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Question ID:904901

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Economic variables such as 'National Income' and 'profits' can be classified under which of the following heads ?

- (1) Stock concept
- (2) Flow concept
- (3) Depreciation
- (4) Final goods

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:A

Question ID:904902

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Elasticity of demand is constant and equal to 1 at every point on the demand curve. The shape of such a demand curve would be :

- (1) Horizontal straight line
- (2) Vertical straight line
- (3) Downward sloping curve
- (4) Rectangular hyperbola

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:Not Attempted

Question ID:904903

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Name the architect of Indian Planning :

- (1) William Digby
- (2) P.C. Mahalanobis
- (3) V.K.R.V. Rao
- (4) Dadabhai Naoroji

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted**

Question ID: **904904**

Section Name: ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which of the following is **not** included in Human Development Indicators ?

- (1) Women Empowerment
- (2) Infant Mortality rate
- (3) Access to basic sanitation
- (4) Gross National Income per capita

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted**

Question ID: **904905**

Section Name: ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which of the following statements are **incorrect** ?

- (A) Circular flow of income does not take place in a closed economy.
- (B) Real flow consists of flow of factor services from households to firms.
- (C) In a two-sector economy, total production is always equal to total consumption.
- (D) Money flow consists of flow of factor payments from households to firms.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) and (B) only
- (2) (A), (B) and (C) only
- (3) (A) and (D) only
- (4) (C) and (D) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **C**

Question ID: **904906**

Section Name: ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Identify the correct statements regarding money supply

- (A) Money supply is a stock concept.
- (B) Money supply is a flow concept.
- (C) Money supply is the currency (cash and coins) with the public and demand deposit in banks.
- (D) Money supply is the currency held with banks.
- (E) Money supply is the concept of real flow.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) and (C)
- (2) (A) and (D)
- (3) (B) and (E)
- (4) (C) and (D)

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B**

Question ID:904907

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Given the following set of data calculate equilibrium income.

$$C = 100 + 0.8 y.$$

$$\text{Investment} = ₹ 260 \text{ Cr.}$$

- (1) ₹ 1,500 Cr
- (2) ₹ 2,300 Cr
- (3) ₹ 2,200 Cr
- (4) ₹ 1,800 Cr

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted**

Question ID:904908

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Suppose a country only produces bread. In the year 2000 it had produced 100 units of bread, price was ₹ 10 per bread. In 2001, the same country produced 110 units of bread at price was ₹ 15 per bread. In 2001, the nominal and real GDP are : (base year is 2000)

- (1) ₹ 1,550 and ₹ 1,000
- (2) ₹ 1,400 and ₹ 2,000
- (3) ₹ 1,650 and ₹ 1,100
- (4) ₹ 1,500 and ₹ 1,000

- A 1
B 2
C 3
D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted**

Question ID: **904909**

Section Name: **ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**

Question:

Identify the quantitative tools used by RBI to control money supply.

- (A) Moral Suasion
(B) Bank Rate
(C) Cash Reserve Ratio
(D) Open Market Operations
(E) Margin requirement

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) only
(2) (B), (C) and (D) only
(3) (B) and (C) only
(4) (A) (D) and (E) only

- A 1
B 2
C 3
D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **C**

Question ID: **904910**

Section Name: **ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**

Question:

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Event)	List - II (Year)
(A) Planning Commission	(I) 1948
(B) First Phase of Green Revolution	(II) 1955
(C) Karve Committee	(III) 1950
(D) First Industrial Policy Resolution	(IV) Mid 1960 - 1970

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) - (III), (B) - (IV), (C) - (II), (D) - (I)
(2) (A) - (III), (B) - (I), (C) - (II), (D) - (IV)
(3) (A) - (I), (B) - (IV), (C) - (III), (D) - (II)
(4) (A) - (III), (B) - (II), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)

- A 1
B 2
C 3
D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted**

Question ID:904911

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

'₹ 48,000 cr is allotted for PM Awas Yojana in this years budget'.

Identify the government objective fulfilled from the statement above.

