

**QUESTIONS ON CURRENT AFFAIRS OF JULY 2014**

1. The present Chief of Army Staff, General Dalbir Singh Suhag was commissioned initially in  
(a) Gorkha Rifles (b) Sikh Light Infantry  
(c) Rajput Regiment (d) Dogra Regiment
2. In July 2014, which country became the 12<sup>th</sup> country in the world to cross the 10 crores population mark?  
(a) Indonesia (b) Mexico  
(c) Japan (d) Philippines
3. Which company was granted Navratna status in July 2014?  
(a) National Buildings Construction Corporation  
(b) Container Corporation of India  
(c) Airports Authority of India  
(d) Bharat Dynamics Limited
4. According to a report by UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs, which Indian city is the second most populous city in the world?  
(a) Kolkata (b) Mumbai  
(c) Delhi (d) Hyderabad
5. As announced in the Budget 2014-15 speech, National Academy of Customs and Excise is proposed to be set up in –  
(a) Rajasthan (b) Telangana  
(c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Andhra Pradesh
6. A programme to augment power supply to rural areas as announced in the Budget speech 2014-15 is named after –  
(a) Deen Dayal Upadhyay  
(b) Shyama Prasad Mukherji  
(c) Madan Mohan Malviya  
(d) Pradhan Mantri
7. Petra Kvitova, who won the 2014 Wimbledon Ladies Singles title belongs to which country?  
(a) Serbia (b) Czech Republic  
(c) Russia (d) Ukraine
8. Mt. Sinha, a mountain named after an Indian-American scientist at the University of Minnesota, United States is located in /on  
(a) Africa (b) United States  
(c) Antarctica (d) Mars
9. What is the new name of University of Pune, Maharashtra?  
(a) Bhimrao Ambedkar University  
(b) Lokmanya Tilak University  
(c) Savitribhai Phule University  
(d) Gopal Krishna Gokhale University
10. What was the theme of the sixth BRICS Summit, 2014 held in Fortaleza, Brazil?  
(a) Inclusive Growth : Sustainable Solutions  
(b) The Great Transformation : Shaping New Models  
(c) The Reshaping of the World  
(d) Investing in Young People
11. What is the minimum paid up equity capital prescribed by Reserve Bank of India for setting up small banks in India?  
(a) Rs. 50 crores (b) Rs. 100 crores  
(c) Rs. 200 crores (d) Rs. 500 crores
12. The recently held bilateral Naval exercise 'Malabar' was jointly conducted by India and –  
(a) Japan (b) Maldives  
(c) Sri Lanka (d) United States
13. Which of the following companies became the first Indian company to cross a market capitalization of 5 lakh crores?  
(a) Tata Consultancy Services  
(b) Reliance Industries Limited  
(c) State Bank of India  
(d) Oil and Natural Gas Corporation

14. With which sport is Jitu Rai, who was in news recently, associated?

- (a) Shooting (b) Golf  
(c) Snooker (d) Squash

15. What is the minimum broadband speed prescribed by Telecom Regulatory Authority of India?

- (a) 256 kbps (b) 512 kbps  
(c) 1 gbps (d) 2 gbps

16. Name the anti-apartheid activist and author of book, the Conservationist, who died in July 2014.

- (a) Granville Austin (b) Wole Soyinka  
(c) Nadime Gordimer (d) JM Coetzee

17. Which of the following cities has been chosen to be the headquarters of the new development bank to be established by BRICS countries?

- (a) Macau (b) Beijing  
(c) Hong Kong (d) Shanghai

18. Alice Coachman Davis who died in July 2014 was

- (a) the first non-white female to win an Olympic gold.  
(b) a renowned scholar of Indian Constitution  
(c) an anti-apartheid activist from South Africa  
(d) an acclaimed Hollywood actress

19. Which of the following commodities were included in the purview of stock holding limits under the Essential Commodities Act, 1995 to curb rising prices?

- (a) Tomato and Onion (b) Potato and Tomato  
(c) Onion and Potato (d) Only Onion

20. Malaysian Airlines Flight MH17 which was suspected to have been shot down over Ukraine was travelling from –

- (a) Oslo to Kuala Lumpur  
(b) Amsterdam to Kuala Lumpur  
(c) Amsterdam to Singapore  
(d) Stockholm to Jakarta

### **Answers**

1. (a) 2. (d) 3. (b) 4. (c) 5. (d) 6. (a) 7. (b) 8. (c) 9. (c) 10. (a)  
11. (b) 12. (d) 13. (a) 14. (a) 15. (b) 16. (c) 17. (d) 18. (a) 19. (c) 20. (b)