

Time: 3 Hours 15 Minutes

Max. Marks: 100

Instructions:

- 1) In the duration of 3 hours and 15 minutes. 15 minutes of time is allotted to read the question paper.
- 2) All answers shall be written in the answer booklet only. 3) Question paper consists of 4 sections and 33 questions. 4) Internal choice is available in section IV only. 5) All answers shall be written neatly and legibly.

SECTION – I(12 × 1=12)

Note: 1) Answer all the questions. 2) Each question carries 1 mark.

1. What are the three components of Human development Index?
2. Which one is not cause for land degradation? ()
A. Industrialization B. Overgrazing C. Afforestation D. Deforestation
3. Expand UNCED.....
4. Find ODD one out : Dam, Tanks, Percolation tanks, Wells
5. Name the three Leaders involved in Italy unification?
6. "When France sneezes the rest of Europe catch the cold". Whose words are these?
7. Identify the wrong Pair I)Young Italy- Garibaldi II. Red shirts –Garibaldi
8. Allied powers led by Britain. Central powers led by.....
9. What is a civil war?
10. Write any four subjects in state list..
11. Which of the statement not True regarding local government. ()
i) 1/3 seats reserved for Women (ii) Gram panchayat and Municipal elections conducted by State election commission..
(iii) it is not mandatory to conduct regular elections.
12. The process of rapid integration between countries is called.....

SECTION – II(8 × 2=16)

Note: 1) Answer all the questions.

2) Each question carries 2 marks.

13. A) This picture belongs to Which world war period
B) Which goods they produced.....
14. What is the importance of Aluminum ?
15. Describe the cropping seasons in India?
16. Name the pictures



17. Classify the following under three categories.

(Primary, Secondary and Tertiary sector)

Fishing: Five star hotels :

Teacher: Cotton mill :

18. Write about BEEJ BACHAVO Andolan?

19. Write two slogans on democracy?

20. Observe the india map and write any four names of built projects and rivers name.

River Project : 1..... 2..... 3..... 4.....



SECTION – III(8 × 4 = 32)

Note: 1) Answer all the questions. 2) Each question carries 4 marks.

21. Read the below table and answer the following questions

**A) Calculate the average incomes of two countries
B) While „averages“ are useful for comparison or not
Justify your answer**

22. Write a note on good practices towards conserving forest and wildlife?

**23. What is meant by the idea of satyagraha? 24. Explain Decentralization in India?
25. Explain the causes of great depression? 26. Why do we need political parties?
27. How does democracy produce an accountable, responsive and legitimate government?**

28. Observe the below graph and answer the questions

1. Which was the largest producing sector in 1973-74?
2. Which is the largest producing sector in 2013-14?
3. Can you say which sector has grown the most over forty years?
4. What was the GDP of India in 2013-14, 2013-14 வருடத்தில் GDP எங்கள்?

SECTION – IV(5 × 8 = 40)

Note: 1) Answer all the questions. 2) Each question carries 8 marks. 3) Each question has internal choice.

4) In question No. 33 both A and B (India map and World Map) should be answered separately.

29 “India is a tropical country. It has enormous possibilities of tapping solar energy. Photovoltaic technology converts sunlight directly into electricity” - Why do you think that solar energy has a bright future in India? (OR)

“It is the staple food crop of a majority of the people in India. Our country is the second largest producer of rice in the world after China”. - Describe the geographical Conditions required for the growth of rice.

30. Mention different aspects of life in which women are discriminated or disadvantaged In India? (OR)

Read and analysis the graph

31. Briefly trace the process of German unification (OR)

Why did some industrialists in the nineteenth century

Europe prefer hand labour over machines

32. Read and analysis the graph

1. What about the above graph explain?

2. Why should credit at reasonable rates be available for all?

3. Why do you think that the share of formal sector credit is higher for the richer households compared to the poorer households

4. Define formal and informal source of credit? (OR)

How would you distinguish between organized and un organized sectors?

33. A)Locate the following places In world map

1.Austrilia 2.China 3.North sea 4. Indian ocean (OR)

5.Japan 6.Belgium 7. Srilanka 8.Nigeria

B) Locate the following places In India map

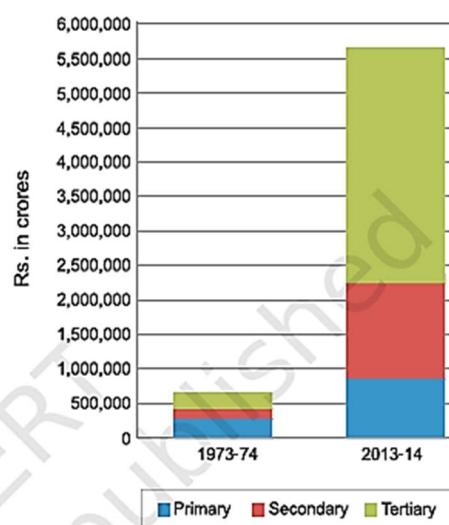
1.Himalayas 2.Maharastra 3.Nagaland 4.Bhakranangal project (OR)

5.Madhyapradesh 6. Meghalaya 7.Kavery river 8. Sardar sarovar dam

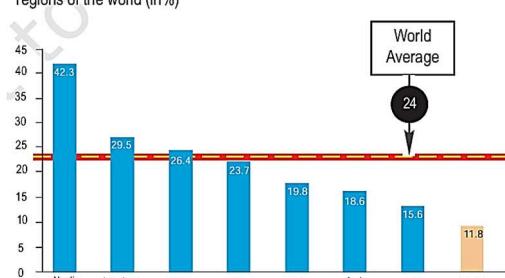
TABLE 1.2 COMPARISON OF TWO COUNTRIES

Country	Monthly incomes of citizens (in Rupees)					
	I	II	III	IV	V	Average
Country A	9500	10500	9800	10000	10200	
Country B	500	500	500	500	48000	

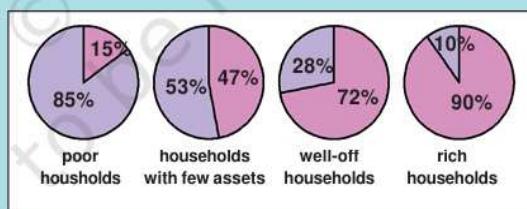
Graph 1 : GDP by Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Sectors



Women in national parliaments in different regions of the world (in%)



Graph 2 : Of all the loans taken by urban households, what percentage was formal and what percentage was informal?



BLUE : Per cent of loans from the INFORMAL sector

PURPLE : Per cent of loans from the FORMAL sector