D. Increase taxation
- E. Promote cryptocurrency trading

Q9

Agri-Photovoltaics (AgriPV) refers to:

- A. Solar panels used only for irrigation
- B. Growing crops inside factories
- C. Integration of solar energy generation with agriculture
- D. Use of drones in farming
- E. Organic farming methods

Q10

Which of the following crops is most suitable under AgriPV due to shade tolerance?

- A. Wheat
- B. Rice
- C. Turmeric
- D. Sugarcane
- E. Cotton

ANSWERS — 24 MARCH 2026

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

Q1. SWAMIH Investment Fund II is primarily aimed at which of the following?**Answer** B. Completing stalled housing projects

SWAMIH Investment Fund II is a ₹15,000 crore fund aimed at completing stalled affordable and mid-income housing projects and providing relief to distressed homebuyers.

Q2. The stealth frigate Taragiri (F41) is built under which project?

Answer C. Project 17A

Taragiri (F41) is a stealth guided-missile frigate developed under Project 17A, which focuses on advanced stealth and modern combat capabilities.

Q3. Why did India withdraw from the Iran–Pakistan–India (IPI) pipeline project?

Answer C. U.S. sanctions pressure and security concerns

India exited the IPI pipeline project in 2007 due to concerns over U.S. sanctions (CAATSA), pricing disputes, and security risks, especially in Balochistan.

Q4. The term “Orange Economy” refers to industries driven by:

Answer C. Creativity, culture, and technology

The Orange Economy includes sectors like media, entertainment, digital content, and cultural industries driven by creativity, intellectual property, and technology.

Q5. Under CGSMFI-2.0, what is the maximum guarantee coverage provided to small MFIs?

Answer E. 80%

Under CGSMFI-2.0, the government provides tiered guarantee coverage, with 80% coverage for small MFIs to encourage lending to the microfinance sector.

Q6. Negative Net FDI implies which of the following?

Answer C. Outflows exceeding inflows

Negative Net FDI occurs when foreign investment outflows (repatriation, disinvestment) exceed fresh inflows, indicating pressure on the external sector.

Q7. SEBI reduced the minimum investment in Social Impact Funds (AIFs) to:

Answer D. ₹1,000

SEBI reduced the minimum investment in Social Impact Funds from ₹2 lakh to ₹1,000 to increase retail participation and promote inclusive finance.

Q8. What is the key objective of cross-border CBDC initiatives by RBI?

Answer C. Enable faster and cheaper international payments

RBI is working on cross-border CBDC systems to reduce transaction costs, speed up settlements, and simplify compliance in international payments.

Q9. Agri-Photovoltaics (AgriPV) refers to:

Answer C. Integration of solar energy generation with agriculture

AgriPV involves installing solar panels on agricultural land to simultaneously generate electricity and grow crops, improving land-use efficiency.

Q10. Which of the following crops is most suitable under AgriPV due to shade tolerance?

Answer C. Turmeric

Shade-tolerant crops like turmeric, ginger, and leafy vegetables are suitable for AgriPV systems as they can grow under reduced sunlight beneath solar panels.

QUIZ 16 OF 19

27 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 4 · Schemes 2 · Economy 2 · Misc GA 1

Q1**Which of the following best explains the strategic importance of the Strait of Hormuz for India?**

- A. It connects India directly to Europe
- B. It is a major fishing zone for India
- C. It handles a significant portion of India's crude oil imports
- D. It is used only for military purposes
- E. It connects the Red Sea and Arabian Sea

Q2**What is the primary objective of Operation Urja Suraksha launched by India?**

- A. Promote renewable energy
- B. Ensure uninterrupted energy imports
- C. Reduce domestic fuel prices
- D. Increase coal production
- E. Develop nuclear energy

Q3**Under India's updated NDC (2031–2035), what does reducing emissions intensity signify?**

- A. Increase in total emissions
- B. Reduction in GDP
- C. Cleaner and more efficient economic growth
- D. Ban on fossil fuels
- E. Increase in exports

Q4**What is the main purpose of the IVFRT Scheme in India?**

- A. Promote tourism
- B. Manage foreign trade
- C. Create a secure and seamless immigration system
- D. Monitor domestic travel
- E. Improve passport ranking

