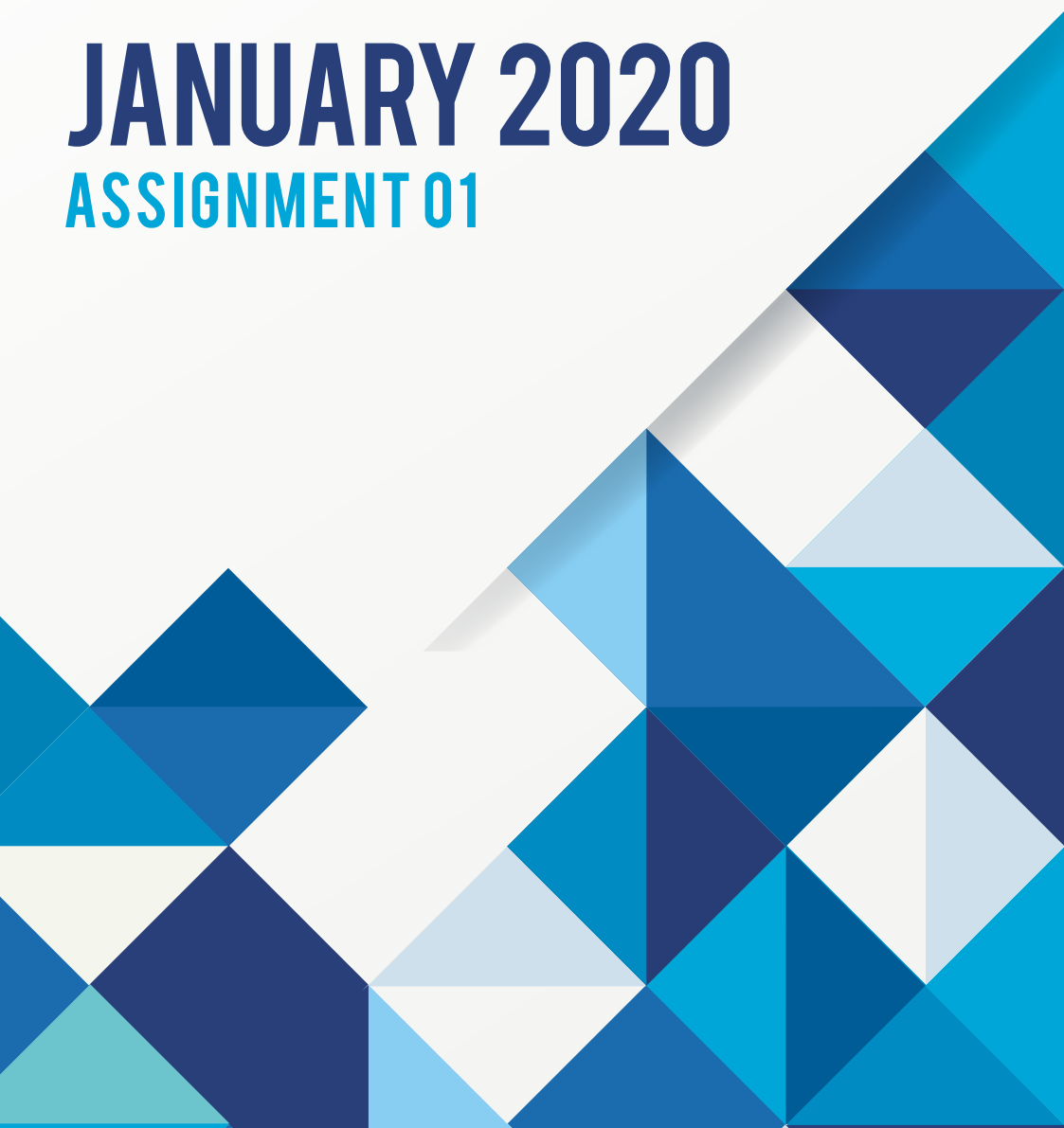


# CURRENT GK

# JANUARY 2020

## ASSIGNMENT 01



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**DIRECTIONS** *for questions 1-25: Mark the best option:*

1. Name the only state, that didn't participate in the 5th edition of Swachh Survekshan League 2020 .  

A) Maharashtra	B) West Bengal
C) Assam	D) Gujarat
E) None of these	
  
2. Which sector received the maximum investment (i.e. 1,963,943 crores) from the National Infrastructure Pipeline for the year 2019-20 to 2024-25 ?  

A) Road sector	B) Energy sector
C) Agriculture sector	D) Railway sector
E) None of these	

3. Who chairs the 7-member Group of Ministers (GoM) that reviews the crop insurance scheme ,“Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY)” ?
- A) Nirmala Sitharaman    B) Rajnath Singh  
C) Amit Shah                      D) Prakash Javadekar  
E) None of these
4. What is the interest rate of “Sukanya Samriddhi Account” for the fourth quarter of the financial year (FY) 2019-20 starting from January 1, 2020- March 31, 2020 ?
- A) 8.1%                                      B) 8.4%  
C) 7.5%                                      D) 7.2%  
E) 9.2%
5. Which bank has appointed, S Sundar as Interim Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) ?
- A) Bank of Baroda (BoB)  
B) Canara Bank  
C) State Bank of India (SBI)  
D) Lakshmi Vilas Bank (LVB)  
E) None of these

