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35 TESTS: 8 Fundamental + 17 Applied (Including 2 Revision Tests) + 10 Full Length

Current Affairs + Value Addition Material + Supplementary Material: Soft Copy Only

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Approach & Strategy:

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Number of Mock Tests: 35 TESTS: 8 Fundamental + 17 Applied (Including 2 Revision Tests) + 10 Full Length

Fee (Incl. all taxes): Rs. 16000 MODULE NUMBER: 2151

Nature: Flexible - Date of Mock Test: Reschedule on the demand of the aspirants. (POSTPONE, BUT NOT PREPONE)

What you will get:

- Login id & Password for performance analysis of aspirants (Innovative Assessment System including POST TEST ANALYSIS)
- 35 Mock Test Papers & Answer Explanations
- Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions.
- Comprehensive analysis of previous year question Papers.

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INNOVATIVE ASSESSMENT SYSTEM:

Static & dynamic Potential of Mock test papers (Scoring Potential), Macro & Micro performance Analysis of aspirants, Section wise analysis, Difficulty Analysis, All India Rank, comparison with toppers, Geographical Analysis, Integrated Score Card, Analysis of Mock Test papers based on difficulty level & nature of questions etc.

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- 1. <u>Fundamental level Test 1 to 8</u>: Each test will be based entirely on the most fundamental sources of that particular section. Here we will test whether you have thoroughly prepared these fundamental sources or not and if you have understood all the basic concepts or not.
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- 3. <u>Comprehensive level Test 24 to 27 & 29, 30 and 32 to 35</u>: These are Full Length Test (FLT) covering all the levels of difficulties and all the types of questions similar to the UPSC prelims paper. These tests will validate that your preparation is complete and you have achieved that extra edge to succeed in CSE Prelims.

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(Personalized Scheduling)

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- 3. Test Centers:

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FUNDAMENTAL TESTS - SCHEDULE, CONTENT & REFERENCE

TEST No.	Date of Mock Test	Syllabus	Topics covered (The list is indicative to help students; however, it is not exhaustive. A topic may have more subtopics)	Sources covered
Test 1 [4126]	MARCH 5, 2023 (Personalized scheduling: reschedule the date of Mock tests based on aspirant's plan)	Indian Polity & Constitution Political systems: concepts, forms and types Political system as established by the Constitution Indian Constitution: Historical Underpinnings, Evolution & Making of the Constitution, Features, Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles & Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution Basic Structure of the Constitution Emergency Provisions Constitutional & Non Constitutional Bodies + Current Affairs (January 2023)	 Political systems: Democratic & Non-Democratic, Parliamentary & Presidential, Unitary & Federal, Direct and Representative, Republic and Monarchy etc. Constitutionalism Historical Underpinnings Evolution & Making of the Constitution Features and Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights Directive Principles Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution Basic Structure of the Constitution Emergency Provisions Constitutional Bodies Election Commission Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) 	 9th NCERT: Democratic Politics 1 10th NCERT: Democratic Politics 2 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Vision IAS value addition material Polity and Governance Quick Revision Module (QRM) Polity

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Test 2 [4127]	MARCH 26, 2023	 Working of Indian Constitution Central Government: President, Vice President, Prime minister, Central Council of Ministers Parliament and State Legislature State Government: Governor, Chief Minister, State Council of Ministers Indian Federalism and Centre-State Relations Local Government: Panchayati Raj, Local Urban Government Judiciary: Supreme Court, High Courts, Subordinate Courts Elections + Current Affairs (January 2023) 		President Vice President Prime minister Central Council of Ministers and Cabinet committees Posts like Cabinet Secretary, Chief Secretary, etc Parliament: The Council of States, The House of People, Disqualification and Vacation of Seats, Presiding Officers of Parliament, Houses: Their Working, Legislative Procedures in Parliament, Budget, Powers and Functions of Parliament: Its Role, Committees of Parliament, Parliamentary Forums Governor Chief Minister State Council of Ministers State Legislature Indian Federalism Centre State Relations Panchayati Raj Local Urban Government Supreme Court High Courts Subordinate Courts: District Courts, Gram Nyayalayas, ADRs, NALSA etc., Elections and political parties Representation of People's Act (1950-51) Election Process: Delimitation Act etc., Anti Defection Law, Pressure Group	11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Vision IAS value addition material Polity QRM Polity
Test 3 [4128]	APRIL 16, 2023	Geography – I Physical Geography of the world Solar System & the Earth and basics of latitude and longitude Geomorphology Climatology Oceanography Soils Natural Hazards and Disasters Continents (Land, Climate, Resources etc.): Asia, Africa, North America, South	Ph	Origin and evolution of Universe, Solar system Geological History of the Earth Geological Time scale Latitude and Longitude including important Parallels and Meridians Motions of the Earth and their effects Inclination of the Earth's Axis and its effects Local and Standard Time and the International Date Line, Calendar Eclipses - Solar, Lunar Geomorphology - Interior structure of the earth, Earth's crust, Classification of rocks.	11 th NCERT Geography: Fundamentals of Physical Geography 11th NCERT Geography - India Physical Environment Class IX NCERT: Contemporary India-I Certificate physical and human geography - Goh Cheng Leong Orient Longman Atlas or Oxford Atlas Vision IAS value addition material Geography QRM Geography

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America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia

Physical Geography of India

- Introduction: Location, Area and Boundaries
- Structure and Relief: Physiographic Divisions
- Drainage System
- Weather, Climate and Seasons
- Soils
- Natural Vegetation, Plant and Animal Life

+ Current Affairs (February 2023)

- Landform Development First order (continental drift theory, sea floor spreading, plate tectonics theory), Second order (Mountains, Plateaus, Plains & other landforms)
- Internal forces & their impact Volcanoes, Earthquakes, Folding, Faulting, Isostasy)
- External forces & their impact Weathering, Erosion & landforms thus developed
- Climatology Structure, Composition of atmosphere
- Weather & Climate
- Insolation, Heat Budget, Distribution of temperature, Temperature Inversion
- Pressure and Pressure belts
- Winds Planetary, Seasonal and Local; Jet Streams
- Precipitation-Forms & Types, Distribution of rainfall
- Air Masses, Cyclones and anti-cyclones
- World Climatic regions
- Oceanography Features, Ocean waves, currents, tides & Tsunamis,
 Temperature & Salinity distribution, marine resources
- Soils Classification, distribution, erosion & Conservation
- Continents Major physical features and landforms
- Map based questions from world (rivers, lakes, location, city, oceans etc.)