Q5**What is the key objective behind SEBI's 'Verified App Label' initiative?**

- A. Increase stock market participation
- B. Promote IPOs
- C. Protect investors from fraudulent apps
- D. Regulate cryptocurrency
- E. Increase tax compliance

Q6**What is the likely impact of large-scale FPI selling on the Indian economy?**

- A. Currency appreciation
- B. Stock market decline and volatility
- C. Increase in exports
- D. Reduction in inflation
- E. Rise in government revenue

Q7**What is the main benefit of an 'opt-in' loan moratorium framework?**

- A. Mandatory relief for all borrowers
- B. Targets only stressed borrowers
- C. Eliminates interest payments
- D. Increases bank profits
- E. Reduces loan tenure

Q8**What is the purpose of mandatory PAN linkage in credit card transactions under Income Tax Rules 2026?**

- A. Increase credit card usage
- B. Provide loans easily
- C. Track high-value transactions and prevent tax evasion
- D. Reduce interest rates
- E. Promote exports

Q9**What is the main objective of the Grameen Credit Score (GCS)?**

- A. Provide subsidies to farmers
- B. Assess creditworthiness of rural borrowers without formal history
- C. Increase agricultural exports
- D. Reduce interest rates
- E. Promote digital payments

Q10**How do Credit Information Companies (CICs) support financial inclusion in rural areas?**

- A. By providing direct loans
- B. By offering subsidies
- C. By generating credit scores for borrowers
- D. By regulating banks
- E. By managing government schemes

ANSWERS — 27 MARCH 2026

Q1 C	Q2 B	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 B	Q7 B	Q8 C	Q9 B	Q10 C

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Q1. Which of the following best explains the strategic importance of the Strait of Hormuz for India?

Answer C

The Strait of Hormuz is a crucial global oil transit route, through which nearly 20% of world oil passes. India relies heavily on oil imports from West Asia, making it strategically important.

Q2. What is the primary objective of Operation Urja Suraksha launched by India?

Answer B

Operation Urja Suraksha focuses on securing energy supply routes, especially via the Strait of Hormuz, to ensure continuous oil and gas imports.

Q3. Under India's updated NDC (2031–2035), what does reducing emissions intensity signify?

Answer C

Emissions intensity means emissions per unit of GDP. A reduction indicates that economic growth is becoming more environmentally sustainable.

Q4. What is the main purpose of the IVFRT Scheme in India?

Answer C

IVFRT is an e-governance initiative aimed at digitizing visa, entry, stay, and exit processes to enhance immigration security and efficiency.

Q5. What is the key objective behind SEBI's 'Verified App Label' initiative?

Answer C

SEBI introduced this initiative to help investors identify genuine apps linked to registered intermediaries, reducing fraud risks.

Q6. What is the likely impact of large-scale FPI selling on the Indian economy?

Answer B

FPI outflows lead to capital withdrawal, causing stock market decline, currency depreciation, and increased volatility.

Q7. What is the main benefit of an 'opt-in' loan moratorium framework?

Answer B

Opt-in moratorium allows only those borrowers who need relief to opt for it, avoiding unnecessary stress on banks and maintaining asset quality.

Q8. What is the purpose of mandatory PAN linkage in credit card transactions under Income Tax Rules 2026?

Answer C

PAN linkage helps track spending patterns and detect mismatches between income and expenditure, reducing tax evasion.

Q9. What is the main objective of the Grameen Credit Score (GCS)?**Answer B**

GCS helps evaluate borrowers like farmers and SHGs who lack formal credit history, improving their access to institutional credit.

Q10. How do Credit Information Companies (CICs) support financial inclusion in rural areas?**Answer C**

CICs generate credit scores, helping lenders assess risk and extend credit to underserved populations.

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28 March 2026

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Q1

The Jan Vishwas (Amendment of Provisions) Bill, 2026 aims to bring reforms in which area?

- A. Criminal justice system
- B. Ease of doing business and compliance
- C. Electoral reforms
- D. Defence procurement
- E. Environmental protection

Q2

Which of the following is a key feature of the Jan Vishwas Bill, 2026?

- A. Introduction of capital punishment
- B. Replacement of civil penalties with imprisonment
- C. Graded penalties based on severity
- D. Abolition of all penalties
- E. Increase in tax rates

Q3

MLATrack.com tracks which of the following activities?

