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INTERACTIVE GENERAL STUDIES PRELIM TEST SERIES 2013: MODULE VI (30 MOCK TESTS + Current Affairs Notes)

ONLINE

CLASSROOM

DISTANCE LEARNING

(Experts Support: Telephonic Discussion / Email Interaction)

-Team Vision IAS

+ Value Addition material & Comprehensive Current Affairs Notes

Program Objective

: This is a comprehensive and intensive 'interactive' distance learning program focusing on sincere IAS Aspirants who will appear in Civil Service Exam 2013. Our experts provide step by step guidance to aspirants for understanding the concepts of General Studies and preparing them for scoring good marks.

Approach & Strategy

: Our simple, practical and focused approach will help aspirants understand the demand of UPSC exam effectively. Our strategy is to constantly innovate to keep the preparation process dynamic and give personalized attention to individual aspirants based on factors like core competence, availability of time and resource and the requirement of Civil Service Exam. Our Interactive Learning approach (Email / Telephonic Discussion: Experts with Aspirants) will continuously improve aspirant's performance and move their preparation in the right direction.

Number of Mock Tests

: 30

Fee

: Rs 7000

Nature

: **Flexible -Date of Mock Test:** Reschedule on the demand of the aspirants [**schedule A (Interval: 14 days) & Schedule B (Personalized scheduling)**]

-Mode of dispatch: Printed material via airmail or PDF material via email / download material from Vision IAS Prelim test Series Platform (Login/ password)

What you will get:

- Login id & Password for performance analysis of aspirants (**Innovative Assessment System**)
- 30 Mock Test papers & Comprehensive Current Affairs Notes (**May 2012 to April 2013**)
- Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions.
- Comprehensive analysis of previous year question Papers
- Value Addition material

ADMISSION OPEN

STARTING ON (Online - Distance Learning / Classroom)

Plan A (Schedule A: October 7 , 2012)

Plan B (Schedule B: Personalized Scheduling)

Note: 1. Aspirants can reschedule the test date based on their plan.

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SCHEDULE, CONTENT & REFERENCE

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		<p>General Awareness (General Knowledge)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ India Year Book ○ Manorama Year Book 				
Test 2	October 14 , 2012	<p style="text-align: center;">Indian Constitution & Political System</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Political systems: concepts, forms and types ◆ Political system: as established by the constitution ◆ Elections and political parties: problems and processes ◆ Working of the political system ◆ Local Government : Panchayati Raj , Local Urban Government ◆ Judiciary : Supreme Court , High Court , District Court ◆ Indian Federalism and center State Relations ◆ Constitutional & Non Constitutional Bodies <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work</p> <p>- 12th NCERT : Politics in India since Independence</p> <p>- Indian Polity by M Laxmikant</p>	<p>- Constitution of India by PM Bakshi</p> <p>- Our Political System : Subhash Kashyap</p> <p>- Introduction to the Constitution of India : D D Basu</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>- The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in - Economic Political Weekly - Frontline</p>
Test 3	October 21 , 2012	<p style="text-align: center;">Governance in India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Governance - Good Governance , e-Governance - Local Governance: Panchayati Raj , Urban Governance ◆ Transparency & Accountability - RTI , Citizen's Charter & Anti-Corruption ◆ Empowerment - Civil Society , People participation - Reform: Police Reform, Administrative Reform, Judicial Reform, Political Reform etc. ◆ Social Audit ◆ Public Policy : Making , Implementation , Evaluation and monitoring ◆ Strengthening Leadership in Government Organizations , Public Sector Management ◆ Public-private partnerships (PPP) ◆ Rights Issues etc <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- Governance in India - By Laxmikant</p>		<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>- The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in - Economic Political Weekly - Frontline</p>

