

## APPSC GROUP-II MAINS 2019

### INDIA & AP ECONOMY

#### PREVIOUS YEAR QUESTIONS WITH SOLUTIONS

**1. The production of horticulture crops has outpaced the production of food grains since**

1. 2009-10
2. 2012-13
3. 2010-11
4. 2017-18

**2. Micro Units Development Refinance Agency (MUDRA) Bank is set up to provide development and refinance for loans given to micro units by**

1. NBFCs
2. All of these
3. Cooperative Banks
4. Commercial Banks

**3. The average rate of growth of industrial production during the 11<sup>th</sup> Plan against the target of 10.00 percent per annum was (Deleted)**

1. 6.9 percent
2. 5 percent
3. 7 percent
4. 6.5 percent

**4. Which five year plan ended in 2017?**

1. Eight
2. Tenth
3. Twelfth
4. Eleventh

**5. Real GDP measures the**

1. Value of total production linked to prices of a single year
2. Changes in the prices of output measured in dollars
3. Total profits earned by all business valued using prices from a single year
4. General upward drift in prices

**6. The average income of the country is known as**

1. Disposable income
2. Inflation rate
3. Per capita income
4. Real National income

**7. Which state has initiated plans to make the state as 'Aqua hub' of the world?**

1. Tamil Nadu
2. Andhra Pradesh
3. West Bengal
4. Kerala

**8. Consider the following statements:**

1. BIS (Bureau of Indian Standards) mark is mandatory for cars and tyres
2. AGMARK is issued by Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO)

**Which of the above statements is / are correct?**

1. Both 1 and 2
2. 2 only
3. 1 only
4. Neither 1 nor 2

**9. Before bifurcation, position of Andhra Pradesh among the most industrialised states**

1. Ninth
2. Tenth
3. Second
4. Fifth

**10. The vision of India's Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2015-20 is to raise India's share in world exports from 2 percent to**

1. 4.0 percent
2. 3.5 percent
3. 2.5 percent
4. 3.0 percent

**11. Which of the following taxes have been subsumed under GST?**

1. Excise duty/ Service tax
2. State VAT/Countervailing duty
3. All of these
4. Octroi & Purchase tax

**12. One of the following is a non-economic factor in economic development**

1. Corruption
2. Savings
3. Foreign exchange
4. Investment

**13. The share of mining and quarrying in GVA at base price 2011-12 was in 2016-17**

1. None of these
2. 3.0 percent
3. 3.1 percent
4. 2.9 percent

**14. Arvind Subramanyam, a former CEA of the government has made the following observation about GDP data in India**

1. We need to change the way we look at the economy
2. First, never underestimate the power of inertia
3. Select few indicators and GDP growth have flipped post 2011
4. Lies, damn lies and statistics

**15. TRIPS of WTO is related to**

1. Free trade
2. Subsidies
3. Money laundering
4. Intellectual property

**16. U5MR, expected years of quality-adjusted school and health environment are the three components to measure**

1. Human Poverty Index
2. Gender Inequality Index
3. Human Development Index
4. Human Capital Index

**17. What is called free float market-weighted stock market index of top thirty companies, listed on Bombay's Stock Exchange?**

1. CNX.NIFTY
2. SENSEX
3. NIFTY
4. NASDAQ

**18. The N.K. Singh Committee recommended that the Central Government should target a fiscal deficit of 3 percent of GDP upto March 31<sup>st</sup> 2020 and by 2022-23 to**

1. 2.25 percent of GDP
2. 2.00 percent of GDP
3. 2.75 percent of GDP
4. 2.50 percent of GDP

**19. The UN Food and Agriculture Organization's Future Policy Award 2018 for being the world's first 100 per cent organic state was awarded to**

