IMPORTANT INFORMATION

In accordance with the State Services Recruitment Rules, the Public Service Commission, West Bengal will hold the West Bengal Civil Service (Exe) etc. Examination, 2019 on the results of which recruitment to the West Bengal Civil Service (Exe.) and certain other services and posts will be made. The rules of the examination and other particulars are stated in the following paragraphs. A candidate should verify from the notified rules that he/she is eligible for admission to the examination. The conditions prescribed cannot be relaxed.

The W.B.C.S. (Exe.) etc. Examination consists of two parts – (1) Written Examination and (2) Personality Test. Written Examination will be held in two successive stages, viz., (i) Preliminary Examination (Objective Type) and (ii) Main Examination (Both Objective and Conventional Type). A number of candidates to be selected on the results of the Preliminary Examination will be allowed admission to the Main Examination and a number of candidates to be selected on the results of the Main Examination will be called to appear at the Personality Test.

The Preliminary Examination will be held at various centres in Kolkata and in certain other districts in West Bengal tentatively on the 20th January, 2019. Only scheduled tribe candidates of Darjeeling district and other candidates of the three hill sub-divisions, namely Darjeeling Sadar, Mirik and Kurseong will be allowed to appear at Darjeeling centre. Similarly all candidates from the Kalimpong district will be allowed to appear at KALIMPONG centre. The Main Examination will be held in Kolkata in the later part of the same year. The Personality Test will be held thereafter in the office of the Public Service Commission, West Bengal, in Kolkata.

The W.B.C.S. (Exe.) etc. Examination is to be treated as a combined Competitive Examination comprising four separate and distinct examinations for four groups of services and posts as detailed below.

GROUPING OF SERVICES: The services and posts to which recruitment is made on the results of the W.B.C.S. (Exe.) etc. Examination are divided into groups: A, B, C and D with a graduated syllabus. A candidate may compete for one or more groups but is required to submit one application only indicating choice of group(s).

Scale of pay attached to different posts of Group A, B, C & D –

GROUP – A

(i) West Bengal Civil Service (Executive):
(PB-4A) Rs.15,600/- to 42,000/- + G.P. Rs. 5,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.21,000/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(ii) Assistant Commissioner of Revenue in the integrated West Bengal Revenue Service:
(PB-4A) Rs.15,600/- to 42,000/- + G.P. Rs. 5,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.21,000/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(iii) West Bengal Co-operative Service:
(PB-4A) Rs.15,600/- to 42,000/- + G.P. Rs. 5,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.21,000/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(iv) West Bengal Labour Service:
(PB-4A) Rs.15,600/- to 42,000/- + G.P. Rs. 5,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.21,000/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(v) West Bengal Food and Supplies Service:
(PB-4A) Rs.15,600/- to 42,000/- + G.P. Rs. 5,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.21,000/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(vi) West Bengal Employment Service [Except the post of Employment Officer (Technical)]:
(PB-4A) Rs.15,600/- to 42,000/- + G.P. Rs. 5,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.21,000/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.
GROUP – B

West Bengal Police Service:
(PB-4A) Rs.15,600/- to 42,000/- + G.P. Rs. 5,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.21,000/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

GROUP – C

(i) Superintendent, District Correctional Home / Deputy Superintendent, Central Correctional Home:
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,800/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.15,960/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(ii) Joint Block Development Officer:
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,700/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.14,930/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(iii) Deputy Assistant Director of Consumer Affairs and Fair Business Practices:
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,700/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.14,930/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(iv) West Bengal Junior Social Welfare Service:
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,700/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.14,930/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(v) West Bengal Subordinate Land Revenue Service, Grade-I:
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,700/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.14,930/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(vi) Assistant Commercial Tax Officer:
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,700/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.14,930/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(vii) Joint Registrar (West Bengal State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission under the Consumer Affairs Department, Government of West Bengal):
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,700/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.14,930/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(viii) Assistant Canal Revenue Officer (Irrigation):
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.13,400/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(ix) Chief Controller of Correctional Services:
(PB-4) Rs.9,000/- to 40,500/- + G.P. Rs. 4,400/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.13,400/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

GROUP – D

(i) Inspector of Co-operative Societies:
(PB-3) Rs.7,100/- to 37,600/- + G.P. Rs. 3,900/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.12,270/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(ii) Panchayat Development Officer under the Panchayat and Rural Development Department:
(PB-3) Rs.7,100/- to 37,600/- + G.P. Rs. 3,900/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.12,270/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

(iii) Rehabilitation Officer under the Refugee Relief and Rehabilitation Department:
(PB-3) Rs.7,100/- to 37,600/- + G.P. Rs. 3,900/-
Gross emoluments at the entry level: Rs.12,270/- besides D.A., M.A. and H.R.A. admissible as per rules.

VACANCIES: The number of vacancies in different services and posts to be filled up on the results of the examination will be announced in due time. Certain vacancies may be reserved for candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes of West Bengal declared as such by the Govt. of West Bengal. Some vacancies may also be reserved for Persons with Disabilities (40% and above) provided that they are otherwise suitable and possess the capacity to perform the duties attached to the post. The benefits of reservation of vacancies for S.C./S.T./B.C. (Non-Creamy Layer) candidates are admissible to S.C./S.T./B.C. (Non-Creamy Layer) candidates of West Bengal only. The S.C./S.T./B.C. candidates of other States shall be treated as general candidates. Posts of some groups may not be filled up on the basis of the results of the examination if vacancies for the same are not reported within the stipulated time for filling up such vacancies.
QUALIFICATIONS: A candidate must have the following qualifications which should be clearly stated in the application. The qualifications prescribed in the advertisement are as per the notified recruitment rules issued by Govt. Candidates must fulfill the essential qualifications by the closing date.

(i) A degree of a recognized University.

(ii) Ability to read, write and speak in Bengali (not required for those candidates whose mother tongue is Nepali) – vide Finance Department’s Notification No.1243-F(P) dated 02.03.2016.

(iii) Age: Not below 21 years but not more than 36 years on the 1st January of the year of examination for services and posts included in Group ‘A’ & ‘C’ (i.e. born not earlier than the 2nd January, 1983 and not later than the 1st January, 1998). For the West Bengal Police Service only (i.e. Group ‘B’ Service) age not below 20 years but not more than 36 years on the 1st January of the year of examination (i.e. born not earlier than the 2nd January, 1983 and not later than the 1st January, 1999) for services and posts included in group ‘D’ the age should not be below 21 years and not more than 39 years on the 1st day of January of the year of the examination (i.e. born not earlier than the 2nd January, 1980 and not later than the 1st January, 1998) Those candidates whose date of birth lies between the 1st January, 1998 & the 1st January, 1999 [i.e. whose age is between 20 & 21 years as on 01.01.2019] may apply for Group B only.

Concession in age: The upper age limit is relaxable for S.C., S.T. & B.C. (Non-Creamy Layer) candidates of West Bengal, by 5 years for S.C. & S.T. candidates and by 3 years for B.C. (Non-Creamy Layer) candidates. In the case of Persons with Disabilities (PWD), the upper age limit is relaxable up to 45 years. S.C./S.T./B.C. candidates of other States shall be treated as general candidates.

Note: Age as recorded only in the Madhyamik or equivalent certificate will be accepted. The age limits apply to all candidates whether in Government Service or not.

(iv) The candidate must be
   (a) A citizen of India (either natural or by registration), or
   (b) Such other nationals as declared eligible by the Govt. of India.

Provided that a candidate belonging to category (b) shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the Government.

A candidate in whose case a certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to the examination but the offer of appointment may be given only after the necessary eligibility certificate has been issued to him by the Government.

(v) The candidate must have good health and character and suitability in all respects for appointment to Government service.

N.B.: CANDIDATES SUFFERING FROM BLINDNESS OR LOW VISION OR LDCP CANDIDATES WITH WRITING EXTREMITY MAY BE ALLOWED THE HELP OF SCRIBE, IF REQUIRED. THE COMMISSION, HOWEVER, WILL NOT PROVIDE SCRIBE FOR THE CANDIDATES. SCRIBE WILL HAVE TO BE ARRANGED BY CANDIDATES THEMSELVES. THE SCRIBE SHOULD POSSESS EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION NOT HIGHER THAN THE REQUISITE QUALIFICATION FOR THE EXAMINATION.


CHOICE OF GROUPS OF SERVICES AND ALLOTMENT: (i) As already stated, a candidate may apply for one or more of the four groups of services, viz., A, B, C, and D. The candidate is required to state clearly in the appropriate column of the application the particular Group or Groups for which he/she intends to compete. No further application for change of group(s) will be entertained.

(ii) A number of candidates selected in order of merit on the results of the Main Examination for all the services and posts included in Groups A, B, C and D will have to appear at a Personality Test. No separate Personality Test will be held for different groups viz. Group-'A', Group-'B', Group-'C' and Group-'D' in respect of a candidate.

(iii) Candidates called to Personality Tests on the results of their Main Examination will be required to specify the order of their preference for the posts or services included in the Group or Groups for which they have applied. Choice of preference thus exercised will be deemed to be final and no alteration thereafter will be allowed.

(iv) Allotment of candidates will be made in order of merit and according to the number of vacancies. Due consideration will be given, as far as practicable, to the preferences indicated by a candidate, if any, but the Commission reserves the right to allot the candidate to any service or post for which he/she is a candidate on consideration of his/her fitness and the number of vacancies available.

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Note:

(i) All appointments will be made on temporary basis in the first instance.

(ii) Candidates are particularly advised to note that unless they indicate preference for a post or service they shall not be recommended for such post or service even if they may be otherwise eligible for the same on the results of the examination. Belated request for being considered for appointment to such post or service is liable to rejection.

(iii) Candidates suffering from blindness or low vision, candidates with locomotor disability/cerebral palsy will be allowed compensatory time of 20 minutes per hour.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR:

(a) West Bengal Police Service (Group ‘B’ Service)- The minimum height requirement is 1.65 metres for male candidates and 1.50 metres for female candidates subject to relaxation in the case of candidates belonging to races such as Gorkhas, Garwalis, Assamese Tribals etc. Candidates intending to be considered for this Group must indicate their height in appropriate column of the application form.

(b) Assistant Canal Revenue Officer – They will have to work in remote areas and their jurisdiction will cover a large number of villages. They will also be required to attend Tahsil and Zilla Offices for which they may have only cycles as the means of transport and to face and tackle general public.

