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PART A

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Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

“Resource Egalitarianism” is most expressly identified with the views of:

- (i) John Rawls
- (ii) Ronald Dworkin
- (iii) Eric Rakowski
- (iv) Robert Nozick
- (v) Charles Taylor

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii)
- b. (i), (iii) and (iv)
- c. (iv) and (v)
- d. (i), (ii) and (iii)

Options :

12820642779. A

12820642780. B

12820642781. C

12820642782. D

Question Number : 2 Question Id : 12820610826 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the positions truly reflect India’s secularism?

- (i). Tolerance for each other’s religious beliefs.
- (ii). State’s control over religion.
- (iii). Freedom to preach religion in one’s private domain.
- (iv) The Indian state maintains ‘principled distance’ with all religions.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii)
- b. (i) and (iii)
- c. (ii) and (iv)
- d. (i) and (iv)

Options :

12820642783. A

12820642784. B
12820642785. C
12820642786. D

**Question Number : 3 Question Id : 12820610827 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

The decrease in dependency ratio (ratio of dependent population to working age population) of a country may lead to which of the following situation:

- (i) Increase in savings rate
- (ii) Decrease in savings rate
- (iii) Increase in Capital Formation
- (iv) Decrease in Capital Formation

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) & (iii) only
- b. (ii) & (iv) only
- c. (i) & (iv) only
- d. (ii) & (iii) only

Options :

12820642787. A
12820642788. B
12820642789. C
12820642790. D

**Question Number : 4 Question Id : 12820610828 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Article 39 specifically requires the State to direct its policy towards securing the principles of:

- (i) Equal right of men and women to adequate means of livelihood.
- (ii) Distribution of ownership and control of the material resources of the community to the common good.
- (iii) To ensure that the economic system should not result in concentration of wealth and means of production to the common detriment.
- (iv) Differential pay for equal work for men and women.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii)
- b. (i), (ii) and (iii)
- c. (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)
- d. None of the above

Options :

12820642791. A

12820642792. B

12820642793. C

12820642794. D

**Question Number : 5 Question Id : 12820610829 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Consider the following statements regarding Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana:

- (i). The government's move to implement the Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana came in an attempt to check the problem of rising cases of suicide by the farmers.
- (ii). Under the scheme the Central Government will provide a matching contribution while the farmers have to pay as per the uniform rate of only 2% of the premium fixed by the insurance company for Kharif crops; 1.5% for Rabi crops and 5% for Commercial/horticulture crops.
- (iii). Under the new scheme there is a provision that at least 25% of the total settled amount to be transferred directly into the farmer's bank account.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. Only (i)
- b. (i) and (ii)
- c. (ii) and (iii)
- d. All of the above

Options :

12820642795. A

12820642796. B

12820642797. C

12820642798. D

Question Number : 6 Question Id : 12820610830 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following pairing of books and authors are true?

- (i) Paulo Freire- Democracy and Education
- (ii) John Dewy - Pedagogy of Freedom
- (iii) Franz Fanon- The Wretched of the Earth
- (iv) Eric Fromm- Escape from Freedom

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii) only
- b. (ii) and (iii) only
- c. (iii) and (iv) only
- d. none of the above

Options :

- 12820642799. A
- 12820642800. B
- 12820642801. C
- 12820642802. D

**Question Number : 7 Question Id : 12820610831 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Consider the following statements regarding Gross Domestic Product (GDP):

- (i) It is the value added by all the firms in the economy
- (ii) It is the final value of goods and services produced in the economy
- (iii) It is the sum of final consumption and investment expenditure and net of exports and imports
- (iv) It is the income received by all the factors of production

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) & (ii) only
- b. (i), (ii) & (iii) only
- c. (i), (ii) & (iv) only
- d. All of the above

Options :

12820642803. A

12820642804. B

12820642805. C

12820642806. D

**Question Number : 8 Question Id : 12820610832 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

The book *Rise and Fall of Economic Nationalism* is about:

- (i) The rise of British Industrialisation
- (ii) Deindustrialisation in India
- (iii) The demise of the crafts industry
- (iv) None of the above

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. Only (iv) is correct
- b. (ii) and (iii) are correct
- c. (i), (ii) and (iii) are correct
- d. Only (ii) is correct

Options :