1. Montreal
2. Copenhagen
3. Sydney
4. Sikkim

**20. Goods for which demand directly (positively) related to income are called**

1. Inferior goods
2. Normal goods
3. Complementary goods
4. Substitute goods

**21. Floating exchange rate has the following outcome**

1. Encourages arbitrage
2. Promotes consumerism
3. Promotes trade
4. Encourages devaluation

**22. According to 2011 census the main workers in service sector is (Deleted)**

1. 26.70 percent
2. 25.80 percent
3. 17.20 percent
4. 20.50 percent

**23. Lead Bank Scheme is an initiative under**

1. XII Five Year Plan
2. Bank Nationalisation
3. NITI Aayog
4. Demonetisation

**24. Which committee has recommended RRBs as part of multi-agency approach?**

1. M. Narasimham
2. Urjit Patel
3. Raghuram Rajan
4. S. Chakravarthy

**25. Independent India's Statistical System was designed by**

1. V.K.R.V. Rao
2. P.V. Sukhatme
3. All of them
4. P.C. Mahalanobis

**26. India ranks 142 in terms of GDP per capita as per nominal estimates (2018) but ranks 119 as per**

1. Nominal terms
2. Deflated terms
3. Purchasing power parity
4. Real terms

**27. Mixed Recall Period and Uniform Recall Period are calculated for the measurement of**

1. Effects of demonetisation
2. Net exports
3. Incidence of poverty
4. Rate of urbanisation

**28. Purchasing Managers' Index (PMI) is an indicator of economic health of**

1. Manufacturing sector
2. Government sector
3. Agriculture sector
4. Foreign sector

**29. Minimum Support Price (MSP) is determined by**

1. CRDA
2. CADA
3. CRPF
4. CACP

**30. Electronic Auctioning system is the system to perform the bidding process\_\_\_\_\_**

1. Through email
2. Through electronic trading portal
3. Through telephone
4. Through fax

**31. According to the New IIP, the industry which has become far more important core industry replacing the hitherto dominant ones such as electricity and steel industries is**

1. Fertilizers
2. None of these
3. Refinery
4. Cement

**32. Which state in India has the highest SGDP?**

1. Maharashtra
2. Andhra Pradesh
3. Bihar
4. Odisha

**33. What is the tool used to monitor progress against poverty globally**

1. Human Development Index
2. Physical Quality of Life Index
3. UNDP
4. World Poverty Clock

**34. D. Krishi a unique application of Andhra Pradesh has received CSI Nihilent best e-Governance Award during 2017-18 is used by**

1. Farmers
2. Industrialists
3. Fishermen
4. Women

**35. Maximum Indian exports went to (2018)**

1. European Union
2. United States
3. ASEAN
4. United Arab Emirates

**36. The only state in the country to achieve double digit growth in the year 2015-16 is**

1. Gujarat
2. Punjab
3. Kerala
4. Andhra Pradesh

**37. For what specific purpose, state governments are allowed to borrow from overseas bilateral lending agencies since 2017?**

1. Primary education
2. Infrastructure
3. Welfare
4. Deficit financing

**38. International trade in which imported goods are re-exported with or without any processing or packaging is called**

1. Import trade
2. Autarky trade
3. Export trade
4. Entrepot trade

**39. From central generating power stations, allocation of power to Andhra Pradesh and Telangana is based on the ratio of**

1. Tax revenue collected in AP and Telangana
2. Average of actual energy consumption in AP and Telangana
3. Central aid to AP and Telangana
4. Energy production in AP and Telangana

**40. The allocation of central funds to states is currently done by**

1. NITI Aayog
2. Union Finance Ministry
3. Planning Commission
4. Finance Commission

**41. The 14<sup>th</sup> Finance Commission recommended Revenue Deficit Grant to the tune of for a period of five years to Andhra Pradesh**

1. 26,289 crore
2. 20,157 crore
3. 12,769 crore
4. 22,113 crore

**42. Contract farming is an arrangement between the farmer producer and agri-business firms to sell the produce at a pre-fixed\_\_\_\_\_**

1. Price and Time
2. Price and Quantity
3. Quantity and Time
4. Price or Quantity or Time or All Three

**43. In which year was 'Arogyasree' started in A.P.?**

1. 2017
2. 2007
3. 2004
4. 2014

**44. Prompt Corrective Action (PCA) is a regulatory action by Central Bank to check**

1. State governments from borrowing excessively
2. Union government against fiscal deficit
3. Commercial banks against NPAS
4. Co-operative societies against default

**45. Special category States Status Sanctioned by the Central Government are entitled for**

1. All of these
2. Concession on Excise duty
3. 90 percent as Grants
4. 10 percent as Loan

**46. Which of the following state got the largest share as per the horizontal sharing in tax devolution recommended by the 14<sup>th</sup> Finance Commission?**

