

CrackExam - 7 October 2026

Practice test

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

Research cutoff: 7 October 2026, sources dated 6 to 7 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 RBI's policy repo rate after the 7 October 2026 decision is:

- A. 5.25%
- B. 5.75%
- C. 5.50%
- D. 6.00%

2. The Standing Deposit Facility rate stands adjusted at:

- A. 5.00%
- B. 5.25%
- C. 5.50%
- D. 5.75%

3. The MPC changed its stance from neutral to:

- A. Calibrated tightening
- B. Withdrawal of accommodation
- C. Accommodative
- D. Hawkish neutral

4. The MSF rate and Bank Rate were raised to:

- A. 5.50%
- B. 5.75%
- C. 6.25%
- D. 6.00%

5. Before the October 2026 hike, the last RBI repo hike was in:

- A. May 2022
- B. June 2024
- C. April 2025
- D. February 2023

6. The RBI's revised FY27 real GDP growth forecast is:

- A. 6.7%
- B. 7.8%
- C. 7.1%
- D. 6.8%

7. The RBI's FY27 CPI inflation projection is:

- A. 4.0%
- B. 5.2%
- C. 6.0%
- D. 4.4%

8. Which factor did the Governor NOT cite for supply-side inflation pressure?

- A. Deficient monsoon
- B. Fall in cotton exports
- C. El Nino
- D. Volatile oil prices

9. The CVA Framework Directions take effect from:

- A. 1 April 2027
- B. 1 April 2026
- C. 7 October 2026
- D. 1 January 2027

10. CVA stands for:

- A. Capital Value Assessment
- B. Credit Valuation Adjustment
- C. Credit Variance Allowance
- D. Counterparty Value Audit

11. The rural Current Situation Index fell to:

- A. 100.5
- B. 91.7
- C. 85.0
- D. 90.6

12. Households' one-year-ahead inflation expectation was:

- A. 5.2%
- B. 7.9%
- C. 10.0%
- D. 4.0%

13. The household survey covered how many cities?

- A. 19
- B. 10
- C. 50
- D. 100

14. The survey figures represent:

- A. Official CPI
- B. GDP deflator
- C. Perceptions and expectations
- D. WPI

15. Ghana's Cabinet approved a decision to seek membership of:

- A. G7
- B. BRICS
- C. NATO
- D. OPEC

16. Which country is NOT on Jaishankar's three-nation Africa tour?

- A. Ghana
- B. Cote d'Ivoire
- C. Ethiopia
- D. Kenya

17. The India-Ghana ties were elevated to a comprehensive partnership during PM Modi's visit in:

- A. July 2025
- B. March 2023
- C. January 2026
- D. October 2024

18. HAL Koraput delivered its how-manyth aero-engine?

- A. 1,000th
- B. 500th
- C. 5,000th
- D. 2,000th

19. The second Shakti engine line at Koraput involves an investment of:

- A. Rs 2,180 crore
- B. Rs 218 crore
- C. Rs 21.8 crore
- D. Rs 500 crore

20. Shakti engines power which helicopter named in the report?

- A. Dhruv ALH
- B. Chinook
- C. Apache
- D. Mi-17

21. Who has been named interlocutor for the Indo-Naga talks?

- A. A. K. Mishra
- B. Govind Mohan
- C. R. N. Ravi
- D. Ajit Lal

22. The Centre's letter was addressed to the leader of which group?

- A. ULFA
- B. NDFB
- C. NSCN (IM)
- D. KLO

23. Who won the Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2026?

- A. Francis Halzen
- B. Karl Deisseroth
- C. Henri B. Kagan and Kenso Soai
- D. Peter Hegemann

24. The Chemistry prize is for discoveries in:

- A. Battery chemistry
- B. Protein folding
- C. Click chemistry
- D. Asymmetric organic synthesis

25. Homochirality refers to molecules in life using:

- A. Only one mirror-image form
- B. Both mirror images equally
- C. No carbon
- D. Only metals

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