(c) West Bengal Junior Social Welfare Service – For service in the Homes for the Blind and/or Deaf and Dumb, a degree or Diploma or certificate in the training of Blind and/or Deaf and Dumb shall be an essential qualification. Any person not possessing the above qualification may be appointed in these Homes on condition that he/she will have to receive in service training for teaching of the Blind and/or Deaf and Dumb. Male candidates will be unsuitable for the posts meant for institutions for females, and female candidates unsuitable for the posts meant for institutions for males.

(d) West Bengal Subordinate Land Revenue Service, Grade I – No person shall be appointed to the service unless he has good working knowledge of the Bengali Language, written and spoken (candidates whose mother tongue is Nepali shall be exempted from this requirement, but will be required to pass, within a period of two years a departmental examination in Bengali).

Selected candidates for West Bengal Subordinate Land Revenue Service, Grade-I shall be appointed provisionally and shall undergo a period of six months’ in-service training during which they will draw the initial of the scale of pay and allowances as admissible.

The training shall include subjects such as cadastral survey, preparation of records-of-rights, Revenue Laws, elementary instructions in all other laws relevant for the service.

Incumbents who do not apply themselves to the in-service training with due diligence or fail to pass the end of Training Examination shall be liable to be discharged without notice. The period of training may also be extended in special circumstances.

FEE: Rs.210/- (Rupees two hundred ten) only + Service Charge 1% of Examination Fee subject to a minimum of Rs.5/- (Rupees Five) only for online payment through debit/credit card plus service charge /GST as applicable as Govt. Duty or Service Charge of Rs.5/- (Rupees Five) only for Net Banking or Service Charge of Rs.20/- (Rupees Twenty) only for payment through Bank Counter (off-line payment).

SC/ST candidates of West Bengal and Persons with disabilities (PWD) having physical disability of 40% and above are not required to pay any fee. BC candidates of West Bengal are, however, required to pay usual fee as aforesaid. NO EXEMPTION OF FEE IS AVAILABLE TO SC/ST/BC CANDIDATES OF OTHER STATES. No claim for refund of the fee will be entertained nor will it be held in reserve for any other examination.

APPLICATION: Applications can be submitted through online only through www.pscwbapplication.in. SUBMISSION OF MORE THAN ONE APPLICATION BY THE SAME CANDIDATE IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN AND SUCH APPLICATIONS ARE LIABLE TO CANCELLATION.

PARTICULARS AND CERTIFICATES REQUIRED:

A candidate claiming to be S.C., S.T., B.C. (Non-Creamy Layer) or Persons with Disabilities (40% and above) must have a certificate in support of his/her claim from a competent authority of West Bengal issued on or before the closing date of submission of application (i.e. 26.11.2018) as specified below:
(a) **For S.C., S.T. & B.C. Candidates** :-

i) In the district, the Sub-Divisional Officer of the Sub-Division concerned, and

ii) In Kolkata, the District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas or such Additional District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas, as may be authorized by the District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas, in this behalf and the District Welfare Officer, Kolkata and Ex-officio Joint Director, Backward Classes Welfare.


(b) **For Persons with Disabilities (PWD)** :-

A Medical Board constituted at Government Medical College Hospitals in Kolkata, District Hospitals and Sub-divisional Hospitals.

*vide West Bengal Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Rules, 1999*

The Public Service Commission may require such further proof or particulars from the candidates as it may consider necessary and may make enquiries about their character and other particulars regarding suitability and eligibility.

**CAUTION :**

i. The candidates must abide by the instructions as may be given by Supervisors / Invigilators of the Examination. If the candidate fails to do so or indulges in disorderly or improper conduct, he / she will render himself / herself liable to expulsion from the Examination Hall and / or such other punishment as the Commission may deem fit to impose.

ii. A candidate who has been reported against by the Supervisor of the Examination Centre for violating any of the instructions will be punished with cancellation of candidature and also debarment from future examinations and selections as may be decided by the Commission according to the circumstances of the case.

iii. If at any stage even after issue of the letter of appointment, a candidate is found ineligible in terms of advertisement his / her candidature will be cancelled without further reference to him / her.

iv. The conditions prescribed cannot be relaxed in any case other than those mentioned in this Important Information.

v. A candidate should note that his / her admission to the examination will be deemed provisional subject to determination of his / her eligibility in all respects. If at any stage after issue of the admit card a candidate is found ineligible for admission for this examination, his / her candidature will be cancelled without further reference to him / her. No candidate shall be allowed to take the examination unless he / she holds a valid admit card.

vi. **THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, WEST BENGAL, SHALL HAVE DISCRETION TO FIX QUALIFYING MARKS IN ANY PAPER/ALL PAPERS/SUBJECTS AND IN THE AGGREGATE.**

vii. Candidates are not allowed to carry mobile phones or any other gadget of communication inside the examination halls. This instruction must be strictly enforced.

viii. **There will be arrangements for frisking of the candidates at entry points of venues – separately for male and female candidates so that candidates with mobile phones or any other gadget of communication may not enter the venue.**

ix. **CANDIDATES ALLOTTED IN A PARTICULAR VENUE WILL IN NO CASE BE ADMITTED TO A VENUE OTHER THAN THAT INDICATED IN THE ADMIT CARD ISSUED BY THE COMMISSION.**

x. **Deduction of Marks:**

   a) A deduction of 10% of full marks may be made from the total marks secured by a candidate in a particular paper if he/she discloses his/ her identity by writing his/ her name, Roll No. or by putting any identifying marks in the answer script of that paper.

   b) There shall be negative marking for each wrong answer to multiple choice questions (MCQ Type).

xii. Answer in all the papers, compulsory and optional, except the language paper may be written either in English or in Bengali ( unless otherwise directed in these rules or in the question papers).

**NOTE :** Candidate shall write their answers to all the questions in only one and the same language in any particular paper.

**MEDICAL EXAMINATION :** Candidates who will be selected for appointment will be required to appear before a Medical Board for certificates of their fitness for Government service in the form prescribed for the purpose.

**CANVASSING :** Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his / her application through persons, officials of Government, or agencies will disqualify him / her for appointment. Spontaneous recommendations from persons interested in the candidates, or otherwise known to them, will be disregarded and will render the candidates ineligible.
RESULTS OF THE EXAMINATION: The names of the candidates called to Personality Test and those recommended for appointment will be published provisionally subject to determination of eligibility of the candidates in all respects and verification of original certificates etc. If at any stage of such verification any candidate is found ineligible, his / her candidature / allotment will be cancelled.

Commencement of submission of online application: The 6th November, 2018 from 11:30 a.m.
Closing date for submission of online application: The 26th November, 2018 (upto 12-00 midnight)
Closing date for submission of fees through online: The 26th November, 2018 (upto 12-00 midnight)
Closing date for submission of fees through offline: The 27th November, 2018.*

* However, the Challan must be generated by the 26th November, 2018 positively.

For further details and assistance the candidates may contact the following numbers on any working day from 10-00 a.m. to 6-00 p.m.

(033) 2262-4181 [Related to Offline Payment]
(033) 4003-5104 [Related to Online Payment]

For Technical Support
9836219994
9836289994 → Help Desk
9073953820

Email-id: pscwbhlp@gmail.com
1. **Scheme of the Preliminary Examination**: The Preliminary Examination will consist of only one paper, viz., a paper on “General Studies”. The paper will be of an objective type consisting of 200 multiple-choice questions. The paper will carry 200 marks and will be of 2½ hours duration. The standard of the paper will be of the level of knowledge as expected of a graduate of any faculty of a recognized University. The paper will include questions covering the following fields of knowledge:

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An outline of the syllabi is given in Appendix – I

The Preliminary Examination is meant to serve as a Screening Test only for the purpose of selection of candidates for the Main Examination. The marks obtained in this examination by the candidates will not be considered for final selection. Only those candidates who will be declared qualified at the Preliminary Examination in a year shall be eligible for admission to the W.B.C.S. (Exe.) etc. (Main) Examination of that year.

2. **Scheme of the Main Examination**: The Main Examination shall consist of six Compulsory papers and one optional subject consisting of two papers (Only for candidates applying for group A and/or B) to be chosen by the candidates from the list of optional subjects given below. There will be two papers of the optional subject of 200 marks each. Each paper, Compulsory or Optional, will carry 200 marks and will be of 3 hours duration.

Out of six compulsory papers four papers i.e. (i) General Studies- I, (ii) General Studies- II, (iii) The Constitution of India and Indian Economy including role and functions of Reserve Bank of India and (iv) Arithmetic and Test of Reasoning will be of MCQ Type to be answered in OMR answer sheets and remaining two compulsory papers i.e. Paper - I and Paper - II will be of conventional type written examination.

**Compulsory Papers : Six compulsory papers are as follows:-**

- **Paper I**: Bengali/Hindi/Urdu/Nepali/Santali - Letter writing (within 150 words) / Drafting of Report (within 200 words), Précis Writing, Composition and Translation from English to Bengali/Hindi/Urdu/Nepali/Santali
- **Paper II**: English - Letter writing (within 150 words) / Drafting of Report (within 200 words), Précis Writing, Composition and Translation from Bengali/Hindi/Urdu/Nepali/Santali to English
- **Paper III**: General Studies-I : (i) Indian History with special emphasis on National Movement and (ii) Geography of India with special reference to West Bengal.
- **Paper IV**: General Studies-II : Science and Scientific & Technological advancement, Environment, General Knowledge and Current Affairs.
- **Paper V**: The Constitution of India and Indian Economy including role and functions of the Reserve Bank of India.
- **Paper VI**: Arithmetic and Test of Reasoning.

3. **List of Optional Subjects**: (Vide restriction on choice in Item No.-4 below and syllabi in Appendix-I)

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4. The standard of Arithmetic part of Compulsory Paper – VI(Arithmetic & Test of Reasoning) will be similar to that of the Compulsory Mathematics paper at the Madhyamik Examination of the Board of Secondary Education, West Bengal. Test of Reasoning will cover Analytical Reasoning: Data Sufficiency, Logical Reasoning: (i) Logical Deduction (ii) Forcefulness of the Arguments (iii) Implication of sentences (iv) Inferring from diagrams, Series: (i) Letter series, (ii) Number series, Inferring from Data, Analogy tests, Symbol Interpretation, Mathematical puzzles, Odd man out, Perception test, Non-verbal reasoning & Selecting the correct sequence.

The standard of other compulsory papers will be of the level of learning expected from a graduate of any faculty of a recognized University.

The two papers of the optional subjects will be of conventional type and the standard of the examination will be approximately that of an Honours Degree Examination as prescribed by the recognized Indian Universities except Law, Medical Science and Engineering subjects which will be that specified for the LLB, MBBS and BE or equivalent courses respectively recognized by Indian Universities / Institutions.

