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Q. 1  India was elected as a President of General Assembly of the United Nations in 1953. Who occupied this office on behalf of India?

[A] S. Radha Krishnan  
[B] Gopalswamy Iyyengar  
[C] V.K. Krishna Menon  
[D] Vijayalakshmi Pandit  

Answer  Option [D]  

Q. 2 Which of the following is not a chief organ of the United Nations Organisations?

[A] International Labour Organisation  
[B] Security Council  
[C] International Court of Justice  
[D] General Assembly  

Answer  Option [A]  

Q. 3 Which of the following country is not a member of G-7?

[A] Japan  
[B] Russia  
[C] France  
[D] Italy  

Answer  Option [B]  

Q. 4 Headquarters of the World Health Organisation is located at

[A] Geneva  
[B] Washington DC  
[C] New York  
[D] Rome  

Answer  Option [A]  

Q. 5 The headquarters of International Atomic Energy Agency is located in

[A] Vienna  
[B] London  
[C] Geneva  
[D] Washington  

Answer  Option [A]
Q. 6 Which organ of the United Nations has ceased to be operational?

[A] Economic and Social Council
[B] International Court of Justice
[C] Trusteeship Council
[D] Secretariat

Answer Option [C]

Q. 7 The Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific (ESCAP) is located at

[A] Manila
[B] Singapore
[C] Kuala Lumpur
[D] Bangkok

Answer Option [D]

Q. 8 The first General Secretary of UNO was

[A] Dag Hamarskjöld
[B] U Thant
[C] Trygve Lie
[D] Kurt Waldheim

Answer Option [C]

Q. 9 The headquarters of World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO) is located in

[A] Paris
[B] Madrid
[C] New York
[D] Geneva

Answer Option [D]

Q. 10 Amnesty International is an organisation associated with which of the following fields?

[A] Protection of Cruelty to animals
[B] Environment protection
[C] Protection of human rights
[D] Protection of historic monuments

Answer Option [C]
Q. 11  The working language(s) of the UNESCO is/are
[A] French only
[B] English only
[C] English and French
[D] English, French and Russian
Answer Option [C]

Q. 12  SAARC was founded in
[A] New Delhi
[B] Geneva
[C] Dhaka
[D] Thimpu
Answer Option [C]

Q. 13  Who was the first Indian to be President of UN General Assembly?
[A] Mrs. Vijay Lakshmi Pandit
[B] Ramesh Bhandari
[C] Natwar Singh
[D] Krishna Menon
Answer Option [A]

Q. 14  Which of the following describe correctly the Group of Seven Countries (G-7)?
[A] They are developing countries
[B] They are industrialised countries
[C] They are holding Atomic Bomb technology
[D] They are countries who can launch their own satellites
Answer Option [B]

Q. 15  The headquarters of U.N. is located in
[A] Rome
[B] Geneva
[C] New York
[D] Washington D.C.
Answer Option [C]
### Question 16

**United Nations adapted a Charter of Economic Rights in the year**

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**Answer:** Option [B]

### Question 17

**The number of principal organs of UNO is**

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**Answer:** Option [C]

### Question 18

**The headquarters of Food and Agriculture Organisation is in**

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**Answer:** Option [D]

### Question 19

**The International Human Rights Convention adopted by the United Nations in 1990 relates to**

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**Answer:** Option [D]

### Question 20

**Which of the following countries is not a member of a SAARC**

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**Answer:** Option [B]
Q. 21 Which of the following countries is not a member of G-15?

[A] Jamaica
[B] Indonesia
[C] Colombia
[D] Peru

Answer: Option [C]

Q. 22 How many former republics of USSR have become members of the Commonwealth of Independent States?

[A] 11
[B] 10
[C] 12
[D] 9

Answer: Option [A]

Q. 23 The United Nations is considered as a universal organisation. Which organ of the United Nations fully represents the fact?