- 12820642807. A
- 12820642808. B
- 12820642809. C
- 12820642810. D

Question Number : 9 Question Id : 12820610833 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Suppose that in 2009 a country has a population of 1 million and real output of Rs 1 billion. In 2010, the population is 1.1 million and the real output is Rs 1.2 billion. The real GDP per person growth rate is

Choose the correct answer from below:

- a. Rs 1000
- b. positive
- c. negative
- d. zero

Options :

- 12820642811. A
- 12820642812. B
- 12820642813. C
- 12820642814. D

Question Id : 12820610834 Question Type : COMPREHENSION Sub Question Shuffling Allowed : Yes Group Comprehension Questions : No

Question Numbers : (10 to 14)

Question Label : Comprehension

The inauguration of democracy in India was a result of a covenant: the elite, the middle class and the intelligentsia, highly accomplished and rather well off on the one side; and the ordinary people with all their problems and disabling conditions on the other hand. The two disparate worlds – modern and liberal against the unexposed and unequipped – entered into a new kind of deal. The elite made a promise about the future. Nehru's 'tryst with destiny' made on the eve of independence where he said 'now the time comes when we shall redeem our pledge' is a personification of that promise held out to the people. The elite were now in the seat of power. Till a while ago they had been one with the people in the anti colonial struggles.

Whatever the social origins of the elites – mostly well off middle classes from the upper castes (the dwija castes), with a sprinkling of the lower castes – they were all bound in a shared world with the ordinary people. This was a world born out of struggles. Outside this shared world there were two divergent voices – the Marxist left led by the Communist Party fighting for the revolution, and the Hindu rightwing which opted for the restoration of the old social order embodying the glory that was the 'Indian' past. The Communist party was at the head of a mass upsurge in the time of independence, the like of which the country never again experienced and the Hindu rightwing, as an organised force, was then a miniscule presence.

The covenant was not just an 'act of faith' as it is often made out to be. It had a history behind it inescapable for all; the elite were as much involved in it as were the masses. Two aspects of this history are worth mentioning. Of lesser salience for the argument to be presented here is the history of constitutional developments, which over a long period of time created a political establishment adept at handling modern constitutional institutions. The other is that India saw one of the longest fought freedom struggles in the world. Its limits were those imposed by the bourgeois outlook and the dominant leadership. Nevertheless, one significant feature of the national movement was the constant pressure exerted by the radical urge among the people within it. The anti-feudal struggles of the peasantry formed the most important component of the radical impulse.

{Source: Javeed Alam, *Who Wants Democracy*, pp. 1-2}

Sub questions

Question Number : 10 Question Id : 12820610835 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical
Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

By the covenant the author refers to

- a. A deal between a bourgeois outlook of elites and aspirations of the masses.
- b. An uncritical belief in the concept of the nation.
- c. The uncritical faith of the people in the power of the middle classes.
- d. The constitution of India.

Options :

12820642815. A

12820642816. B

12820642817. C

12820642818. D

Question Number : 11 Question Id : 12820610836 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

The covenant exposed the limits of

- a. The radicalisation of mass upsurge.
- b. The power of a liberal democratic vision
- c. The hegemonic influence of the elites and middle classes.
- d. None of the above

Options :

12820642819. A

12820642820. B

12820642821. C

12820642822. D

Question Number : 12 Question Id : 12820610837 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

The difference between the radical upsurge and Hindu rightwing politics is:

- a. Their adherence to dominant congress nationalism.
- b. The Hindu right wing's support to social conservatives
- c. The radical movement's opposition to the dominant nationalist leadership.
- d. The feudal leadership of the radical movements.

Options :

12820642823. A

12820642824. B

12820642825. C

12820642826. D

Question Number : 13 Question Id : 12820610838 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

By the 'radical urge' the passage refers to:

- a. The movements of peasants, workers and lower castes.
- b. The urge to oppose and change the new social order.
- c. The urge to build a nation that does not merely adhere to constitutionalism.
- d. All of the above.

Options :

12820642827. A

12820642828. B

12820642829. C

12820642830. D

**Question Number : 14 Question Id : 12820610839 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

By the 'social origins of the elites' the passage refers to

- a. People with high social status.
- b. Bourgeois class position of political elites
- c. The traditional elite who have come to political power.
- d. None of the above.