Physical Geography of India

- Location: Latitude, Longitude
- Northern Mountains, Plains of India, Peninsular Plateau and Islands of India.
- Himalayan and Peninsular Drainage System
- Spatial and temporal distribution of temperature, pressure, winds and rainfall
- Indian Monsoon: mechanism, onset and variability; spatial and temporal variations
- Climatic Regions of India
- Classification of Soils
- Problems of Soil and Conservation
- Forests and their distribution, Forest Conservation
- Map Based Questions from India (Location of state, city, river, lakes, important places including Ramsar sites, Biosphere Reserves, Wildlife Sanctuaries and National Parks)

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Test 4	MAY	Geography - II	World Economic and Human Geography:	■ 12th NCERT: Geography - India People
[4129]	7, 2023	Economic and Human Geography - World Economic Geography of the world: primary, secondary, tertiary, quaternary and quinary activities Human Geography of world World Population, Distribution & Density, Races & Tribes, Settlement & Migration Economic and Human Geography - India Agriculture Land Resources Water Resources Mineral and Energy Resources Industries Transport and Communication Foreign Trade Population, Migration, Settlements + Current Affairs (February 2023)	 Natural resources and mineral resources and distribution of key natural resources across the world Agriculture and agro-climatic regions Industry and location factors Infrastructure World Population, density & distribution, races & tribes, settlements & migration Map Based Questions from World (Location of state, city, minerals, industries etc.) Indian Geography Agriculture typology and major Crops grown in India Agro-Climatic Regions Land Reforms and Land use pattern Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Aquaculture Water Resources- Availability and potential: Lakes, rivers, dams, power and irrigation projects, wetlands and interlinking of rivers 	 12th NCERT: Geography - India People and Economy 12th NCERT: Fundamental of Human Geography 10th NCERT: Contemporary India- Part-II Certificate Physical and Human Geography - Goh Cheng Leong Orient Longman Atlas or Oxford Atlas Vision IAS Value Addition Material Geography (Distribution of key natural resources across the world) QRM Geography
Test 5	MAY	Ancient Indian History, Art and Culture and	Ancient History	Old NCERT: Ancient India
[4130]	21, 2023	Medieval India:	 Prehistoric period 	Old NCERT: Medieval India
		Ancient History	 Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization 	Class XI NCERT – Introduction to India Art
		 Prehistoric period Harannan / Indus Valley Civilization 	 Vedic Age Mahajanandas 	(Part 1)
		 Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization Vedic Age 	Mahajanapadas Poligious Poforms	Class XII th New NCERT - Themes in Indian History Part, 1 and Part 2
		Vedic AgeMahajanapadas	Religious ReformsMauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age	History Part -1 and Part 2 CCRT website:
		Religious Reforms	Sangam Age Sangam Age	http://ccrtindia.gov.in/index.php
		 Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age 	■ Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age	QRM Ancient & Medieval and Art &
		■ Sangam Age	 (Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, 	Culture
		 Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age 	Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above)	

Art & Culture

- Architecture and Sculptures
- Religion and Philosophy
- Indian paintings
- Indian Music
- Indian Dances
- Indian Theatres
- Indian cinema
- Indian Language & Literature
- Arts & Crafts
- Science and Technology in Ancient India
- Indo-Islamic Culture

Medieval India:

- Early Medieval Period
- North India
- South India
- Sultanate Period
- The Delhi Sultanate
- Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms
- Religious Movements
- Bhakti Movement
- Sufi Movement
- Mughal Period
- Maratha Confederacy

+ Current Affairs (March 2023)

Art & Culture

- Architecture: Indus Valley Civilization, The Mauryan Architecture, The Sungas, Kushanas, Satavahanas & Guptas, The Temple Architecture, Indo-Islamic Architecture, Modern Architecture
- Sculpture: Indian Sculpture and Different schools of Art
- Indian Paintings: Historical development Wall Paintings, Cave and Mural Paintings, Miniature Paintings, Mughal Paintings, Rajput Paintings, Folk Paintings, Other Paintings, Modern Indian Paintings & Personalities

Religion and Philosophy

- Religion: Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism, Islam, Christianity, Zoroastrianism, Judaism
- Philosophy: Six Schools of Philosophy, Ajivika, Lokayata etc.
- Indian Music: Classical Music, Hindustani Music, Carnatic Music, Folk Music Tradition
- Indian Dance: Classical Dance forms in India, Folk Dances, Modern Dance in India
- Puppetry and Theatre: Different forms of Puppetry in India, Theatres in India: Folk Theatre, Modern Theatre, People Associated with Theatres, Indian Cinema and Circus
- Language & Literature: Indian Language, Indian Literature
- Fairs, Festivals and Craft: Religious Festivals, Secular Festivals (States & UT's), Art & Crafts
- Science & Technology, Ancient, Science & Technology, Medieval Science & Technology, Famous Personalities in Ancient and Medieval India
- Promotion and Preservation of Indian Heritage: Indian Word Heritage Sites, Cultural Heritage Sites, Natural Heritage Sites, Important Institutions

Medieval India

- Early Medieval Period: North India and South India
- Sultanate Period: The Delhi Sultanate, Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms, Religious Movements, Bhakti Movement, Sufi Movement
- Mughal Period

(Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above)

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Test 6 [4131]

JUNE 11, 2023

Modern India

- 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

- The Revolt of 1857 & change after 1857
- Moderate Phase (1885 1905)

Extremist Phase (1905 – 17)

- Emergence of Extremist & Leaders
- The Partition of Bengal
- Morley-Minto Reforms
- Swadeshi Movement, Home Rule Movement etc.

The Gandhian Era (1917–47)

- Gandhi Advent and Achievement
- Rowlatt Act, Jallianawala Bagh Massacre and Khilafat Movement
- Non- Cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit India Movement
- British Response and Negotiations
- INA and Subhash Chandra Bose

Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions

Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress
 Session, Governor – General Viceroys,
 Policies, Tribal & Peasant Movements etc.