1. Uttar Pradesh
2. Andhra Pradesh
3. Madhya Pradesh
4. West Bengal

**47. The National Manufacturing Policy envisages to increase the share of manufacturing in GDP from the present level of about 16.0 per cent to 25 per cent by**

1. 2025
2. 2022
3. 2020
4. 2027

**48. GDP according to income method is measured through**

1. Domestic factor incomes
2. Domestic factor incomes minus Transfer payments
3. Domestic factor incomes plus Net Income from aboard
4. All of these

**49. During 2016-17 out of the total irrigated area in Andhra Pradesh which of the following is the main source of irrigation**

1. Canal Irrigation
2. Others
3. Well Irrigation
4. Tank Irrigation

**50. Unemployment allowance, Old age pensions, Scholarship to students are not to be included in the calculation of**

1. Net National Product
2. Gross National Product
3. Gross Domestic Product
4. National income

**51. The scheme formulated to boost irrigation facilities was**

1. Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY)
2. Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY)
3. Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY)
4. Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojana (PMKSY)

**52. Vision 2030 with 10 dimensions is proposed in**

1. 2019 Union Interim Budget
2. 2019 AP Interim Budget
3. 2014 Union Budget
4. 2015 AP Budget

**53. Match the following**

- |   |   |               |
|---|---|---------------|
| 1. Tax administration reforms               | - | A) O. Goswamy |
| 2. Disinvestment of shares in public sector | - | B) Abid Ali   |
| 3. Committee on small scale industries      | - | C) Rangarajan |
| 4. Industrial sickness                      | - | D) P. Shome   |

- 1---D ; 2---C ; 3---A ; 4---B
- 1---A ; 2---B ; 3---C ; 4---D
- 1---D ; 2---C ; 3---B ; 4---A
- 1---A ; 2---D ; 3---B ; 4---C

**54. Which Commercial Bank has faced crisis due to "sweetheart funding" to Videocon group?**

1. SBI
2. HDFC
3. ICICI
4. Andhra Bank

**55. Share of labour force in agriculture sector in AP**

1. 85%
2. 55%
3. 75%
4. 65%

**56. On April 1, 2019, Vijaya Bank and Dena Bank merged with which of the following banks?**

1. ICICI
2. Bank of India
3. Bank of Baroda
4. SBI

**57. Multi-dimensional Poverty Index (MPI) introduced in 2010 by HDR was to replace**

1. Inequality Adjusted Human Development Index
2. Gender Related Development Index
3. Gender Inequality Index
4. Human Poverty Index

**58. According to the 'Online Labour Index' by the Oxford Internet Institute the country which leads the gig economy is**

1. India
2. China
3. Bangladesh
4. Pakistan

**59. Seignorage is a**

1. Tax on bank reserves
2. Tax on deposits
3. Bank charge on withdrawals
4. Profit made by central bank by issuing notes

**60. Which state of India currently has the highest per capita income?**

1. Goa
2. Maharashtra
3. Delhi
4. Punjab

**61. Assume 1990-91 as the base year and the National Income for 1999-2000 is Rs 20000 Crore and the index number for the year is 250. The Real National Income for 1999-2000 is**

1. Rs 9000
2. Rs 8000
3. Rs 9500
4. Rs 10000

**62. What is the name of Cryptocurrency that Facebook is going to launch?**

1. Bitcoin
2. Libra
3. Taurus
4. Ethereum

**63. What direct flight from Vijayawada to Singapore was cancelled recently?**

1. Air India
2. Jet Airways
3. IndiGo
4. Spice Jet

**64. L1, L2 and L3 are called**

1. Open market operations
2. Nominal money
3. Liquidity aggregates
4. Nominal liquidity

**65. A new trend in urban housing in real estate business in AP is called**

1. Duplex apartments
2. Villaments
3. High density housing
4. Apartments

**66. Malware that affected AP and Telangana power utilities is known as**

1. Wanna Cry Worm
2. Enigmaware
3. Ransomware
4. Cryptolocker

**67. 'Promoting Strong and Inclusive Growth' is a book published by**

1. FAO
2. OECD
3. UNDP
4. UNESCO

**68. Engineering colleges in recent times are offering which subject combining Robotics, Electronics and Product Engineering?**