Options :

12820642831. A

12820642832. B

12820642833. C

12820642834. D

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**Question Number : 15 Question Id : 12820610840 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Affirmative Action in India has brought about which of these following changes-

- (i) Delinked caste from occupation
- (ii) Consolidated caste and occupation link
- (iii) Offered legal equality and reserved places in public sector employment and educational institutions and government representative bodies

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii)
- b. (ii) and (iii)
- c. (i), (ii) and (iii)
- d. (i) and (iii)

Options :

12820642835. A

12820642836. B

12820642837. C

12820642838. D

**Question Number : 16 Question Id : 12820610841 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following is true regarding the effect, expected future income has on saving?

- (i) As expected future income increases, saving increases
- (ii) Young people typically save very little
- (iii) Middle aged people, earning higher incomes, are not very big savers

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (iii)
- b. (ii) only
- c. (iii) only
- d. (ii) and (iii)

Options :

- 12820642839. A
- 12820642840. B
- 12820642841. C
- 12820642842. D

**Question Number : 17 Question Id : 12820610842 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following statements regarding the countries of origin of the international migrants are not true?

- (i) China was the largest country of origin of international migrants in 2017
- (ii) India was the largest country of origin of international migrants in 2017
- (iii) Mexico was the second largest country of origin of international migrants in 2017
- (iv) Russian Federation was the third largest country of origin of international migrants in 2017.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. only (i)
- b. only (ii)
- c. (i) and (iv)
- d. (ii),(iii) and (iv)

Options :

- 12820642843. A
- 12820642844. B
- 12820642845. C

Question Number : 18 Question Id : 12820610843 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Match the quotes/statements in List I with the names associated with it in List II and select the correct answer using the code given below:

List I

- (i) *Anxiety for the future time disposeth men to inquire into the causes of things: because the knowledge of them maketh men the better able to order the present to their best advantage*
- (ii) *Nature has placed mankind under the governance of two sovereign masters, pain and pleasure[...]
They govern us in all we do, in all we say, in all we think*
- (iii) *The greatest part of things really useful to the life of man, are generally things of short duration, such as, if they are not consumed by use, will decay and perish of themselves.*
- (iv) *Peoples once accustomed to masters are not in a condition to do without them. If they attempt to shake off the yoke, they still more estrange themselves from freedom, as, by mistaking for it an unbridled license to which it is diametrically opposed, they nearly always manage, by their revolutions, to hand themselves over to seducers, who only make their chains heavier than before.*

List II

- (a) Jeremy Bentham
- (b) Karl Marx
- (c) J J Rousseau
- (d) John Locke
- (e) Thomas Hobbes

Code:

- a. (i)-(e); (ii)-(a); (iii)-(d); (iv)-(c)
- b. (i)-(e); (ii)-(b); (iii)-(e); (iv)-(b)
- c. (i)-(e); (ii)-(c); (iii)-(e); (iv)-(b)
- d. None of the above

Options :

12820642847. A
12820642848. B
12820642849. C
12820642850. D

Question Number : 19 Question Id : 12820610844 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Suppose Country A had net taxes of Rs30 million and government expenditures of Rs35 million. In addition, household saving in Country A totalled Rs5 million while consumption was Rs80 million. The government of Country A is running a budget _____ and net national saving is _____ million.

- a. surplus; Rs5
- b. deficit; – Rs5
- c. deficit; Rs5
- d. surplus; Rs25

Options :

- 12820642851. A
- 12820642852. B
- 12820642853. C
- 12820642854. D

Question Number : 20 Question Id : 12820610845 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

The universality of the nuclear family is accounted for by the following-

- (i). It helps us perform social functions such as reproduction and maintenance of children, occupational allocation and socialization.
- (ii). It helps us fulfill psychological needs such as security, affection and sexual needs.
- (iii). It endangers economic cooperation based upon division of labour between the sexes.
- (iv). It disintegrates the joint family according power to the sexes to navigate their own world.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (iv) are correct
- b. (ii) and (iv) are correct
- c. (iii) and (iv) are correct
- d. (i), (ii) and (iii) are correct

Options :

- 12820642855. A
- 12820642856. B
- 12820642857. C

Question Number : 21 Question Id : 12820610846 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

The function of political theory is to:

- i) help empirical political studies to perform the role of describing and explaining how decisions are taken in a society and how some individuals, groups or classes are excluded
- ii) explain the exercise of power in societies and the mechanisms by which power is exercised by some over others
- iii) explain how power should be wielded, by whom and why, in the light of which values and ideas of the good life
- iv) help political parties rule the nation.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii)
- b. (i) and (iii)
- c. (i), (ii) and (iii)
- d. none of the above

Options :

12820642859. A

12820642860. B

12820642861. C

12820642862. D

Question Number : 22 Question Id : 12820610847 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following statements are true?

