

IASbaba Daily Quiz – Day 9

Q.1) Consider the following statements

1. Depreciation of Rupee value against dollar.
2. Increase of FDI flowing in to India (Foreign direct investment).
3. Decrease in FII coming to India (Foreign institutional investors).

Which of the above following is/are the implications of US Fed reserve interest rate hike on India?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) All the above

Q.1) Solution (c)

- Increases in interest rates have led to wide range of implications on stock market and currency value.
- Investors who seek better profits and stability tend to pull out their money from developing countries and invest in developed markets. or vice versa.
- There will be depreciation of rupee value against dollar if there is a hike.
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Q.2) Consider the following statements

1. The decision to determine whether the bill is Money bill or not is determined by Speaker and his decision is final.
2. Article 178 deals with speaker and deputy speaker of state assembly.
3. The speaker presides over joint sessions of legislative assemblies.

Select the incorrect statement/s with respect to speaker of a legislative assembly.

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 only
- c) 3 only
- d) 1 and 3 only

Q.2) Solution (c)

- Joint session of houses is only held at union level. There is no provision of holding joint session at state level.
- Article 178 deals with state legislative speaker and Article 93 deals with speaker of Lok Sabha.
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Q.3) There is a constant pressure on the government from various circles to revoke controversial AFSPA. Consider the following statements with respect to Martial law and AFSPA:

1. Article 33 empowers the parliament to restrict or abrogate fundamental rights of the members of Armed forces.
2. The term martial which is defined in the constitution can be imposed only in specific area of the country.
3. Declaration of martial law in the area results in the suspension of the writ of Habeas corpus.
4. Till today AFSPA is in force in J&K and seven sister states of North east.

Select the incorrect option

- a) 1 and 4 only
- b) 1 and 3 only
- c) 2, 3 and 4 only
- d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

Q.3) Solution (c)

- The term martial is not defined in the constitution and it can be imposed only in specific area of the country.
- The Supreme Court held that declaration of martial law in the area does not result in the suspension of the writ of Habeas corpus.
- In May 2015 [Tripura government](#) withdrew the controversial Act. However till today AFSPA is in force in J&K and all north eastern states except TRIPURA.
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Q.4) Consider the following statements with respect to IRNSS (Indian regional navigational satellite system)

1. It is a constellation of 7 satellites placed in Geo synchronous orbit.
2. Geo stationary is an orbit around the Earth with an orbital period of one sidereal day.
3. It is launched using the GSLV launch vehicle

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- a) 2 and 3 only
- b) 2 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) None of the above

Q.4) Solution (d)

- IRNSS is a constellation of seven satellites in which three are placed in geo stationary and four are placed in geo synchronous orbits.
- It is launched using PSLV C 31 launch vehicle.
- Geo synchronous is an orbit around the Earth with an orbital period of one sidereal day.
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Q.5) Recently the production of sugarcane came down owing to the drought situation in various parts of the country. Consider the following statements with respect to Sugarcane crop.

1. Sugarcane basically is a tropical crop.
2. Frost is injurious to sugarcane.
3. India is the second largest sugarcane producing country in the world.

Select the incorrect option

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) None of the above

Q.5) Solution (d)

- Sugarcane is a tropical crop that requires warm and humid climate with temperature 20 to 30 degree Celsius.
- Sugarcane requires proper climatic conditions for its growth. In the latter half, temperature above 20°C combined with open sky helps in acquiring juice and its thickening. Too heavy rainfall results in low sugar content and deficiency in rainfall produces fibrous crop. Irrigation is required in areas receiving lesser rainfall than the prescribed limit. Short cool dry winter season during ripening and harvesting is ideal.
- Frost is detrimental to sugarcane. Therefore, it must be harvested before frost season, if it is grown in northern parts of the country where winters are very cold and frost is a common phenomenon. On the other hand, hot dry winds are also inimical to sugarcane.
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