

CrackExam - 6 October 2026

Practice test

25 original MCQs | Four options | Zero negative marking. Not an actual previous-year paper.

Research cutoff: 6 October 2026, sources dated 5 to 6 October 2026

Choose one best answer per question. One mark for each correct answer; no penalty. Keep the separate answer key closed until you finish. Online modes allow Mock answers after submission or Practice feedback after selection.

1. The World Bank's new FY27 growth forecast for India is:

- A. 6.6%
- B. 7.1%
- C. 7.8%
- D. 8.6%

2. The World Bank's 2026 growth forecast for South Asia is:

- A. 5.2%
- B. 7.5%
- C. 6.9%
- D. 8.0%

3. Which risk was NOT named by the World Bank for the India outlook?

- A. Elevated oil prices
- B. Currency peg collapse
- C. Severe weather shock
- D. Market correction

4. The SME Growth Fund approved by the Cabinet is worth:

- A. Rs 1,000 crore
- B. Rs 50,000 crore
- C. Rs 5,000 crore
- D. Rs 10,000 crore

5. The SME Growth Fund provides SMEs with:

- A. Interest subsidy only
- B. Free land
- C. Export insurance
- D. Long-term equity capital

6. ITLA technically appraises projects costing at least:

- A. Rs 50 crore
- B. Rs 5,000 crore
- C. Rs 500 crore
- D. Rs 100 crore

7. ITLA's National Transport Master Plan has a planning horizon of:

- A. 1 year
- B. 3 years
- C. 10 years or more
- D. Exactly 5 years

8. ITLA is reported to be a special purpose vehicle under which department?

- A. Ministry of Railways
- B. DPIIT
- C. NITI Aayog
- D. Department of Revenue

9. How many permissible works were notified under VB-G RAM G?

- A. 128
- B. 111
- C. 26
- D. 375

10. The livelihood-related infrastructure share is now about:

- A. 26%
- B. 1.1%
- C. 41%
- D. 50%

11. Which is NOT one of the four categories of works?

- A. Water security
- B. Metro rail projects
- C. Core rural infrastructure
- D. Extreme weather and disaster preparedness

12. Where was Fleet Support Ship 'Surya' launched?

- A. Cochin Shipyard
- B. Mazagon Dock, Mumbai
- C. GRSE, Kolkata
- D. Hindustan Shipyard, Visakhapatnam

13. Keel of which ship was laid at the same event?

- A. FSS-2
- B. FSS-5
- C. INS Vikrant
- D. Project 17A

14. Who won the Nobel Prize in Physics 2026?

- A. Karl Deisseroth
- B. Francis Halzen
- C. Peter Hegemann
- D. Georg Nagel

15. The Physics prize recognised work on:

- A. Higgs boson
- B. Gravitational waves
- C. Quantum computing
- D. IceCube Neutrino Observatory

16. Where is the IceCube observatory located?

- A. Greenland
- B. Antarctica coast only
- C. South Pole
- D. Siberia

17. The 2026 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine was for:

- A. Optogenetics
- B. CRISPR
- C. mRNA vaccines
- D. Gut microbiome

18. Which protein, found in an alga, did Hegemann and Nagel discover?

- A. Insulin
- B. Hemoglobin
- C. Channelrhodopsin
- D. Keratin

19. Who shares the Medicine prize with Hegemann and Nagel?

- A. Karl Deisseroth
- B. Francis Halzen
- C. Jay Clayton
- D. Thomas Perlmann

20. Optogenetics lets scientists switch nerve cells on or off using:

- A. Magnets
- B. Light
- C. Sound
- D. Heat

21. HAPS developed by DRDO is a:

- A. Hypersonic missile
- B. Submarine
- C. Lighter-than-air stratospheric platform
- D. Battle tank

22. Which DRDO lab developed the HAPS?

- A. DRDL, Hyderabad
- B. NSTL, Visakhapatnam
- C. DRDE, Gwalior
- D. ADRDE, Agra

23. For more than 30 minutes the HAPS stayed at:

- A. 20 km
- B. 5 km
- C. 50 km
- D. 100 km

24. India's private AI investment in 2025, per the World Bank report, was:

- A. USD 4.1 billion
- B. USD 1.2 billion
- C. USD 10 billion
- D. USD 400 million

25. GCC employment rose to:

- A. 2.36 million
- B. 1.9 million
- C. 5 million
- D. 800,000

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