+ Current Affairs (March-April 2023)

India under East India Company's Rule Administration

- Struggle among European powers in India
- Regulating Acts and Charter Acts: Regulating Act of 1773, Pitt's India Act 1773 and Charter acts of 1784, 1793, 1813,1833, 1853
- Indian Kingdoms in 18th century: Marathas, Punjab, Mysore, Hyderabad etc.
- British Expansion policy: Doctrine of lapse, Subordinate alliance etc.
- Economic policies and their impact
- Education Policies
- Socio Religious Reform Movements in the 19th and 20th
 century India Arya Samaj, Brahmo Samaj, etc
- The Great Revolt of 1857
- Changes in Indian Administration after 1858 GOI ACT 1858, Councils Act, 1861, 1892
- Growth of Political Ideas and Political Organisations (up to 1885)
- Foundation of the Indian National Congress
- Moderate Phase (1885-1905)
- Partition of Bengal and the Swadeshi Movement
- The first phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement
- The Morley-Minto Reforms or the Indian Councils Act, 1909
- The Lucknow Pact (1916)
- The Home Rule Movement
- Montague-Chelmsford Reforms or the Government of India Act, 1919
- The Khilafat Movement (1920-22) and Non-Cooperation Movement
- The Left Movement
- The second phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement
- Anti-Simon Commission Agitation (1928-29)
- Nehru Report, 1928
- The Lahore Session, 1929
- The Civil Disobedience Movement (The first phase)
- Second Phase of Civil Disobedience Movement
- The Government of India Act, 1935

- Old NCERT: Modern India by Bipin Chandra
- New NCERT Class XIIth Themes in Indian History – Part III
- India's struggle for Independence Bipin Chandra
- QRM Modern Indian History

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			 Provincial Elections and Formation of popular Ministries in Provinces, 1937 The Struggle in the Princely States: The Praja Mandal Movement The Second World War and the National Movement The August Offer 1940 The Individual Satyagraha 1940-41 The Cripps Proposal, 1942 The Quit India Movement, 1942 Subhas Bose and Indian National Army Rajagopalachari Formula & Desai Liaqat Plan Wavell Plan and Simla Conference 1945 General Elections in India, 1945 Naval Mutiny: 1946 The Indian Independence Act, 1947 Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor —General Viceroys etc. Other Dimensions Tribal Movements Peasants Movement Dalit Movements Women movements Role of Press and Publications Role of Business groups 	
Test 7 [4132]	JUNE 25, 2023	India Economy National Income Accounting Definition Concepts: GDP, GNP etc. Measurement of National Income Money and Banking Function of Money, Evolution of Money etc. Banking: Need of Banks, Functions, Types, Banking Reforms, Central Bank and its role Inflation and Employment Definition, types etc.	 Foreign policies of British India National Income Accounting: Definition Concepts: GDP, GNP, Market Price and Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer payments, National income at FC, Personal Income, disposable income, factors affecting national income, net foreign facto income Measurement of national income: value added method, income method, expenditure method, Application of various methods, Base year, GDP deflator Debates around GDP and other indices Money and Banking Money: Definition, Functions and significance, Evolution of Money, Money supply in India and factors affecting it 	 11th NCERT: Economics: Indian Economic Development 12th NCERT: Economics: Macroeconomics 12th NCERT: Economics: Microeconomics www.arthapedia.in Official websites of WTO, IMF, WIPO Other websites: www.ipindia.nic.in www.copyright.gov.in Vision IAS Value Addition Material Economy QRM Economy

Government Budgeting and Fiscal Policy

- Budgeting, types, its evolution in India, Process, Component etc.
- Public finance, Revenue and Expenditure, Deficits, Taxes, Debts etc.

External Sector and Currency Exchange rates

BoP, BoT, International trade, IMF, WTO,
 Trade policies, issues and challenges etc.

Capital Market

Terms and Concepts

Agriculture Industry Services

Infrastructure and Communication
Five year Plans

Economic Reforms since 1991 Foreign Trade

India and IMF, WTO, WIPO
India and International Institutions
IPRs

+ Current Affairs (April 2023)

Banking:

- Need of banks, Function, Commercial Banks
- Central Bank: Importance, functions, Structure, Policy tools, Monetary Policy (CRR, SLR, OMO, Repo and Rev Repo, MSF etc.)
- Banking Reforms

Inflation and Employment

- Inflation: Definition, Inflationary Gap and Inflationary Process, Inflation Cycles: Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push Inflation, Causes of Inflation, Inflation Control measures
- Unemployment: Types of Unemployment: Structural, Seasonal, Frictional, Cyclical, Nature of Unemployment in India

Government budgeting and Fiscal Policy

- Budgeting: Evolution of Budgeting, Institutions and Laws, The Union Budget: Components - Revenue Account, Capital Account, Measures of Government Deficit etc., Weaknesses in the Budgetary Process
- Fiscal Policy: Public Finance Role and Importance, Public Expenditure - Revenue and Capital, Development and Non-Development, Public Revenue - Sources of Revenue, Taxes: Classification, Direct and Indirect, Specific and Ad Valorem, Social and Economic Objectives of Taxes, Objectives of Taxation, GST, d.) Public Debt, Deficit Financing.

External Sector and Currency Exchange rate

- Balance of Payments: Definition, Current and Capital Accounts, Convertibility, Items Included in BoP, BoP and BoT
- International Trade and Bodies: IMF: Purpose and Objectives, Organization and Functions, Working and Evaluation, IMF and Underdeveloped Countries, SDR's, Reforms etc., World Bank, Bilateral and Regional Cooperation

Capital Markets

Basic Terms and Concepts, Equity and debt Instruments,
 Primary market and Secondary markets etc.

