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Q1. 'Lay up shot' is a term associated with which of the following games?
a) Basketball
b) Throwball
c) Handball
d) Volleyball
Q2. In Sydney Olympic 2000, the maximum number of medals won by a woman sportsperson was
a) 5
b) 4
c) 6
d) 3
Q3. The first World Cup in cricket was held in
a) 1983
b) 1976
c) 1980
d) 1975
Q4. Who was the first Indian woman who won the gold medal in Asian Games?

a) Shiny Abraham

b) Kamaljeet Sandhu

c) Sunita F	Rani							
d) PT Ush	a							
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Q5. Which team won the Champions League-Twenty (CLT-20) Trophy in 2012?  a) Nashua Titans								
b) Highvel	d Lions							
c) Delhi Da	are Devils							
d) Sydney	Sixers							
<b>Q6.</b> Who	won the men's Hocke	y Test series ?						

a) Pakistan

c) Germany

d) Australia

a) Badminton

b) Lawn Tennis

c) Table Tennis

d) Cricket

a) Brazil

b) Chile

Q7. 'Davis Cup' is associated with the game of

Q8. Which country will host the next World Cup Football in 2014?

b) India

c) Spain									
d) France									
Q9. Who won the French open 2014?									
a) Roger Federer b) Andy Murray c) Rafael Nadal									
									d) Novan Djokovic
									Q10. Luis Suarez, a soccer player was recently in news. He belongs to which of the following country?
a) Paraguay									
b) Uruguay									
c) Brazil									
d) Spain									
Q11. The French Open, 2009 Men's Singles was won by									
a) Bob Bryan									
b) Rafael Nadal									
c) Katarina Srebotnik									
d) Roger Federer									
Q12. Which one of the following wood is used in making cricket bats?									
a) Salix purpurea									
b) Morus alba									
c) Cedrus deodara									
d) Linun usitatissimum									

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Q13.	With the	participation	in the	Rio	Olympics	who	has	become	the	first	tennis
player in the world to have 7 appearances in Olympics?											

- a) Leander Paes
- b) Serena Williams
- c) Roger Federer
- d) Martina Navratilova

Q14. Who lost the AFC (Asian Football Confederation) Final, 2008 to India?

- a) Pakistan
- b) Sri Lanka
- c) Tajikistan
- d) Myanmar

Q15. Rangaswami Cup is associated with which of the following?

- a) Badminton
- b) Hockey
- c) Polo
- d) Basketball

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### Answers to the above questions:

Q1. Answer: (a)

A layup in basketball is a two-point shot attempt made by leaping from below, laying the ball up near the basket, and using one hand to bounce it off the backboard and into the basket. The motion and one-handed reach distinguish it from a jump shot.

The layup is considered the most basic shot in basketball. When doing a layup, the player lifts the outside foot or the foot away from the basket.

#### Q2. Answer: (a)

Marion Jones won five medals at the 2000 Summer Olympics in Sydney, Australia, but forfeited all medals and prizes dating back to September 2000 after her October 2007 admission that she took performance-enhancing drugs as far back as the 2000 Summer Olympics, and that she had lied about it to a grand jury investigating performance-enhancer creations by Victor Conte and the Bay Area Laboratory Co-operative (BALCO).

On December 12, 2007, the International Olympic Committee formally stripped Jones of all five Olympic medals dating back to September 2000 and banned her from attending the 2008 Summer Olympics in any capacity.

**Note**: As of August 13, 2016, American swimmer Michael Phelps has won the most Olympic medals with 28 medals (23 gold, 3 silver, 2 bronze). He is also the most decorated Olympian in individual events, with 16 medals (13 gold, 2 silver, 1 bronze);

#### Q3. Answer: (d)

The inaugural Cricket World Cup was hosted in 1975 by England, the only nation able to put forward the resources to stage an event of such magnitude at that time.

The 1975 tournament started on 7 June. The first three events were held in England and officially known as the Prudential Cup after the sponsor's Prudential plc.

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#### Q4. Answer: (b)

Kamaljeet Sandhu is a former woman Indian athlete who won gold medal at 1970 Asian Games in 400 m race. She was the first woman to win Gold in any Asian games.

#### Q5. Answer: (d)

The 2012 Champions League Twenty20, held in South Africa, was won by Sydney Sixers. The team defeated the Highveld Lions in the final.;

#### Q6. Answer: (b)

Indian Hockey team won four-match men's Hockey Test series against Australia by 3-1. The fourth and final match of the series was played at the Perth Hockey Stadium, Australia. This is the first time that India defeated Australia in a bilateral series.

In this series Indian men's hockey team skipper Sardar Singh registered a milestone as he completed his 200th international cap in the fourth and final test.

#### Q7. Answer: (b)

The Davis Cup is the premier international team event in men's tennis. It is run by the International Tennis Federation (ITF) and is contested annually between teams from competing countries in a knockout format.

It is described by the organizers as the "World Cup of Tennis", and the winners are referred to as the World Champion team.;

#### Q8. Answer: (a)

The 2014 FIFA World Cup is scheduled to take place in Brazil from 12 June to 13 July 2014. It will be the second time that Brazil has hosted the competition, the previous being in 1950.;

#### Q9. Answer: (c)

Rafael Nadal beat Novan Djokovic in the final of French open to win the title.

#### Q10. Answer: (b)

Uruguay striker Luis Suarez has been suspended from all football-related activity for four months for biting Italian defender Giorgio Chillan.

#### Q11. Answer: (d)

In the French Open 2009 men' singles competition, Rafael Nadal was the defending champion but lost in the fourth round to Robin Soderling. This was Nadal's first-ever defeat at the French Open, having won the title in all four of his previous appearances.

To date, it remains Nadal's only loss at Roland-Garros. Roger Federer beat Soderling in the final 6–1, 7–6(7–1), 6–4 to win Roland-Garros for the first time, and complete the career Grand Slam.

Note: In 2016 Novak Djokovic won his first French Open title, defeating Murray in the final.

#### Q12. Answer: (a)

The cricket bat is exclusively made from a variety of White Willow called Cricket Bat Willow (Salix alba var. caerulea), treated with raw (unboiled) linseed oil, which has a protective function. Salix alba var. caerulea is tough, durable, light, springy, straight-grained and white. Stumps and bales are made of Morus (Mulberry).

Salix purpurea (given as an option in the question) is the purple osier willow, the twigs of which are used to make baskets, lobster and crab-pots and furniture.;

#### Q13. Answer: (a)

India's Leander Paes, in August 2016, became the only tennis player in the world and the first Indian to make a seventh appearance at the Olympics when he participated in the Rio Olympics. Paes won the bronze medal for India in singles tennis at the 1996 Atlanta Olympics;

#### Q14. Answer: (c)

The 2008 AFC Challenge Cup football tournament was hosted by India and played from July 30 to August 13, 2008. India won the final against Tajikistan.;

#### Q15. Answer: (b)

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