1. Mechatronics
2. Telectronics
3. Electronics
4. Architecture

**69. Inflation, that does take into account commodities that have volatile prices, is known as**

1. Average Rate of Inflation
2. Headline Inflation
3. Price Inflation
4. Core Inflation

**70. In which financial institutions, 'shadow lender crisis' evicted?**

1. NBFCs
2. LIC
3. SFCs
4. IFC

**71. Phyto sanitary condition is a**

1. Tariff barrier
2. Export subsidy
3. Import subsidy
4. Non-tariff barrier

**72. An Expert Committee set up by the Government has recommended that the National minimum wage per day be fixed at**

1. Rs 365
2. Rs 350
3. Rs 375
4. RS 370

**73. The ratio of a country's nominal GNP to its real GNP expressed as a percentage is called**

1. GDP deflator
2. GDP at factor cost
3. GNP at market prices
4. GNP deflator

**74. In 2011 census which one among the following states has not registered the highest growth in urban population**

1. Sikkim
2. Goa
3. Andhra Pradesh
4. Kerala

**75. GDI and GEM indicate:**

1. Inequalities in regions
2. Inequalities in gender
3. Inequalities in expenditure
4. Inequalities in income

**76. The market in which bonds shares and securities are bought and sold are called**

1. Black market
2. Capital market
3. Imperfect market
4. Bullion market

**77. The amount of tax to be paid is proportionate to the value of the commodity in respect of**

1. Specific tax
2. Value Added tax
3. Special assessment tax
4. Ad valorem tax

**78. Comprehensive Finance Management System (CFMS) is said to have**

1. Increased revenues of state governments
2. Increased revenues of local governments
3. Adversely affected autonomy of civic bodies
4. Adversely affected state revenues

**79. The Vice-Chairman for NITI Aayog is**

1. Aravind Panagariya
2. Amitabh Kant
3. Dr. Rajiv Kumar
4. None of these

**80. Miracle economies are defined as those with GDP growth for a decade or more at**

1. 8 percent
2. 7 percent
3. 8.5 percent
4. 7.5 percent

**81. What are blue-box subsidies?**

1. Production limiting subsidies that distort trade
2. Subsidies that prevent farmers' suicides
3. Poverty ameliorating subsidies
4. Production inducing subsidies that distort trade

**82. The age structure of the Indian population growth presents demographic dividend and in 2020 the average Indian age will be only**

1. 30 years
2. 34 years
3. 29 years
4. 25 years

**83. What is the rank of India in Corruption Perceptions Index (2018)?**

1. 78
2. 97
3. 101
4. 68

**84. PMJDY aims at**

1. Promoting entrepreneurship
2. Democratic decentralisation
3. Urban development
4. Financial inclusion

**85. Lender of Last Resort is a function of**

1. IFC
2. LIC
3. RBI
4. SBI

**86. Money transactions with encryption techniques are used to transfer funds operating independently without a Central Bank intervention**

1. RTGS
2. NEFT
3. Legal tender
4. Cryptocurrency

**87. According to Economic Survey 2015-16 the recent growth in India was predominantly**

1. Technology driven
2. Service led growth
3. Export driven
4. Consumption driven

**88. Identify the actual date of formation of a separate High Court for the new Andhra Pradesh is**

1. 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2017
2. 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019
3. 26<sup>th</sup> December 2019
4. 1<sup>st</sup> July 2018

**89. The rate of growth of per capita net National Income of the Twelfth Plan was**

1. 6.0 percent per annum
2. 5.3 percent per annum
3. 6.1 percent per annum
4. 5.9 percent per annum

**90. The 2016 Mihir Shah Committee report is related to**

1. Pollution
2. Water
3. Forests
4. Solar energy

**91. Laffer effect implies**

1. Reduction in the rate of taxation leads to no change in the tax yield
2. Reduction in the rate of taxation leads to less than proportionate increase in tax yield
3. Reduction in the rate of taxation leads to a proportionate increase in tax yield
4. Reduction in the rate of taxation leads to more than proportionate increase in tax yield