- (1) Economic stability
- (2) Redistribution of income
- (3) Reallocation of resources
- (4) Reducing regional disparities

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **C**

Question ID:904912

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

If the reserve ratio is 10% and the initial deposit with the commercial banks are ₹ 450 cr, the total money creation by the banking system will be :

- (1) ₹ 4,000 Cr
- (2) ₹ 5,000 Cr
- (3) ₹ 3,500 Cr
- (4) ₹ 4,500 Cr

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **D**

Question ID:904913

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which of the following is considered as an intermediate good ?

- (1) Mobile purchased by a student
- (2) Car purchased by a household
- (3) Seeds and fertilizers purchased by a farmer
- (4) Vegetables purchased by households

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **C**

Question ID:904914

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Financial Terms)	List - II (Examples)
(A) Monetary Base	(I) Loans extended by banks
(B) Assets	(II) Reserve Bank of India
(C) Liabilities	(III) Currency
(D) Credit control	(IV) Deposits accepted by the banks

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) - (I), (B) - (II), (C) - (III), (D) - (IV)
- (2) (A) - (III), (B) - (I), (C) - (IV), (D) - (II)
- (3) (A) - (II), (B) - (IV), (C) - (I), (D) - (III)
- (4) (A) - (IV), (B) - (III), (C) - (II), (D) - (I)

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:C

Question ID:904915

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which one of the following is the apex body to coordinate the activities of all institutions involved in the rural financing system ?

- (1) NABARD (National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development)
- (2) NSSO (National Sample Survey Organisation)
- (3) SEBI (Securities and Exchange Board of India)
- (4) RBI (Reserve Bank of India)

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:A

Question ID:904916

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Infrastructure is divided into two categories :

- (1) Primary and Secondary
- (2) Commercial and Social
- (3) Service and Industry
- (4) Social and Economic

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:D

Question ID:904917

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

What would be the value of investment multiplier if $MPC = MPS$?

(1) 4

(2) 3

(3) 2

(4) 1

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:Not Attempted

Question ID:904918

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which of the following is a function of RBI ?

(1) Accepting deposits from general public

(2) Giving loans to general public

(3) Banker to the government

(4) Credit creation

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:C

Question ID:904919

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

If $MPC = 0.75$, autonomous consumption = 100 crore, then find the level of consumption at income level = 8,000 crore :

(1) 7,000 crores

(2) 6,100 crores

(3) 6,900 crores

(4) 7,100 crores

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:Not Attempted

Question ID:904920**Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**Question:**

Re-arrange the following in chronological order of their occurrence.

- (A) Establishment of People's Republic of China.
- (B) Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution
- (C) First Five Year Plan of Pakistan.
- (D) First Five Year Plan of India.
- (E) Economic Reforms of Pakistan.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A), (B), (C), (D), (E)
- (2) (A), (C), (D), (B), (E)
- (3) (A), (B), (D), (C), (E)
- (4) (A), (D), (C), (B), (E)

A 1**B** 2**C** 3**D** 4

Answer Given By Candidate:**Not Attempted**

Question ID:904921**Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**Question:**

Which of the following is **not** a function of the Central Bank ?

- (1) Bank rate
- (2) Open market operation
- (3) Lender of last resort
- (4) Deficit financing

A 1**B** 2**C** 3**D** 4

Answer Given By Candidate:**C**

Question ID:904922**Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

If tea and coffee can be used in place of one another, then which of the following statements hold true ?

- (A) Increase in price of tea leads to decrease in demand for coffee.
- (B) Increase in price of tea leads to increase in demand for coffee.
- (C) Tea and coffee are substitute goods.
- (D) Decrease in price of tea leads to increase in price of coffee.
- (E) Tea and Coffee are complimentary goods.

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) and (E) only
- (2) (B) and (E) only
- (3) (C) and (D) only
- (4) (B) and (C) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **D**

Question ID:904923

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Suppose the producers plans to add ₹ 100 cr worth of goods to her stock by the end of the year. However, due to an unforeseen upsurge of demand for her goods in the market, she had to sell goods worth ₹ 30 cr from her existing stock.

