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February GA Quiz 21

Direction: Read the following questions carefully and choose the right answer.

- 1. Which company has recently announced a software stack called OpenPPI that helps prepaid instruments (PPI) such as digital wallets implement and comply with RBI's PPI interoperability rules?**
A. JusPay
B. Google Pay
C. Airtel Pay
D. Amazon Pay
E. None of these
- 2. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) on Wednesday cancelled the licence of Mantha Urban Cooperative Bank Ltd. This Cooperative Bank is located in which state?**
A. Gujarat
B. Maharashtra
C. Tamil Nadu
D. Kerala
E. None of these
- 3. Which country has recently become 1st Foreign Country to Deploy India's UPI?**
A. Bhutan
B. Sri Lanka
C. Bangladesh
D. Nepal
E. None of these
- 4. The Centre has recently approved the implementation of Phase II of the Inter-Operable Criminal Justice System (ICJS) project by which ministry at a total cost of Rs 3,375 crore during the period from 2022-23 to 2025-26?**
A. Ministry of Home Affairs
B. Ministry of External Affairs
C. Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
D. Ministry of Finance
E. None of these



5. Who among the following is author of the book titled as 'The Founders: The Story of Paypal and the Entrepreneurs Who Shaped Silicon Valley'?

- A. Jimmy Soni
D. Ashok Mehta
- B. Vishal Garg
E. None of these
- C. Suresh Nair

6. A new species of Gecko named "Cyrtodactylus" has been discovered in which state?

- A. Assam
D. Sikkim
- B. Manipur
E. None of these
- C. Tripura

7. Who among the following has been conferred with Hilal-e-Pakistan, the second highest civilian honour in the country, for his efforts to help eradicate polio in Pakistan?

- A. Steve Jobs
D. Jeff Bezos
- B. Mark Zuckerberg
E. None of these
- C. Bill Gates

8. Which of following companies has recently partnered with Microsoft in its launch of 'Microsoft Cloud for Retail', further strengthening its offerings to the retail industry?

- A. Tech Mahindra
D. KPIT Technologies
- B. Sonata Software
E. None of these
- C. Mindtree Ltd

9. Which of the following companies has recently set up a new wholly owned subsidiary company namely 'NREL', for development of Renewable Energy, Small Hydro and Green Hydrogen projects?

- A. NHPC Limited
D. THDC India Limited
- B. NTPC Limited
E. None of these
- C. NLC India Limited

10. G Kishan Reddy has recently inaugurated 1st Global Summit on 'Reimagining Museums In India' in which city?

- A. Mumbai
D. Kochi
- B. Hyderabad
E. None of these
- C. Chennai

11. World Day of Social Justice was recently observed on which date?

- A. Feb-19
D. Feb-18
- B. Feb-20
E. None of these
- C. Feb-21

12. Kerala's first Caravan Park is all set to come up in _____, a scenic hill station located in Idukki district.

- A. Vagamon
D. Varkala
- B. Munnar
E. None of these
- C. Wayanad

13. _____ and IRCTC have recently launched co-branded RuPay contactless credit card.

- A. SBI Cards
D. Mastercard
- B. BOB Financial
E. None of these
- C. IDFC FIRST Bank

14. Kerala Startup Mission (KSUM) has recently announced a collaboration with which company for local startups to connect with the global startup community?

- A. Microsoft
D. Apple
- B. Amazon
E. None of these
- C. Google

15. _____ and Germany-based RWE Renewables GmbH have joined hands to explore the potential for joint development of offshore wind projects in India.

- A. Tata Power
D. Reliance Power
- B. JSW Energy
E. None of these
- C. Torrent Power

16. India and _____ have agreed on a Roadmap on Blue Economy and Ocean Governance with the aim to contribute to scientific knowledge and ocean conservation and ensure that the ocean remains a global common, based on the rule of law.