The Topic 'Environment' in paper General Studies II will include the following:-
Bio diversity and Coastal Regulation Zone, Global Warming, Industrial and Environmental Pollution, Ozone Layer and related issues.

The Topic 'Indian Economy including role and functions of the Reserve Bank of India' of the compulsory paper - V will consist of the following:-
Central State relation and devolution of central funds to state, Planning process and objectives of five years plan, Functions of RBI and Monetary policy, Central Finance Commission & State Finance Commission and Fiscal Policy of Government of India.

5. Answers in all the papers, Compulsory and Optional, except the language papers may be written either in English or in Bengali (unless otherwise directed in these rules or in the question papers). Answers in the following optional papers may also be written in Nepali:

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Note : Candidates shall write their answers to all the questions in only one and the same language in any particular paper.

Candidates may use the Devanagari or Bengali Script in the answer papers on Sanskrit, the Devanagari Script in the answer papers on Hindi or Nepali, and the Bengali, Arabic, Persian, Urdu in the answer papers on Bengali, Arabic, Persian and Urdu respectively. Questions for Santali Paper will be set in Olchiki script and answers should also be written in Olchiki.

6. A summary of the group-wise papers in the Main Examination:

Group 'A' & 'B' Services & Posts: All 6 compulsory papers and one optional subject consisting of two papers.
7. **Personality Test**: A number of candidates selected in order of merit on the results of the Main Examination for all the services and posts included in Groups A, B, C and D shall have to appear at a Personality Test. Each candidate will be asked questions on matters of general interest. The object of the test will be to assess the candidate’s personal qualities e.g., alertness of mind, power of clear and logical exposition, intellectual and moral integrity, leadership and also the candidate’s range of interests.

Candidates for Group 'B' Service (West Bengal Police Service) will be specially tested at the interviews with regard to their suitability for the service.

**Marks for the Personality Test**

(i) Group 'A' & 'B' 200 Marks
(ii) Group 'C' 150 Marks
(iii) Group 'D' 100 Marks

**Note**: No separate Personality Test will be held for different groups viz. Group-'A', Group-'B', Group-'C' and Group-'D' in respect of a candidate. Marks will be awarded according to different services against allotted full marks for Personality Test.

In all the answer papers under examination due credit will be given for proper economy of words combined with clarity, precision and effectiveness of expression and originality of approach.

8. **Deduction of marks**: A deduction of 10% of full marks may be made from the total marks secured by a candidate in a particular paper if he / she discloses his / her identity by writing his / her name, roll number or by putting any identifying marks in the answer script of that paper.

There shall be negative marking for each wrong answer to multiple-choice questions (MCQ) type.

9. **Discretion of the Commission**: The Commission has discretion to fix qualifying marks in any or all the papers / subjects and in the aggregate.

If a candidate fails to secure qualifying marks in any paper / subject, the marks in that paper / subject will not be considered in calculating his / her aggregate.

### Abstract Table of Papers / Subjects and Marks

#### Main Examination and Personality Test

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APPENDIX – I

**SYLLABI FOR PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION**

Questions on English Composition will cover Synonyms, Antonyms, Idioms and Phrases, Vocabulary test, Phrasal Verbs, the
same words bearing more than one meaning, use of appropriate and qualifying words etc. Questions on General Science will cover general appreciation and understanding of science, including matters of everyday observation and experience as may be expected of a well-educated person who has not made a special study of any scientific discipline. In History, emphasis will be on broad general understanding of the subject in its social, economic and political aspects. Questions on the Geography of India will relate to Physical, Social and Economic Geography of the country, including the main features of Indian Agricultural and Natural Resources with special reference to West Bengal. Questions of Indian Polity and Economy will test the knowledge of the country’s Political System, Panchayatee Raj, Community Development and Planning in India, Questions on the Indian National Movement will relate to the nature and character of the Nineteenth Century Resurgence, Growth of Nationalism and Attainment of Independence. General Mental Ability will relate to Logical perception, understanding and natural conclusion.

SYLLABI FOR OPTIONAL PAPERS OF MAIN EXAMINATION

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| Paper – I : | 1) Topics from the History of Bangla Language.  
   a) The chronological track from Proto Indo-European to Bangla (Family tree with branches and approximate dates).  
   b) Historical stages of Bangla (Old, Middle, New) and their linguistic features.  
   c) Dialects of Bangla and their distinguishing characteristics.  
   d) Elements of Bangla Vocabulary.  
   e) Forms of Bangla Literary Prose-Sadhu and Chalit.  

2) Process of Phonetic Changes in Bangla Language.  
   Apinihiti (Anaptyxis), Abhishruti (Umlaut), Samibhavan (Assimilation), Svarabhakti / Viprakarsha, Svarasangati (Vowel harmony).

3) Problems of standardization and reform of alphabet and spelling and those of transliteration and Romanization. |
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| Section-B | 4) History of Bangla Literature.  
   a) Periodization of Bangla Literature: Old Bangla and Middle Bangla.  
   b) Roots and reasons behind the emergence of modernity in Bangla Literature.  
   c) Evolution of various Middle Bangla forms: Mangal kavyas, Vaishnava lyrics, Adapted narratives (Ramayana, Mahabharata, Bhagavata) and religious biographies.  
   d) Narrative and lyric trends in the nineteenth century Bangla poetry.  
   e) Development of prose.  
   f) Bangla dramatic literature (nineteenth century, Tagore, Post-1944 Bangla drama). |
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| Paper – II : | 5) Tagore and Post Tagoreans (upto the decade of fifties).  
   6) Fiction, major authors:  
   Bankimchandra, Tagore, Saratchandra, Bibhutibhusan, Tarasankar, Manik.  
   7) Women and Bangla Literature:  
| Section - A | 1) Vaishnava Padavali (Calcutta University Publication).  
Phases (Parjayas): Gourchandrika, Purvaraga, Abhisar, Mathur, Prarthona.

2) Chandimangal: Kalketu episode by Mukunda (Sahitya Akademi).  
3) Meghnadadh Kavya by Michael Madhusudan Dutta - 1st, 2nd and 3rd cantos.  
4) Rajani by Bankimchandra Chattopadhayay.  
5) Kapalkundala by Bankimchandra Chattopadhayay.  
6) Samya and Bangadesher Krishak by Bankimchandra Chattopadhayay.  
7) Punascha by Rabindranath Tagore.  
8) Bichitra Prabandha by Rabindranath Tagore. |

Section-B

10) Chandragupta by Dwijendralal Roy.

11) Grihadaha by Saratchandra Chattopadhyay.

12) Adhunik Bangla Kabita

Selected Poems:
   i) Saswati by Sudhindranath Dutta
   ii) Rabindranath by Achintya Kumar Sengupta
   iii) Aami Kabi Jata Kamarer by Premendra Mitra
   iv) Bandir Bandana by Buddhadeb Basu
   v) Amar Koifiat by Kazi Nazrul Islam

13) Prabandha Samgraha by Pramatha Choudhuri:

Selected Essays: Bharatchandra, Birbal, Boilpara

14) Pather Panchali by Bibhutibhusan Bandyopadhyay

   b) Selected Stories:
      i) Payomukham by Jagadish Gupta
      ii) Haraner Natjamai by Manik Bandyopadhyay
      iii) Fossil by Subodh Ghosh
      iv) Tope by Narayan Gangopadhyay
      v) Adab by Samaresh Bose
      vi) Aswamedher Ghora by Dipendranath Bandyopadhyay

16) Shrestha Kawita by Jibananda Das.

17) Jagori by Satinath Bhaduri.

18) Ebam Indrajit by Badal Sircar.

HINDI:

Paper – I:

SECTION-A

1. Hindi Linguistic and Grammatical References
   i. Definition of Language
   ii. Difference between learning and parole
   iii. Elements of Communication of Language
   iv. Different aspects of Language
   v. Units of language - Phonemes, Morphemes, Syntax, Discourse, Sementics.

2. History of Hindi language and Nagari Lipi
   i. History of Development of Hindi language (Short study)
   ii. Development of Khari Boli Hindi as literary language and Lingua Franka
      (Special context to Indian Freedom struggle and post Independent India)
   iii. Area of Hindi Language
   iv. Prominent Hindi dialects and inter relationship between the dialects
   v. Grammatical structure of standard Hindi
   vi. Scientific features of Nagari lipi
   vii. Development of Hindi as a global language in the modern context

SECTION-B

History of Hindi Literature:

1. Tradition of writing History of Hindi Literature

2. Literary trends of following four periods of Hindi Literature:
   a) Adikala
   b) Madhya Kala :
      i) Purva Madhyakala (Bhakti kala) (ii) Uttar Madhyakala (Riti Kala)
   c) Adhunik Kala

   A. ADIKALA- Prominent Poets and their works:
      i) Sarhapa and Goraknath
      ii) Chand Vardai and Narapati Nalha
      iii) Svambhu
      iv) Abdur Rahman and Amir Khusro
B. PURVA MADHYAKALA (Bhakti kala) - Prominent Poets and their works:
   i. Sant Kavyadhara - Kabir and Sahjo Bai
   ii. Sufi Kavyadhara - Jayasi
   iii. Krish Kavyadhara - Surdas and Meerabai
   iv. Ram Kavyadhara - Tulsidas

C. UTTARMADHYAKALA (Ritikala) – Prominent Poets and their works:
   i. Ritibadh - Keshavdas
   ii. Ritisiddha - Bihari
   iii. Ritimukta - Ghananda

D. ADHUNIK KALA
   1. Trends of Navajagran (Renaissance)
   2. Development of Hindi Prose and contribution of Bhartendu Mondal
   3. Contribution of Mahavir Prasad Divedi towards the development of Hindi Prose
   4. Prominent trend of Modern Hindi Poetry - Chahayavad, Pragtivad, Prayogvad, Nai Kavita, Samakalin Kavita and Ghazal, Sanavadi Kavita
   5. Prominent Poets - Maithili Sharan Gupta, Prasad, Nirala, Mahadevi, Dinkar, Agyeya, Muktibodh, Nagarjun, Dushyant Kumar.

