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- 1. Indian expertise was recently used in the archaeological restoration of the monuments at
 - a. Angkor Wat
 - b. Jerusalem
 - c. Rome
 - d. Yucatan
- 2. The pitch of the voice of women is in general
 - a. higher than that of men
 - b. marginally lower than that of men
 - c. much lower than that of men
 - d. the same as that of men
- 3. An aeroplane takes off from 300 North Lat. 500 East Long. and lands at the opposite end of the earth. Where does it land?
 - a. 30° North Lat. 50° West Long.
 - b. 30° South Lat. 50° West Long.
 - c. 50° North Lat, 30° West Long.
 - d. 30° South Lat. 130° West Long.
- 4. The heart of human embryo starts beating
 - a. in the first week of ifs development
 - b. in the third week of its development
 - c. in the fourth week of its development
 - d. in the sixth week of its development
- 5. Given below are voting percentages of a political party secured in three successive elections to the Lok Sabha: The party which secured these percentages of votes was
 - a. Congress I
 - b. Bahujan Samaj Party
 - c. Bharatiya Janata Party
 - d. Communist Party of India (Marxist)

- 6. To know whether the rich are getting richer and the poor getting poorer, it is necessary to compare
 - a. the wholesale price index over different periods of time for different regions
 - *b*. the distribution of income of an identical set of income recipients in different periods of time
 - c. the distribution of income of different sets of income recipients at a point of time
 - *a.* the availability of food grains among two sets of people, one rich and the other poor, over different periods of time
- 7. The earliest evidence of silver in India is found in the
 - a. Harappan culture
 - b. Chalcolithic cultures of Western India
 - c. Vedic texts
 - d. silver punch-marked coins
- 8. Consider the figure of a fountain with four holes given below: Which one of the holes in the fountain will throw the water farthest?
 - a. 4
 - b. 3
 - c. 2
 - d. 1
- 9. The length of its day and the tilt of its axis are almost identical to those of the earth.

 This is true of
 - a. Uranus
 - b. Neptune
 - c. Saturn
 - d. Mars
- 10. If father has blood group A and mother has blood group O then which one of the following blood groups may be found in their son?
 - a. B
 - b. AB
 - c. 0
 - d. B, AB or O
- 11. The main function of the IMF is to
 - a. arrange international deposits from banks
 - b. help to solve balance of payments problems of member countries
 - c. act as a private sector lending arm of the World Bank
 - d. finance investment loans to developing countries

- 12. Who among the following was the leader of a number of anti-British revolts in Sambalpur?
 - a. Utirat Singh
 - b. Surendra Sai
 - c. Kattabomman
 - d. Sayyid Ahmad Barelvi
- 13. Which one of the following is a language of Baluchistan but linguistically Dravidian?
 - a. Brahui
 - b. Kui
 - c. Parji
 - d. Pengo
- 14. In an electronic watch, the component corresponding to pendulum of a pendulum clock is a
 - a. transistor
 - b. crystal oscillator
 - c. diode
 - d. balance wheel
- 15. Match List I with List II

List-I (Crops)	List-II (Crop pests)
a. Rice b. Wheat c. Sugarcane d. Gram	 a. Aphid b. Gundhi bug c. Greasy cutworm d. Top shoot borer moth e. Bollworm
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- 16. What is the correct sequence of the following in a heart attack?
 - a. Narrowing of the inner orifice of the vessel
 - b. Plaque from fibrous tissue and high cholesterol
 - c. Inadequate supply of blood and oxygen
 - d. Clots of blood carried into the coronary arteries

- <u>i</u>. 1,2, 3,4
- <u>ii</u>. 2,4, 1,3
- <u>iii</u>. 2,3, 1,4
- *iv.* 4,2, 1,3