- A. Canada
D. United Kingdom
- B. Germany
E. None of these
- C. France

- 17. Which company has recently launched a 'Digital Garage' in Sydney, Australia, to bring the company's global capabilities to the Australian market?**
- A. Tata Consultancy Services B. Tech Mahindra C. HCL Technologies
D. ITC Limited E. None of these
- 18. Shakuntala Choudhary passed away recently. She was a/an _____.**
- A. Social worker B. Book writer C. Freedom fighter
D. A and C E. All A, B and C
- 19. Which IIT has recently has launched the 'KISAN' mobile app for dissemination of Agromet Advisory Services (AAS)?**
- A. IIT Kolkata B. IIT Mumbai C. IIT Roorkee
D. IIT Raipur E. None of these
- 20. Which of the following companies has recently won a 211-million-pound (Rs 2,100 crore) contract from the UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) to provide critical customer support to the country's citizens?**
- A. Hinduja Global Solutions B. Firstsource Solutions C. Tata Consultancy Services
D. eClerx Services Ltd E. None of these



CORRECT ANSWER:

1.	A	2.	B	3.	D	4.	A	5.	A	6.	E	7.	C	8.	B	9.	A	10.	B
11.	B	12.	A	13.	B	14.	C	15.	A	16.	C	17.	A	18.	D	19.	C	20.	A



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Explanations:

1. Hints to Remember

Who: JusPay

What: launches software to make digital wallets mutually compatible

When: published on 17th February 2022

Softbank-backed digital payments infrastructure provider JusPay on Thursday announced a software stack called OpenPPI that helps prepaid instruments (PPI) such as digital wallets implement and comply with RBI's PPI interoperability rules.

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) said in May 2021 that all prepaid cards and wallets that are full-KYC compliant must be fully interoperable – mutually compatible – by March 31, 2022.

The rules are aimed at accelerating the migration of small and convenience payments from cash to PPI instruments and wallets. They also require PPIs to be compliant with the same level of security and customer support as mandated for UPI, so customers can have the confidence to adopt them.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. [\(Read more\)](#)

2. Hints to Remember

Who: RBI

What: cancels licence of Mantha Urban Cooperative Bank

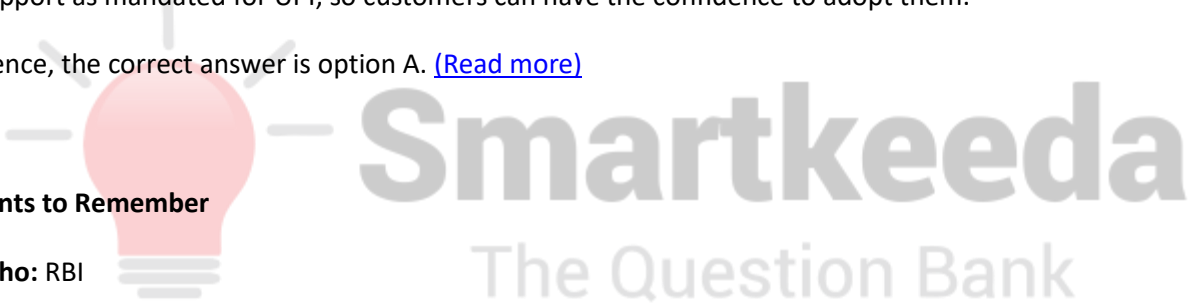
When: published on 16th February 2022

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has recently cancelled the licence of Mantha Urban Cooperative Bank Ltd, Mantha in Maharashtra's Jalna district.

In a release, the RBI said that the cooperative bank's licence was cancelled as it does not have adequate capital and earning prospects and it failed to comply with various sections of the Banking Regulation Act.

The continuance of the bank is prejudicial to the interests of its depositors and with its present financial position, it would be unable to pay its present depositors in full, the release said. Besides, the public interest would be adversely affected if the bank is allowed to carry on its banking business any further, it added.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. [\(Read more\)](#)



3. Hints to Remember

Who: Nepal

What: becomes 1st Foreign Country to Deploy India's UPI

When: published on 15th February 2022

Nepal will become the first foreign country to adopt India's Unified Payments Interface (UPI) system paving the way for transforming the digital economy of the country.

The National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) on Thursday announced that the neighboring country will implement the payment system in the country.