Now, determine Ex-ante Investment and Ex-post Investment from the above information.

- (1) 100 Cr, 100 Cr
- (2) 100 Cr, 70 Cr
- (3) 70 Cr, 70 Cr
- (4) 70 Cr, 100 Cr

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted**

Question ID:904924

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

What is the value of education cess levied on Union taxes by the Government of India ?

- (1) 5%
- (2) 10%
- (3) 12%
- (4) 2%

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted**

Question ID:904925

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Some of the factors responsible for land degradation in India are :

- (A) Organic farming
- (B) Forest fire and overgrazing
- (C) Planned irrigation system
- (D) Excessive use of fertilizers and pesticides
- (E) Shifting cultivation

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (B), (D), (E) only
- (2) (B), (D) only
- (3) (A), (B) only
- (4) (B), (E) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B**

Question ID:904926

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which of the following is **not** a reason for excess demand ?

- (1) Reduction in Taxes
- (2) Fall in propensity to consume
- (3) Increase in investments
- (4) Increase in government spending

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **C**

Question ID:904927

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which among the following is **not** a part of Qualitative measure of Monetary Policy of RBI ?

- (1) Margin Requirement
- (2) Moral Suasion
- (3) Reverse Repo Rate
- (4) Selective Credit Control

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: C

Question ID:904928**Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**Question:**

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Programmes)	List - II (Objective)
(A) National Social Assistance Programme	(I) Promoting savings
(B) Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act	(II) Pension to the elderly
(C) Prime Minister's Rozgar Yojana	(III) Self-employment programme
(D) Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana	(IV) Wage employment programme

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) - (II), (B) - (IV), (C) - (III), (D) - (I)
- (2) (A) - (I), (B) - (IV), (C) - (III), (D) - (II)
- (3) (A) - (II), (B) - (III), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)
- (4) (A) - (III), (B) - (IV), (C) - (I), (D) - (II)

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: C

Question ID:904929**Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**Question:**

In China, Commune system is related to the _____ sector.

- (1) Informal
- (2) Industry
- (3) Service
- (4) Agriculture

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **Not Attempted****Question ID:904930****Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**Question:**

Identify the statement that stands true during deficient demand :

- (A) Actual output falls short of potential output
- (B) Potential output falls short of actual output
- (C) Actual demand is less than expected demand
- (D) Expected demand is less than actual demand

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (D) only
- (2) (A) and (C) only
- (3) (A) and (B) only
- (4) (B) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B****Question ID:904931****Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS**Question:**

Suppose you are a member of the "Advisory Committee to the Finance Minister of India". The finance minister is concerned about the rising Revenue Deficit in the budget.

Which measure would you suggest to control the rising Revenue deficit of the government ?

- (1) To increase grants given to the State Government
- (2) To increase the subsidy
- (3) To increase taxation
- (4) To increase government administrative expenses

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B****Question ID:904932****Section Name:**ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Five Year Plans in India were guided by which the following goals :

- (A) Modernisation
- (B) Equity
- (C) Subsidies
- (D) Self - Reliance
- (E) Growth

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A), (B), (C), (E) only
- (2) (A), (C), (D), (E) only
- (3) (B), (C), (D), (E) only
- (4) (A), (B), (D), (E) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:**D**

Question ID:904933

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Identify the casual worker from amongst the following alternatives :

- (1) Santu, who works on the farm of Sohan as he doesn't own land of his own.
- (2) Raghav, who owns a restaurant in a city.
- (3) Angad who is a lawyer running, his own firm.
- (4) Radha, who is a nurse working in a hospital.

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:**A**

Question ID:904934

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Raising the value of country's currency under fixed exchange rate system is :

- (1) Devaluation
- (2) Appreciation
- (3) Revaluation
- (4) Depreciation

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:**Not Attempted**

Question ID:904935

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Demographic feature)	List - II (Country)
(A) Very High fertility rate	(I) India and Pakistan
(B) One Child Norm	(II) Pakistan
(C) High density of population	(III) China
(D) Mixed economy	(IV) India

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) - (I), (B) - (II), (C) - (IV), (D) - (III)
- (2) (A) - (II), (B) - (III), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)
- (3) (A) - (III), (B) - (IV), (C) - (I), (D) - (II)
- (4) (A) - (IV), (B) - (I), (C) - (II), (D) - (III)

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:B

Question ID:904936

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

When consumption function starts from y axis, it indicates that ?