**92. Bottom-up approach used by NITI Aayog is actually a strategy used in**

1. Information on Indian economy
2. Information diversification
3. Information on foreign trade
4. Information processing

**93. Mohammed Yunus is the pioneer of**

1. MSMES
2. ATM
3. Micro blogging
4. Microfinance

**94. Rise in the rate of economic growth due to a rising share of working age in a population is known as**

1. All of these
2. Demographic bonus
3. Demographic dividend
4. Demographic window

**95. During demonetisation, the following paradox could be noticed**

1. Thrift paradox
2. Loleontief's paradox
3. Giffen's Paradox
4. Diamond Water paradox

**96. February 2019 AP budget is called**

1. Welfare budget
2. Capital budget
3. Vote-on-account-budget
4. Revenue budget

**97. Which committee is related to financial inclusion?**

1. Usha Thorat
2. Rangarajan
3. Vaghul
4. Y.V. Reddy

**98. Poverty of India: Papers and Statistics' is a book written by**

1. Veer Savarkar
2. Dadabhai Naoroji
3. Jawaharlal Nehru
4. Mahatma Gandhi

**99. The Vizag-Chennai Industrial Corridor (VCIC) is a key part of**

1. Planned East Economic Corridor
2. All of these
3. Nine districts of the state of Andhra Pradesh
4. ASEAN-The Association of Southeast Asian Nations

**100. Contribution of industry to SGDP in AP (2017-18) is**

1. 66%
2. 44%
3. 22%
4. 77%

**101. The type of capital used by entrepreneurs to buy what they need to produce their products is known as**

1. Financial Capital
2. Real Physical Capital
3. None of these
4. Physical Capital

**102. Isha Foundation is implementing Happy classroom for improving learning outcomes among slow learners in 3000 schools in**

1. Prakasam District
2. Anantapur District
3. Chittoor District
4. Vizianagaram District

**103. The International Day For 'The Preservation Of Ozone layer' is**

1. October 14<sup>th</sup>
2. June 5<sup>th</sup>
3. September 16<sup>th</sup>
4. August 18<sup>th</sup>

**104. Public announcement of a medium-term numerical mark for forecasted inflation by RBI's own assessment is called**

1. Fiscal policy
2. Inflation targeting
3. Stagflation
4. Anti-cyclical policy

**105. Contribution of agriculture to GDP rose from 23% to \_\_\_\_\_ after bifurcation in Andhra Pradesh by 2017-18**

1. 50.9%
2. 2.25.0%
3. 34.4%
4. 40.0%

**106. As per Government of India norm one fair price shop for every 2000 person vis-à- vis one fair price shop in Andhra Pradesh for every**

1. 1236 person
2. 1376 person
3. 1570 person
4. 1450 person

**107. The Government of Andhra Pradesh declared the state as 'smoke free state' on**

1. 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018
2. 8<sup>th</sup> June 2017
3. 8<sup>th</sup> July 2017
4. 7<sup>th</sup> July 2018

**108. The Central Government's special assistance for the establishment of new Capital in Andhra Pradesh in 2017-18 was to the tune of**

1. 2500 Crore
2. 2800 Crore
3. 2600 Crore
4. 4100 Crore

**109. Angel tax was introduced in the Union Budget of**

1. 2013
2. 2018
3. 2012
4. 2017

**110. Subtracting interest payments from fiscal deficit gives us**

1. Revenue deficit
2. Budgetary deficit
3. Secondary deficit
4. Primary deficit

**111. Which Indian leader has initiated the idea of Planning Commission during British period?**

1. D.R. Gadgil
2. Netaji Bose
3. Mahatma Gandhi
4. Jawaharlal Nehru

**112. GDP can be computed as the sum of**

1. The total expenditure of consumption, investment and government purchases of goods and services over a period of time
2. All sales that have taken place in an economy over a period of time
3. The total expenditure of consumption, investment and government purchases of goods and services, and net exports over a period of time
4. The total expenditure of consumers and business over a period of time