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Agriculture: Recent trends in Agriculture Sector, Cropping System and Pattern; Agricultural Marketing and Reforms; Agricultural Research; Sustainable Agriculture; Animal Husbandry PDS Farm distress and government initiatives **Industrial Sector:** Industrial Policies, Licensing **MSME Labour Reforms** Companies Act Make in India, Skill India Challenges in Industrial development Organised and unorganised sector PPP, Investment models Recent initiatives taken by the govt., etc. Services: Banking, Insurance, Aviation, Tourism, Issues and potential of services sector Government policies etc. • Five year Plans: Priorities and Performance, Issues related to planning Economic Policies till 1991 Economic Reforms since 1991: End of license Raj, Liberalization, Privatisation and Globalisation, FDI, FII, issues, challenges etc. • Infrastructure: IT, Communication, Urbanisation, Transport, Mining, etc. • Foreign Trade of India: Trade Policy, Product wise trade, Region wise trade, Subsidy boxes, WTO related issues and India ■ Intellectual Property Rights

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Test 8	JULY	Ecology & Environment	Environment and its components	■ NCERT Biology 12th – Unit 10 (chapter 13,
[4133]	9, 2023		Ecology and Functions of an ecosystem	14, 15 & 16)
		 Basic Concepts & Components of the 	 Terrestrial ecosystems 	■ NCERT Chemistry 11 th (Part II) – Chapter
		Ecology and ecosystem	 Aquatic ecosystems 	14
		 Global warming, Climate change and 	Environmental problems	■ ICSE Environmental Education 9th & 10 th
		Ozone depletion	 Climate Change 	 Vision IAS Value Addition Material
		Environmental Issues and Pollution	Acidification	Environment
		Biodiversity, flora and fauna	Eutrophication	 QRM Environment
		Conservation efforts - India and World	 Ozone Depletion 	
		 Sustainable Development 	 Mitigation Strategies 	
		 Environmental Monitoring and Impact 	 India and Climate Change 	
		Assessment	Environmental pollution	
		+ Current Affairs (May 2023)	Pollutants	
			Air pollution	
			■ Water Pollution	
			Soil Pollution	
			 Noise Pollution 	
			 Radioactive pollution 	
			■ E-Waste	
			Solid Waste	
			Bioremediation	
			Biodiversity	
			■ Basic Concepts	
			 Plant and Animal Diversity 	
			 Marine Organisms 	
			■ Threat to Biodiversity	
			Protected Area Network: National parks, Wildlife sanctuaries,	
			Biosphere reserves, Reserved and protected forests,	
			Conservation and community reserves, Village and panchayat	
			Forests, Private protected areas, Conservation areas	
			 Biodiversity Conservation efforts 	
			 Indian Biodiversity ad conservation efforts 	
			 Bioprospecting, Biosafety, Biopiracy 	
			Conservation efforts: India and World	
			 Institutional and Organizational mechanisms 	
			Environmental Acts and Policies	
			Environmental conventions	
			 Sustainable development 	
			Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment	

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APPLIED & FULL LENGTH TESTS - SCHEDULE, CONTENT & REFERENCE

TEST No.	Date of Mock Test	Syllabus * Questions under current affairs will cover important national and international issues of specified months	Topics covered (The list is indicative to help students; however, it is not exhaustive. A topic may have more subtopics)	Primary (Essential) References	Secondary (Additional) References	Primary (Essential) News Paper / Magazines / website	Secondary (Additional) News Paper / Magazines / website
Test 9 [4134]	JULY 23, 2023	Political systems: concepts, forms and types Political system as established by the Constitution Indian Constitution: Historical Underpinnings, Evolution & Making of the Constitution, Features, Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles & Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution Judiciary: Supreme Court, High Courts, Subordinate Courts + Current Affairs (Jan.+Feb. 2023)	 Historical Underpinnings Evolution & Making of the Constitution Features and Significant Provisions The Preamble The Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights Directive Principles Fundamental Duties Amendment of Constitution 	 Class IX and X NCERT: Democratic Politics 11th NCERT: Indian Constitution at Work Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Vision IAS Value Addition Material Polity and Governance Quick Revision Module (QRM) Polity 	 Introduction to the Constitution of India: D D Basu Our Political System: Subhash Kashyap 	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in 	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.
Test 10 [4135]	AUGUST 6, 2023	 Working of Indian Constitution and System of the government Central Government: President, Vice President, Prime minister, Central Council of Ministers Parliament and State Legislature State Government: Governor, Chief Minister, State Council of Ministers Indian Federalism and Centre-State Relations Emergency Provisions 	committees Posts like Cabinet Secretary, Chief Secretary, etc	Vision IAS Value Addition Material Polity and Governance	 Introduction to the Constitution of India: D D Basu Our Political System: Subhash Kashyap 2nd ARC Report – 13th 	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in prsindia.or g 	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.

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		 Local Government: Panchayati Raj, Local Urban Government Structure, organization and functioning of the Executive; Ministries and Departments of the Government. + Current Affairs (March - April 2023) 	 Parliament, Parliamentary Forums Governor Chief Minister State Council of Minister 				
Test 11 [4136]	AUGUST 20, 2023	 Constitutional & Non Constitutional Bodies Elections and political parties: problems and processes Electoral politics Working of the political system since independence Good Governance, e-Governance Transparency & Accountability RTI, Citizen's Charter & Anti-Corruption Civil Society, People participation Reforms: Police Reform, Administrative Reform, Judicial Reform, Political Reform etc. Social Audit Public Policy: Making, Implementation, Evaluation and monitoring Public Sector Management Public-private partnerships (PPP) 	Constitutional Bodies Election Commission Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) State Public Service Commission (SPSC) Finance Commission CAG Attorney general of India Advocate general of India Special officer for Linguistic Minorities National Commission for Scheduled Castes (NCSC) National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) National Commission for Backward Castes (NCBC) Non-Constitutional Bodies NITI Aayog NHRC, Governing Council, SHRC, CIC, SIC, CVC, CBI, Lokpal, Lokayukta, NCPCR etc. Other Constitutional Dimensions Provisions related to Language Rights and Liabilities of the government National Commission to Review the Working of the Constitution Co-operative societies	 Indian Polity by M Laxmikanth Governance in India by M Laxmikanth Class 12th NCERT: Politics in India since Independence Vision IAS Value Addition Material Governance QRM Polity 	• Specific ARC 2 Reports — 1 st , 5 th , 6 th , 11 th , 12 th , 14 th & 15 th	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in 	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.