- (i) The Permanent Settlement in 1793 vested the land ownership right in the zamindars, who previously enjoyed only revenue collecting rights.
- (ii) In the Permanent Settlement in 1793, the peasants were left at the mercy of the zamindars
- (iii) In the Permanent Settlement in 1793, the private property in land was a misnomer, as the absolute ownership was retained by the imperial authority.
- (iv) Between 1794 and 1807 land yielding about 41 per cent of the revenue in Bengal was sold out in auction.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i), (ii), and (iii)
- b. (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)
- c. (i) and (ii)
- d. (i), (iii), and (iv)

Options :

- 12820642863. A
- 12820642864. B
- 12820642865. C
- 12820642866. D

Question Number : 23 Question Id : 12820610848 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Consider the following statements regarding the NITI Aayog:

- (i). The National Institution for Transforming India, also called NITI Aayog, was formed via a resolution of the Union Cabinet on January 1, 2015.
- (ii). NITI Aayog is the premier policy 'Think Tank' of the Government of India, providing both directional and policy inputs.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. Only (i)
- b. Only (ii)
- c. Both (i) and (ii)
- d. Neither (i) nor (ii)

Options :

- 12820642867. A
- 12820642868. B
- 12820642869. C
- 12820642870. D

Question Number : 24 Question Id : 12820610849 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which are the main causes of alienation:

- (i). Primitive accumulation
- (ii). Sale of labour power
- (iii). Conquest of culture
- (iv). Appropriation of the body

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i) , (ii) and (iii) are correct
- b. (i) and (iv) correct
- c. (iii) and (iv) are correct
- d. (i), (ii) and (iv) are correct

Options :

12820642871. A

12820642872. B

12820642873. C

12820642874. D

Question Number : 25 Question Id : 12820610850 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Suppose that you took out a Rs1000 loan in January and had to pay Rs75 in annual interest. During the year, inflation was 6 percent. Which of the following statements is correct?

- a. The nominal interest rate is 7.5 percent and the real interest rate is 1.5 percent
- b. The nominal interest rate is 7.5 percent and the real interest rate is 13.5 percent
- c. The real interest rate is 7.5 percent and the nominal interest rate is 1.5 percent
- d. The real interest rate is 6 percent and the nominal interest rate is 7.5 percent.

Options :

12820642875. A

12820642876. B

12820642877. C

12820642878. D

Question Number : 26 Question Id : 12820610851 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following movements provided a critique of the Indian State?

- (i) The Naxalite Movement in Bengal
- (ii) The Chhatra Yuva Sangharsha Vahini in Bihar
- (iii) The Dalit Panther Movement in Maharashtra
- (iv) The non-Brahman Movement in Tamil Nadu

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii)
- b. (i), (ii), and (iii)
- c. (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)
- d. none of the above

Options :

- 12820642879. A
- 12820642880. B
- 12820642881. C
- 12820642882. D

Question Number : 27 Question Id : 12820610852 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following statements are true?

- (i) ILO was born out of the Paris Peace Conference in 1919.
- (ii) British did not allow India to become a founder member of the ILO in 1919.
- (iii) In 1928, the ILO opened a branch office in Delhi, the first in Asia.
- (iv) The first ILO Asian conference was held in New Delhi in 1947.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv)
- b. (i), (ii), and (iii)
- c. (i), (iii) and (iv)
- d. (i), (ii), and (iv)

Options :

- 12820642883. A
- 12820642884. B
- 12820642885. C
- 12820642886. D

Question Number : 28 Question Id : 12820610853 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which one of these states showed the one of the fastest pace of agricultural growth between 1970 and 1995:

- i) Madhya Pradesh
- ii) Chhattisgarh
- iii) Odisha
- iv) West Bengal

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. Only (i)
- b. Only (iii)
- c. Only (iv)
- d. Only (ii)

Options :

12820642887. A

12820642888. B

12820642889. C

12820642890. D

Question Number : 29 Question Id : 12820610854 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following statements are not true?