**113. As per the Economic Survey, 4-7-2019, the new guiding principle aimed at making people and firms to repay debts**

1. Ability to pay
2. Life imprisonment
3. Pious obligation
4. Willingness to pay

**114. What is Swabhimani Shetkari Sanghatana?**

1. Farmers' Union
2. Trade union
3. Social workers' Union
4. Labour Union

**115. FRBM Act aims to augment**

1. Inflation control
2. Fiscal discipline
3. Cooperative federalism
4. Federal finance

**116. MODVAT is a**

1. Urban reform
2. Banking reform
3. Monetary reform
4. Tax reform

**117. Co-operative federalism as a principle of NITI Aayog is also called**

1. Marble-cake federalism
2. Quazi federalism
3. Autocratic federalism
4. Federalism for the poor

**118. During 2019 season, shrimp exports from AP suffered due to**

1. Availability of credit
2. Decrease in price
3. AP Government regulation
4. Increase in imports

**119. The biggest Employer in Tech- field in India in 2018 is**

1. Apple
2. Microsoft
3. Oracle
4. None of these

**120. The prices at which the central government supplies food grains to the states for the distribution through fair price or ration shops are called \_\_\_\_\_**

1. Central government fair issue prices
2. Central issue prices
3. Ration prices
4. Fair prices

**121. Which product in Amaravati region is seeking to be registered as one of the geographical indications from AP?**

1. Chebrolu saree
2. Uppada saree
3. Dharmavaram saree
4. Mangalagiri saree

**122. AP rank in GSDP in India in 2018**

1. VII
2. X
3. V
4. IX

**123. The state of Andhra Pradesh at all India level has received Swacha Vidyalaya Purnskar (SVA) in**

1. None of these
2. 2014-15
3. 2015-16
4. 2016-17

**124. Agri Export Zone for which product was proposed in Guntur**

1. Mangoes
2. Tobacco
3. Red chillies
4. Bt brinjal

**125. As per the new FRBM Framework of Union Budget 2018-19 the Government will simultaneously target Debt and Fiscal Deficit and do away with**

1. Revenue Deficit
2. Primary Deficit
3. Black Money
4. None of these

**126. Register of "indigenous inhabitants" is proposed to be undertaken by one of the following Indian states for its population**

1. Kerala
2. Bihar
3. Gujarat
4. Nagaland

**127. GDP at factor cost is equal to**

1. GNP at Market Price - Indirect Taxes + Subsidies
2. GDP at Market Price - Indirect Taxes + Subsidies
3. GDP at Market Price + Indirect Taxes - Subsidies
4. GNP at Market Price + Indirect Taxes - Subsidies

**128. Promoting venture capital comes under**

1. Entrepreneur development
2. Capital market reform
3. Export promotion
4. Money market reform

**129. The State registering the second highest growth in urban population in 2011 is**

1. Sikkim
2. Kerala
3. Tamil Nadu
4. Goa

**130. The instrument to contain volatility in the overnight inter-bank rate is known as**

1. Liquidity Adjustment Facility
2. Marginal Standing Facility
3. None of these
4. Market Stabilization Scheme

**131. Recent research reveals that the largest depletion of ground water resources in the world is happening in Northern India and the epicenter of the crisis being**

1. Uttar Pradesh
2. Gujarat
3. Madhya Pradesh
4. Delhi

**132. If a government has to borrow to make interest payments, it is called**

1. Liquidity trap
2. Poverty trap
3. Savings trap
4. Debt trap

**133. The cropping intensity in Andhra Pradesh for the year 2016-17 is**

1. 1.91
2. 1.25
3. 1.50
4. 1.24

**134. What transgenic crop is approved by GEAC and developed by Delhi University?**

1. GM rice
2. Bt cotton
3. GM mustard
4. Bt brinjal

**135. Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) was launched in**

1. 11th Five Year Plan
2. 12th Five Year Plan
3. 10th Five Year Plan
4. 9th Five Year Plan

