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Current Affairs

English

Q:1 Who among the following retained the title of WTA Player of the Year 2023?

1. Serena Williams
2. Iga Swiatek
3. Elina Svitolina
4. Elise Mertins

Q:2 Which among the following events dominated the search trends in India in 2023 as per the Year in Search 2023 edition of Google?

1. Karnataka Elections
2. Jawan Movie
3. Chandrayaan 3
4. World Cup 2023

Q:3 Where is the new species of Marine Amphipod being discovered namely "DemaOrchestia Alanensis"?

1. Odisha
2. West Bengal
3. Andhra Pradesh
4. Karnataka

Q:4 Which country released the Blue Drop Report 2023 Highlighting almost half of the drinking water deemed microbiologically unsafe for consumption?

1. Argentina
2. Cuba
3. South Africa
4. Cambodia

Q:5 When is the National Energy Conservation Day 2023 celebrated in India?

1. December 16
2. December 10
3. December 14
4. December 12

Q:6 Where is the "National Conference on Responsible Business Conduct 2023: Embracing ESG in India " being organised by the School of Business Environment?

1. IICA
2. ICAR
3. IREDA
4. ICRA

Q:7 _____ and _____ jointly organised a Workshop on "Investor Education and Protection Policy in India: Claiming the Unclaimed".

1. IREDA and FCI
2. SEBI and IREDA
3. IEPFA and NCAER
4. IACR and IREDA

Q:8 What % of the total African population experienced undernourishment in 2022 as per Africa Regional Overview of Food Security and Nutrition 2023 report?

1. 40
2. 30
3. 20
4. 10

Q:9 Who released the report titled Emissions Divide Report 2023?

1. CEEW
2. IUCN
3. UNICEF
4. WWF

Q:10 _____ and M/s DC Multi Modal Park (Nagpur) Limited have entered into a partnership for development of Multi Modal Logistics Park (MMLP) in Nagpur.

1. NHAI
2. NCPL
3. NTPL
4. SHAI

Answer Key

1. (2)	2. (3)	3. (1)	4. (3)	5. (3)
6. (1)	7. (3)	8. (3)	9. (1)	10. (1)

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **Iga Swiatek**
IGA Swiatek becomes first woman since Serena Williams to claim WTA player of the year twice in a row. She ended the season ranking 1. Serena Williams was WTA player of the Year from 2012-15.

Q:2 The correct answer is **option 3**
i.e. **Chandrayaan 3**

Chandrayaan 3 along with Karnataka Election results that have dominated the search trends in India in 2023 as per the Year in Search 2023 edition of Google. The Indian Premier League was the most popular sporting event in the Subcontinent.

Q:3 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Odisha**
The New Species of Marine Amphipod was discovered in Chilika Lake by researchers at Berhampur University, Odisha. The species have been named as DemaOrchestia Alanensis after Global expert Alan Myers.

Q:4 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **South Africa**
The South African Department of Water and Sanitation released a Report titled "Blue Drop National Report 2023". The report stated that almost half of the drinking water was deemed microbiologically unsafe for consumption. The decline in drinking water quality has been experienced in South Africa since 2014.

Q:5 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **December 14**
The National Energy Conservation Day is celebrated annually on December 14. The day aims to showcase the importance of Conserving energy and the achievements of Nation in energy efficiency and conservation. The President of India Shri Droupadi Murmu is the chief guest at the National Energy Conservation Day 2023 function being held in Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi.

Q:6 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **IICA**

"National Conference on Responsible Business Conduct 2023: Embracing ESG in India " is being organised by the School of Business Environment at IICA, New Delhi. The Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA) is an autonomous institution under the Ministry of Corporate Affairs established in 2012.

Q:7 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **IEPFA and NCAER**

A workshop on "Investor Education and Protection Policy in India: Claiming the Unclaimed" was jointly organised by the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA) and the National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER). It was organised for youth, engaging college students.

Q:8 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **20**

A new report titled "Africa Regional Overview of Food Security and Nutrition 2023" was released by combined efforts of various UN agencies. The report stated that 20% of the African Population experienced undernourishment in 2022. The report was jointly released by FAO, AUC, ECA and WFP.

Q:9 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **CEEW**
The Council on Energy, Environment and Water (CEEW) released a report titled The Emissions Divide Report 2023. The report highlights the differences in Carbon emissions between Developing and Developed nations.

Q:10 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **NHAI**
NHAI and M/s DC Multi Modal Park (Nagpur) Limited have entered into a partnership for development of Multi Modal Logistics Park (MMLP) in Nagpur. The estimated cost of the project is 673 crore and it aligns with PM Gati Shakti National Master Plan.