- (i) In Kesavanand Bharati Case, the Supreme Court emerged victorious in asserting its institutional role vis-à-vis Parliament in constitutional matters and strengthening its power of judicial review through the basic structure doctrine.
- (ii) Paper was introduced into India by the Muhammadans, who had learnt its use from the Chinese.
- (iii) B R Rau, a member of the Indian Civil Service, was the first Indian Governor of the Reserve Bank of India.
- (iv) Urjit Patel is the first RBI Governor to resign before completing his term.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (iii)
- b. only (ii)
- c. (iii) and (iv)
- d. none of the above

Options :

12820642891. A
12820642892. B
12820642893. C
12820642894. D

Question Number : 30 Question Id : 12820610855 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 2 Wrong Marks : 0

Match the books listed in List I with their authors listed in List II and select the correct answer using the code given below:

List I

- (i) Gender, Justice and the Family
(ii) A Geographical Introduction to History
(iii) Social Structure of Values
(iv) Man's Worldly Goods

List II

- (a) Lucien Febvre
(b) Radha Kamal Mukherjee
(c) Leo Huberman
(d) Susan Moller Okin

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i)-(b); (ii)-(a), (iii)-(c); (iv)-(d)
b. (i)-(d); (ii)-(a), (iii)-(b); (iv)-(c)
c. (i)-(a); (ii)-(b), (iii)-(d); (iv)-(c)
d. None of the above

Options :

12820642895. A
12820642896. B
12820642897. C
12820642898. D

PART B

Section Id :	128206310
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Number of Questions to be attempted:	40
Section Marks:	40
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Group All Questions:	No

Sub-Section Number:	1
Sub-Section Id:	128206499
Question Shuffling Allowed :	Yes

Question Number : 31 Question Id : 12820610856 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Consider the following statements about the Human Development Indices of countries A and B and state which one of the options is correct.

- (i) HDI of country A is 2 and HDI of country B is 1: This means that A is more developed than B
- (ii) HDI of country A is 0.75 and HDI of country B is 0.25: This means that A is thrice as developed as B.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i) is true and (ii) is false
- b. (i) is false and (ii) is true
- c. Both (i) and (ii) are true
- d. Both (i) and (ii) are false

Options :

- 12820642899. A
- 12820642900. B
- 12820642901. C
- 12820642902. D

Question Number : 32 Question Id : 12820610857 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following agencies conducts 'inflation expectation survey' of households in India?

- a. Central Statistical Organization
- b. National Sample Survey Organization
- c. Reserve Bank of India
- d. Ministry of Finance

Options :

- 12820642903. A
- 12820642904. B
- 12820642905. C
- 12820642906. D

Question Number : 33 Question Id : 12820610858 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The concept of 'Governmentality' was used by Michel Foucault to describe:

- a. A mentality of domination
- b. A statist mentality which controls every sphere of life of an individual
- c. A mentality of subordination
- d. A mentality that internalises the power dynamics of the political system

Options :

12820642907. A

12820642908. B

12820642909. C

12820642910. D

**Question Number : 34 Question Id : 12820610859 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of these scholars does not write on digital labour:

- a. Mike Wayne
- b. Trebor Scholtz
- c. Christian Fuchs
- d. Ursula Huws

Options :

12820642911. A

12820642912. B

12820642913. C

12820642914. D

**Question Number : 35 Question Id : 12820610860 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following Central level taxes being subsumed into GST?

- a. Octroi and Entry tax
- b. Service Tax
- c. Purchase Tax,
- d. All of the above

Options :

12820642915. A

12820642916. B

12820642917. C

12820642918. D

**Question Number : 36 Question Id : 12820610861 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The book *A Geographical Introduction to History* was first written by

- a. Lucien Febvre in 1925
- b. Marc Bloch in 1920
- c. Ferdinand Braudel in 1925
- d. Henry Lefevre in 1920

Options :

- 12820642919. A
- 12820642920. B
- 12820642921. C
- 12820642922. D

Question Number : 37 Question Id : 12820610862 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Within neoclassical growth theory, technological change _____ saving and _____ investment.

