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B. New Delhi

C. Chennai

D. Gorakhpur

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B. Japan

C. India

D. Nepal

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### Correct answers:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
B	D	B	C	B	A	A	A	B	C

### Explanations:

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<https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/defence/india-china-to-hold-joint-military-exercises-from-december-10/articleshow/66865067.cms>

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