

**Q.34)** With reference to the G20, consider the following statements:

1. It is an international forum with 19 member countries and the European Union.
2. Its permanent secretariat is located in Brussels, Belgium.
3. Its presidency rotates between the member countries every year.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

**Q.35)** Consider the following statements with regard to UN peacekeeping operations:

1. They are established on the basis of decision taken in that regard by the UN General Assembly.
2. All member states of the United Nations share the cost of peacekeeping equally.
3. UN peacekeeping operations are deployed with the consent of the main parties to the conflict.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

**Q.36)** Consider the following statements:

1. Nepal shares border with five Indian States.
2. Kalapani is a tri junction between India, Nepal and China.

3. Bomdila pass is located in the Kalapani area.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 3 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 2 only
- d) 2 only

**Q.37)** Consider the following statements regarding European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD):

1. It was founded to finance the reconstruction of European nations devastated by World War II.
2. India is one of its members and receives financing for domestic projects.
3. Its biggest shareholder is the United States of America.

Which of the statements given above is/are *incorrect*?

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

**Q.38)** Which one of the following counters is *not* a member of G-7?

- a) Canada
- b) Russia
- c) France
- c) United States