KATH SAHITYA
   i) Development of Hindi Novels and short stories
   ii) Prominent writers - Premchand, Jainendra, Prasad, Renu, Bhishma Sahani, Yaspal, Chitra Mudgal, Mohan Rakesh and Krishna Sobti

DRAMA AND THEATRE
   1. Development of Hindi Drama and Stage
   2. Prominent Dramatists-Bhartendu, Prasad, Mohan Rakesh, Lakshmi Narayan Lal
   3. The development of Hindi Theatre

CRITICISM
   1. Development of Hindi Criticism
   2. Prominent Critics - Ramchandra Shukla, Hazari Prasad Divedi, Ram Vilas Sharma

Paper – II :
(Textual studies of the prescribed text. This paper will test the critical and analytical aptitude of the candidates)

**SECTION-A**

1. Kabir - Kabir Vani, ed. by Parasnath Tiwari, first 25 padas
2. Surdas - Bhramar Gitsar, ed. Ramchandra Sukla, first 25 padas
3. Tulsidas-Vinay Patrika-Geeta Press, first 15 padas
5. Prasad - Kamayani (Shraddha and Ira Sarga)
6. Nirala - Saroj Smriti, Jago Phir Ek Bar
7. Mahadevi Varma - Mai Neer Dukh ki Badli, Ravindra ke Mahapratsthan Par
8. Agyeeya-Asadhvina Vina, Hamne Poudhey se kaha
10. Dhumil-Mochiram, Roti Aur Sansad
11. Sarveshvar Dayal Saxsena - Tumhare Sath Rah Kar, Soundryabodh
12. Muktibodh - Mai Dur Hun, Bhool Galati

**SECTION-B**

1. Bharatendu - Andher Nagri
2. Mohan Rakesh - Ashad Ka Ek Din
3. Ramchandra Shukla-Shraddha Aur Bhakti, Krodha
4. Premchand-Godan (Novel), Paush ki Raat, Badey Ghar ki Beti, Ahuti, Mukti Marg, Idgah (Stories)
5. Prasad - Dhruswamini
6. Phanishwar Nath Renu - Tisari Kasam, Pantchlight, Rasapriya(Stories)
7. Manu Bhandari - Mahabhoj
8. Bhaivy Prasad Gupta-Ganga Maiyya
9. Harishankar Parasai - Matadin Chand Par, Viklanga Shraddha ka Dor
10. Hazari Prasad Divedi-Vasant A Gaya, Devdar
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<td>8. Samuel Taylor Coleridge-’Kubla Khan’; ’Dejection: an Ode’</td>
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1. W. B. Yeats-'Easter 1916';
   -‘Sailing to Byzantium’;
   -‘Leda and the Swan’
2. T. S. Eliot-
   -‘The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock’;
   -‘The Journey of the Magi’;
   -‘Burnt Norton’
3. W.H. Auden-
   -‘In Memory of W.B.Yeats’;
   -‘Lay your sleeping head, my love’;
   -‘The Shield of Achilles’
4. John Osborne-Look Back in Anger
5. Samuel Beckett-Waiting for Godot
6. Sylvia Plath -
   -‘Mirror’;
   -‘Nick and the Candlestick’
7. Henry Louis Vivian Derozio-‘To India My Native Land’;
   -‘My Country’
8. Kamala Das -‘ An Introduction’

SECTION-C
1. D.H. Lawrence-The Rainbow
2. Raja Rao-Kanthapura
3. Amitava Ghosh-The Shadow Lines
4. Chinua Achebe-Things Fall Apart
5. James Joyce -A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man
6. Rabindranath Tagore - ‘Crisis in Civilization’
7. Virginia Woolf - ‘A Room of One’s Own’

**PALI:**

Paper – I :

Candidates shall have to answer five questions taking atleast one question from each group. Answer to questions on Group-B, Group-D and Unit 3 of Group-C must be written in Pali language either in Bengali or in Roman script. The remaining questions must be attempted in Pali or in Bengali or in English but in only any one of these languages.

**A) PALI LINGUISTICS :**

Unit 1 – Concepts of Linguistics, Languages and Phonetic Laws.

Unit 2 – Concept of Homeland of Pali, Features of Pali, Pali as M.I.A., Pali & Sanskrit, Pali & Prakrits.

Unit 3 – Short notes on Phonetic Tendencies.

**B) PALI GRAMMAR :**

Unit 1 – Sandhi, Samasa, Itthipaccaya.

Unit 2 - Karaka Vibhakti, Paccaya-Kita & Taddhita.

Unit 3 – Conjugation, Declension, Make Sentences.

**C) TRANSLATIONS :**

Unit 1 – Pali to English (unseen passages from poetry) with grammatical notes on any two words.

Unit 2 - Pali to English (unseen passages from prose) with grammatical notes on any two words.

Unit 3 – English to Pali.

**D) ESSAY IN PALI** consisting of 200 words on any one of the following topics:
## Paper – II :

Candidates shall have to answer any three questions from Section -A and any two from Section-B. Answers of questions belonging to Section-B must be answered in Pali language in Bengali or in Roman script. The remaining three questions must be attempted in any one of the following three languages – Pali, Bengali, English.

### SECTION – A

A) History of Canonical Literature : Vinayapitaka, Suttapitaka & Abhidhammapitaka.

B) Non-Canonical Literature : Extra-Canonical (Anupitaka), Commentaries (Atthakathas), Vamsa Literature.

C) History of Early Buddhism : Pre-Buddhist India, Life of Buddha, Royal Patronage, Origin of Samgha.

D) Development of Buddhism : Buddhist Councils (1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th); Buddhist Schools and Sects; Spread and Decline of Buddhism.

### SECTION – B

E) CRITICAL STUDY OF SELECTED PALI TEXTS

#### UNIT-I POETRY TEXTS

**DHAMMAPADA**  
Yamakavagga, Appamadavagga, Cittavagga, Maggavagga, Buddhavagga

**SUTTANIPATA**  
Pabbajja Sutta, Padhana Sutta, Karaniya Mettasutta, Khaggavisanasutta,

Parayanavagga - Vatthugatha.

**THERAGATHA**  
Kaccayana, Talaputa, Silava

**THERIGATHA**  
Ambapali, Subha Jivakambabanika, Kisagotami

#### UNIT-II PROSE TEXTS

Dhammacakkapavattana Sutta, Mahaparinibbana Sutta, Ariyapariyesana Sutta, Singalovada Sutta, Kutadanta Suttanta. How women were admitted to the Sangha, Milindapanha-Bahirakatha, Marriage of Visakha, Annihilation of the Sakiyas, Sibi Jataka, Dasaratha Jataka

Explanation of Pali quotations from the prescribed texts in Pali language.
Ref.: www.vipassanaresearchinstitute.com for Pali texts

Ref.: B.A. Pali Selection, Prose & Poetry, Calcutta University Publication
B.A. Pali (Hon.) Selection, Calcutta University Publication
M.A. Pali Selection, Prose & Poetry, Calcutta University Publication

F) CRITICAL STUDY OF CHANDA AND ALAMKARA (Answers to be written in Pali language)

UNIT-I - VUTTODAYA _ - Samavutta Chanda
UNIT-II - SUBODHALANKARA - Yamaka, Upama, Rupaka, Vyatireka,

ARABIC:

Paper – I : (a) Arabic linguistics; (b) Arabic grammar; (c) Translation from Arabic into English; (d) Translation from English into Arabic; (e) Arabic rhetoric and prosody.

Paper – II : (a) History of Arabic literature; (b) Texts (meant for general acquaintance and not for minute study) : (1) Diwan-Ibn-ul-Fariz; (2) Sab’a Mu’allaqa; (3) Sirat-Ibn-i-Hisham; (4) Muqaddama-Ibn-i-Khaldun.

PERSIAN:

Paper – I : (a) Persian linguistics (Persian and Indo-European family of languages; Aryan or Indo_Iranian branch, evolution of Persian language, Old Persian, Avestan language, Middle Persian or Pahlavi, Modern Persian, Iranian dialects, Persian influence on Indian languages); (b) Persian grammar; (c) Translation from Persian into English; (d) Translation from English into Persian; (e) Persian rhetoric and prosody.

Paper – II : (a) History of Persian literature (Origin of Persian poetry, Early poets, Development of poetic forms-qasida, ghazal, masnavi,, etc. Growth of poetic themes or trends-sepic, romantic, mystical, philosophical, ethical, etc. Survey of prose-works-historical, mystical, ethical, biographical, etc. Literary progress in different periods of Iranian history. Contributions of eminent poets and writers. Modern poetry, Modern prose, Indo-Persian literature); (b) Texts (meant for general acquaintance and not for minute study) : (1) Shahnama of Firdausi; (2) Chahar Maqala of Nizami Aruzi; (3) Qasaid-i-Khaqani; (4) Diwan-i-Hafiz; (5) Masnavi of Jalaluddin Rumi; (6) Naldaman of Fayzi.

FRENCH:

Paper – I : Translation from French into English, Translation from English into French, French Grammar.


URDU:

Paper – I : (Answer must be written in Urdu)

Section – A

1. Development of Urdu Language :
   a) Development of Indo-Aryan
      i) Old Indo-Aryan
      ii) Middle Indo Aryan
      iii)New Indo Aryan
   b) Western Hindi and its dialects :
      i) Brij Bhasha, Maghrabi Hindi Aur Uski Mukhtalif Boliyan & Haryanvi
      ii) Theories about the origin of Urdu Language
   c) Daccani Urdu origin and Development, its significant linguistic feature.
d) Fort William College and its contribution to Urdu Literature.

Section – B

1. Genres and their development :-

A. Poetry :
   i. Ghazal, Qasida, Masnavi, Marsia, Nazm and Rubai.

a) Ghazal :-
   i) Wali : - Intekhab-e-wali compiled by Nurul Hasan Hashmi – (First five Ghazals)
   ii) Mir : - Intekhab-e-Mir compiled by Maulvi Abdul Haq – (First five Ghazals)
   iii) Ghalib : - Diwane-Ghalib (First five Ghazals)

   Faiz Ahmed Faiz : - Naqsh-e-Faryadi, (first five Ghazals)
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   Shaharyar : - Hijr ke Mausam (First five Ghazals)

Qasida : Dar Tazhik-e-Rozgar - Sauda.