**136. Out of 19 operational SEZs in Andhra Pradesh the number of Pharmaceutical SEZs are**

1. 3 SEZ
2. 5 SEZ
3. 2 SEZ
4. 4 SEZ

**137. In 2012, which country of the followings was with the lowest GHG Emitters on per capita basis is**

1. China
2. UK
3. India
4. USA

**138. "Faster, sustainable and more inclusive growth" is the main theme of**

1. GST
2. XII Five Year Plan
3. NITI Aayog
4. Demonetisation

**139. Peer to peer lending (P2P) implies lending money**

1. From bank to bank
2. From farmer to farmer
3. Money lender to money lender
4. To individuals through online services

**140. National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA) was made operational from the year**

1. 2010-11
2. 2018-19
3. 2013-14
4. 2014-15

**141. As per National sample Survey Organization the unemployment rate in 2017-18 was a 45 year high at**

1. 7.2 percent
2. 4.5 percent
3. 5.5 percent
4. 6.1 percent

**142. Capital to Risk weighted Assets Ratio (CRAR) is a standard metric to measure**

1. Viability of microfinance institutions
2. Strength of balance sheets of banks
3. Branch expansion of commercial banks
4. The scope of privatisation of public sector banks

**143. The percentage of labour force in agriculture in 2011-12 has changed from 56.70 percent in 2001 to**

1. 66.80 percent
2. 46.70 percent
3. 54.30 percent
4. 48.90 percent

**144. Mention the proportion of sharing assets of erstwhile Andhra Pradesh between the two newly formed States Telangana and Andhra Pradesh as per the Bifurcation Act 2014**

1. 49:51 percent ratio
2. 42:58 percent ratio
3. 51:49 percent ratio
4. 58:42 percent ratio

**145. What are the states in which farmers defied the government and started cultivating Bt cotton and Bt brinjal?**

1. Maharashtra and Haryana
2. Telangana and Jammu & Kashmir
3. Andhra Pradesh and Kerala
4. Bihar and Odisha

**146. Rourkela Steel Plant is established with which country's collaboration?**

1. Mexico
2. France
3. USA
4. Germany

**147. Which of the following Public Sector undertakings was opened to private sector on May 9th 2002**

1. Arms and Ammunitions
2. Atomic Energy
3. Mineral oils
4. Coal and Lignite

**148. What is the means of borrowing money by commercial banks through repurchase agreements (REPOs)?**

1. Bank Rate Policy
2. Liquidity Adjustment Facility
3. Lender of Last Resorts
4. Deficit Financing

**149. The Uruguay round of negotiations on GATT in 1994, created**

1. UNESCO
2. WTO
3. IMF
4. UNICEF

**150. The state which ranks first in the total Fish & Shrimp production in the country is**

1. Kerala
2. Goa
3. Maharashtra
4. Andhra Pradesh

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## ANSWERS

x = Deleted

1. 2	26. 3	51. 4	76. 2	101. 1	126. 4
2. 2	27. 3	52. 1	77. 2 or 4	102. 3	127. 2
3. x	28. 1	53. 3	78. 3	103. 3	128. 1
4. 3	29. 4	54. 3	79. 3	104. 2	129. 1
5. 1	30. 2	55. 2	80. 2	105. 3	130. 2
6. 3	31. 3	56. 3	81. 1	106. 2	131. 4
7. 2	32. 1	57. 4	82. 3	107. 2	132. 4
8. 3	33. 4	58. 1	83. 1	108. 1	133. 2
9. 4	34. 1	59. 4	84. 4	109. 3	134. 3
10. 2	35. 1	60. 1	85. 3	110. 4	135. 1
11. 3	36. 4	61. 2	86. 4	111. 2	136. 4
12. 1	37. 2	62. 2	87. 4	112. 3	137. 3
13. 2	38. 4	63. 3	88. 2	113. 3	138. 2
14. 3	39. 2	64. 3	89. 2	114. 1	139. 4
15. 4	40. 2	65. 2	90. 2	115. 2	140. 4
16. 4	41. 4	66. 3	91. 4	116. 4	141. 4
17. 2	42. 4	67. 2	92. 4	117. 1	142. 2
18. 4	43. 2	68. 1	93. 4	118. 2	143. 4
19. 4	44. 3	69. 4	94. 1	119. 4	144. 2
20. 2	45. 1	70. 1	95. 1	120. 2	145. 1
21. 1	46. 1	71. 4	96. 3	121. 4	146. 4
22. x	47. 2	72. 3	97. 2	122. 1	147. 1
23. 2	48. 2	73. 4	98. 2	123. 4	148. 2
24. 1	49. 3	74. 2	99. 2	124. 3	149. 2
25. 3	50. 2	75. 2	100. 3	125. 1	150. 4