The international arm of NPCI, NPCI International Payments Ltd (NIPL) has joined hands with Gateway Payments Service (GPS) and Manam Infotech to provide the services in Nepal, according to PTI.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. ([Read more](#))

4. Hints to Remember

Who: Centre

What: approves project to connect pillars of Criminal Justice system

When: published on 19th February 2022

The Centre approved the implementation of Phase II of the Inter-Operable Criminal Justice System (ICJS) project by the Ministry of Home Affairs at a total cost of Rs 3,375 crore during the period from 2022-23 to 2025-26.

This phase, closely monitored by Union Home Minister Amit Shah, will be a step towards ensuring effective and modern policing.

The project will be implemented as a central sector scheme, an MHA statement said.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))



5. Hints to Remember

Who: Jimmi Soni

What: authored a book titled 'The Founders: The Story of Paypal and the Entrepreneurs Who Shaped Silicon Valley'

When: published on 20th February 2022

Dying is easy; dramatizing the dot-com world is hard. Where is the action in people staring at computer screens, pointing and clicking and typing? Even the costumes, hoodies and such worn by coders, the props of empty pizza boxes and foosball tables and sleeping bags under the desk, lack a certain oomph. At least the finance bros of the '80s had snappy suspenders, martini dinners, strip clubs and buy-sell pads they could wave around between screams on the trading floor.

The development of online "wallets" might seem particularly bloodless — what, those things you use sometimes to buy stuff on the internet and often forget the password to? — and yet "The Founders: The Story of PayPal and the Entrepreneurs Who Shaped Silicon Valley," by Jimmy Soni, is an intensely magnetic chronicle in which ambitions and emotions run as red-hot as they did in the Facebook movie written by Aaron Sorkin, "The Social Network." It helps that PayPal's origin story, though essentially an ensemble piece, features two of the more complicated antiheroes of our time: Peter Thiel, who has become a significant player in right-wing politics, and Elon Musk, currently the richest person in the world, who makes aggressive forays into the cosmos. Each has previously been the subject of big biographies.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. [\(Read more\)](#)

6. Hints to Remember

Who: Army's Bent Toed Gecko: A New Lizard Species from Meghalaya

What: Named in Honor of Indian army

When: published on 19th February 2022

A new species of Gecko from Meghalaya has been recorded from Umroi Military Station in the Ri-Bhoi district of the state by a group of researchers. The new find is scientifically named *Cyrtodactylus exercitus*. *Exercitus* in Latin means army. The name has been coined to honour the Indian army for their services and dedication.

Locally, the Gecko shall be called the Indian Army's bent-toed gecko. The genus *Cyrtodactylus* is represented by around 320 species worldwide and is the third most found species vertebrate genus in the world. The members of the genus range from South Asia to Melanesia with high diversity in south Asia. Northeast India is now home to 16 species of bent-toed gecko.

Hence, the correct answer is option E. [\(Read more\)](#)

7. Hints to Remember

Who: Philanthropist Bill Gates

What: conferred Hilal-e-Pakistan honour for efforts to eradicate polio

When: published on 17th February 2022

Microsoft founder and philanthropist Bill Gates has been conferred with Hilal-e-Pakistan, the second highest civilian honour in the country, for his efforts to help eradicate polio in Pakistan, Samaa TV reported.

Gates is on a day-long visit to Pakistan and has met with Pakistan Prime Minister Imran Khan. He also visited the National Command and Control Centre (NCOC) that oversees efforts to curb Covid-19.

A statement from the Pakistan Prime Minister's Office said on Thursday that this is Gate's first-ever visit to Pakistan.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))

8. Hints to Remember

Who: Sonata Software

What: Partners with Microsoft in its launch of 'Microsoft Cloud for Retail'

When: published on 7th February 2022

Sonata Software, a global IT Services and Technology Solutions Company, partners with Microsoft in its launch of 'Microsoft Cloud for Retail', further strengthening its offerings to the retail industry.

For over three decades, Sonata Software has been a partner with Microsoft, delivering high quality products and services based on Microsoft's offerings. The 'Microsoft Cloud for Retail' collaboration is expected to further strengthen that relationship.