<p>Test 4</p>	<p>November 4 2012</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Indian Geography <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction: Location, Area and Boundaries ▪ Structure and Physiography ▪ Drainage System ▪ Climate ▪ Soils ▪ Natural Vegetation, Plant and Animal Life ▪ Land Resources and Agriculture ▪ Water Resources ▪ Mineral and Energy Resources <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 11th NCERT: Geography India Physical Environment - 12th NCERT: Geography India People and Economy - Orient Longman Atlas 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 10th & 9th NCERT: Social Science: Contemporary India: Geography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in
<p>Test 5</p>	<p>Nov. 11 2012</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Indian Geography <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Population, Migration, Settlements, Human Development ▪ Manufacturing Industries ▪ Transport and Communication ▪ Foreign Trade ● Economic Geography (World) : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Agriculture , Industry , Mineral , Infrastructure , Forestry , Power , Industrial Product and Leading Producer , Major product of various natural region , Important Boundary line , Important cities etc. ● Human Geography : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ World Population , Distribution & Density , Races & Tribes , Settlement & Migration <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 12th NCERT: Geography India People and Economy - Certificate physical and human geography - Goh, Cheng Leong - 12th NCERT : Fundamental of Human Geography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Old NCERT Books of Geography (Class 6 , 7 , 8 , 9) - Geography Through Map : K. Siddhartha 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu -Yojana 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Earth : Solar System , Latitude & Longitude , Motions ▪ The Atmosphere : Structure , Weather & Climate , Solar Radiation , Heat Balance & Temperature , Pressure & Wind , Water in the Atmosphere ▪ The Hydrosphere : Ocean water and their 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 11th NCERT Books: Fundamental of Physical Geography - Certificate physical and human 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Old NCERT Books of Geography (Class 6 , 7 , 8 , 9) - Geography Through Map : K. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in

<p>Test 6</p>	<p>Nov. 18 2012</p>	<p>circulation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Lithosphere : Inside the Earth, Land Form , Volcanoes , Earthquakes , Erosion , Soil ▪ World : Rivers and lakes , Mountain and Peaks , Plateaus ▪ Natural Hazards and Disasters ▪ Continents (Land , Climate , Resources etc): Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>geography - Goh, Cheng Leong</p>	<p>Siddhartha</p>		
<p>Test 7</p>	<p>Nov. 25 2012</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Ancient India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Prehistoric ◆ Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization ◆ Vedic Age ◆ Mahajanapadas ◆ Religious Reforms ◆ Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan ◆ Guptas & Post Guptas / Vardhana ◆ Sangam Age <p style="text-align: right;">+ Medieval India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Early Medieval Period <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - North India (Rajput Period) - South India (Cholas & Others) ◆ Sultanate Period <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Delhi Sultanate - Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms ◆ Religious Movements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bhakti Movement - Sufi Movement ◆ Mughal Period ◆ Maratha State and Maratha Confederacy <p style="text-align: right;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>-NCERT Book : Ancient India</p> <p>-NCERT Book : Medieval India</p>		<p>- The Hindu</p>	<p>- The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p>
<p>Test 8</p>	<p>Dec. 9 2012</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Modern India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ India in the late Eighteenth Century ◆ The Advent of the Europeans and British Conquest of India ◆ The British Administrative Structure, Reform , Impact and Organization of Government of India ◆ Social – Religious Movements in 19th – 20th centuries ◆ Freedom Struggle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Revolt of 1857 & change after 1857 	<p>-Indian Freedom Struggle of independence - Bipin Chandra</p> <p>-“A Brief History of Modern India” – Spectrum Pub.</p>	<p>-NCERT - Modern India</p> <p>-Modern Indian history - B.L Grover</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p>	<p>- The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p>