	■ Rights Issues- Forest Rights Act,	■ Tribunals				
	Consumer Protection Act, etc.	Elections and political parties				
	+ Current Affairs (May - June 2023	Problems and processes				
		Electoral politics				
		 Representation of People's Act 				
		 Working of the political system since 				
		independence				
		Governance				
		 Good Governance 				
		• e-Governance				
		Transparency & Accountability				
		RTI, Citizen's Charter & Anti-Corruption				
		 Civil Society, People participation Reforms: Police Reform, Administrative 				
		Reform, Judicial Reform, Political Reform				
		etc.				
		Social Audit				
		 Public Policy: Making, Implementation, 				
		Evaluation and monitoring				
		 Public Sector Management, Regulatory 				
		framework				
		Public-private partnerships (PPP)				
		Rights Issues etc.				
Test 12	SEPTEMBER Ancient Indian History, Art and Culture and	-	Old NCERT:	■ TN BOARD	■ The	■ TOI,
[4137]	3, 2023 Medieval India:	Prehistoric period	Ancient India	HISTORY,	Hindu,	Livemint,
	Ancient History	 Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization 	Old NCERT:	Class XI	Indian	etc.
	Ancient History Prehistoric period	Vedic Age	Medieval India	NIOS Art &	Express	Magazines
	 Harappan / Indus Valley Civilization 	Mahajanapadas	Class XI NCERT –	Culture	Yojana,	like
	 Vedic Age 	Religious Reforms	Introduction to		Kurukshe	Economic
	Vedic AgeMahajanapadas	 Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age 	Fine Art (part 1)	AL Basham's	tra	& Political
	Religious Reforms	■ Sangam Age	Class XII New	"The Wonder	■ PIB:	Weekly,
	 Mauryan Age & Post Mauryan Age 	 Guptas Age & Post Guptas Age 	NCERT - Themes	That Was	www.pib.	Frontline,
	Sangam Age	 (Brief History, Salient Features, Social, 	in Indian History	India"(<u>nic.in</u>	India
		Economics, Religious and Cultural	Part -1 and Part	specific		Today, etc.
	Guptas Age & Post Guptas AgeArt & Culture	conditions of all the above)	2	chapters- like		
	 Architecture and Sculptures 	Art & Culture	A History of	"The Harappa		
	Religion and Philosophy	 Architecture: Indus Valley Civilization, 	Ancient and	Culture & The		
	■ Indian paintings	The Mauryan Architecture, The Sungas,	Early Medieval	Aryans;		
	Indian Music	Kushanas, Satavahanas & Guptas, The	India: From the	Religion:		
	■ Indian Dances	Temple Architecture, Indo-Islamic	Stone Age to the	Cults,		
	indian bances	Architecture, Modern Architecture	12 th Century -	Doctrines and		

Indian Theatres	■ Sculpture: Indian Sculpture and Upinder Singh Metaphysics;
■ Indian cinema	Different schools of Art CCRT website: The Arts:
■ Indian Language & Literature	■ Indian Paintings: Historical http://ccrtindia Architecture,
Arts & Crafts	development - Wall Paintings, Cave and gov.in/index.php Sculpture,
 Science and Technology in Ancient India 	Mural Paintings, Miniature Paintings, QRM Ancient & Painting,
■ Indo- Islamic Culture	Mughal Paintings, Rajput Paintings, Folk Medieval and Music and The
Medieval India	Paintings, Other Paintings, Modern Art & Culture Dance &
■ Early Medieval Period	Indian Paintings & Personalities Language and
■ North India	Religion and Philosophy Literature
■ South India	Religion: Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism,
Sultanate Period	Islam, Christianity, Zoroastrianism,
■ The Delhi Sultanate	Judaism Philosophy: Six Schools of
Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms	Philosophy, Ajivika, Lokayata etc.
Religious Movements	■ Indian Music: Classical Music,
■ Bhakti Movement	Hindustani Music, Carnatic Music, Folk
■ Sufi Movement	Music Tradition
Mughal Period	■ Indian Dance: Classical Dance forms in
Maratha Confederacy	India, Folk Dances, Modern Dance in India
+ Current Affairs (July 2023)	
	of Puppetry in India, Theatres in India:
	Folk Theatre, Modern Theatre, People
	Associated with Theatres, Indian Cinema
	and Circus
	Language & Literature: Indian
	Language, Indian Literature
	Fairs, Festivals and Craft: Religious
	Festivals, Secular Festivals (States &
	UT's), Art & Crafts
	Science & Technology, Ancient, Science
	& Technology, Medieval Science &
	Technology, Famous Personalities in
	Ancient and Medieval India
	Promotion and Preservation of Indian Havitage, Indian World Havitage Sites
	Heritage: Indian Word Heritage Sites,
	Cultural Heritage Sites, Natural Heritage
	Sites, Important Institutions Mediaval India
	Medieval India Farly Medieval Period: North India and
	Early Medieval Period: North India andSouth India
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Total 12 CERT	EMBER Modern India (I) (Mid 18 th Century-1904)	 Sultanate Period: The Delhi Sultanate, Vijayanagar & other Kingdoms, Religious Movements, Bhakti Movement, Sufi Movement Mughal Period (Brief History, Salient Features, Social, Economics, Religious and Cultural conditions of all the above) 		The Tol
	Modern India (I) (Mid 18 th Century-1904) 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 The Revolt of 1857 & change after 1857 Moderate Phase (1885 – 1905) Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions (18 th Century-1904) Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Session, Governor –General Viceroys, Policies, Tribal & Peasant Movements etc. + Current Affairs (August 2023)	India under East India Company's Rule Administration Struggle among European powers in India Regulating Acts and Charter Acts: Regulating Act of 1773, Pitt's India Act 1773 and Charter acts of 1784, 1793, 1813,1833, 1853 Indian Kingdoms in 18 th century: Marathas, Punjab, Mysore, Hyderabad etc. British Expansion policy: Doctrine of lapse, Subordinate alliance etc. Economic policies and their impact Education Policies Works of British Governor Generals Socio - Religious Reform Movements in the 19th century India: Brahmo Samaj, Arya Samaj, Theosophical Society, Ramakrishna Movement, Muslim reform movements, Parsi reform movements, Sikh Reform Movements etc. The Great Revolt of 1857 Changes in Indian Administration after 1858- GOI ACT 1858, Councils Act, 1861, 1892 Growth of Political Ideas and Political Organisations (up to 1885) Foundation of the Indian National Congress Moderate Phase (1885 – 1904)	 Old NCERT: Modern India by Bipin Chandra New NCERT: Themes in Indian History – Part III India's struggle for Independence – Bipin Chandra QRM Modern Indian History Modern India" – Spectrum Pub. From Plassey to Partition: Shekhar Bandyopadhy aya BL Grover Modern Indian History 	 The Hindu, Indian Express Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc

Test 14 [4139]	OCTOBER 1, 2023	Modern India (II) Freedom Struggle: Extremist Phase (1905 – 17)	Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions (18 th Century-1904) Tribal Movements Peasants Movement Working Class Movement Dalit Movements Women movements Role of Press and Publications Role of Business groups Foreign policies of British India Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor —General Viceroys etc. The rise of Extremism or Neo-Nationalism The first phase of Revolutionary	Old NCERT: Modern India by Bipin Chandra	• "A Brief History of Modern	■ The Hindu, Indian	■ TOI, Livemint, etc.
		 Emergence of Extremist & Leaders The Partition of Bengal Morley-Minto Reforms Swadeshi Movement, Home Rule Movement etc. Freedom Struggle: The Gandhian Era till partition (1917– 47) Gandhi – Advent and Achievement Rowlatt Act, Jallianawala Bagh Massacre and Khilafat Movement Non- Cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit India Movement British Response and Negotiations INA and Subhash Chandra Bose Events leading upto partition Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions (1905- 1947) Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Session, Governor –General Viceroys, Policies, Tribal & Peasant Movements etc. + Current Affairs (July - August 2023) 	 Terrorism Partition of Bengal and the Swadeshi Movement The Surat Split The Foundation of All-India Muslim League The Morley-Minto Reforms or the Indian Councils Act, 1909 The Delhi Durbar and the Annulment of Partition of Bengal (1911) The Lucknow Pact (1916) The Home Rule Movement Montague Declaration (1917) Montague-Chelmsford Reforms or the Government of India Act, 1919 The Beginning of the Gandhian Era The Khilafat Movement (1920-22) and Non Cooperation Movement The Swarajya Party The Left Movement The second phase of Revolutionary and Terrorist Movement 	 New NCERT: Themes in Indian History – Part III India's struggle for Independence – Bipin Chandra QRM Modern Indian History 	India" – Spectrum Pub. From Plassey to Partition: Shekhar Bandyopadhy aya BL Grover Modern Indian History	Express Vojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in	■ Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.

	Nehru Report, 1928	
	Fourteen Points of Jinnah	
	The Lahore Session, 1929	
	 The Civil Disobedience Movement (The 	
	first phase)	
	■ The Dandi March, March 12, 1930 —	
	March 5, 1931	
	Gandhi-Irwin Pact, 1931	
	 Second Round Table Conference, 1931 	
	 Second Phase of Civil Disobedience 	
	Movement	
	Third Round Table Conference, 1932	
	■ The Government of India Act, 1935	
	 Provincial Elections and Formation of 	
	popular Ministries in Provinces, 1937	
	 Other Political Developments, 1934-39 	
	The Struggle in the Princely States: The	
	Praja Mandal Movement -	
	Communalism: Different phases and	
	forms of communalism in British India	
	 The Second World War and the National 	
	Movement	
	■ The August Offer 1940	
	■ The Individual Satyagraha 1940-41	
	■ The Cripps Proposal, 1942	
	The Quit India Movement, 1942	
	■ Subhas Bose and Indian National Army	
	 Rajagopalachari Formula & Deasi Liaqat 	
	plan Wavell Plan and Simla Conference 1945	
	Waven Flam and Simila Conference 15 15	
	• General Elections in India, 1945	
	Naval Mutiny: 1946	
	 The Constituent Assembly 	
	Attlee's Declaration	
	■ The Indian Independence Act, 1947	
	Partition	
	Miscellaneous & Other Dimensions (1905-	
	1947)	
	 Tribal Movements 	

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Test 15 [4140]	OCTOBER 15, 2023	REVISION TEST 1: Indian	 Peasants Movement Working Class Movement Dalit Movements Women movements Role of Press and Publications Role of Business groups Foreign policies of British India Miscellaneous: Reforms / Acts / Committee, Congress Sessions, Governor –General Viceroys etc. Constitution & Political System + Working of the contraction of the contract	f Indian Constitution a	nd System of the go	overnment	
-			+				
			: Modern India (I) + Modern	n India (II)			
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Test 16 [4141]	OCTOBER 29, 2023	 Geography – I Physical Geography of the world Solar System & the Earth and basics of latitude and longitude Geomorphology Climatology Oceanography Soils Natural Hazards and Disasters Continents (Land, Climate, Resources etc.): Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia Physical Geography of India Introduction: Location, Area and Boundaries Structure and Relief: Physiographic Divisions Drainage System Weather, Climate and Seasons Soils Natural Vegetation, Plant and Animal Life + Current Affairs (September 2023) 	1 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	 11th NCERT: Fundamental of Physical Geography 11th NCERT: Geography - India Physical Environment Certificate physical and human geography - Goh Cheng Leong ICSE 9th and 10th Total Geography Orient Longman Atlas or Oxford Atlas Vision IAS value addition material Geography QRM Geography 	– reports, etc	■ The Hindu, Indian Express ■ Yojana, Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc

	External forces & their impact -		
	Weathering, Erosion & landforms thus		
	developed		
	 Climatology - Structure, Composition of 		
	atmosphere		
	Weather & Climate		
	Insolation, Heat Budget, Distribution of		
	temperature, Temperature Inversion		
	Pressure and Pressure belts		
	Winds - Planetary, Seasonal and Local;		
	Jet Streams		
	Precipitation- Forms & Types,		
	Distribution of rainfall		
	 Air Masses, Cyclones and anti-cyclones 		
	 World Climatic regions 		
	 Oceanography - Features, Ocean waves, 		
	currents, tides & Tsunamis,		
	Temperature & Salinity distribution,		
	marine resources		
	 Soils - Classification, distribution, 		
	erosion & Conservation Continents - Major physical features		
	 Continents - Major physical features and ladforms 		
	 Map based questions from world (rivers, 		
	lakes, city, oceans etc.)		
	Physical Geography of India		
	 Location: Latitude, Longitude 		
	 Northern Mountains, Plains of India, 		
	Peninsular Plateau and Islands of India.		
	Himalayan and Peninsular Drainage		
	System		
	 Spatial and temporal distribution of 		
	temperature, pressure, winds and		
	rainfall		
	Indian Monsoon: mechanism, onset and		
	variability; spatial and temporal		
	variations		
	Climatic Regions of India		
	Classification of Soils		