Sonata Software has delivered high-quality solutions for retailers world-wide over the years, based on a deep understanding of retail markets and retailers' needs, using world-class IPs, in-house migration and modernization tools, strong engineering services, all underpinned by Platformation™, its unique digital transformation framework. Sonata Connected Retail delivers personalized, intelligent, and adaptive solutions that allow retailers to unlock the potential latent in their businesses and deal with shifting market landscapes.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))



9. Hints to Remember

Who: NHPC

What: incorporates subsidiary for renewable energy business

When: published on 18th February 2022

State-owned hydro power giant NHPC has incorporated a wholly-owned subsidiary for clean energy business, including green hydrogen.

As per a BSE filing, the new company -- NHPC Renewable Energy Ltd -- was registered with Registrar of Companies, NCT of Delhi & Haryana, on February 16, 2022.

The development comes against the backdrop of the government's focus on renewable energy and target of 500 GW of clean energy by 2030.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. [\(Read more\)](#)

10. Hints to Remember

Who: Sri G Kishan Reddy

What: to inaugurate first-ever Global Summit on 'Reimagining Museums in India', in Hyderabad

When: published on 14th February 2022

The Ministry of Culture, Government of India is organising a first of its kind, 2-Day Global Summit in Hyderabad on 'Reimagining Museums in India', on 15-16 February 2022. The Summit will be inaugurated by Minister of Culture, Tourism and Development of Northeastern Region (DoNER), Govt. of India Shri G. Kishan Reddy. Participants from countries such as India, Australia, France, Italy, Singapore, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom will be a part of the summit that will be held online over two days and participation is open to the public. Approximately 2,300 people have already registered to attend the event.

The summit is being organized under the aegis of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, the flagship program to mark 75th anniversary of India's independence and celebrate the glorious history of its people, culture and achievements.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. [\(Read more\)](#)



11. Hints to Remember

Who: World Day of Social Justice

What: was observed on 20th February 2022

World Day of Social Justice is observed on February 20 every year. The main objective of celebrating World Day of Social Justice is to raise a voice against social injustice and to bring the various communities internationally together to eliminate poverty, gender, physical discrimination, illiteracy, religious discrimination to make a socially integrated society.

To raise voices against social injustice and to remove barriers regarding gender, age, race, ethnicity, religion, culture, or disability, World Social Justice Day is observed. On this day, many schools, colleges, and universities do special activities and organise events around a theme related to poverty, social and economic exclusion, or unemployment. So that the students may know that it is necessary to uphold the principles of social justice.

The theme for World Justice Day 2022 is 'Achieving Social Justice through Formal Employment'.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

12. Hints to Remember

Who: Kerala's first Caravan Park

What: to come up in Vagamon

When: published on 18th February 2022

Kerala's first Caravan park is all set to come up in Vagamon, a scenic hill station located in Idukki district. The park, as part of the state government's new Caravan Tourism policy, would be thrown open to travellers on February 25, state Tourism Minister PA Mohammad Riyas said on Thursday.

He said that Caravan Tourism was introduced by the state Tourism department as a safe means for holidaying at a time when people are unable to step out or travel due to the outbreak of COVID-19. "Each traveller wishes for safe journey, accommodation and food these days. The Caravan Tourism project is a great hope and opportunity for people who have been unable to travel and forced to stay indoor for a long time," Riyas said in a Facebook post.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))



13. Hints to Remember

Who: BOB Financial and IRCTC

What: launch co-branded Rupay Contactless Credit Card

When: published on 21st February 2022

BOB Financial Solutions (BFSL), a wholly owned subsidiary of Bank of Baroda (BoB) and Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) have come together to launch the IRCTC BoB RuPay Contactless Credit Card. The card is specially curated to offer maximum savings to frequent railway travellers.

Users of this card will also get multiple benefits for shopping across other categories ranging from groceries to fuel. Cardholders can also use this card to transact at international merchants and ATMs through the JCB network.

Hence, the correct answer is option B. ([Read more](#))

14. Hints to Remember

Who: KSUM

What: partners with Google for startups to foster global links

When: published on 19th February 2022

Kerala Startup Mission (KSUM) has announced a collaboration with tech giant Google for local startups to connect with the global startup community.