		<p>- Moderate Phase (1885 – 1905)</p> <p>+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>				
Test 9	Dec. 16 2012	<p>Modern India</p> <p>◆ Freedom Struggle : Extremist Phase (1905 – 17)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reason for the emergence of Extremist & Leaders - The Partition of Bengal - Montey-Minto Reform - Swadeshi Movement, Home Rule Movement etc. <p>◆ Freedom Struggle : The Gandhian Era (1917– 47)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Gandhi – Advent and Achievement - Rowlatt Act , Jalianawala Bagh Massacre and Khilapat Movement - Non- Cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit India Movement - British Response and Negotiations - INA and Subhash Chandra Bose <p>◆ Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Session, Governor –General Viceroy etc.</p> <p>+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>-Indian Freedom Struggle of independence - Bipin Chandra</p> <p>-“A Brief History of Modern India” – Spectrum Pub.</p>	<p>-NCERT – Modern India</p> <p>-Modern Indian history - B.L Grover</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p>
Test 10	Dec. 30 2012	<p>India Economy (I)</p> <p>◆ Understanding Economics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Income, Economic Growth and Development, ▪ Fiscal Development & Public Finance, ▪ Prices & Monetary management, ▪ Financial Intermediation & Markets , ▪ BOP & International Trade , ▪ FDI <p>◆ Planning and Development Strategies till 1991</p> <p>◆ Economic Reforms since 1991</p> <p>◆ Five Year Plans</p> <p>+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>-11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development</p> <p>- 12th NCERT: Economics: Macroeconomics</p> <p>-Indian Economy (Special Issue) - Pratiyogita Darpan</p> <p>-Economic Survey of India</p>	<p>Indian Economy: Mishra & Puri (</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Indian Economy: R. Dutt and Sundaram</p> <p>- Indian Economy Since Independence - Uma Kapila</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>-The Economic Times</p> <p>-PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>-Economic & Political Weekly</p>
Test 11	January 13 2013	<p>India Economy (II)</p> <p>◆ Agriculture</p> <p>◆ Industry</p> <p>◆ Services</p>	<p>-11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development</p> <p>-Indian Economy (Special Issue) -</p>	<p>Indian Economy: Mishra & Puri (</p> <p>Or</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>-The Economic Times</p> <p>-PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Energy , Infrastructure and Communication ◆ Foreign Trade Relations ◆ India and IMF, WTO , WIPO ◆ India and International Institution <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>Pratiyogita Darpan</p> <p>-Economic Survey of India</p>	<p>Indian Economy: R. Dutt and Sundaram</p>		-Economic & Political Weekly
Test 12	January 20 2013	<p style="text-align: center;">Social Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Human Capital Development ◆ Poverty & Unemployment ◆ Inclusion ◆ Sustainable Development ◆ Rural Development ◆ Health , Literacy and Education ◆ Demographics ◆ Women & Child ◆ Social Security <p>Social Sectors Initiatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Poverty alleviation Programme ▪ Employment Generation Programme ▪ Basic Amenities : Housing / Drinking Waters / Sanitations ▪ Health and Family Welfare ▪ Women and Child Development ▪ Social Welfare etc. <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>-11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development</p> <p>-Indian Economy (Special Issue) - Pratiyogita Darpan</p> <p>-Economic Survey of India</p> <p>-India Year Book</p>		<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p>	<p>-The Economic Times</p> <p>-PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>-Economic & Political Weekly</p> <p>- Kurukshetra</p>
Test 13	January 27 2013	<p style="text-align: center;">Ecology & Environment (I)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Basic Concepts & Components of the Environment ◆ Understanding of the Environment and Ecology ◆ Natural Resource conservation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Forest Conservation - Wildlife Conservation ◆ Biodiversity ◆ Environmental Problems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Water and Air Pollution - Acid Rain - Soil Degradation <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- Our Environment – NCERT (VII)</p> <p>- Ecology: Unit X – Class 12th Biology NCERT</p> <p>-Ecology & Environment (India Year Book)</p>	<p>-Ecology and Environment – P D Sharma</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p> <p>- Down to Earth</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>- Frontline</p> <p>-The Hindu Survey of the Environment</p>

<p>Test 14</p>	<p>February 3 2013</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ecology & Environment (II)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Environmental Problems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ozone Depletion - Global Warming - Climate Change - Hazardous waste - Oil Spills etc. ◆ Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment ◆ Energy Crisis and Non conventional Source ◆ Environment Education & Environmental Law <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- Our Environment – NCERT (VII)</p> <p>- Ecology: Unit X – Class 12th Biology NCERT</p> <p>- Ecology & Environment (India Year Book)</p>	<p>-Ecology and Environment – P D Sharma</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p> <p>- Down to Earth</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>- Frontline</p> <p>-The Hindu Survey of the Environment</p>
<p>Test 15</p>	<p>February 10 2013</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Physics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Mechanics ◆ Heat ◆ Sound ◆ Optics ◆ Electricity ◆ Modern Physics + Applied Science and Modern Day Technology / Latest Research <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- 9th NCERT : Science</p> <p>- 10 NCERT : Science</p>	<p>- Manorama Year Book</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>-Science Reporter</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>- The Economic Times</p> <p>- Frontline</p> <p>- Wikipedia</p> <p>-International Journals & Magazines</p>
<p>Test 16</p>	<p>February 17 2013</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Chemistry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Inorganic Chemistry ◆ Organic Chemistry ◆ Physical Chemistry ◆ Bio-Chemistry + Applied Science and Modern Day Technology / Latest Research <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>	<p>- 9th NCERT : Science</p> <p>- 10 NCERT : Science</p>	<p>- Manorama Year Book</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>-Science Reporter</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>- The Economic Times</p> <p>- Frontline</p> <p>- Wikipedia</p> <p>-International Journals & Magazines</p>
<p>Test 17</p>	<p>February 24 2013</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Biology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Introduction ◆ Cell Biology ◆ Gene 	<p>- 9th NCERT : Science</p> <p>- 10 NCERT : Science</p>	<p>- Manorama Year Book</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>-Science Reporter</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>- The Economic Times</p> <p>- Frontline</p> <p>- Wikipedia</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Human System ◆ Disease ◆ Nutrition ◆ Biological Diversity ◆ Discoveries ◆ Plant Biology <p>+ Applied Science and Modern Day Technology / Latest Research + Current Affairs & General Awareness</p>				-International Journals & Magazines
Test 19	March 10 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Economic Survey 2012-13 ◆ Budget 2013 ◆ <u>Current Affairs sections</u> of India Year Book 2013 & Manorama Year Book 2013 				
Test 20	March 17 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS) : Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs & General Awareness				
Test 21	March 24 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)				
Test 22	March 31 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)				
Test 23	April 5 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)				
Test 24	April 9 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)				
Test 25	April 13 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)				