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Test 17 [4142]	NOVEMBER 10, 2023	Geography - II Economic and Human Geography - World Economic Geography of the world: primary, secondary, tertiary, quaternary and quinary activities Human Geography of world World Population, Distribution & Density, Races & Tribes, Settlement & Migration Economic and Human Geography - India Agriculture Land Resources Water Resources Mineral and Energy Resources Industries Transport and Communication Foreign Trade Population, Migration, Settlements + Current Affairs (October 2023)	 Water Resources- Availability and potential: Lakes, rivers, dams, power 	 12th NCERT: Geography - India People and Economy 12th NCERT: Fundamental of Human Geography Certificate Physical and Human Geography - Goh Cheng Leong ICSE 9th and 10th: Total Geography Old N Book Geog (Class) Webs Minis Envir Fores Clima Chan report Total Geography Orient Longman Atlas Vision IAS Value Addition Material 	Hindu, Indian Express To
		+ Current Allairs (October 2023)	■ Water Resources- Availability and	Addition	

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Test 18	NOVEMBER	Ecology & Environment (Basic Concepts &	 Rural and Urban Settlements- types and patterns Industries- types and their locational factors Transport and Communication-railways, highways, inland water transport, shipping and sea-ports, air transport Map Based Questions from India (Location of state, city, minerals, industries etc.) Environment and its components 	■ Our ■ Ecology: Unit	■ The ■ TOI,
[4143]	26, 2023	Biodiversity and its conservation) Basic Concepts & Components of the Environment Understanding of the Environment and Ecology Biodiversity, Flora and Fauna Initiative related to Biodiversity and its Conservation + Current Affairs (November 2023)	 Ecology and Functions of an ecosystem Terrestrial ecosystem Aquatic ecosystem Biodiversity Basic Concepts Plant and Animal Diversity Marine Organisms Threat to Biodiversity 	Environment – NCERT (VII) Ecology and Environment – ICSE books 9th to 12th Ecology & Environment Chapter (India Year Book) Class 11 th NCERT Chemistry: Ch 14: Environmental Chemistry Vision IAS Value Addition Material Environment QRM Environment QRM Environment X - Class 12 th Biology NCERT Ecology & Environment Chapter (India Year Book) Down to Earth magazine Website of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Ministry of Earth Sciences - reports, etc	Hindu: Business Line, Indian Express Magazine s like Yojana & Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in
Test 19 [4144]	10, 2023	Ecology and Environment (Environmental Acts, Policies, Conservation and Mitigation Strategies) Environmental Monitoring and Impact Assessment Environmental laws and policies Sustainable Development Natural Resource conservation	 Environmental laws and policies other than biodiversity related (Domestic and International) Institutional and Organizational mechanisms Environmental Acts and Policies, Conventions, Treaties and Alliances, etc. Environmental conventions Mitigation Strategies 	 Our Environment – NCERT (VII) Ecology and Environment – ICSE books 9th to 12th Environment website of Chapter (India UN, MOEFCC, 	 The Hindu: Livemint, etc. Line, Magazines like Express Magazine & Political Weekly, Yojana & Frontline,

		 Environmental Problems 	■ India & Climate Change	Year Book)	etc	Kurukshe	India
		 Energy Crisis and Non-Conventional 	Environmental Monitoring and Impact	Vision IAS Value	Disaster	tra	
							Today, etc.
		Source.	Assessment	Addition	Management	■ PIB:	
		+ Current Affairs (Oct.+Nov. 2023)	_	Material	Act, policies,	www.pib.	
			Pollutants	Environment	etc	<u>nic.in</u>	
			Air pollution	QRM	■ India & UN –	Websites	
			Water Pollution	Environment	Climate	of	
			Soil Pollution		Change	importan	
			Noise Pollution		Initiatives, etc	t	
			 Radioactive pollution 			internati	
			■ E-Waste			onal	
			Solid Waste			organizat	
			Environmental Concepts related to:			ions	
			Climate Change			involved	
			Acidification			in	
			Eutrophication			conservat	
			Ozone Depletion			ion	
			·			efforts.	
			Energy ResourcesNon-Renewable			enoits.	
			Renewable: Solar, Wind, Hydel,				
			Geothermal, Biomass, Others				
			Energy Conservation				
Test 20	DECEMBER		REVISION TEST 2: Geography (I)	+ Geography (II)			
[4145]	24, 2023		+				
		Ecology & Environ	ment (Basic Concepts) +Ecology and Environn	nent (Acts. Policies and	d Mitigations Strate	gies)	
		200.08)					SeptDec. 2023)
Test 21	JANUARY	India Economy (I)	National Income Accounting:	■ 11 th NCERT:	Indian	■ The	■ The
[4146]	7, 2024	National Income Accounting	■ Definition	Economics:	Economy Dutt	Hindu:	Economic
[4140]	7, 2024	Definition	• Concepts: GDP, GNP, Market Price and	Indian Economic	and	Business	Times,
		• Concepts: GDP, GNP etc.	Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer	Development	Sundaram	Line,	Business
		 Measurement of national income 	payments, National income at FC,	■ 12 th NCERT:	Websites of	Indian	Standard,
		Money and Banking		Economics:	regulatory		1
			Personal Income, disposable income,		,	Express Magazine	Livemint,
		 Function of Money, Evolution of Money 	factors affecting national income, net	Macroeconomic	bodies like	IVIAGAZITIC	Financial
		etc.	foreign facto income	S - 42th NCERT	RBI, SEBI, etc.	s like	Times,
		Banking: Need of Banks, Functions, Tunes Banking Reference Control Banks	Measurement of national income: value	■ 12 th NCERT	 Websites like 	Yojana &	■ Economic
		Types, Banking Reforms, Central Bank	added method, income method,	Economics:	Arthapedia,	Kurukshe	& Political
		and its role	expenditure method, Application of	Microeconomics	Ministry of	tra	Weekly
		Inflation and Employment	various methods, Base year, GDP deflator	Vision IAS Value	Finance etc.	■ PIB:	magazine
		Definition, types etc.	 Debates around GDP and other indices 	Addition		www.pib.	
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Government Budgeting and Fiscal Policy	Money and Banking	Material	<u>nic.in</u>
Budgeting, types, its evolution in India,	Money: Definition, Functions and	Economy	
Process, Component etc.	significance, Evolution of Money, Money	 QRM Economy 	
 Public finance, Revenue and Expenditure, 	supply in India and factors affecting it		
Deficits, Taxes, Debts etc.	Banking:		
Capital Market	 Need of banks, Function, Commercial 		
Terms and Concepts	Banks		
+ Current Affairs (December 2023)	 Central Bank: Importance, functions, 		
	Structure, Policy tools, Monetary		
	Policy (CRR, SLR, OMO, Repo and Rev		
	Repo, MSF etc.)		
	 Banking Reforms 		
	Inflation and Employment		
	 Inflation: Definition, Inflationary Gap 		
	and Inflationary Process, Inflation		
	Cycles: Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push		
	Inflation, Causes of Inflation, Inflation		
	Control measures		
	Unemployment: Types of		
	Unemployment: Structural, Seasonal,		
	Frictional, Cyclical, Nature of		
	Unemployment in India		
	Government budgeting and Fiscal Policy		
	 Budgeting: Evolution of Budgeting, 		
	Institutions and Laws, The Union		
	Budget: Components - Revenue		
	Account, Capital Account, Measures of		
	Government Deficit etc., Weaknesses in		
	the Budgetary Process		
	• Fiscal Policy: Public Finance - Role and		
	Importance, Public Expenditure -		
	Revenue and Capital, Development and		
	Non-Development, Public Revenue -		
	Sources of Revenue, Taxes:		
	Classification, Direct and Indirect,		
	Specific and Ad Valorem, Social and		
	Economic Objectives of Taxes,		
	Objectives of Taxation, GST, d.) Public		
	Debt, Deficit Financing		