- (1) Consumption is zero when income is zero
- (2) Consumption is positive when income is zero
- (3) Saving is negative when income is positive
- (4) Saving is positive when income is zero

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:B

Question ID:904937

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Owing to the current political instability across many countries, the Indian rupee has sharply lost its value in terms of US dollars. The impact of this would be :

- (A) A rise in imports from USA
- (B) A fall in imports from USA
- (C) A rise in exports to USA
- (D) A fall in exports to USA

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) and (B) only
- (2) (B) and (D) only
- (3) (C) and (D) only
- (4) (B) and (C) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **D**

Question ID:904938

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Which of the following is included in the estimation of National Income ?

- (1) Sugar purchased by a restaurant
- (2) Expenditure incurred by a household on goods and services
- (3) Contribution towards social security scheme by an employee
- (4) Steel purchased by a car manufacturing company

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B**

Question ID:904939

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

The Central problems of an economy that relate to the question 'what to produce and in what quantities, does not deal in :

- (1) Technique of production
- (2) Distribution of resources between different goods produced
- (3) Quantities of different of goods
- (4) Combination of goods to be produced in the economy

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:A

Question ID:904940

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Suppose in an economy there are only two firms A and B. Calculate Gross Domestic Product at Market Price from the given table.

Items	Firm A	Firm B
Sales	50 Cr	200 Cr
Change in stock	+20 Cr	-30 Cr
Intermediate Consumption	0	100 Cr

- (1) ₹ 270 Cr
- (2) ₹ 140 Cr
- (3) ₹ 330 Cr
- (4) ₹ 170 Cr

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:B

Question ID:904941

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Read the following Case Study based on Sustainable energy sources and answer question based on it.

India has been giving a push for alternate fuels such as Ethanol and more recently, Methanol to improve its energy security. India meets 85% of its crude oil requirement, 53% of its natural gas requirement, and 25% of its coal requirement through imports. Ethanol is primarily used for blending with gasoline citing twin benefits : substitution of gasoline to arrest rising crude imports and using a relatively cleaner fuel than gasoline. The Government of India regulates the prices of ethanol derived from various sources and procures it through the Oil Marketing Companies at pre-determined prices. However, ethanol primarily derived from molasses and sugarcane juice can ignite a fuel vs food security debate; Methanol, on the other hand, can be derived from different sources such as natural gas, coal, naphtha, biomass etc. Natural gas is the most widely used feedstock to produce methanol across the world accounting for almost 70% of the global production. India has given a strong push for methanol from coal since coal is abundantly available in India whereas natural gas is a scarce resource. India is on the cusp of a major transformational change as it transitions towards a low carbon economy. The energy policies of the country and those on the anvil demonstrate and focus on the country's transition toward cleaner fuels in a sustainable manner. And coal gasification of domestically available coal to produce methanol (deployed with Carbon Capture & Storage-CCS) presents an opportunity to accelerate this transition in an energy secure manner.

'Alternate fuel' refers to :

- (1) fossil fuel
- (2) conventional energy sources
- (3) non-conventional energy sources
- (4) non-biodegradable energy sources

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B**

Question ID:904942

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

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New energy policies of the country aim at promoting :

- (1) fossil fuel sources
- (2) conventional energy sources
- (3) crude oil imports
- (4) sustainable use of cleaner fuels

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **D**

Question ID:904943

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

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India meets its crude oil requirements through domestic sources of :

- (1) 10 percent
- (2) 75 percent
- (3) 15 percent
- (4) 85 percent

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **C**

Question ID:904944

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

Question:

Read the following Case Study based on Sustainable energy sources and answer question based on it.