Test 26	April 17 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 27	April 20 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 28	April 23 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 29	April 26 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)
Test 30	April 29 2013	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABUS)

INTERACTIVE LEARNING PROGRAMME

[STUDY MATERIAL & MAINS TEST SERIES]

() Classroom Program

() Distance Learning Program

General Studies

Sociology

Public Adm

Geography

Philosophy

Psychology

Hindi Lit.

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Essay & Interview Enrichment Programme

One year Integrated Programme

Two Years Integrated programme

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(General Studies , Sociology , Public Administration , Geography , Philosophy , Psychology & Hindi Lit. , GS PRELIM & APTITUDE TEST)

NATURE : Flexible, cyclic, Personalized Interactive Discussion

TIMING: Every Saturday & Sunday , 10 AM

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What you will get:

- Login id & Password for performance analysis of aspirants (Innovative Assessment System)
- Mock Test Papers & answer sheet (17 Tests)
- Evaluated Answer Booklet by experts with proper feedback, comments & guidance.
- Answer format (Synopsis) of Mock Test paper
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Test 2	October 21 , 2012	<p style="text-align: center; color: red;">Indian Polity & Constitution- II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Local Government : Panchayati Raj , Local Urban Government ◆ Judiciary : Supreme Court , High Court , District Court ◆ Indian Federalism and center State Relations ◆ Constitutional & Non Constitutional Bodies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Law enforcement, internal security and related issues such as the preservation of communal harmony. ◆ Issues relating to good governance and accountability to the citizens including the maintenance of human rights, and of probity in public life. <p style="text-align: center; color: green;">+ Applied Indian Polity</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: blue;">+ Current Affairs</p>	- Indian Polity by M Laxmikant - Governance in India - By Laxmikant (Selected Chapter)	- Introduction to the Constitution of India : D D Basu - 2nd ARC REPORT	- The Hindu - Yojana - <i>Vision IAS comprehensive Current affairs notes</i>	- The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in - Economic Political Weekly - Frontline