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Marsia; i) Jab Badban-e-Kashti Shahe Umam Gira - Mir Anis
   ii) Kis Sher ki Amad hai Ke Run Kanp Raha hai - Mirza Dabir

Nazm; Banjara Nama – Nazir Akbarabadi

Masjide Qartaba – Iqbal

Tanhai - Faiz Ahmed Faiz

Ek Ladka - Akhtarul Iman

Taslise Hayat - Pervez Shahedi

Rubai; i. Khenche Huwe Sar Ko Kahan jata hai - Mir Anis
   ii. Ek Fitna hai Naqeson Mein Kamil hona - Josh Malibabadi
   iii. Aa Ae Mani-e-Kayenat Mujh Mein Aaja - Firaq Gorakhpuri

2. Significant features of :

   a) i) Lucknow School
   ii) Delhi School

   b) i) Sir Sayed Movement
      ii) Progressive Movement
      iii) Modernism

Paper – II :

Answer must be written in Urdu

(This paper will require first hand reading of the texts prescribed and will be designed to test the candidates critical ability)

Section – A

1. Bagho Bahar - Mir Aman Dehalvi
2. Abe Hayat (Dibacha) - Md. Hussain Azad
3. Ood-e-Hindi - Asadullah Khan Ghalib
5. Godan - Munshi Prem Chand
6. Lajwanti - Rajindra Singh Bedi
7. Toba Tek Singh - Sa’adat Hassan Manto
8. Maqulat-e sir syed (Ta’asub, Tahzib, Rasm-o-Rewaj ki Pabandi Ke Nuqsanat, Khushamad) - Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
10. Mukhtar Ahmed Ansari, Md. Aqbal, Ayub Abbasi, Asghar Gondavi

**Safaid Khoon**
Agha Hashr Kashmiri

**Section – B**

**Literary criticism and its development with reference to:**

- i. Muqaddama sher-o-shaeri - Altaf Hussain Hali
- ii. Tanquidi Nazaryat - Ehtasham Hussain
- iii. Urdu Tanquid Per Ek Nazar - Kalimuddin Ahmed
- iv. Adab aur zindagi - Majnu Gorakhpuri
- v. Tanquidi Afkar - Shamsur Rahman Farooqui

**Section – C**

**Essay writing**
(Compulsory, covering literary and imaginative topics).

## SANTALI:

**Paper – I:**
Question Papers are to be set in ‘OLCHIKI’ script and Answers should also be given in ‘OLCHIKI’ script.

**Section – A**

1. Topic from the History of Santali Language:

   a) The chronological track from Austro-Asiatic-Austric to Santali (Family tree with branches and approximate dates);

   b) Historical stages of Santali (Old, Middle and New) and their Linguistic features with Santali grammar (Ranor);

   c) Santali languages and its Dialects and their distinguishing characteristic;

   d) Elements of Santali Vocabulary;

   e) Forms of Santali literary prose (Relevant with personal relations);


3. Problems of standardization and reform of alphabet and spelling and those of transliteration and inevitability of ‘OLCHIKI’ Script. Ill effects of use of other script in writing Santali excepting ‘OLCHIKI’ script.

**Section – B**

4. History of Santali literature:
a) Periodization of Santali literature: Old and Middle Santali literature;

b) Roots and reasons behind the emergence of modernity in Santali literature;

c) Evolution of Santali oral literatures like ‘Binti’, ‘Bankher’, ‘Thuti’, Serwa Sereng (Traditional songs) and the ‘Jamsimbinti’- the scripture of SARIDHARAM religion;

d) Narrative and lyric trends in the nineteenth century Santali poetry;

e) Development of Santali prose;

f) Santali dramatic literature (Nineteenth century, Pandit Raghunath Murmu, Sadhuram Chand Murmu and Post 1946 Santali drama);

5. Majhi Ramdas Tudu (Reska), Sadhuram Chand Murmu and Pandit Raghunath Murmu (Upto 1950).

6. Fiction - Major Authors:

Majhi Ramdas Tudu (Reska), Sadhuram Chand Murmu, Pandit Raghunath Murmu, Paul Jujar Saren, Narayan Saren (Toresutam), Sarada Prasad Kisku (Totko Malang), Nayke Mongal Chandra Saren, Domon Sahu Samir.

**Paper – II**

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**Section - A**

1. SADHURAM CHAND ANOLMALA (A total collection of Sadhuram Chand Murmu) - April, 1997, Department of Information & Cultural Affairs, Govt. of West Bengal:

   i) Marang Buru Dharam Sari Page - 19
   ii) Ana terang horko Dusao Kana Page - 11
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2. (HORKOREN MARE HAPRAM KOREYAH KATHA) Rev. L. O. Skrefsud:

i) AAD KHON MANOA REAH BIBORAN - Page - 1-19

ii) DHARAM AAR SERWOA - Page - 203-249

3. Kherwal Bansha Dharam Puthi - Rajhi Ramdas Tudu (Reska)

Karmu ar kharmu reyah - Karambinti Galmarao - Page - 68-102

4. Sansar Phend - A Drama by Sadhuram Chand Murmu

5. Bidu Chandan - A Drama by Pandit Raghunath Murmu

6. Sidu Kanu Santal Hool - A Drama by Pandit Raghunath Murmu

7. The Jamsim Binti By Nayke Mongal Ch. Saren

**Section - B**

8. Pandit Raghunath Murmu (Biography) By Ramchanda Murmu

9. Santal Folk Tales (Collected) Vol-1 By P. O. Bodding

10. a) SAOHEND MOHANK - A collection of selected Essays By Subodh Hansda and Debdulal Murmu
b) AYO AARANG TE OLOH - Pandit Raghunath Murmu

c) SANTARI PARSI AARSAOHET - Sarada Prasad Kisku

d) SANTARI TULAJAKHA SAOHET - Gomosta Prasad Saren

11. a) SAI SERMA RENAH ANORHE - A collection of Santali Poems of 100 year with Bengali Translation

b) NIDA YUNTA - Sarada Prasad Kisku

c) DHARAM GE SARIYA - Mondal Hembram

d) MAYAJAL - Narayan Saren (Tore Sutaru)

12. MIT GEL HOR KAHNI SALAH MIT SAI MIT KAHNI - A collection of Ten Santali Folk Tales and 101 short stories.

13. ‘Paschimbangla’ (Sadhu Ramchand Murmu Memorial Edition - Govt. of West Bengal).


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Cropping pattern and cropping system- distribution, objectives, types and impact on high yielding varieties, scope and limitations.

Package and practices of cereals (rice, wheat, maize), pulses (green gram, black gram, red gram, lentil and peas), oil seeds (mustard, sesameum, ground nut, linseed, sunflower); fibre crops (Jute, sunhemp, mesta); sugarcane and forage crops (Sorghum, napier, para, berseem, Lucerne, ricebean, cowpea, oat, dinanath grass).

Weeds- definition, characteristics, dissemination and control.

Agroforestry- Definition of forest, scope of various types of forest - social forest, rural forest, urban forest, farm forestry; forest products. Aforestation. Conservation.

Soil- definition, process and factors of soil formation, soil properties and soil conservation. Soilfertility - problems of soil and their reclamation.

Nutrition- essential elements, role of nutrients on plants, integrated nutrient management and biofertilizers.


Dryland farming - definition, prospects and problems. Techniques for establishment and management.

Farm management - scope, importance and characteristics, farm planning, farm budgeting and farm operations.

Agro-economics - function and crop insurance.

Agril-extension - importance and role, methods of evaluation of extension programme. Role of KVK in technology transfer. Role and scope of Information Technology in Indian Agriculture. Livelihood management through agriculture (Self Help Group in agriculture).

Marketing - its channels, pricing, marketing intelligence, storage with special references to cold storage and warehouse. Distribution- public distribution system.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND VETERINARY SCIENCE :

Paper – I :

1. ANIMAL NUTRITION

1.1 Livestock Feeds : Common feeds and fodder and their classification. Proximate analysis of feed stuff.


1.3 Protein Nutrition: Biological value of protein, Protein efficiency ratio, digestible crude protein. Use of NPN in ruminants, bypass protein. Protein requirements for maintenance, growth, pregnancy and lactation in milk producing livestock. Improvement of poor quality roughages.

1.4 Mineral and Vitamin Nutrition : Major and trace minerals, their sources, physiological functions and deficiency symptoms. Role of vitamins, their sources and deficiency symptoms.
1.5 Feed Additives: Role of probiotics, prebiotics, antibiotics, enzymes, antioxidants, buffers, mould inhibitors and methane inhibitors. Antinutritional and toxic factors present in livestock feed and fodder.


1.7 Computation of Ration: Balanced ration, Formulation of ration and feeding of dairy cattle and buffaloes during different phases of growth and production (young, pregnant, lactating and dry animals). Formulation of ration and feeding of sheep, goat, pig and poultry.

2. LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT

2.1 Breeds: Various indigenous breeds of livestock including poultry; Exotic breeds experienced in India; Origin, distribution and breed descriptor of important breeds.

2.2 Farm Animal Practices: Dentition and ageing of animals. Disbudding, marking of animals, Grooming, Dipping, Castration, Isolation, quarantine, Disinfection and disposal of carcasses. Drug administration, Vices of animals, their prevention and care.


2.4 Fodder Production: Importance of grasslands and fodders in livestock production. Feed and fodder requirements of individual animal. Supply of greens throughout the year. Scarcity fodder, Recycling of animal wastes and washings for fodder production.

2.5 Sheep and Goat Farming: Homestead farming vs. Commercial farming, Goat as poor man's cow.

2.6 Poultry Production: Economic Importance of commercial poultry farming, Backyard poultry farming. Brooding management. Incubation and hatching, Management of broilers, layers and breeder flock. Designer egg.

3. ANIMAL GENETICS AND BREEDING


3.3 Animal Breeding: Basis of selection such as individual, pedigree, family, progeny testing. Methods of Selection. Methods of breeding - Inbreeding, out breeding, upgrading, cross breeding.
Crossing of inbred lines for commercial production. Sire index.

4. **ANIMAL REPRODUCTION**


5. **LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS TECHNOLOGY**

5.1 Milk and milk products: Milk industry in India. Composition and nutritive value of milk. Physico-chemical properties of milk. Quality testing of raw milk. Processing, packaging, storing, distribution and marketing of milk. Pasteurized, standardized, toned, doubled toned, homogenized, reconstituted, recombined and flavoured milk. Various milk products such as Cream, Butter, Ghee, Khoa, Channa, Cheese, Condensed, evaporated and dried milk. Preparation of cultured milk such as yoghurt, Dahi, Lassi and Srikhand.

5.2 Meat and meat products: Meat industry of India. Ante mortem care and management of food animals, stunning, slaughter and dressing. Meat inspection. Physical and chemical characteristics of meat. Method of meat preservation such as curing, canning, irradiation, packaging.


6. **EXTENSION EDUCATION**

6.1 Concept of Sociology: Man and animal relationship, Society, Community, Association and Institution. Social groups, its types and function.


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Paper – II:

1. **VETERINARY ANATOMY, PHYSIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY**

(i) **VETERINARY ANATOMY**

Osteology, arthrology and myology: Classification, physical properties and structure of long bones, joints and muscle. Study of skeleton of Pectoral, Pelvic gardles, Skull and vertebral bones of ox/buffaloes.

Splanchnology: Gross morphology and topography of visceral organs of thoracic, abdominal and
pelvic cavity.

Neurology and asthesiology : Basic structural organization of nervous system (CNS, PNS, ANS), Eye and ear.