[A] The Economic and Social Council
[B] The Security Council
[C] The Secretariat
[D] The General Assembly

Answer: Option [D]

Q. 24 The Indian delegation to the first World Conference on Human Rights was led by

[A] Dr. Manmohan Singh
[B] Farooq Abdullah
[C] Dinesh Singh
[D] Alam Khan

Answer: Option [A]

Q. 25 Which is principal organ of the United Nations that as virtually accomplished its object?

[A] The Security Council
[B] The General Assembly
[C] The International Court of Justice
[D] The Trusteeship Council

Answer: Option [D]
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<th>Q. 26</th>
<th>The headquarters of International Labour Organisation is at</th>
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Answer: Option [D]

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<th>Q. 27</th>
<th>The headquarters of UNHCR is located at</th>
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Answer: Option [C]

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<th>When was SAARC founded?</th>
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Answer: Option [C]

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<th>The member countries of NAFTA are</th>
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Answer: Option [B]

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<th>Which of the following countries is not a member of Group 15 developing countries?</th>
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<td>[C]</td>
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<td>[D]</td>
<td>Bolivia</td>
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Answer: Option [D]
Q. 31 Permanent Secretariat to coordinate the implementation of SAARC programme is located at

[A] Dhaka
[B] New Delhi
[C] Colombo
[D] Kathmandu

Answer Option [D]

Q. 32 Pakistan which rejoined the Commonwealth, had pulled itself out of it in the year

[A] 1978
[B] 1975
[C] 1972
[D] 1982

Answer Option [C]

Q. 33 The International Court of Justice is located at

[A] Geneva
[B] Hague
[C] Amsterdam
[D] Vienna

Answer Option [B]

Q. 34 Vietnam joined the U.N.O in the year

[A] 1977
[B] 1970
[C] 1976
[D] 1974

Answer Option [A]

Q. 35 Which of the following is used as the logo of the World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)?

[A] Deer
[B] Panda
[C] Camel
[D] Lion

Answer Option [B]
Q. 36 The main aim of SAARC is

[A] Regional Cooperation
[B] Internal affairs
[C] Non-alignity
[D] Peaceful Coexistence

Answer Option [A]

Q. 37 Where was the first ever security Council Summit meeting held in early 1992?

[A] New York
[B] Paris
[C] Geneva
[D] London

Answer Option [A]

Q. 38 The international township built near Pondicherry in India in coloration with UNESCO is called

[A] Elbaville
[B] Auroville
[C] Gayaville
[D] Broadway

Answer Option [B]

Q. 39 The NAM summit which demanded expansion of the United Nations Security council had met at

[A] Tehran
[B] Cairo
[C] Harare
[D] Jakarta

Answer Option [D]

Q. 40 Which one of the following is not related to disarmament?

[A] SALT
[B] NPT
[C] CTBT
[D] NATO

Answer Option [D]
Q. 41  Which of the following is a military alliance?

[A] NATO  
[B] NAFTA  
[C] EEC  
[D] ASEAN  

Answer  Option [A]

Q. 42  Besides UK, USA, Germany and Japan the G-7 countries includes

[A] Canada, France and Russia  
[B] Canada, Italy and Netherlands  
[C] France, Netherlands and Russia  
[D] Canada, France and Italy  

Answer  Option [D]

Q. 43  SAARC is observing a decade(1991-2000) of which of the following?

[A] Girl child  
[B] Literacy  
[C] Health services to rural poor  
[D] Shelter for all  

Answer  Option [A]

Q. 44  Which organ of United Nations has ceased to be operational?

[A] Trusteeship Council  
[B] Secretariat  
[C] International Court of Justice  
[D] Economic and Social Council  

Answer  Option [A]

Q. 45  Which was the first country to withdraw from CENTO?

[A] Iraq  
[B] Afghanistan  
[C] Turkey  
[D] U.K.  

Answer  Option [A]
Q. 46  The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) is located at which of the following places?

[A] Geneva
[B] Rome
[C] Paris
[D] Vienna

Answer Option [A]

Q. 47  Amnesty International has its headquarters at

[A] Berlin
[B] New York
[C] Washington
[D] London

Answer Option [D]

Q. 48  The Halifax summit was that of

[A] G-7 countries
[B] Leaders of the NAM
[C] countries in favour of a common currency for Europe
[D] Palestinian and Israeli leaders

Answer Option [A]

Q. 49  The headquarters of the UNESCO is at

[A] Rome
[B] Geneva
[C] New York
[D] Paris

Answer Option [D]

Q. 50  The office of the UN General Assembly is in

[A] Vienna
[B] New York
[C] Paris
[D] Zurich

Answer Option [B]
Q. 51 The five permanent members of UN security council are

[A] Japan, West Germany, USSR, UK and USA
[B] Canada, China, France, USSR and USA
[C] Germany, China, USSR, UK and USA
[D] China, France, USSR, UK and USA

Answer Option [D]

Q. 52 Which of the following is not associated with the UNO?

[A] ILO
[B] WHO
[C] ASEAN
[D] All of the above

Answer Option [C]