- a. increases; increases
- b. increases; decreases
- c. decreases; increases
- d. decreases; decreases

Options :

- 12820642923. A
- 12820642924. B
- 12820642925. C
- 12820642926. D

Question Number : 38 Question Id : 12820610863 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Bentham's idea of 'representative democracy' envisaged an economy

- a. With a regulated market
- b. With a protected market
- c. With a free market
- d. With state regulation

Options :

- 12820642927. A
- 12820642928. B
- 12820642929. C
- 12820642930. D

Question Number : 39 Question Id : 12820610864 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The conjecture that inequality first increases with development, then decreases with further development (known as the “inverted U hypothesis”) has been

- a. strongly supported by most studies
- b. supported mainly by cross-section, not time-series studies
- c. supported mainly by time-series, not cross-section studies
- d. generally repudiated by empirical studies

Options :

- 12820642931. A
- 12820642932. B
- 12820642933. C
- 12820642934. D

Question Number : 40 Question Id : 12820610865 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The treatise *Social Structure of Values* (1968) is written by

- a. Deendayal Upadhyay
- b. Radhakamal Mukherjee
- c. G.S. Ghurye
- d. A.R. Desai

Options :

- 12820642935. A
- 12820642936. B
- 12820642937. C
- 12820642938. D

Question Number : 41 Question Id : 12820610866 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

An assumption of the neoclassical theory of growth is that

- a. people receive only subsistence real GDP per person
- b. all technological advances are the result of chance
- c. the marginal product of all types of capital increases as more capital is accumulated
- d. knowledge has diminishing returns.

Options :

- 12820642939. A
- 12820642940. B
- 12820642941. C
- 12820642942. D

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following constitutes investment in the economy:

- (i) Production of consumption goods
- (ii) Production of capital goods
- (iii) Production of services
- (iv) Buying and selling of shares

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i) & (ii) only
- b. (ii) only
- c. (ii) & (iv) only
- d. All of the above

Options :

12820642943. A

12820642944. B

12820642945. C

12820642946. D

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

According the World Economic Forum's Gender Gap Report (2017) which of these countries ranks higher than the United Kingdom in the Global Index on gender indicators:

- a. Mozambique
- b. Bolivia
- c. Argentina
- d. Rwanda

Options :

12820642947. A

12820642948. B

12820642949. C

12820642950. D

Question Number : 44 Question Id : 12820610869 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The concept of ‘embeddedness’ of the economic system was popularised in political economy by

- a. Karl Marx
- b. Karl Polanyi
- c. John Galbraith
- d. Antonio Gramsci

Options :

12820642951. A

12820642952. B

12820642953. C

12820642954. D

Question Number : 45 Question Id : 12820610870 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Most Latin American countries achieved independence

- a. shortly after World War II
- b. in the 1960s
- c. around the time of World War I
- d. in the early nineteenth century

Options :

12820642955. A

12820642956. B

12820642957. C

12820642958. D

Question Number : 46 Question Id : 12820610871 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The difference between total expenditure and total receipts except loans and other liabilities is called

- a. Fiscal deficit
- b. Budget deficit
- c. Primary deficit
- d. Revenue deficit

Options :

12820642959. A

12820642960. B

12820642961. C

12820642962. D

Question Number : 47 Question Id : 12820610872 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which state of India does not provide reservations in jobs to local people:

- a. Gujarat
- b. Rajasthan
- c. Maharashtra
- d. Karnataka

Options :

12820642963. A

12820642964. B

12820642965. C

12820642966. D

Question Number : 48 Question Id : 12820610873 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of these books is written by Leo Huberman

- a. *Peoples History of the United States*
- b. *Man's Worldly Goods*
- c. *Open Veins of Latin America*
- d. *People's History of the Arab People*

Options :

12820642967. A

12820642968. B

12820642969. C

12820642970. D

Question Number : 49 Question Id : 12820610874 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

In the Harrod-Domar equation $g = s/v$, v is defined as

- a. the value of the country's capital stock
- b. the ratio of the country's capital stock to its output
- c. the change in the country's capital stock
- d. none of the above

Options :

12820642971. A

12820642972. B

12820642973. C

12820642974. D

Question Number : 50 Question Id : 12820610875 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

The demand for the Tebhaga Peasant Movement in Bengal was for

- a. the reduction of the share of the landlords from one-half of the crop to one-third
- b. the grant of ownership of land to peasants as they were the actual cultivators of the land
- c. the uprooting of Zamindari System and the end of serfdom
- d. writing off all peasant debts

Options :

12820642975. A

12820642976. B

12820642977. C

12820642978. D

Question Number : 51 Question Id : 12820610876 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Anthony Giddens examined the work of Max Weber, Emile Durkheim and Karl Marx in which of his following works?