Anatomy of fowl : Parts of female reproductive tracts of fowl and their role in egg formation. Organs of digestive system.

(ii) PHYSIOLOGY


Circulatory System : Haemodynamics of circulation, physiology of heart function, Cardiac Cycle, regulation of cardiac output, coronary circulation and ECG, blood pressure and hypertension, osmotic regulation, shock.

Excretion : Structure and function of nephron, formation of urine. Regulation of electrolyte and acid-base balance, sweat glands and their function.

Respiration: Mechanism of respiration, Transport and exchange of gases in lungs and tissues. Neural control of respiration and hypoxia.

Environmental Physiology : Climate change, climatological variables and their importance in animal ecology and behaviour. Effect of environmental stress on health and production.

Physiology of Milk Production : Hormonal control of mammary growth, lactogenesis and galactopoiesis. Letting down and holding up of milk.

(iii) BIOCHEMISTRY

Biochemistry of carbohydrate, protein, lipids, enzymes, co-enzymes, co-factors and their role in metabolism; Biochemistry of blood and body fluids.

2. PHARMACOLOGY AND TOXICOLOGY


Toxicology : Fundamentals and scope of toxicology. Toxicity due to insecticides, organo phosphates, heavy metals, non-metals, micotoxins and their ameliorative measures. Toxic plants.

3. BASIC VETERINARY MICROBIOLOGY, PATHOLOGY AND PARASITOLOGY

Microbiology: Morphology and classification, cultivation and identification of microbes related to animal diseases. Transmission of infections, sterilization and disinfectants.

Pathology: Pathogenesis and Pathognomic lesions in important microbial diseases of livestock.

Parasitology: Morphology and pathogenesis of important helminthic and protozoal diseases in livestock like ascariasis, facioliasis, Trypanosomiasis etc.

4. ANIMAL DISEASES:

Infectious diseases : Etiology, symptoms, diagnosis and control of important bacterial, protozoal and viral diseases of domestic livestock and poultry, such as Anthrax, HS, BQ, Brucellosis, FMD, Hog Cholera, PPR, Goat Pox, Rabies, RD, IB, Trypanosomiasis, Babesiosis, Coccidiosis etc.

Production/metabolic diseases : Etiology, symptoms, treatment and control of important metabolic diseases such as milk fever, ketosis, pregnancy toxaemia, hypomagnesemia of domestic animals.

Systemic states and diseases : Fever, hyperthermia, hypothermia, toxaemia, septicaemia, bloat, impaction, diarrhoea, dehydration and snake bite.

Herd health Management : Herd immunity, disease free zones, chemotherapeutics and chemoprophylaxis for herd health. Vaccination and deworming schedule of livestock and poultry.

Surgical intervention : Diagnosis and surgical intervention in fracture, hernia, choking, ruminotomy, castration and Caesarian section.

5. VETERINARY PUBLIC HEALTH AND EPIDEMIOLOGY

Epidemiology : Principles and applications of epidemiological measures in the study of diseases and their control. National and international regulations on livestock diseases.

6. WILD / ZOO / LAB ANIMAL HEALTH CARE

Method of handling and restraint of Wild animals. Conservation of wild life. Management and feeding practice and housing of Wild, Zoo and Laboratory animals.

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(e) Archaic Homo sapiens
(f) Neanderthal Man – La-chapelle-Aux-Saints, Tabun Man
(g) Anatomically Modern Homo sapiens – Cromagnon, Grimaldi, Chancelade

3. Human Genetics:

3.1 Methods – Mendelism, Twin-study, Cytogenetics, Population genetics.

3.2 Biological basis of inheritance: DNA structure and replication, Restriction Fragment Length Polymorphism (RFLP), Variable Number of Tandem Repeat(s) (VNTRs), Short Tandem Repeat(s) (STRs) protein synthesis, gene, allele, cell division.

3.3 Concept of Human Genome: nuclear genome, mitochondrial genome, Chromosome and chromosomal aberrations in man (Numerical and structural aberrations, point mutation), Satellite DNA.

3.4 Patterns of inheritance – autosomal, sex-chromosomal, multifactorial, polygenic, sex determination, sex influenced.

3.5 Application of human genetics – consanguinity, inbreeding, genetic load, genetic counselling, forensic anthropology, personal identification, paternity identification, DNA fingerprinting, dermatoglyphics.

4. Human variation:

4.1 Concept of Race, racism.

4.2 Basis of variation – Morphological (hair, eye) metric (stature, head shape), Polymorphic (genetic marker) – blood group (ABO, Rh), Hb, PGM, HP, Y-chromosome STR, mtDNA.

4.3 Concept of Human physique and somatotype.

4.4 Concept of ethnic groups – Mongoloid, Caucasoid, Negroid, Australoid.

5. Human Growth and Nutrition:

5.1 Concept of human growth, stages of growth – Pre-natal, Post-natal, Adolescent.

5.2 Factors affecting the growth and development – genetic, environmental, nutritional, socio-
5.3 Methodology of growth study.

6. **Concept of Health and disease:**

6.1 Concept of Communicable and Non-Communicable diseases. (Malaria and Type-2 diabetes respectively). Nutrition Deficiency related diseases.

6.2 Nutrition – concept of Macro and Micro nutrients and Deficiency.

7. **Human adaptation:**

7.1 Concept of Human adaptation and acclimatization – hot, cold and high altitude. Bergman’s and Allen’s Rules.

7.2 Anthropometry and its uses in understanding human adaptation (BMI and CI), Physiological variable (blood pressure, pulse rate), Body composition (fat patterning).

8. **Cultural evolution:**

8.1 Tool typology and technology of tool manufacturing.

8.2 Excavation, Exploration, Site survey, Application of GIS

8.3 Concept of Dating: Absolute (C14, K-Ar) Relative (Dendrochronology and Stratigraphy).

8.4 Features and distribution of prehistoric cultures with reference to India and Europe:

   (a) Paleolithic
   (b) Mesolithic
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9. **Theories and concept of culture and society:**


9.2 Concept (brief outline): Social structure, Social organization, Gender, Institution, Group,
10. **Culture and civilization**

10.1 Definition and features of culture and civilization.

10.2 Cultural relativism, Acculturation, Enculturation, Diffusion, Cultural lag, World view, Symbol.

10.3 Anthropological approaches to the study of civilization.

11. **Elements of social organization**

11.1 Family – Definition, Types, functions, recent changes.

11.2 Marriage – Definition, Types, functions, recent changes.

Marriage payments (dowry and bride wealth). Incest regulation, Preferential and prescribed forms of marriage.

11.3 Kinship – Definition of kinship system. Importance, Types of kinship systems, kin term classification.

11.4 Rules of Descent and alliance, Rules of residence, Descent groups.

12. **Economic Anthropology**

12.1 Concept and approaches.

12.2 Major ways of subsistence – Hunting-gathering, Pastoralism, Horticulture and Settled Agriculture.

12.3 Production, Distribution (Reciprocity, Market exchange, Re-distribution), Consumption, Gift exchange.

12.4 Peasant.

13. **Political anthropology**

13.1 Definition and approach.

13.2 Power, authority, social control, law, social sanction, governance.
13.3 Concepts of Band, Tribe, Chiefdom and State.

13.4 Political movement - Approaches of study, Types of socio-political movements (Revitalization, Messianic, Social solidarity, regional and Ethnic).

13.5 Ethnicity – Definition, concept of ethnic boundary.

14. **Anthropology of religion**

14.1 Definition of religion, functions of religion.

14.2 Approaches to the study of religion (intellectual, psychological, functional, interpretative).

14.3 Concepts: Myth, magic, witchcraft, sorcery, taboo, totem, divination, rituals, symbolism in religion.

14.4 Religious specialists – shaman, witch-doctor, priest.

15. **Social stratification**

15.1 Definition and features.

15.2 Theories/approaches.

15.3 Types – Caste and class.

15.4 Concepts: Status, role, age-set/age-grade, social mobility.

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influencing fertility and mortality. Dynamics of demography in rural, urban and tribal contexts. Migration and effects of migration.

4.3 Linguistic elements in Indian population (Grierson and S.K.Chatterjee).

5. **Anthropological approaches to Indian civilization**:

5.1 Cultural categories of ancient India :Varnashram, Purushartha, Karma and Rebirth.

5.2 Caste system – origin, features, functions and change in caste system, Dominant Caste, Jajmani system.

5.3 Structure of Indian civilization: Theoretical understanding (R.Redfield, N.K.Bose).

5.4 Concepts for understanding Indian civilization: Sanskritization, Universalization-Parochialization, Tribe-peasant & Tribe-caste continuum, State Formation and Sacred Complex.

5.5 Idea of folk and folk culture, folkloric elements in Indian culture (proverbs, folksong, folkart with special reference to West Bengal), folklore and identity, performances.

5.6 Impact of Buddhism, Jainism, Islam, Christianity on Indian society.

6. **Aspects of Indian village**:

6.1 Development of village study in India and its significance.

6.2 Types of village, social organization of Indian village (agricultural).

6.3 Concepts developed through village studies in India.

6.4 Changes in rural society in post-Independent India.

7. **Weaker sections**:

7.1 Concepts of SC, ST, OBC, minority, women, children, aged – status, constitutional provisions, problems, programmes of development.

7.2 Linguistic minority and its problems.

8. **Tribal situation in India**:

8.1 Ethnic strains in Indian population, Geographical, Economic and linguistic distribution of Indian tribes.

8.2 Major problems of Indian tribes with special reference to issues of land and forest.

8.3 Plan and programmes for the development of the STs; problems/critique of tribal development; five year plans and Indian tribes – a review.

8.4 Constitutional safeguards for STs, 5th and 6th Schedules.

8.5 Socio-economic changes in tribal milieu – Impact of urbanization, industrialization, forest policy, development projects on tribal people. Changes in tribal society in colonial and post-Independent periods. Impact of modern democratic institutions on traditional political system.

8.6 Tribal movement (Nature and distribution), Emergence of Ethnicity, Issues of Identity, Tribe and Nation-State, Indian National Movement and Indian tribes, Regionalism, Jharkhand movement, Santal movement.

9. **Anthropology of development**:

9.1 Critique, approaches, issues of women development, cultural factors of development, displacement and rehabilitation, sustainable development, alternative to development.

9.2 Role of NGO in development.

9.3 Role of anthropology in development.

10. **Emerging issues in Indian Anthropology**:

10.1 Human Rights and advocacy of anthropology in the contexts of women, children, health and education.

10.2 Social-cultural dimensions of health: Bio-medical, medical anthropology and ethno medicine.

10.3 Issues in context: Sect, Cult, Religions pluralism in India, Visual image and Indian society, Public Culture in India, Refugee, Civil Society, Violence, Traditional Knowledge.