6. Name the firm, that received acquisition approval of 51.2% stake in Apollo Munich Health Insurance Company .
- A) Sun Pharma
  - B) Housing Development Financial Corporation (HDFC)
  - C) Tata Consultancy Services (TCS)
  - D) Reliance Industries Limited (RIL)
  - E) None of these
7. Which state government's Road Transport Corporation has launched the 'Damini' helpline service to ensure the safety of women passengers with the unique number "81142-77777" ?
- A) Gujarat
  - B) Assam
  - C) Uttar Pradesh
  - D) West Bengal
  - E) None of these
8. What is the Integrated help line number launched by Indian Railways for quick grievance and enquiries by the passengers during journeys ?
- A) 149
  - B) 152
  - C) 143
  - D) 139
  - E) 150



12. Name the organization/ministry, that has awarded Swarna Jayanti Fellowships Award to 14 Scientists for the year 2018-19 ?
- A) Union Ministry of Science and Technology
  - B) Union Ministry of Home Affairs
  - C) Union Ministry of Human Resource Development
  - D) Union Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
  - E) None of these
13. Which firm has acquired RiskRecon Inc, to protect its cyber systems & infrastructure ?
- A) PayPal
  - B) Mastercard
  - C) Visa Inc
  - D) American Express
  - E) None of these
14. Name the Indian Cricketer, who was picked as the captain of ESPNCricinfo's ODI and T20 teams of past decade ?
- A) Mahendra Singh Dhoni
  - B) Suresh Raina
  - C) Virat Kohli
  - D) Rohit Sharma
  - E) None of these

15. Which state has declared 2020 as year of Artificial Intelligence(AI) recently ?
- A) Telangana            B) Andhra Pradesh  
C) Kerala                D) Karnataka  
E) None of these
16. Name the division, that was formed by Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) to deal with new and emerging technologies .
- A) NEST – Neutrality, Emerging and Strategic Technologies  
B) NEST – Network, Emerging and Strategic Technologies  
C) NEST – New, Emerging and Strategic Technologies  
D) NEST – National, Emerging and Strategic Technologies  
E) None of these

17. To which country, Export-Import (Exim) Bank has given a \$75 million (over Rs 500 crore) line of credit (LoC, a soft loan / loan with low interest rate) for financing 75 MW (megawatt) Photovoltaic Solar Parks ?
- A) Guatemala                      B) Cuba  
C) Canada                          D) Mexico  
E) None of these
18. Name the firm, that has partnered with PNB MetLife India Insurance Company to provide life insurance to its customers.
- A) TransUnion CIBIL  
B) Banking Codes and Standards Board of India  
C) Indian Banks' Association  
D) RevFin Services Private Limited  
E) None of these



19. Which Payment Bank has signed an MoU with CSC e-Governance services India Ltd for selling FASTags?
- A) India Post Payments Bank (IPPB)
  - B) Airtel Payments Bank (APB)
  - C) Paytm Payments Bank Ltd (PPBL)
  - D) Aditya Birla Payments Bank (ABPB)
  - E) None of these
20. What is the Foreign Exchange (Forex) reserves of India as per Reserve Bank of India (RBI)'s " Bulletin Weekly Statistical Supplement – Extract" report?
- A) \$ 457.468 billion
  - B) \$ 557.468 billion
  - C) \$ 257.468 billion
  - D) \$ 357.468 billion
  - E) None of these
21. Which country's Prime Minister (PM), Zoran Zaev has submitted his resignation on January 3, 2020 ?
- A) Serbia
  - B) Albania
  - C) Kosovo
  - D) North Macedonia
  - E) None of these

22. Name the 1st of its kind Standardised Health Insurance Products (SHIP) introduced by Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) that must be offered by all general and standalone health insurers with effect from April 1, 2020 .
- A) Arogya Swasthiya
  - B) Arogya Scheme
  - C) Arogya Rashtiya
  - D) Arogya Sanjeevani
  - E) None of these
23. Which bank has launched a new Adoption Assistance Program, that have financial assistance of up to Rs 1 lakh per adoption for the parents ?
- A) PayPal India Private Limited
  - B) Standard Chartered Bank
  - C) Citibank
  - D) State Bank of India
  - E) None of these

24. Name the 1st Urban Cooperative Bank (UCB) that received Reserve Bank of India (RBI)'s approval to function as Small Finance Bank (SFB) .
- A) Indore Swayamsiddh Mahila Co-Operative Bank
  - B) Buldana Urban Co-Operative Bank Limited
  - C) Shivalik Mercantile Co-operative Bank Ltd
  - D) Arihant Urban Co-Operative Bank Limited
  - E) None of these
25. Which category of banks are enabled to offer round-the-clock (24×7) trading in the Indian rupee to safeguard their foreign exchange (Forex) risks from earlier timing of 9 am to 5 pm ?
- A) Authorised Dealer (AD) Category -II banks
  - B) Authorised Dealer (AD) Category -I banks
  - C) Authorised Dealer (AD) Category -III banks
  - D) Authorised Dealer (AD) Category -VI banks
  - E) None of these

## Answer Keys

Q. No.	Key	Q. No.	Key
1.	B	16.	C
2.	A	17.	B
3.	B	18.	D
4.	B	19.	C
5.	D	20.	A
6.	B	21.	D
7.	C	22.	D
8.	D	23.	A
9.	B	24.	C
10.	B	25.	B
11.	B		
12.	A		
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