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Methanol is preferred as an alternate fuel over ethanol because it :

- (A) hampers energy security of the country
- (B) will not create fuel vs food security debate
- (C) polluting energy source
- (D) coal is abundantly available
- (E) relatively cleaner fuel than gasoline

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) and (E) only
- (2) (B) and (D) only
- (3) (A), (C) and (D) only
- (4) (B), (D) and (E) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B**

Question ID:904945

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Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Item)	List - II (Relation with)
(A) Low carbon economy	(I) Derived from biomass, naphtha etc.
(B) Oil Marketing companies	(II) Derived from sugarcane juice and molasses
(C) Methanol	(III) Procure ethanol for Govt.
(D) Ethanol	(IV) Less emission of carbon dioxide

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) - (IV), (B) - (II), (C) - (I), (D) - (III)
- (2) (A) - (IV), (B) - (III), (C) - (I), (D) - (II)
- (3) (A) - (II), (B) - (III), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)
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A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:**B**

Question ID:904946

Section Name:ECONOMICS/BUSINESS ECONOMICS

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Budget 2022 which seeks to lay the blueprint for the next 25 years for growth for India has been widely recognized by the business community as a growth and infrastructure-focused budget that will put the country on the right trajectory. In terms of performance, the government has done well in collecting tax revenues, keeping spending tight, and is now taking steps towards long-term fiscal stability. The key areas of attention are future income and employment-generating capital expenditure. 317,643 crore will be allocated to grants-in-aid, including MNREGA.

As far as expenditure is concerned, the government proposes to spend ₹ 39,44,909 crore in 2022-23, which is 4.6% higher than the updated estimate of 2021-22. The receipts (excluding borrowings) in 2022-23 are estimated to be ₹ 22,83,713 crore, an increase of 4.8% over the revised estimate of 2021-22. The expectation from tax collections is higher than last year, which is expected to come in from direct taxes, both on personal and corporate income. The FM has estimated GDP growth of 9.27% which is among the highest in the world's large economies.

The fiscal deficit in 2022-23 is targeted at 6.4% of GDP, which is lower than last year. And Interest expenditure at ₹ 9,40,651 crore is estimated to be 43% of revenue receipts. The budget has not relied on EBR (Extra Budgetary Resources) or loans from the National Small Savings Fund. As far as ministry allocation is concerned the highest percentage-wise increase is seen for the Ministry of Communications, Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, and Ministry of Jal Shakti.

For the business community, which of the following relates to the Budget 2022 ?

- (1) Economic Stability
- (2) Focus on growth and infrastructure
- (3) Reduction of inequalities
- (4) Encouragement to save more

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **B**

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Identify direct taxes from the following :

- (A) Goods and Services Tax
- (B) Corporate Tax
- (C) Capital Gains Tax
- (D) Value Added Tax

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) and (B) only
- (2) (A), (B) and (C) only
- (3) (B) and (C) only
- (4) (B) and (D) only

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate:C

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Given the information in the passage, find out the fiscal deficit :

- (1) ₹ 39,44,909
- (2) ₹ 22,83,713
- (3) ₹ 18,84,311
- (4) ₹ 16,61,196

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: **D**

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Match List - I with List - II.

List - I (Budgetary Terms)	List - II (Accounting Head)
(A) Interest Payments	(I) Revenue Receipts
(B) Grants-in-aid received	(II) Capital Expenditure
(C) Borrowings and other liabilities	(III) Revenue Expenditure
(D) Construction of flyover	(IV) Capital Receipts

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) (A) - (III), (B) - (I), (C) - (IV), (D) - (II)
- (2) (A) - (III), (B) - (IV), (C) - (I), (D) - (II)
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- (4) (A) - (II), (B) - (IV), (C) - (I), (D) - (III)

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: C

Question ID: 904950

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Which one of the following statement is true ?

- (1) The lowest percentage-wise increase in allocation is seen for the Ministry of Jal Shakti
- (2) The highest percentage-wise increase in allocation is seen for the Ministry of Communications
- (3) The budget has relied heavily on loans from the National Small Savings Fund
- (4) The government has not done well in collection of tax revenues

A 1

B 2

C 3

D 4

Answer Given By Candidate: A