**BOTANY:**
**Microbiology:**

Plant virus- types - TMV- Physicochemical characteristics and Multiplication, One step growth curve, Lytic cycle (T4 phage) and Lysogenic cycle (Lambda phage), Significance of lysogeny, Viroids and Prions. Bacteria - Distinguishing features of Archaea and Bacteria, Flagella (ultrastructure) and Pili, wall – chemical structure and differences between Gram +ve & Gram –ve bacteria, Bacterial genome and plasmid, Endospore – formation, structure and function. Genetic Recombination (Transformation, Transduction & Conjugation) Application in Medicine and Industry.

**Plant Pathology:**

Terms and Definitions: Disease concept, Symptoms, Etiology and causal complex, Endemic, Epidemic, Pandemic and Sporadic diseases; Disease triangle, Disease cycle (monocyclic, polycyclic and polyetic) with special reference to Late Blight of Potato, Brown Spot of Rice and Citrus Canker. Host – Parasite Interaction. Pathotoxin (Definition, criteria and example), Phytoalexin, Resistance. Plant Disease Management- Symptoms, Causal organism, Disease cycle and Control measures.

**Cryptogams:**

**ALGAE:**


**FUNGI & LICHEN:** General Account: Hyphal forms, Fungal spore forms and mode of liberation, Sexual reproduction and degeneration of sex, Homothallism and heterothallism, Life cycle patterns, Anamorphic fungi and parasexuality, Mycotoxins with emphasis on aflatoxin. Mycorrhiza: Role in Agriculture & Forestry.

Fungal Biotechnology: Mushroom, Cheese and Ethanol- Industrial production (brief outline), Fungal sources and uses of Mycoprotein, Enzyme (Cellulase), Amino acid (Tryptphan), Vitamin (Riboflavin), Antibiotic( Griseofulvin), Pharmaceuticals (Cyclosporin-A).

Lichen: Types, Reproduction, Economic and ecological importance.

**BRYOPHYTES:**


Importance: Role of bryophytes in Plant succession and Pollution Monitoring.

**PTERIDOPHYTES:**

General Account: Colonisation and rise of early land plants.

Fossil Pteridophytes: Structural features, Geological distribution and Evolutionary significance.

Telome concept and its significance in the origin of different groups of Pteridophytes.

Heterospory and Origin of Seed habit.

Economic importance as food, medicine and Agriculture.
Palaeobotany & Palynology:

Plant Fossil: Types, Different modes of preservation, Nomenclature and Reconstruction, Importance of fossil study.

Geological time scale with dominant plant groups through ages.


Phanerogams:

GYMNOSPERMS :

Progymnosperms: Phylogenetic importance.

Fossil gymnosperms: Structural features of Cycas, Pinus, Lyginopteris, Williamsonia oldhamia and Geological distribution of reconstructed genera.

Economic Importance of fossils with reference to Wood, Resins, Essential oils, and Drugs.

MORPHOLOGY OF ANGIOSPERMS:

Inflorescence types with examples. Flower: Corolla- forms, aestivation; Stamen- types; Placentation- types; Ovule - structure and forms. Fruit - types with examples.

TAXONOMY OF ANGIOSPERMS:

Components of Systematics: Nomenclature, Identification, Classification; Taxonomy and its phases - Pioneer, Consolidation, Biosystematic and Encyclopaedic; alpha- and omega- taxonomy.

Nomenclature: Herbaria and Botanical Gardens - their role; important Indian Herbaria and Botanical Gardens; Dichotomous keys - indented and bracketed, Phenetics. Brief idea on Phenetics, Numerical taxonomy; Cladistics; Monophyletic, polyphyletic and paraphyletic groups; Plesiomorphy and apomorphy. Data sources in Taxonomy: Supportive evidences from: Phytochemistry, Cytology and Anatomy. Diagnostic features, Systematic position of Economically important plants (parts and uses) with special reference to the families Poaceae, Orchidaceae, Brassicaceae, Fabaceae, Solanaceae and Malvaceae.

Embryology:


Anatomy:


Organisation of shoot apex (Tunica–Corpus) and Root apex (Korper-Kappe), Adaptive anatomical features of Hydrophytes and Xerophytes.

Ecology:
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basic concept of *nif* and *nod* genes. Plant Growth Regulators (Auxin, Gibberellin, Cytokinin, Ethylene and Abscisic Acid). Photoperiodism and plant types, Phytochrome, Vernalisation, Concept of biological clock and biorhythm. Seed dormancy, Physiology of Senescence and Ageing. Stress Physiology.

Biochemistry as the molecular logic of living organisms, axioms of living organisms, the major compounds of living beings; pH, buffers and basic bioenergetics, chemical structure and properties of water molecule, ionization of water, Henderson-Hasselbalch equation, titration curve and the concept of preparation of any buffer solution; biomolecules: general structure, properties, classification and metabolic importance of carbohydrates, proteins, lipids and nucleic acids; enzymes, basic structure (holoenzyme, apoenzyme, cofactor, coenzyme and prosthetic group), nomenclature and classification of enzymes according to IUBMB, mechanism of enzyme action (concept of active site of an enzyme, activation of free energy, principles of enzyme action, Fisher's and Koshland's models), enzyme kinetics (Michaelis-Menten equation and Lineweaver-Burk plot), reversible and irreversible enzyme inhibition, allosteric enzyme regulation and covalently modulated enzyme regulation, basic concept of ribozymes, abzymes and isozymes.

**Pharmacognosy:**


**Plant Biotechnology & Instrumentation:**

Plant tissue culture and Micropropagation. Plant Genetic Engineering: Brief concept of different gene transfer methods. Transgenic plants.

Principles and applications of simple, compound, confocal and electron microscopy, colorimetry, visible and UV-visible spectrophotometry, deferential centrifugation, PCR, RT-PCR, Gel Electrophoresis, Blotting (Southern, Northern and Western) and ELISA.

**CHEMISTRY:**

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| **2. Chemical Bonding:** |
| Ionic bond: characteristics of ionic compounds, lattice energy, Born-Haber cycle. Covalent bond and its general characteristics: polarities of bonds in molecules and their dipole moments; shapes of molecule, VSEPR theory. Valence bond theory, concept of resonance and resonance energy; molecular orbital theory (LCAO method); bonding in H$_2^+$, H$_2$, He$^+$ to Ne$^+$, NO, CO, HF, and CN$^-$, comparison of valence bond and molecular orbital theories, bond order, bond strength and bond length. |

| **3. Acid-Base & Redox Reactions** |

| **4. Chemical Periodicity:** |
| Periodic table, group trends and periodic trends in physical properties. Effective nuclear charge, screening effect, Slater's rules, atomic radii, ionic radii (Pauling univalent), covalent radii. Ionization potential, electron affinity and electronegativity (Pauling, Mulliken and Allred-Rochow scales) and factors influencing these properties. Comparative studies of hydrides, halides, oxides of s- and p- block elements. Structure and bonding of B$_2$H$_6$, (SN)$_n$, Phosphazenes and inter-halogens. d-block elements; electronic configuration, ionization energies, oxidation states, variation in atomic and
Ionic radii, magnetic and spectral properties.

**Group-B**

5. Gaseous State and Transport Phenomenon
Maxwell distribution of molecular speeds, intermolecular collisions, collisions on wall and effusion; thermal conductivity and viscosity of hard sphere gases. van der Waals equation of state, inter-molecular interactions, critical phenomena and liquefaction of gases.

6. Liquid State
Viscosity, Poiseuille equation, temperature dependence.
Surface tension and surface energy, wetting and contact angle, interfacial tension and capillary action; Laplace equation.

7. Solid State
Crystal systems; designation of crystal planes, lattice structure and unit cell; Miller indices, Bragg’s law; X-ray diffraction by crystals; close packing, radius- ratio rules, calculation of some limiting radius-ratio values; structures of NaCl, KCl; stoichiometric and non-stoichiometric defects, impurity defects, semiconductors.

8. Thermodynamics
Work, heat and internal energy; first law of thermodynamics.
Second law of thermodynamics; entropy as a state function, entropy change in various processes, reversibility and irreversibility, free energy functions; thermodynamic equation of state; Maxwell’s relations; temperature, volume and pressure dependence of thermodynamic functions; J-T effect and inversion temperature; criteria for equilibrium, relation between equilibrium constant and thermodynamic quantities; Nernst heat theorem.
Definitions and interrelations among $K_p$, $K_c$, and $K_x$; Van’t Hoff equation, Le Chatelier principle.

9. Aromaticity
Aromaticity and anti-aromaticity; benzene, naphthalene, annulene, azulene, tropolones, fulvenes, sydnones. Electrophilic and nucleophilic substitution. Synthesis and reactions of heteroaromatic compounds (pyrrole, furan, thiophene, pyridine).

**Group - C**

10. Study of Mechanisms
General methods (both kinetic and non-kinetic) of study of mechanism of organic reactions: isotopic method, cross-over experiment, intermediate trapping, stereochemistry; energy of activation; thermodynamic control and kinetic control of reactions.
Reactive intermediates: Generation geometry, stability and reactions of carbonium ions and carbanions free radicals, carbenes, benzynes and nitrenes.

11. Organic Reaction Types
Substitution Reactions: $S_{N1}$, $S_{N2}$ and $S_{Ni}$ mechanisms; neighbouring group participation.
Elimination Reactions: E1, E2 and E1cb mechanisms; orientation in E2 reactions-Saytzeff and Hoffmann; pyrolytic syn elimination – Chugaev and Cope eliminations.
Addition Reactions: Electrophillic addition to C=C and C=C; nucleophilic addition to C=O, C=N, conjugated olefins and carbonyls.

