

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Time : 2½ hours

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Total Score : 80

Instructions

- Attempt all questions.
- Answer only after carefully reading the instructions in connection with each question.
- The score for each question is given against the question concerned.
- 15 minutes are given as cool off time. This time is to be used for reading and understanding the questions.

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1. Name two wars that brought the Mughal Province of Bengal under British control.	2
2. Write the important functions of Reserve Bank of India.	3
3. How are winds formed? Mention the factors that influence the speed and direction of winds.	3
4. Which direct democratic device gives the people the right to accept or reject a law passed by the legislature through voting? Write the name of a country where this device is practised.	3
5. Write a note on Salt Satyagraha in Kerala.	3
6. Identify the public sector institutions from the following:	2
• Hindustan Motors	
• Cochin Refinery	
• Integral Coach Factory	
7. India is a Secular State. Why?	1
8. Classify the artificial satellites and write the salient features of any one of them.	3
9. Explain briefly the following:	3
(a) The Society of Jesus	
(b) Renaissance	
(c) 'Principia Mathematica'	
10. (a) Mention the physiographic divisions of Asia and write the salient features of any one of them.	6
Or	
(b) Several factors influence the concentration of Iron and Steel Industry. Explain this based on the location of Iron and Steel Industries in India.	
11. Complete the table given below which deals with the writers of the 19th and	4

20th centuries and their works:

A	B
• Victor Hugo	•
•	• On the Origin of Species
• Karl Marx	•
•	• William Wordsworth

12. Write any two factors used for preparing human development index. 2
13. Some of the factors which causes migration are given below. Arrange them as push factors and pull factors. 2
- (a) Poverty (b) Attractive job
(c) Unemployment (d) War
14. Explain the need for Human Rights. Point out two struggles or revolutions which greatly helped in the development of the concept of Human Rights. 4
15. (a) Critically examine the causes of French Revolution of 1789. 6
- Or
- (b) Assess the causes and consequences of Russian Revolution of 1917.
16. Prepare a note on the soils of the Northern Great Plains. 3
17. Mention the main components of a Budget. 2
18. Assess the work of State Reorganisation Commission of 1953. 4
19. Point out any one of the limitations of private financial institutions. 1
20. Some of the Indian towns are given below. Classify them based on their functions. 2
- (a) Delhi (b) Jamshedpur
(c) Aligarh (d) Ooty
21. Write any two objectives of the World Social Forum which believes in reinventing democracy by ensuring economic, social and political equality. In which country was the first meeting of the Forum held? 3
22. Write any three factors that stand against the all round integration of India. 3

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- 23. Prepare a short note on the role of Mao Ze Dong in the formation of People's Republic of China. 4
- 24. Several unscientific activities of man affect the existence of biomes. Justify the statement with any one example. 3
- 25. Mention any two steps which accelerated Globalisation in India. 2
- 26. Complete the table: 2

Name of the river	Place of origin	The sea in which it joins
Tapti	Munthaj Plateau
.....	Maikala Ranges	Arabian Sea

- 27. Mark and label the given geoinformation in the outline map of India provided: 4
 - (i) Siwalik Range
 - (ii) River Godavari
 - (iii) Paradwip Port
 - (iv) Rajiv Gandhi International Airport