This wider network enables local startups to leverage Google's programme comprising mentorship and training of startup teams to help scale up their solutions.

The partnership was announced by Mr Paul Ravindranath, Head of Google for Startups Accelerator, India, at the Huddle Global' conclave of KSUM that kicked off here on Saturday. The collaboration will enable Kerala's startups to join a wider network to leverage Google's programme comprising mentorship and training of startup teams for scaled-up solutions, an official statement said here.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))

15. Hints to Remember

Who: Tata Power, RWE Renewables

What: tie up to develop offshore wind projects in India

When: published on 21st February 2022

Tata Power and Germany-based RWE Renewables GmbH have joined hands to explore the potential for joint development of offshore wind projects in India.

Tata Power Renewable Energy Limited, a 100% subsidiary of Tata Power, and RWE Renewables GmbH has signed a Memorandum of Understanding for the partnership, said a joint statement from the companies.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

16. Hints to Remember

Who: India and France

What: agree on Roadmap on Blue Economy and Ocean Governance

When: published on 21st February 2022

India and France have agreed on a Roadmap on Blue Economy and Ocean Governance with the aim to contribute to scientific knowledge and ocean conservation and ensure that the ocean remains a global common, based on the rule of law.

This agreement came during External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar's three-day visit to France. The scope of the roadmap will encompass maritime trade, the naval industry, fisheries, marine technology and scientific research, integrated coastal management, marine eco-tourism, inland waterways, and cooperation between competent administrations on civil maritime issues.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))



17. Hints to Remember

Who: TCS

What: launches 'Digital Garage' in Sydney to drive innovation

When: published on 21st February 2022

Tata Consultancy Services Ltd (TCS) has launched a 'Digital Garage' in Sydney, Australia, to bring the company's global capabilities to the Australian market. The 'Digital Garage', an innovation and digital collaboration centre, is the first such centre in Asia-Pacific, adding to the other such centres in New York, Pittsburg, Amsterdam, and Tokyo.

"The advanced research hub is designed to holistically look at innovation, helping businesses establish their competitive differentiation, increase speed to market, and navigate their growth and transformation journeys. It provides companies with a structured framework that helps them ideate better, work on creative solutions faster, and focus their efforts on real, purpose-driven business needs," TCS said in a statement.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))

18. Hints to Remember

Who: Gandhian social worker & freedom fighter Shakuntala Choudhary

What: passes away

When: published on 21st February 2022

Shakuntala Choudhary, the 102-year-old Gandhian social worker and freedom fighter, passed away this morning in Guwahati. Hailing from Assam's Kamrup, she worked for the wellbeing of villagers, especially women and children, and was popularly known as Shakuntala Baideo.

She was named a Padma Shri award recipient by the Government of India, this year.

Hence, the correct answer is option D. ([Read more](#))



19. Hints to Remember

Who: IIT Roorkee

What: launches KISAN mobile to send agricultural advises

When: published on 19th February 2022

IIT Roorkee organised a regional farmers' awareness program under Gramin Krishi Mausam Sewa (GKMS) project and in continuation of the series of 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav'. Farmers from Haridwar, Dehradun, and Pauri Garhwal districts participated in the program.

Farmers and other stakeholders were sensitized about the Agromet Advisory Services jointly provided by the AMFU Roorkee and India Meteorological Department (IMD). A mobile App 'KISAN' has been launched for easy access to these services for farmers on their mobile phones.

Hence, the correct answer is option C. ([Read more](#))

20. Hints to Remember

Who: HGS

What: bags contract worth Rs 2,100 cr from UK Health Security Agency

When: published on 20th February 2022

Business process management firm Hinduja Global Solutions' UK subsidiary has won a 211-million-pound (Rs 2,100 crore) contract from the UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) to provide critical customer support to the country's citizens.

The contract is for an initial period of two years, with an option to extend further.

The partnership will see it employ over 2,000 people, who will work from home across the UK.

Hence, the correct answer is option A. ([Read more](#))





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