- a. The Class Structure of the Advanced Societies
- b. Capitalism and Modern Social Theory
- c. The Consequences of Modernity
- d. The Web of Modernity

Options :

12820642979. A

12820642980. B

12820642981. C

12820642982. D

Question Number : 52 Question Id : 12820610877 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

_____ got the highest priority during the first plan period in India:

- a. Self reliance
- b. Growth with social justice
- c. Development of Agriculture including irrigation
- d. Removal of unemployment

Options :

12820642983. A

12820642984. B

12820642985. C

12820642986. D

Question Number : 53 Question Id : 12820610878 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Name one of the following whose sociology focuses on agency and motives of individuals-

- a. Durkheim
- b. Karl Marx
- c. Max Weber
- d. Althusser

Options :

- 12820642987. A
- 12820642988. B
- 12820642989. C
- 12820642990. D

Question Number : 54 Question Id : 12820610879 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

According to the classical growth theory of Thomas Malthus

- a. labour productivity increases continuously
- b. the population growth rate is fixed
- c. technological advances lead to permanent increases in real GDP per person
- d. increases in real GDP per person are only temporary

Options :

- 12820642991. A
- 12820642992. B
- 12820642993. C
- 12820642994. D

Question Number : 55 Question Id : 12820610880 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Annihilation of Caste by Dr. B. R. Ambedkar is about

- a. Critical analysis of Hinduism
- b. Propagation of Buddhism
- c. Propagation of Reservation policy
- d. The caste and class dynamics

Options :

- 12820642995. A
- 12820642996. B
- 12820642997. C
- 12820642998. D

Question Number : 56 Question Id : 12820610881 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

New growth theory proposes that real GDP per person grows because of _____ and that growth _____

- a. the pursuit of profit; can persist indefinitely
- b. productivity shocks; can persist indefinitely
- c. technological change; can only increase above the subsistence level temporarily
- d. productivity shocks; occurs randomly

Options :

12820642999. A

12820643000. B

12820643001. C

12820643002. D

Question Number : 57 Question Id : 12820610882 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

V. D. Savarkar described himself in the letter he had written to the colonial government seeking clemency for its forgiveness as

- a. Prodigal son of India
- b. Revolutionary of India
- c. Martyr of India
- d. Hindu leader of India

Options :

12820643003. A

12820643004. B

12820643005. C

12820643006. D

Question Number : 58 Question Id : 12820610883 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Full employment corresponds to _____

- a. equilibrium in the labour market, with actual output being equal to potential output
- b. labour demand being greater than labour supply and actual output being equal to potential output
- c. being at the point where the marginal product of labour equals zero
- d. equilibrium in the labour market, and actual output exceeding potential output

Options :

- 12820643007. A
- 12820643008. B
- 12820643009. C
- 12820643010. D

Question Number : 59 Question Id : 12820610884 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Who is the author of the book *The Bombay Textile Strike, 1982-83*?

- a. H van Wersch
- b. Darryl D' Monte
- c. A. R. Desai
- d. Morris. D. Morris

Options :

- 12820643011. A
- 12820643012. B
- 12820643013. C
- 12820643014. D

Question Number : 60 Question Id : 12820610885 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Suppose a nation's population grows by 2 percent and, at the same time, its GDP grows by 5 percent. How fast will real GDP per person increase?

- a. 3 percent per year
- b. 2 percent per year
- c. 5 percent per year
- d. 10 percent per year

Options :

- 12820643015. A
- 12820643016. B
- 12820643017. C
- 12820643018. D

Question Number : 61 Question Id : 12820610886 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following themes are discussed in the book, 'Small is Beautiful'?

