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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 answers :

1. The ..... desert is found into the west of India.
  - a) Gobi
  - b) Thar
  - c) Sahara.
2. The highest peak in Western Himalaya is
  - a) Everest
  - b) Godwin Austen
  - c) Kanchenjunga.

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3. The predominant soil in the Coastal Plains and North Indian Plain is
  - a) alluvial
  - b) black
  - c) arid.
  
4. .... ranks first in the village electrification.
  - a) Kerala
  - b) Bihar
  - c) Tamil Nadu.
  
5. A disastrous wave that is caused by Submarine Earthquake or Volcanic Eruption is
  - a) Wave
  - b) Tsunami
  - c) Flood.
  
6. Economic growth means an increase in products of
  - a) goods and services
  - b) raw materials
  - c) semi-finished products.
  
7. The term ..... resources refers to total knowledge, skills, talents as well as population of a country.
  - a) agricultural
  - b) industrial
  - c) human.
  
8. Inflation causes the value of money to
  - a) fall
  - b) increase
  - c) remain stationary.

9. The new I.T. revolution has helped to reduce the cost incurred in
- a) transport and communication
  - b) industry
  - c) agriculture.
10. Product method estimates National Income from the
- a) output side
  - b) expenditure side
  - c) income side.

B) Fill in the blanks :

11. The lowest populated state of India is .....
12. A Coffee Research Centre is located at .....
13. The first Jute Mill in India was established at ..... near Kolkata.
14. The important navigation canal in Tamil Nadu is .....
15. The ..... is very useful for defence purpose.
16. Almost all underdeveloped countries have ..... Economy.
17. Increase in ..... raises the 'Social Overhead Capital'.
18. Deflation means a ..... in general price level.
19. If the value of imports is ..... than the value of exports, the balance of trade is said to be unfavourable.
20. Primary sector consists of ..... and allied activities.

C) Match the following :

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>
21. Rishra	a) first Automobile Industry
22. Kolkata	b) first Iron & Steel Industry
23. Kanpur	c) first Jute Mill
24. Kurla	d) first Organised Cotton & Textile Industry
25. Singbhum	e) first Woollen & Textile Industry.

**PART - II**

**( Marks : 20 )**

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

**GEOGRAPHY**

26. How is Indian Standard Time calculated ?
27. Name the islands belong to India.
28. Name the regions of heavy rainfall in India.
29. What are the two types of canals ?
30. What are the two Ecological Zones of India ?
31. Give a brief note on agricultural seasons of India.
32. List out the major products from the Jute Industries.
33. What are the special characteristics of airways ?
34. What is meant by project work ?
35. What are special signatures ?

**ECONOMICS**

36. What are the features of socialism ?
37. Explain the role of forests in economic development of a country.
38. Explain about private and social costs.
39. What are the importance of trade in the economic development of a country ?
40. Explain direct and indirect taxes with the help of examples.

**PART - III****( Marks : 15 )**

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

ii) Answer briefly.

5 × 3 = 15

**GEOGRAPHY**

Distinguish between the following pairs :

41. Himalayas and Western Ghats.
42. Monsoon forests and Mangrove forests.
43. Deforestation and Afforestation.
44. Subsistence farming and Commercial farming.
45. Public sector and Private sector industries.
46. Roadways and Railways.

**ECONOMICS**

Distinguish between the following pairs :

47. Low income economy and High income economy.
48. Renewable resources and Non-renewable resources.
49. Explicit cost and Implicit cost.
50. National income and Per-capita income.

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**PART - IV****( Marks : 20 )**

N.B. : 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

**GEOGRAPHY**

51. Write a short note on geological history of Himalayas.
52. List out any five challenges faced today in the field of agriculture.
53. Enumerate that automobile industry is the fast growing industry in India.
54. Write short notes on GIS & GPS.
55. Explain Pipeline transportation.

**ECONOMICS**

56. What are the characteristic features of Capitalistic Economy ?
57. What is unemployment ? Write about the causes of unemployment.
58. Explain in detail about exports and imports of India with special reference to Tamil Nadu.
59. Calculate GDP, NDP, NNP with the help of data given below :

GND = 25,000 ( Rs. Crore )

Depreciation = 3,000

Net factor income earned from abroad = ( - ) 1,500

**PART - V****( Marks : 10 )***N.B. :* Answer any *one* of the following questions.

1 × 10 = 10

60. Explain about the distribution of rainfall.
61. Explain pollution. Mention the types of pollution.
62. List out the strategies to overcome the challenges of Indian agriculture.

**PART - VI****( Marks : 10 )***N.B. :* Mark the following on the *outline map of India*, which is provided.

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| 63. Capital of Bihar                                | 1 |
| 64. Mt. Godwin Austen                               | 1 |
| 65. An area receiving more than 250 cms of rainfall | 1 |
| 66. Periyar project                                 | 1 |
| 67. Shade an area of coffee cultivation             | 1 |
| 68. Bangalore                                       | 1 |
| 69. Locate a port                                   | 1 |
| 70. Coromandel Coast                                | 1 |
| 71. One silk centre                                 | 1 |
| 72. An automobile centre.                           | 1 |