- A. Election campaign funding
- B. Judicial case records
- C. Legislative performance of MLAs
- D. Budget allocation only
- E. Tax collection data

Q4

PRISM-SG Portal helps in managing which infrastructure component?

- A. Airport terminals
- B. Railway engines
- C. Steel girders in Road Over Bridges
- D. Metro stations
- E. Smart city projects

Q5

The Nasha Mukt Vidyalaya Initiative primarily targets which group?

- A. Industrial workers
- B. College professors
- C. School students
- D. Farmers
- E. Senior citizens

Q6

Which of the following best describes Road Over Bridges (ROBs)?

- A. Bridges connecting two cities
- B. Bridges built over rivers
- C. Bridges allowing railways to pass over roads
- D. Bridges allowing roads to pass over railway tracks
- E. Underground tunnels for transport

Q7

The Gruh Sugam Portal is an initiative in which domain?

- A. Agricultural finance
- B. Housing finance
- C. Export finance
- D. Infrastructure bonds
- E. Insurance sector

Q8

Which feature of Gruh Sugam Portal improves decision-making for borrowers?

- A. Fixed loan rates
- B. Offline application system
- C. Comparison of multiple loan offers
- D. Manual approval process
- E. Limited lender access

Q9

What is the main objective of RBI's Open Market Operations (OMOs)?

- A. Increase tax revenue
- B. Manage liquidity in the economy
- C. Promote exports
- D. Control population growth
- E. Regulate stock markets

Q10

Why do banks incur Mark-to-Market (MTM) losses?

- A. Increase in interest rates on loans
- B. Fall in market value of securities
- C. Rise in deposit rates
- D. Increase in NPAs
- E. Currency appreciation

ANSWERS — 28 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 C	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 D	Q7 B	Q8 C	Q9 B	Q10 B

Q1. The Jan Vishwas (Amendment of Provisions) Bill, 2026 aims to bring reforms in which area?**Answer** B. Ease of doing business and compliance

The Bill focuses on decriminalising minor offences, reducing compliance burden, and promoting ease of doing business through trust-based governance.

Q2. Which of the following is a key feature of the Jan Vishwas Bill, 2026?

Answer C. Graded penalties based on severity

The Bill introduces proportional penalties based on the severity of offences, ensuring rational and fair punishment.

Q3. MLATrack.com tracks which of the following activities?

Answer C. Legislative performance of MLAs

MLATrack.com is a digital platform that tracks MLA attendance, debates, questions, and overall legislative performance.

Q4. PRISM-SG Portal helps in managing which infrastructure component?

Answer C. Steel girders in Road Over Bridges

The PRISM-SG Portal is used for approval, inspection, and monitoring of steel girders used in Road Over Bridges (ROBs).

Q5. The Nasha Mukh Vidyalaya Initiative primarily targets which group?

Answer C. School students

The initiative aims to prevent substance abuse among school students and promote a drug-free school environment.

Q6. Which of the following best describes Road Over Bridges (ROBs)?

Answer D. Bridges allowing roads to pass over railway tracks

ROBs eliminate level crossings by allowing road traffic to move over railway tracks, improving safety and reducing congestion.

Q7. The Gruh Sugam Portal is an initiative in which domain?

Answer B. Housing finance

Gruh Sugam is a digital home loan marketplace designed to facilitate housing loans, especially for government personnel.

Q8. Which feature of Gruh Sugam Portal improves decision-making for borrowers?

Answer C. Comparison of multiple loan offers

The portal allows users to compare loan options from multiple lenders, ensuring transparency and better choices.

Q9. What is the main objective of RBI's Open Market Operations (OMOs)?

Answer B. Manage liquidity in the economy

OMOs involve buying and selling government securities to inject or absorb liquidity and stabilize interest rates.

Q10. Why do banks incur Mark-to-Market (MTM) losses?

Answer B. Fall in market value of securities

MTM losses occur when the market value of securities (like bonds) falls below their purchase price, often due to rising yields.

QUIZ 18 OF 19

29 & 30 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 4 · Misc GA 2 · Agri & Rural 2 · Reports 1

Q1

Which of the following is the correct definition of Maternal Mortality?

- A. Death of infants below 1 year
- B. Death of women during pregnancy or within 42 days of termination
- C. Death due to old age
- D. Death caused by communicable diseases
- E. Death during adolescence

Q2

Which factor has significantly contributed to the decline in Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) in India?