- (i). Sustainable development can be achieved by treating natural resources as capital
- (ii). Dignified and democratic system of industrial administration
- (iii). Excessive use of natural resources by capitalism
- (iv). Deindustrialization, small things matter, for they occupy less space

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

Code:

- a. (i) and (ii)
- b. (ii) and (iii)
- c. (iii) and (iv)
- d. (i), (ii) and (iii)

Options :

- 12820643019. A
- 12820643020. B
- 12820643021. C
- 12820643022. D

**Question Number : 62 Question Id : 12820610887 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

In 2008, Country A had a real GDP of approximately Rs 4.21 billion and a population of 2.98 million. In 2009, real GDP was Rs 4.59 billion and population was 2.97 million. From 2008 to 2009, Country A's standard of living _____.

- a. increased
- b. decreased
- c. did not change
- d. might have increased, decreased, or remained unchanged but more information is needed to determine which.

Options :

- 12820643023. A
- 12820643024. B
- 12820643025. C
- 12820643026. D

Question Number : 63 Question Id : 12820610888 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Who argued that suicide was a social fact which could not be explained by human psychology?

- a. Emile Durkheim
- b. Sigmund Freud
- c. Lacan
- d. Carl Jung

Options :

12820643027. A

12820643028. B

12820643029. C

12820643030. D

Question Number : 64 Question Id : 12820610889 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

When the automobile replaced horse-drawn carriages as the principal means of transportation, firms producing horse-drawn carriages went bankrupt and permanently laid off all their workers, thereby increasing

- a. frictional unemployment
- b. structural unemployment
- c. frictional and cyclical unemployment
- d. cyclical unemployment

Options :

12820643031. A

12820643032. B

12820643033. C

12820643034. D

Question Number : 65 Question Id : 12820610890 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which anthropologist, given below, believed in “the fundamental sameness of human beings everywhere”?

- a. Radcliff Brown
- b. Nicholas Dirks
- c. Malinowski
- d. M. N. Srinivas

Options :

- 12820643035. A
- 12820643036. B
- 12820643037. C
- 12820643038. D

Question Number : 66 Question Id : 12820610891 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

If the price level rises by 3 percent and workers' money wage rates increase by 2 percent, then the

- a. quantity of labour demanded will decrease
- b. quantity of labour demanded will increase
- c. quantity of labour demanded does not change because there is no change in the real wage rate
- d. real wage rate increases.

Options :

- 12820643039. A
- 12820643040. B
- 12820643041. C
- 12820643042. D

Question Number : 67 Question Id : 12820610892 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which Indian sociologist observed, while analysing Dumont's Homo Hierarchicus that “*India is not made of whole cloth, it is a thing of shreds and patches*”?

- a. T. K. Oommen
- b. T. N. Madan
- c. Andre Beteille
- d. G. S Ghurye

Options :

- 12820643043. A

12820643044. B
12820643045. C
12820643046. D

**Question Number : 68 Question Id : 12820610893 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which of the following was included as part of the land reforms initiated in India?

- a. Abolition of intermediaries
- b. Tenancy reforms
- c. Reorganization of agriculture
- d. All the above

Options :

12820643047. A
12820643048. B
12820643049. C
12820643050. D

**Question Number : 69 Question Id : 12820610894 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Which one of the following anthropologists characterized the West as based on equality and India as based on inequality?

- a. Louise Dumont
- b. Milton Singer
- c. Jan Breman
- d. Max Weber

Options :

12820643051. A
12820643052. B
12820643053. C
12820643054. D

**Question Number : 70 Question Id : 12820610895 Question Type : MCQ Option Shuffling : No Display Question Number : Yes
Single Line Question Option : No Option Orientation : Vertical**

Correct Marks : 1 Wrong Marks : 0

Consider the following statements regarding the Goods and Service Tax in India:

- (i). The Goods and Services Tax (GST) is a proposal of tax in India which will emerge after merging many of the state and central level indirect taxes.
- (ii). It will be a tax collected on the VAT method—having all the benefits of a VAT kind of tax.
- (iii). It will be imposed all over the country with the uniformity of rate and will replace multiple Central and state taxes (a single VAT it will be known).

Which of the following statement(s) is/are correct?

- a. Only (i)
- b. (i) and (ii)
- c. (ii) and (iii)
- d. All of the above

Options :

12820643055. A

12820643056. B

12820643057. C

12820643058. D