<p>Test 3</p>	<p>November 4 , 2012</p>	<p>Indian Geography & Environment - I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Physiography ◆ Drainage system ◆ Climate ◆ Soils ◆ Natural vegetation , Plant & Animal life ◆ Land Resource & Agriculture ◆ Water resource ◆ Mineral & Energy Resource <p>+ Applied Geography (Related to current affairs)</p> <p>+ Current Affairs</p>	<p>- 11th NCERT: Geography India Physical Environment</p> <p>- 11th NCERT Books: Fundamental of Physical Geography</p> <p>- 12th NCERT: Geography India People and Economy</p> <p>- 12th NCERT : Fundamental of Human Geography</p> <p>- Orient Longman Atlas</p> <p>- Our Environment – NCERT (VII)</p> <p>- Ecology: Unit X – Class 12th Biology NCERT</p> <p>- Ecology & Environment (India Year Book)</p>	<p>- Certificate physical and human geography - Goh, Cheng Leong</p> <p>- Ecology and Environment – P D Sharma</p>	<p>- The Hindu</p> <p>- Yojana</p> <p>- <i>Vision IAS comprehensive Current affairs notes</i></p> <p>- Down to Earth www.downtoearth.org.in</p>	<p>- The Indian Express</p> <p>- PIB : www.pib.nic.in</p> <p>- Frontline</p> <p>-The Hindu Survey of the Environment</p>
<p>Test 4</p>	<p>November 18 , 2012</p>	<p>Indian Geography & Environment - II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Manufactory Industries ◆ Industry ◆ Transport and communications ◆ Natural hazards & Disasters ◆ Census 2011 ◆ Human development ◆ Applied geography <p>+</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Environmental issues, ◆ Ecological preservation, 	<p>same as above reference</p>	<p>same as above reference</p>	<p>same as above reference</p>	<p>same as above reference</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Conservation of natural resources & national heritage. + Applied Geography (Related to current affairs) + Current Affairs 				
Test 5	December 2 , 2012	<p>History of Modern India & Culture of India -I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Social and religious reform movements of 18th and 19th century ◆ Revolt of 1857 ◆ Formation of congress ◆ Partition of Bengal and Swadeshi movement ◆ Government of India act, 1909 ◆ Home rule movement ◆ Government of India act, 1919 ◆ Khilafat and non cooperation movement ◆ Simon commission ◆ Nehru report ◆ Indian culture: It will cover all aspects of Indian culture from the ancient to modern times as well as principal features of literature, arts and architecture. <p>+ Current Affairs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Indian Freedom Struggle of independence - Bipin Chandra -“A Brief History of Modern India” – Spectrum Pub. -Facets of Indian Culture (Spectrum Pub) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -NCERT - Modern India -Modern Indian history - B.L Grover -Indian Culture Chapter of Indian Year Book 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu -Vision IAS comprehensive Current affairs notes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in
Test 6	December 16 , 2012	<p>History of Modern India & Culture of India -II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Civil disobedience movement and rtc ◆ Government of India act, 1935 ◆ Cripps mission ◆ Quit India movement ◆ INA ◆ Cabinet mission plan 	<p>same as above reference</p>	<p>same as above reference</p>	<p>same as above reference</p>	<p>same as above reference</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Mountbatten plan ◆ India independence act ◆ Other strands of national movement <p>◆ Indian culture: It will cover all aspects of Indian culture from the ancient to modern times as well as principal features of literature, arts and architecture.</p> <p>+ Current Affairs</p>				
Test 7	December 30, 2012	<p style="text-align: right;">Economy – I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Understanding Economics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ National Income, Economic Growth and Development, ▪ Fiscal Development & Public Finance, ▪ Prices & Monetary management, ▪ Financial Intermediation & Markets , ▪ BOP & International Trade and FDI ◆ Planning and Development Strategies till 1991 ◆ Economic Reforms since 1991 ◆ Five Year Plans ◆ Agriculture , Industry & Services ◆ Energy , Infrastructure and Communication <p>+ Applied Economy (Related to current affairs)</p> <p>+ Current Affairs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development - 12th NCERT: Economics: Macroeconomics -Indian Economy (Special Issue) - Pratiyogita Darpan -Economic Survey of India -India Year Book - Economic Survey of India (Chapter : BOP , International Trade & India and the Global Economy) -12th NCERT: Economics: Macroeconomics 	<p>Indian Economy: Mishra & Puri (</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Indian Economy: R. Dutt and Sundaram</p> <p>- Indian Economy Since Independence - Uma Kapila</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu - Yojana -<i>Vision IAS comprehensive Current affairs notes</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -The Economic Times -PIB : www.pib.nic.in -Economic & Political Weekly - Kurukshetra
Test 8	January 6, 2013	<p style="text-align: right;">Economy – II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Human Capital Development ◆ Poverty & Unemployment and Inclusion ◆ Sustainable Development and Rural Development ◆ Literacy and Education 	<i>same as above reference</i>	<i>same as above reference</i>	<i>same as above reference</i>	<i>same as above reference</i>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Demographics ◆ Women & Child and Social Security ◆ Social Sectors Initiatives (Schemes & Programmes) ◆ Health issues including the management of Public Health, Health education and ethical concerns regarding health-care, medical research and pharmaceuticals. <p>+ India's Economic Interaction with the World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ <i>Economic and trade issues such as foreign trade, foreign investment; economic and diplomacy issues relating to oil, gas and energy flows; the role and functions of I.M.F., World Bank, W.T.O., WIPO etc. which influence India's economic interaction with other countries and international institutions.</i> <p>+ Applied Economy (Related to current affairs)</p> <p>+ Current Affairs</p>				
Test 9	January 20 , 2013	<p style="text-align: center;">India and the World – I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>This part will include questions to test candidate's awareness of India's relationship with the world in various spheres such as the following:-</i> ▪ <i>Foreign Affairs with special emphasis on India's relations with neighbouring countries and in the region.</i> ▪ <i>Security and defence related matters.</i> ▪ <i>Nuclear policy, issues, and conflicts.</i> ▪ <i>The Indian Diaspora and its contribution to India and the world. Political and Diplomatic Issues</i> <p>Test 9 will include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ India's Foreign Policy: An Overview ◆ Approaches to the Study of India's Foreign Policy ◆ Evolution of India's World-view ◆ India and its Neighbours 	<p>IGNOU (MPSE-001 India and the World) http://www.egyankosh.ac.in/handle/123456789/1460/</p> <p>or</p> <p>Foreign Policy of India by V N Khanna</p> <p>NCERT Class 12: Political Science: Contemporary World Politics (</p>	<p>Manorama Year Book /</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Hindu - World Focus <p><i>-Vision IAS comprehensive Current affairs notes</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Indian Express - PIB : www.pib.nic.in - Frontline

