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Q1. Mutual fund schemes disclose their Net Asset Value (NAV) to investors at a frequency prescribed by the regulator. How often is the NAV of open-ended mutual fund schemes required to be published?

- A. Monthly
- B. Quarterly
- C. Daily
- D. Weekly
- E. Fortnightly

Answer: C

Q2. According to the Saral Suraksha Bima Yojana of IRDAI, which of the following persons are included within the definition of family?

- 1. Legally wedded spouse
 - 2. Parents
 - 3. Parents-in-law
 - 4. Unemployed child aged 30 years
- A. 2, 3 and 4 only
 - B. 1, 2 and 3 only
 - C. 1 and 2 only
 - D. 1, 2, 3 and 4
 - E. 1 and 3 only

Answer: B

Q3. The Government launched CDP–Suraksha under the Cluster Development Programme in April 2024. Which of the following are among its major objectives?

- 1. Promoting convergence of resources.
 - 2. Raising farmers' income through cluster-based interventions.
 - 3. Encouraging adoption of innovative technologies to improve the global competitiveness of focus crops.
- A. 2 and 3 only
 - B. 1 and 3 only
 - C. All of the above
 - D. 1 and 2 only
 - E. None of the above

Answer: C

Q4. A Certificate of Deposit (CD) issued by a Scheduled Commercial Bank is an unsecured money market instrument. What is the maximum maturity period allowed from the date of issue?

- A. Six months
- B. Three years
- C. Three months
- D. One year
- E. None of the above

Answer: D

Q5. The Reserve Bank of India introduced the Voluntary Retention Route (VRR) to facilitate greater investment by Foreign Portfolio Investors in the debt market. Under this framework, the minimum retention period is:

- A. Two years
- B. Three years
- C. One year
- D. Five years
- E. Six months

Answer: B

Q6. Which of the following initiatives have been introduced by the Government of India to strengthen innovation and the science & technology ecosystem?

1. Atal Innovation Mission (AIM)
2. National Initiative for Developing and Harnessing Innovations (NIDHI)
3. INSPIRE Scheme

- A. 2 and 3 only
- B. 1 and 3 only
- C. All of the above
- D. 1, 2 and 3 only
- E. None of the above

Answer: D

Q7. Which among the following does not function as an intermediary under the National Pension System (NPS)?

- A. Pension Fund Manager (PFM)
- B. Central Recordkeeping Agency (CRA)
- C. Trustee Bank

- D. Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO)
- E. Point of Presence (PoP)

Answer: D

Q8. Hindon Air Force Station is recognised as one of the world's largest airbases. It occupies which of the following positions globally?

- A. 7th
- B. 8th
- C. 5th
- D. 4th
- E. 3rd

Answer: B

Q9. Under Phase-I of the Green Tug Transition Programme, which of the following ports was not selected?

- A. Deendayal Port Authority
- B. Paradip Port Authority
- C. Visakhapatnam Port Authority
- D. Jawaharlal Nehru Port Authority
- E. V.O. Chidambaranar Port Authority

Answer: C

Q10. At the 54th International Film Festival of India (IFFI) held in Goa in November 2023, who received the Special Jury Award?

- A. Mani Ratnam
- B. Rajkumar Hirani
- C. Rishab Shetty
- D. Dibakar Banerjee
- E. Anurag Kashyap

Answer: C

Q11. In March 2024, SEBI introduced the beta version of which settlement cycle in the Indian securities market?

- A. T+4
- B. T+2
- C. T+3
- D. T+0
- E. None of these

Answer: D

Q12. IARI recently developed a high-yielding wheat variety resistant to yellow rust and leaf rust. Identify the correct variety.

- A. HD 3498
- B. HD 3386
- C. HD 3368
- D. HD 3268
- E. HD 3567

Answer: B

Q13. Under the existing SEBI regulations, what is the minimum investment amount required from an investor in an Alternative Investment Fund (excluding Angel Funds)?

- A. ₹25 lakh
- B. ₹50 lakh
- C. ₹1 crore
- D. ₹2 crore
- E. None of these

Answer: C

Q14. GST collections in July 2024 touched ₹1.82 lakh crore. This represented what year-on-year growth over July 2023?

- A. 8.05%
- B. 10.3%
- C. 9.0%
- D. 11.5%
- E. 11.09%

Answer: B

Q15. The Central KYC Records Registry (CKYCR), created to maintain a centralized database of customer KYC records across financial institutions, became operational in:

- A. 2014
- B. 2012
- C. 2016
- D. 2013
- E. 2017

Answer: C

Q16. Which of the following companies was not ranked among the world's five most valuable companies in 2024?

- A. Apple Inc.
- B. Amazon
- C. Microsoft
- D. Meta Platforms
- E. Nvidia

Answer: D

Q17. Which nation became the 100th signatory/member of the International Solar Alliance (ISA)?

- A. Thailand
- B. South Africa
- C. Paraguay
- D. Nepal
- E. South Korea

Answer: C

Q18. Which Indian company achieved the distinction of carrying out the world's first Ship-to-Ship LNG transfer in 2023?

- A. Cairn India
- B. Petronet LNG
- C. Mahanagar Gas Ltd.
- D. GAIL (India) Ltd.
- E. ONGC Ltd.

Answer: D

Q19. Which ISO standard specifically provides principles and guidelines for risk management?

- A. ISO 9000
- B. ISO 14000
- C. ISO 31000
- D. ISO 27000
- E. ISO 22000

Answer: C

Q20. For obtaining authorization as a single-branch Full-Fledged Money Changer (FFMC), the minimum Net Owned Fund (NOF) requirement is:

- A. ₹10 lakh
- B. ₹25 lakh

- C. ₹1 crore
- D. ₹50 lakh
- E. None of the above

Answer: B



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