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GEOGRAPHY & ECONOMICS

Time Allowed : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 100

(Geography : 70

Economics : 30)

N. B. : i) The outline map of India should be attached to the answer script after answering on it as asked in **Part – VI**.

ii) Draw diagrams wherever necessary.

PART – I

(Marks : 25)

25 × 1 = 25

A) Choose the correct answer :

1. The central meridian of India passes through

   a) Ahmedabad

   b) Allahabad

   c) Hyderabad.

2. Malwa Plateau is drained by

   a) Krishna

   b) Godavari

   c) Chambal.

3. The coastal areas enjoy .... climate.

   a) Humid

   b) Equable

   c) Continental.

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4. The Periyar river has its source in the state of

    a)   Kerala

    b)   Tamil Nadu

    c)   Karnataka.

5. The type of agriculture in which crops grown are consumed by farmer and his family members is .... agriculture.

    a)   Commercial

    b)   Plantation

    c)   Subsistence.

6. Economic growth means an increase in production of

    a)   raw materials

    b)   goods & services

    c)   semi-finished products.

7. Co-existence of public and private sectors is prevalent in

    a)   Capitalist economy

    b)   Socialist economy

    c)   Mixed economy.

8. Inflation causes the value of money to

    a)   increase

    b)   fall

    c)   remain stationary .

9. Liberalization helps to relax rules and regulations which posed restriction on

   a) Private sector

   b) Public sector

   c) Secondary sector.

10. Manufacturing, electricity, gas and water supply are called .... sector.

    a) Primary

    b) Secondary

    c) Tertiary.

B) Fill in the blanks :

11. The highest peak in Western Ghat is ....

12. The western Himalayas are also known as ....

13. In Tamil Nadu .... forests are found in Vedaranyam and Pichavaram areas.

14. Biosphere consists of a large number of .... system.

15. Jute mills of India are centralised in .... of West Bengal.

16. The major ports are managed and controlled by .... under Central Government.

17. The term .... resources refers to total knowledge, skills, talents and population of a country.

18. Deflation means a .... in general price level.

19. Cost refers to the value of .... used in the production process.

20. .... cost is the total of explicit cost and implicit cost.

C)   Match the following :

21.   Ladakh   a)   Motorcycles

22.   Anand Dairy   b)   The highest plateau

23.   Faridabad   c)   Natural source of EMR

24.   Bharat Sanchar Nigam   d)   Gujarat

25.   Sun   e)   Telecommunication.

PART – II

(Marks : 20)

Note :   Write short answers for any *ten* of the following, choosing *eight* from
Geography and *two* from Economics :   10 × 2 = 20

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26.   What is known as Density of Population ?

27.   Name some places of pilgrim interests found in Himachal range.

28.   Where do we find the thorn and scrub forests in India ?

29.   What are the two main roles of irrigation ?

30.   How is Rainwater Harvesting useful to us ?

31.   How do landforms influence the pattern of agriculture ?

32.   What is cottage industry ?

33.   What are the two categories of mass communication ?

34.   Why is it essential to undertake project works in learning Geography ?

35.   What is GPS ?

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36. Mention the features of mixed economy.

37. Define census.

38. Define average cost.

39. What is trade ? What are its types ?

40. What is tax ?

PART – III

(Marks : 15)

Note : i) Answer any *five* of the following questions, choosing *three* from Geography and *two* from Economics.

     ii) Answer briefly.   5 × 3 = 15

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Distinguish between the following :

41. Western Ghats and Eastern Ghats.

42. Equable climate and Continental climate.

43. Minor irrigation system and Major irrigation system.

44. Greenhouse effect and Global warming.

45. Alluvial soil and Black soil.

46. GIS and GPS.

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47. Distinguish between Capitalism and Socialism.

48. Distinguish between Birth rate and Death rate.

49. Distinguish between Inflation and Deflation.

50. Distinguish between Internal Trade and International Trade.

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PART – IV

(Marks : 20)

Note : i) Answer any *four* of the following questions, choosing *two* from Geography and *two* from Economics.

ii) Answer each question in a paragraph.   4 × 5 = 20

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51. How is relief of great plains classified on the basis of the structure of soil ?

52. List out any five challenges faced today in the field of agriculture.

53. What are the factors that favour the growth of software industry in India ? Explain.

54. Briefly describe classification of roadways.

55. What is remote sensing ? Mention its advantages.

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56. What are the causes of unemployment ?

57. Define inflation and explain the types of inflation.

58. What is budget ? Mention the types of budget.

59. Calculate GNP, NDP, NNP with the help of the data given below :

GDP = Rs.35,500 (Rs. in Crores)

Depreciation = Rs. 3,200

NFYEA = (—) 1800.

PART – V

(Marks : 10)

Note :   Answer any *one* of the following questions :   1 × 10 = 10

60.   Give an account of the distribution and rainfall in India with a sketch map.

61.   What is pollution ? Explain air, water and soil pollutions.

62.   What are the sources of Electro-magnetic Radiation ? Explain the impact of sun-rays on the object of the earth with a diagram.

PART – VI

(Marks : 10)

Note :   Mark the following on the *outline map of India*, which is provided.

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