

MT 154

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**-MT 154 -SOCIAL SCIENCE (73)
GEOGRAPHY & ECONOMICS - PRELIM I - PAPER I (E)**

Time : 2 Hours

(Pages 3)

Max. Marks : 40

- Note :*
- (i) All figures are compulsory.
 - (ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
 - (iii) Draw neat diagrams and sketches wherever necessary
 - (iv) Use the supplied outline map of India and graph paper.
 - (v) To draw map of India use of Stencil is allowed.

Q.1. (A) Complete and write the following statements by choosing 3 appropriate alternative from the given in the brackets :

- (i) The forest soils are in colour.
(a) dark yellow (b) dark brown (c) dark red (d) pink
- (ii) Major part of Malwa plateau falls in the state of
(a) Maharashtra (b) Goa
(c) Madhya Pradesh (d) Himachal Pradesh
- (iii) The holiest of Sikh Shrine Golden Temple is in the city of
(a) Patiala (b) Chandigarh (c) Amritsar (d) Bhatinda

Q.1. (B) Match the Columns :

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Group 'A'

- (i) Karakoram
- (ii) Kuttanad
- (iii) Satpuda range

Group 'B'

- a) Burhanpur Gap
- b) Eastern most point of India
- c) Heavy glaciated
- d) Lowest point below sea level

Q.2. (A) Give geographical reasons : (Any 2)

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- (i) Laterite soils are found in the regions receiving heavy rainfall.
- (ii) The Western Coast has less plain lands.
- (iii) Rajasthan Desert is the most densely populated desert in the world.
- (iv) Industrial development has taken place in the Central Plain.

Q.2. (B) Write short notes : (Any 2)

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- (i) Physiographic aspects of the Punjab - Haryana Plain.
- (ii) Tourism in the Deccan Plateau
- (iii) India's Land Frontier

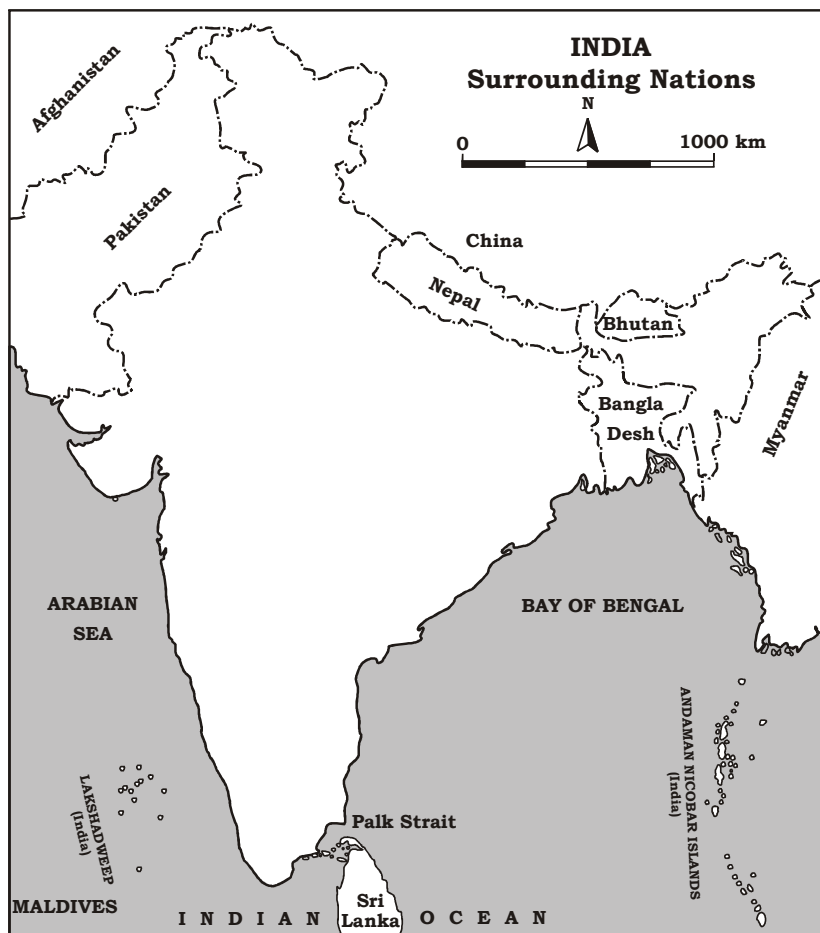
Q.3. (A) Draw a divided circle with the following information :

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Crops	Production	Degrees
Bajra	120	45
Rice	262	98
Jawar	135	51
Wheat	250	94
Pulses	193	72

Q.3. (B) Observe the given map and answer the following questions : (Any 2)

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- (i) Which countries in the northwest have a common land boundary with India?
- (ii) Which country has the longest common land boundary with India?
- (iii) Which country is separated from India by the Palk Strait?
- (iv) Which countries in the east share maritime boundaries with India?

Q.3. (C) Mark the following on the outline map of India : (Any 2) 2

- (i) Satpuda range
- (ii) K2 peak
- (iii) Assam Valley
- (iv) Ten degree channel

Q.4. Answer the following in detail : (Any 2) 8

- (i) Compare the geographical features of the Lakshadweep islands and Andaman-Nicobar islands.
- (ii) What are the characteristics of agriculture in the Central Highlands?
- (iii) Why has the wool industry developed in Rajasthan?

Q.5. Fill in the blanks with appropriate alternative : 2

- (i) Inflation is a economic concept in recent times.
(a) regional (b) global (c) national
- (ii) Other measures are measures taken by government to control inflation.
(a) direct (b) monetary (c) fiscal

Q.6. Answer in 1 or 2 sentences each : (Any 3) 6

- (i) What is meant by an economy?
- (ii) How does deficit financing result in an increase in demand for goods and services?
- (iii) What is meant by Public borrowings ?
- (iv) What is meant by food adulteration?
- (v) What are the main objectives of Public Distribution System?

Q.7. Answer in 5 or 6 sentences each : (Any 1) 4

- (i) Explain the rights of the consumers provided by Consumer Protection Act.
- (ii) Explain the effects of inflation on distribution.

Best Of Luck 