Explanation: UNO: United Nations Organization
ILO: International Labor Organization
WHO: World Health Organization
ASEAN: Association of Southeast Asian Nations

Q. 53 Which UN body deals with population problem?

[A] UNFPA
[B] UNDP
[C] UNICEF
[D] UNESCO

Answer Option [A]


Q. 54 Which of the following is not a member of G-15?

[A] Pakistan
[B] Malaysia
[C] Indonesia
[D] India

Answer Option [A]

Q. 55 The Indian Red Cross Society was established in the year

[A] 1932
[B] 1920
[C] 1945
Q. 56 **Which of the following is not an agency of U.N.?**

- [A] World Health Organisation
- [B] Food and Agricultural Organisation
- [C] International Committee of the Red Cross
- [D] International Monetary Fund

Answer Option [C]

Q. 57 **Which of the following countries is not a member of SAARC?**

- [A] Nepal
- [B] Bangladesh
- [C] Afghanistan
- [D] Myanmar

Answer Option [D]

Q. 58 **G-7 includes**

- [A] South Africa
- [B] Australia
- [C] India
- [D] Italy

Answer Option [D]

Q. 59 **The non-permanent members of the Security Council of the UN elected by the General Assembly for two years term at present include (2-year term which begins on the January 1, 2011)**

- [A] Japan, India, Hungary, Venezuela
- [B] Morocco, Cape, Verde, Belgium, Russia
- [C] Zimbabwe, Venezuela, India, France
- [D] Colombia, Germany, India, Portugal, South Africa

Answer Option [D]

**Explanation:** For the 2-year term which begins on the January 1, 2011, the elected non-permanent members for this 2-year period will be Colombia, Germany, India, Portugal, and South Africa.

Q. 60 **G-15 is a group of**

- [A] developing countries
The G15, a group of 17 developing countries from Asia, Africa and Latin America, was set up to foster cooperation and provide input for other international groups, such as the World Trade Organization and the Group of Seven rich industrialized nations. The G15 focuses on cooperation among developing countries in the areas of investment, trade, and technology. The membership of the G15 has expanded to 18 countries, but the name has remained unchanged.

Q. 61 Which of the following is Human Rights Organisation?

 [A] The French community
 [B] The Organisation of African Unity
 [C] The Arab League
 [D] Amnesty International

Answer Option [D]

Q. 62 Which of the following countries is not a member of the G-8 group?

 [A] Germany
 [B] France
 [C] Italy
 [D] Spain

Answer Option [D]

Q. 63 Which of the following pairs of country and the purpose for which U.N. Peace Keeping Force is maintained is correctly matched?

 [A] Cyprus - to maintain peace between the two dominant ethnic groups in the country
 [B] Mozambique - To supervise a referendum
 [C] El Salvador - to deliver humanitarian aid
 [D] Lebanon - For supervising a 1992 accord

Answer Option [A]

Q. 64 The SAARC movement was launched for

 [A] political alliances
 [B] regional cooperation
 [C] cultural exchanges
 [D] military strategy

Answer Option [B]
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<th>Which of the following is the headquarters of World Trade Organisation (WTO)?</th>
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<th>The year 1995 is the Golden Jubilee year of which of the following international organisations?</th>
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<th>The chairmanship/presidency of the UN Security Council rotates among the Council Members</th>
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**Explanation:** The presidency of the United Nations Security Council rotates on a monthly basis alphabetically among all of the members based on their English name.

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<td>[C] None of these</td>
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Q. 70  **The UNO was founded at**
   [A] Moscow  
   [B] London  
   [C] Paris  
   [D] San Francisco

**Answer**  Option [D]

Q. 71  **Which of the following is a cultural organisation?**
   [A] UNESCO  
   [B] ILO  
   [C] WHO  
   [D] FAO

**Answer**  Option [A]

Q. 72  **First Indian to make a speech in Hindi before the UN General Assembly is**
   [A] Moraji Desai  
   [B] A.B. Vajpayee  
   [C] Lal Bahadur Shastri  
   [D] Lal Krishna Advani

**Answer**  Option [B]

Q. 73  **Which of the following international organisations has started the scheme 'Partnership for Peace' for a group of nations?**
   [A] Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC)  
   [B] Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific (ESCAP)  
   [C] North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO)  
   [D] Organisations of African Unity (OAU)

**Answer**  Option [C]

Q. 74  **The head quarters of the International Red Cross is situated in**
   [A] Vienna  
   [B] Paris  
   [C] Hague  
   [D] Geneva