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Russia, China and Japan ◆ India and South East Asia <p style="text-align: center;">International Affairs and Institutions-I</p> <p><i>This part will include questions on important events in world affairs and on international institutions.</i></p> <p>Test 9 will include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ UN bodies and Treaties ◆ International Affairs of Asia, Europe and Oceania <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs</p>	Selected Chapter)	Wikipedia		
Test 10	February 3 , 2013	<p style="text-align: center;">India & the World & International Affairs and Institutions: II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ U.S.A.European Union ◆ India-Africa Relations ◆ India, latin America and Caribbean ◆ India and Central and West Asia ◆ Social-Cultural Issues ◆ Economics Issues ◆ Politico-Security Issues: <p style="text-align: center;">International Affairs and Institutions -II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Non-UN bodies and Treaties ◆ International Affairs of Africa, North America, South America and Caribbean <p style="text-align: center;">+ Current Affairs</p>	<i>same as above reference</i>	<i>same as above reference</i>	<i>same as above reference</i>	<i>same as above reference</i>
Test 11	February 17 , 2013	<p style="text-align: center;">Science & Technology – I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Information Technology ◆ Space Technology ◆ Defense Technology ◆ Computer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -The Hindu - Science Reporter - Frontline 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Science & Technology : TMH Publication or Spectrum Publication 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wikipedia -<i>Vision IAS Compressive Science</i> 	International Journals & Magazines www.sciencemag.org

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Applied Science and Modern Day Technology / Latest Research ◆ Current : Science & Technology <p>Statistical analysis, graphs and diagrams</p> <p>+ Current Affairs</p>	NCERT Book on Statistics (class 11)	Statistical Analysis: Graphs and Diagrams (Spectrum Pub.)	& Technology Notes	www.wisegeek.com
Test 12	June 7 , 2013	<p style="text-align: center;">Science & Technology – II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Robotics ◆ Nanotechnology ◆ Bio Technology ◆ Applied Science and Modern Day Technology / Latest Research ◆ Intellectual Property Right etc ◆ Current : Science & Technology <p>Statistical analysis, graphs and diagrams</p> <p>+ Current Affairs</p>	same as above reference	same as above reference	same as above reference	same as above reference
Test 13	June 28 2013	Complete syllabus of Paper I (Full Length Test)				
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Test 15	August 25 2013	Complete Syllabus of Paper I (Full Length Test)				

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METHODOLOGY

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1. Alignment Competence	
2. Context Competence	
3. Content Competence :	
4. Language Competence	
5. Introduction Competence	
6. Structure – Presentations Competence	
7. Conclusion Competence	
MARKS	

Score: Scale: 1- 5 5 – Outstanding 4 – Excellent 3 – Good 2 – Average 1 - Poor

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BASIC UNDERSTANDING OF FOLLOWING DESIGNED COMPETENCES :

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- Writing the answer according to the actual requirement of the questions
- Focus on Key words & Tail words effectively (*Elucidate – Explain, Comment , Examine , Critically examine , Discuss , Analyze , Illustrate , Review , Argue , Justify etc.*)

◆ **Context Competence:**

- Contextual understanding of the Questions
- Present relevant information , choice of words and proper statement

◆ **Content Competence :**

- Content of the answer in the contextual framework

◆ **Language Competence :**

- Optional Subject Specific Language not used general words in the optional paper (but In General Studies language should be simple and clear)
- Appropriate words at proper place , Word limits

◆ **Structure – Presentation Competence:**

- Proper systematization in the structure of the answer , Proper consideration of priority and focus of given ideas.
- Logical structure of sentence and their connectivity
- proper visibility of idea through facts, data , diagram , figure , illustration according to the requirement of the question

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