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Test 22	JANUARY Indian Economy (II)	Capital Markets ■ Basic Terms and Concepts, Equity and debt Instruments, Primary market and Secondary markets etc. Agriculture	■ 11 th NCERT:	Websites like	■ The	■ Economic
[4147]	Agriculture Industry Services Infrastructure and Communication Five year Plans Economic Reforms since 1991 Foreign Trade India and IMF, WTO, WIPO India and International Institutions IPRs External Sector and Currency Exchange rates BoP, BoT, International trade, IMF, WTO, Trade policies, issues and challenges etc. + Current Affairs (January 2024)	 Recent trends in Agriculture Sector, Cropping System and Pattern; Agricultural Marketing and Reforms; Agricultural Research; Sustainable Agriculture; Animal Husbandry PDS Farm distress and government initiatives Industrial Sector Industrial Policies, Licensing MSME Labour Reforms Companies Act Make in India, Skill India 	Economics: Indian Economic Development www.arthapedia .in Official websites of WTO, IMF, WIPO Other websites: www.ipindia.nic. in www.copyright.g ov.in Vision IAS Value Addition Material Economy QRM Economy	Arthapedia, Ministry of Finance etc Websites of regulatory bodies like RBI, SEBI, etc.	Hindu: Business Line, Indian Express Magazine s like Yojana & Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in	Times, TOI, Livemint, etc Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc

			 Foreign Trade of India: Trade Policy, Product wise trade, Region wise trade, Subsidy boxes, WTO related issues and India Intellectual Property Rights External Sector and Currency Exchange rate Balance of Payments: Definition, Current and Capital Accounts, Convertibility, Items Included in BoP, BoP and BoT. International Trade and Bodies: IMF: Purpose and Objectives, Organization and Functions, Working and Evaluation, IMF and Underdeveloped Countries, SDR's, Reforms etc., World Bank, Bilateral and Regional Cooperation. 			
Test 23 [4148]	JANUARY 28, 2024	Basic Science and Technology Physics Standards and units Mechanics and properties of matter Heat Sound Optics Electricity and Magnetism Atomic and Nuclear physics Modern Physics Astronomy and Space Science Chemistry Matters and its nature Chemical Reactions and Equations Structure of the Atom Periodic classification of elements Chemical Bonding Carbon and its compound Acid, Bases and Salts Metals and Non-metals Thermodynamics Nanotechnology Agricultural Chemistry	Physics Standards and units Mechanics and properties of matter Heat Sound Optics Electricity and Magnetism Atomic and Nuclear physics Modern Physics Astronomy and Space Science Chemistry Matters and its nature Chemical Reactions and Equations Structure of the Atom Periodic classification of elements Chemical Bonding Carbon and its compound Acid, Bases and Salts Metals and Nonmetals Thermodynamics Nanotechnology Agricultural Chemistry Medicinal Chemistry	 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th NCERT: Science Class 12th Biology NCERT (Read Chapters according to syllabus) Websites like ISRO, DST, DRDO, DAE etc. Science Reporter Magazine 	 The Hindu: Science News, Indian Express Magazine s like Yojana & Kurukshe tra PIB: www.pib. nic.in 	 TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc

		Medicinal Chemistry	Food Chemistry
		Food Chemistry	Bio Chemistry
		■ Bio Chemistry	Polymers and Plastics
		Polymers and Plastics	Biology:
		Biology	■ Introduction
		Introduction	Cell Biology
		■ Cell Biology	Life processes - Nutrition, Respiration,
		Life processes	Muscle movement, skeletal system,
		Biocommunication	circulatory system, excretion.
		 Diseases and Defence Mechanism 	Biocommunication
		Nutrition	Genetics - The science of heredity
		 Origin and Evolution of life 	Diseases and Defence Mechanisms
		Genetics	Origin and Evolution of life
		Plant Biology	Plant Biology - Plant Growth and
		+ Applied Science and Modern Day	Development
		Technology /	+ Applied Science and Modern Day
		Latest Research	Technology / Latest Research
		+ Current Affairs (January 2024	
Test 24 [4149]	FEBRUARY 4, 2024	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABI	JS): Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs
Test 25 [4150]	FEBRUARY 11, 2024	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABI	JS): Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs
Test 26 [4151]	FEBRUARY 18, 2024	FULL LENGTH TEST (COMPLETE SYLLABI	JS): Indian Constitution, Political System and Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Ecology & Environment + General Science + Current Affairs
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Test 28 [4153]	MARCH 3, 2024		6): Indian Constitution, Political System and Development + Ecology & Environment + Ge		ry of India + Indian Economy & Social
Test 29 [4154]	MARCH 10, 2024	■ Economic Survey 2023-24 ■ Budget 2024-25 + Current Affairs	Primary (Essential) References Economic Survey 2023-24 Budget 2024-25	Primary (Essential) News Papers/Magazines/Websites The Hindu: Business Line, Indian Express Magazines like Yojana & Kurukshetra PIB: www.pib.nic.in	Secondary (Additional) News Papers/Magazines/Websites TOI, Livemint, etc. Magazines like Economic & Political Weekly, Frontline, India Today, etc.
Test 30 [4155]	MARCH 17, 2024		6): Indian Constitution, Political System and Development + Ecology & Environment + Ge		ry of India + Indian Economy & Social
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