- A. Increase in imports
- B. Rise in IT sector
- C. Growth in institutional deliveries
- D. Decrease in population
- E. Increase in exports

Q3

In the Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS), what does "Usual Status" measure?

- A. Employment over last 7 days
- B. Employment over last 30 days
- C. Employment over last 365 days
- D. Employment over last 1 day
- E. Employment over last 6 months

Q4

Which sector still holds the highest share in employment as per PLFS 2025?

- A. Manufacturing
- B. Services
- C. Agriculture
- D. IT sector
- E. Construction

Q5

The PM E-DRIVE Scheme is primarily aimed at promoting which of the following?

- A. Petrol vehicles
- B. Diesel engines
- C. Electric mobility
- D. Railway expansion
- E. Aviation sector

Q6
What is the primary objective behind RBI's dollar unwind directive?

- A. Increase exports
- B. Stabilize the rupee
- C. Promote imports
- D. Increase inflation
- E. Boost GDP

Q7
A bank holding more foreign currency assets than liabilities is said to have which position?

- A. Short position
- B. Neutral position
- C. Long position
- D. Hedged position
- E. Closed position

Q8
Which of the following best describes rupee depreciation?

- A. Rupee gains value
- B. Rupee weakens against dollar
- C. Dollar weakens
- D. Inflation decreases
- E. Exports fall

Q9
Which of the following entities was penalised by RBI for violating Prepaid Payment Instrument (PPI) norms?

- A. SBI
- B. HDFC Bank
- C. Pine Labs
- D. ICICI Bank
- E. NABARD

Q10
What is the main purpose of Priority Sector Lending (PSL)?

- A. Promote luxury goods
- B. Support key economic sectors
- C. Increase foreign reserves
- D. Reduce inflation
- E. Promote exports only

ANSWERS — 29 & 30 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 C	Q3 C	Q4 C	Q5 C
Q6 B	Q7 C	Q8 B	Q9 C	Q10 B

Q1. Which of the following is the correct definition of Maternal Mortality?**Answer B**

Maternal mortality refers to the death of a woman during pregnancy, childbirth, or within 42 days after termination of pregnancy due to pregnancy-related causes.

Q2. Which factor has significantly contributed to the decline in Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) in India?**Answer C**

Institutional deliveries ensure skilled healthcare support and emergency services, which significantly reduce maternal deaths.

Q3. In the Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS), what does "Usual Status" measure?**Answer C**

Usual Status (ps+ss) considers the activity status of a person over the last 365 days, providing a long-term employment estimate.

Q4. Which sector still holds the highest share in employment as per PLFS 2025?**Answer C**

Agriculture continues to employ the largest share (around 43%) of the workforce, although its share is gradually declining.

Q5. The PM E-DRIVE Scheme is primarily aimed at promoting which of the following?**Answer C**

PM E-DRIVE scheme promotes electric vehicles (E2W and E3W) to reduce fossil fuel dependency and carbon emissions.

Q6. What is the primary objective behind RBI's dollar unwind directive?**Answer B**

RBI directed banks to reduce dollar positions to support the rupee and prevent excessive depreciation.

Q7. A bank holding more foreign currency assets than liabilities is said to have which position?**Answer C**

A long position means the bank holds more foreign currency assets, expecting depreciation of domestic currency.

Q8. Which of the following best describes rupee depreciation?**Answer B**

Rupee depreciation means more rupees are needed to buy one dollar, indicating a weaker rupee.

Q9. Which of the following entities was penalised by RBI for violating Prepaid Payment Instrument (PPI) norms?

Answer C

Pine Labs was penalised for issuing full-KYC PPIs without proper verification, violating RBI norms.

Q10. What is the main purpose of Priority Sector Lending (PSL)?

Answer B

PSL ensures that sectors like agriculture, MSMEs, and weaker sections receive adequate credit support from banks.

