



Time: 3.00 hrs.

Marks: 100

Part - I

I. Choose the correct answer.

14 x 1 = 14

1. Who said "imperialism is the highest stage of capitalism"?
a) Lenin b) Marx c) Sun Yat-sen d) Mao Tsetun
2. With whom of the following was the Lateran Treaty signed by Italy?
a) Germany b) Russia c) Pope d) Spain
3. Who were mainly persecuted by Hitler?
a) Russians b) Arabs c) Turks d) Jews
4. When was the Warsaw Pact dissolved?
a) 1979 b) 1989 c) 1990 d) 1995
5. Choose the correct statement
i) Raja Rammohan Roy preached monotheism
ii) He encouraged idolatry
iii) He published tracts condemning social evils
iv) Raja Rammohan Roy was supported by Governor General William Bentinck
a) i) is correct b) i) and ii) are correct
c) i), ii) and iii) are correct d) i), iii) and iv) are correct
6. The north-south extent of India is
a) 2,500 km b) 2,933 km c) 3,214 km d) 2,814 km
7. Sesahachalam hills, a Biosphere reserve is situated in _____
a) Tamil Nadu b) Andhra Pradesh
c) Madhya Pradesh d) Karnataka
8. Pick the odd one out
a) Wheat b) Rice c) Millets d) Coffee
9. The city which is called as the Manchester of South India is
a) Chennai b) Salem c) Madurai d) Coimbatore
10. The major import item of India is
a) Cement b) Jewells c) Tea d) Petroleum
11. How can the Fundamental Rights be suspended?
a) If the Supreme Court so desires
b) If the Prime Minister orders to this effect
c) If the President orders it during the national emergency
d) All of the above
12. The Constitutional Head of the Union is _____
a) The President b) The Chief Justice
c) The Prime Minister d) Council of Ministers
13. Indian economy is _____
a) Developing Economy b) Emerging Economy
c) Dual Economy d) All the above
14. India signed the Dunkel proposal in
a) 1984 b) 1976 c) 1950 d) 1994

Part - II

II. Answer any 10 questions. (Q.No. 28 is Compulsory)

10 x 2 = 20

15. List out any two causes for the failure of the League of Nations
16. What do you know of the White Terror in Indo-China?
17. What are the objectives of IMF?
18. What was Marshall Plan?
19. List the social evils eradicated by Brahma Samaj

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20. Give the importance of IST.
21. What do you mean by livestock?
22. Define the resource and state its types.
23. State the merits of Roadways.
24. Write short note: Money Bill
25. What is the importance of the Governor of a state?
26. Write the challenges of Globalization.
27. What is the role of FCI in Green Revolution?
28. Write a short notes on "Purchasing Power"

Part - III

III. Answer any 10 questions. (Q.No. 42 is Compulsory)

10 x 5 = 50

29. Fill in the blanks:

- i) _____ was known as the "Father of modern China". *Dr Sun yet sen*
- ii) Oru paisa Tamilan was started by _____ *I. Yoth ee Thassar.*
- iii) _____ is the Guardian of the Constitution. *he Supreme court*
- iv) _____ is our Vice President of India (At present) *Jagdeep Dhankar*
- v) _____ is an important indicator of nutrition deficiency. *Under weight*

30. Assess the structure and the activities of the UN.
31. Write an essay on the role played by the 19th century reformers towards the cause of Women.
32. a) Distinguish between the following :
 - i) Marine fishing and Inland fishing
 - ii) Renewable and non-renewable resources
 b) Give reasons - Agriculture is the backbone of India.
33. Describe the forests of India.
34. What is Multipurpose projects and write about any two Multipurpose projects of India.
35. Describe the major challenges of Indian industries.
36. Classify and explain the roadways in India.
37. Critically examine the Powers and Functions of the Parliament.
38. What are the powers and functions of the Chief Minister.
39. Write the challenges of Globalization.
40. Elaborate the Public Distribution System.
41. Draw a Time Line for the following:
Write any five important events between 1920 - 1940
42. Mark the following places on the map of world.
 - i) Hawai Island
 - ii) Japan
 - iii) Norway
 - iv) Russia
 - v) Atlantic ocean

Part - IV

IV. Answer the following questions.

2 x 8 = 16

43. a) Analyse the effects of the World War II. (OR)
- b) Discuss the circumstances that led to the Reform movements of 19th century.
44. a) Mark the following places on the given outline map of INDIA
 - i) Aravali Range
 - ii) Brahmaputra
 - iii) Chota - Nagpur plateau
 - iv) Direction of South West Monsoon wind
 - v) Panna biosphere reserve
 - vi) Alluvial soil
 - vii) Karnapuli Reservoir
 - viii) Thoothukudi Harbour

(OR)

b) Mark the following places on the given outline map of Tamilnadu

- i) Kannyakumari
- ii) Areas of cultivation of coffe (one place)
- iii) Vaigai Dam
- iv) Cauvery River
- v) Bay of Bengal
- vi) Chennai
- vii) Mangrove Forests
- viii)) Areas of cultivation of Rice (one place)