

27. With reference to the Demographic Transition Theory, consider the following statements:

1. According to the theory, the population of a given region changes from high births and high deaths to low births and low deaths.
2. During a complete demographic cycle, rural agrarian societies are transformed into urbanized and industrial economies.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

28. Arrange the following religions in increasing order of the number of people practising them in India?

1. Sikhs
2. Christians
3. Muslims
4. Buddhists

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 2-1-3-4
- (b) 3-1-2-4
- (c) 3-2-1-4
- (d) 1-2-3-4

29. Consider the following statements about Quinary Activities:

1. The highest level of decision-makers or policymakers perform quinary activities.
2. Banking and Legal Advisory are prime examples of quinary activities.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

30. Consider the following statements :

1. Long and Sunny summers help in easy ripening of fruits.
2. Fruit trees have long roots enabling them to survive the dry season.
3. Thick leathery bark of many fruit trees prevents excessive transpiration.

Which of the statements given above is/are the favorable factors for Orchard farming in the Mediterranean region?

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

31. Consider the following pairs:

Mineral	State Associated
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| 1. Mica            | : Jharkhand  |
| 2. Copper          | : Rajasthan  |
| 3. Anthracite Coal | : Tamil Nadu |

Which of the pairs given above are correctly matched?

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

32. Consider the following statements regarding the growth of India's population:

1. The decadal growth rate of India's population is constantly increasing since independence.
2. India has never witnessed a decrease in its decadal population in the last century.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2