QUIZ 19 OF 19

31 March 2026

10 questions · Banking 4 · Schemes 2 · Sci & Env 2 · Economy 1

Q1**NATO's "Arctic Sentry" mission is primarily aimed at strengthening security in which region?**

- A. Indo-Pacific
- B. Arctic and High North
- C. Mediterranean
- D. South China Sea
- E. Antarctic

Q2**The State Visit of Brazil's President Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva to India aimed to increase bilateral trade to what target by 2030?**

- A. USD 10 billion
- B. USD 20 billion
- C. USD 25 billion
- D. USD 30 billion
- E. USD 50 billion

Q3**What is the main objective of India's counter-terrorism strategy "PRAHAAR"?**

- A. Promote digital payments
- B. Strengthen agricultural exports
- C. Develop proactive counter-terror framework
- D. Boost tourism
- E. Improve education system

Q4**Parliamentary Friendship Groups (PFGs) were constituted by Lok Sabha Speaker to enhance cooperation with how many countries?**

- A. 25
- B. 40
- C. 50
- D. 64
- E. 75

Q5**Teacher App 2.0 launched in India integrates how many AI-enabled tools approximately?**

- A. 10+
- B. 25+
- C. 45+
- D. 75+
- E. 100+

Q6

Exercise “Dharma Guardian” is conducted between India and which country?

- A. USA
- B. Russia
- C. Japan
- D. France
- E. Australia

Q7

Under RBI guidelines, banks can lend to REITs only if they have been operational for at least:

- A. 1 year
- B. 2 years
- C. 3 years
- D. 5 years
- E. 10 years

Q8

The maximum bank exposure to a REIT under RBI norms cannot exceed what percentage of its asset value?

- A. 25%
- B. 40%
- C. 49%
- D. 60%
- E. 75%

Q9

Removal of a bank from the Second Schedule of the RBI Act results in loss of which benefit?

- A. Deposit insurance
- B. Access to RBI liquidity facilities
- C. Customer deposits
- D. ATM services
- E. Branch expansion rights

Q10

The Lead Bank Scheme introduced by RBI was originally launched in which year?

- A. 1956
- B. 1969
- C. 1975
- D. 1982
- E. 1991

ANSWERS — 31 MARCH 2026

Q1 B	Q2 D	Q3 C	Q4 D	Q5 C
Q6 C	Q7 C	Q8 C	Q9 B	Q10 B

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Q1. NATO's "Arctic Sentry" mission is primarily aimed at strengthening security in which region?

Answer B. Arctic and High North

NATO launched the "Arctic Sentry" mission to enhance security, surveillance, and military coordination in the Arctic region amid rising geopolitical tensions involving major global powers.

Q2. The State Visit of Brazil's President Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva to India aimed to increase bilateral trade to what target by 2030?

Answer D. USD 30 billion

During his visit, Brazil's President set a target to increase India-Brazil trade to USD 30 billion by 2030, strengthening strategic and economic ties.

Q3. What is the main objective of India's counter-terrorism strategy "PRAHAAR"?

Answer C. Develop proactive counter-terror framework

PRAHAAR is a comprehensive national counter-terrorism strategy focusing on prevention, response, coordination, and resilience using a whole-of-government approach.

Q4. Parliamentary Friendship Groups (PFGs) were constituted by Lok Sabha Speaker to enhance cooperation with how many countries?

Answer D. 64

The initiative aims to strengthen inter-parliamentary dialogue and cooperation with 64 countries through structured legislative engagement.

Q5. Teacher App 2.0 launched in India integrates how many AI-enabled tools approximately?

Answer C. 45+

Teacher App 2.0 integrates over 45 AI tools to enhance lesson planning, personalized learning, and classroom management.

Q6. Exercise "Dharma Guardian" is conducted between India and which country?

Answer C. Japan

Dharma Guardian is a joint military exercise between India and Japan aimed at improving interoperability and tactical coordination.

Q7. Under RBI guidelines, banks can lend to REITs only if they have been operational for at least:

Answer C. 3 years

RBI allows lending to REITs only if they are listed, operational for at least 3 years, and have stable financial performance.

Q8. The maximum bank exposure to a REIT under RBI norms cannot exceed what percentage of its asset value?

Answer C. 49%

RBI has capped bank exposure to REITs and their associated entities at 49% of asset value to ensure financial stability.

Q9. Removal of a bank from the Second Schedule of the RBI Act results in loss of which benefit?

Answer B. Access to RBI liquidity facilities

Scheduled banks enjoy RBI support like refinance and liquidity facilities; removal leads to loss of these privileges.

Q10. The Lead Bank Scheme introduced by RBI was originally launched in which year?

Answer B. 1969

The Lead Bank Scheme was introduced in 1969 to improve credit delivery and financial inclusion at the district level.

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