12. Organic Spectroscopy:
Principle and applications in structure elucidation:
Infra-red: typical functional group identification
UV–vis: Singlet and triplet states; $n-\pi^*$ and $\pi-\pi^*$ transitions; application to conjugated double bonds and conjugated carbonyls - Woodward–Fieser rules; charge-transfer spectra.
Nuclear Magnetic Resonance ($^1$H NMR): Basic principle; chemical shift and spin-spin interaction and coupling constants.
### Paper – II:

| Group-A |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| **1. Coordination Chemistry - I** | Bonding theories of metal complexes; valence bond theory, crystal field theory and its modifications; application of theories in the explanation of magnetism and electronic spectra of metal complexes. |
| **2. Coordination Chemistry - II** | Isomerism in coordination compounds; IUPAC nomenclature of coordination compounds; stereochemistry of complexes with 4 and 6 coordination numbers; chelate effect and polynuclear complexes; trans effect and its theories; kinetics of substitution reactions in square-planer complexes; thermodynamic and kinetic stability of complexes. |
| **3. Bio-Inorganic Chemistry** | Metal ion in biological systems and their role in ion transport across the membranes (molecular mechanism), oxygen-transport proteins: hemoglobin, myoglobin, hemerythrin; electron-transport proteins: cytochromes and ferredoxins. |
| **4. Organometallic Chemistry** | EAN rule, synthesis, structure and reactivity of metal carbonyls; carboxylate anions, carbonyl hydrides and metal nitrosyl compounds. Complexes with aromatic systems; synthesis, structure and bonding in metal-olefin, -alkyne and -cyclopentadienyl complexes; coordinative unsaturation, oxidative addition reactions, insertion reactions, fluxional molecules and their characterization; compounds with metal-metal bonds and metal atom clusters. |
| **Group - B** |
| **5. Phase-equilibria and solutions** | Gibbs phase rule and its significance. Clapeyron equation; Clausius – Clapeyron equation; phase diagram for a pure substance; phase-equilibria in binary systems, partially miscible liquids, upper and lower critical solution temperatures; properties of dilute solutions; Raoult's and Henry’s law. Partial molar quantities, their significance; excess thermodynamic functions. |
| **7. Chemical Kinetics** | Differential and integral rate equation for zeroth, first, second and fractional order reactions; rate equations involving reverse, parallel, consecutive and chain reactions; branching chain and explosion; effect of temperature and pressure on rate constant; collision theory and transition state theory. |
| **Group – C** |
| **9. Configuration and conformation** | Representation of molecules in three dimension Fischer, Saw-horse and Newman projection; configuration (R and S) of chiral carbon, priority rule. Conformation of acyclic and alicyclic molecules; gauche-butane interaction; chair-boat in cyclohexane. |
| **10. Chirality and stereoselectivity** | Chirality: asymmetric carbon, axial and planar chirality. Optical activity; resolution of optically
active compounds; enantioselective and diastereoselective synthesis; enantiomeric excess; Prelog’s rule for configuration determination; Cram’s rule.

11. Organic Synthetic methods
    Condensation reactions; Aldol, Claisen, Diemann, Perkin, Knoevenagel, Stobbe, Acyloin
    Oxidation; epoxidation, dihydroxylation, periodate, chromate, permanganate, lead tetraacetate, allylic oxidation.
    Reduction; catalytic hydrogenation, metal hydrides, dissolving metal reduction.
    Organometalic, catalysis; palladium-catalyzed coupling reaction and allylic substitution; Wilkinson catalyst; alkene metathesis.

12. Pericyclic and photochemical reactions
    Photochemical reaction; singlet and triplet state; Norrish Type I and Type II. Patterno-Buchi.
    Photochemical generation of radicals.
    Pericyclic reaction; conservation of orbital symmetry; electrocyclic reactions; cycloaddition reactions, sigmatropic rearrangements.

CIVIL ENGINEERING :

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**Paper – II : Construction: Materials, Planning & Management :**


**Surveying :**

Chain surveying; Principles, Methods of linear measurement; Instruments for Chaining; Chaining tape corrections including sag corrections; Chain triangulation; Selection of stations, locating ground features; Plotting of chain survey.

Compass survey; Use of prismatic compass; Measurement of bearing, Computations of angles from bearings, Chain and Compass traversing, Plotting compass traverse;

Plane table survey; Introduction and method; Errors in plane tabling;

Leveling; Adjustment of dumpy level; Reciprocal leveling and profile leveling; Countering and interpretation of contour maps;

Theodolite Surveying and Traversing. Uses of Total Station.

Basic elements of Remote sensing and photogrammetry

**Transportation Engineering :**


Traffic surveys and their application in traffic planning. Design of intersection, rotary signals. Standard traffic signs and marking.

**Water Resources Engineering :**

Concept of storm and unit hydrograph, type of aquifers, Ground Water: Specific yield, storage coefficient, coefficient of permeability, confined and unconfined aquifers, aquitards, radial flow into a well under confined and unconfined conditions. Flood-flow estimation. Rainfall-frequency distribution and analysis. Water requirements of crops, Canals : rectangular and trapezoidal, design of lined and unlined canal, Types of dam, design, principles of design of rigid gravity & earth dams including statistical analysis, River training : Objectives and methods.

**Environmental Engineering :**


**Solid waste :** Composting and land fill methods

**Air Pollution :** Types, sources and effects, control measures – ventury, wet scrubber, Electrostatic precipitator, Cyclone.

**Noise Pollution :** Equivalent noise level, Determination of Leq.

**COMMERCE & ACCOUNTANCY :**


**Cost & Management Accounting:** Cost Concepts, Terms & Classification of Costs, Elements of Cost, Accounting for Material, Employee Cost and Overhead, Job costing, Process costing, Activity-based costing, Marginal Costing – CVP Analysis & Decision Making, Standard Costing, Budgetary Control,
Funds flow & Cash Flow Statement, Accounting Ratios.

**Taxation:**

a) Income Tax – Definitions, Residential Status & Incidence of Tax of Individual, Computation of Total Income of an individual (various heads of income and deduction from Gross Total Income), Set off & Carry Forward.

b) Indirect Tax
i) WB VAT Act, 2003: Basic concepts, features, determination of tax payable, registration of dealer.
ii) Central Sales Tax, 1956: Definition, incidence and levy of tax, exemption and exclusion, determination of turn over and tax payable, registration of dealer.

**Paper – II :**

**Indian Financial System** – Role of finance in an economy, components (instruments, markets, etc.), role of financial intermediaries, structure of Indian financial system, role of RBI, Commercial Banks and other Financial Institutions(LICI,UTI, SIDBI, SFCs, NABARD)

Money Market – structure of Indian money market, discount houses, call money market, recent trends of Indian money market

Capital Market – primary and secondary market, functionaries of stock-exchanges, concept of DMAT, role of SEBI.

**Business Laws**


iii) Companies Act, 1956 – Types of companies, Memorandum and Articles of Association, Prospectus, Promotion and Incorporation of Companies, Directors, Company Meeting, Winding up.


**Auditing** – Auditing procedures and techniques; internal control and internal audit; company audit – divisible profit, dividend and depreciation; Audit of Bank, Insurance and NGOs; Audit Report.

**Organisation Behaviour** – Nature and Concept of Organisation; organisation structure; modern concepts of organisation theory; Leadership – theories and styles; Motivation – concept & theories; Quality of Work Life – meaning and impact.

**COMPUTER SCIENCE :**

**Paper – I :**


**Paper – II :**


**ECONOMICS :**

**Paper – I :**

1. Microeconomic Theory
2. Macroeconomic Theory
3. International Trade Theory
4. Public Finance
5. Statistics and Econometrics
1. **Microeconomic Theory**
   i. Consumer Theory
   ii. Production and cost- returns to scale, short run and long run costs
   iii. Market Structure-Perfect competition, Monopoly, Monopolistic Competition, Oligopoly
   iv. General Equilibrium and Welfare (optimality of perfect competition)
   v. Marginal Productivity Theory of Distribution

2. **Macroeconomic Theory**
   i. National Income Accounting

3. **International Trade Theory**
   i. Classical — Ricardo, Neoclassical – Hecksher- Ohlin
   ii. Imperfect competition and trade , Intra-industry trade
   iii. Trade Policy—Tariff, Quota
   iv. Current and Capital Account in Balance of Payments, Fixed and Flexible exchange rate systems
   v. Open economy macroeconomics — Mundell-Fleming model

4. **Public Finance**
   a. Theory of externality and market failure
   b. Public Goods and Role of the Public Sector
   c. Budget — Different concepts
   d. Tax—indirect and direct, VAT, subsidy and transfers
   e. Public debt and its burden

5. **Statistics & Econometrics**
   1. Measures of Central Tendency & Dispersion
   2. Theory of Probability
   3. Sampling Theory
   4. Inference
   5. Econometrics—Classical Linear Regression Model

**Paper – II :**

1. **Development**
2. **The Indian Economy**
   (a) Pre-independence period
   (b) Post-independence pre-liberalisation period
   (c) Post-liberalisation period
   (d) The West Bengal Economy

1. **Development**
   (a) Process of development
      Lewis Model
      Harris Todaro Model
      Demographic change and occupational transformation
   (b) Trade and Development
      Trade as an engine of growth
   (c) Planning vs. Market Model of Development
      Poverty and Inequality
   (d) Capability and Human Development including issues of Gender
   (e) Environment and development

2. **The Indian Economy**
   (a) Pre-independence
Land system
Commercialisation of agriculture
Deindustrialisation
Drain Theory
Development of Indian Railways

(b) Post-independence
Planning models and experience till Seventh Plan
Change in composition of national income—Agriculture, Industry & Services.
Agriculture—Green Revolution
Industry—Role of Public Sector

(c) Post-Liberalisation
Changing role of Planning (from centralised to indicative, participatory and decentralised planning.)
Salient features of NEP
Progress in Reforms—1st and 2nd generation Reforms
Role of WTO & IMF
Monetary and Fiscal Policies
Poverty and inequality

(d) The West Bengal Economy—A historical perspective
i. Brief economic history of the colonial period.
ii. Economic & demographic consequences of Partition.
iii. Evolution of Land and Tenancy Reforms (1950-1980) and its economic consequence
iv. Changing composition of SDP
v. Social development indicators—health, education, environment
vi. West Bengal: in relation to other major States of India.

**ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING :**

**Paper – I :**

**Electrical Circuits and Network :**

- Circuit components, network graphs, KCL, KVL.
- Circuit analysis methods: nodal analysis/mesh analysis, basic network theorems and applications.
- Transient analysis: RL, RC and RLC circuits.
- Sinusoidal steady state analysis, resonant circuits and applications.
- Coupled circuits and applications.
  - Balanced 3-phase circuits.
  - Two-port networks.

**Signals & Systems :**

- Representation of continuous-time and discrete-time signals & systems, Analysis of signals & systems by Laplace Transform and Z-Transform, Poles & Zeros, Fourier Transform, Sampling and Reconstruction of Signals, analysis of discrete time signals by DFT and FFT.

**Field Theory :**

- Electric Field: Gauss's Integral Law, Electric Dipole Fields, Electric Polarisation and its relation to the Permittivity of Di-electric media. Gauss's Law in differential form. Poisson's and Laplace Equations in
different co-ordinates. Energy stored in Electric Field.


**Analog & Digital Electronics:**

Characteristics and equivalent circuits (large and small-signal) of Diode, BJT, JFET and MOSFET.

Diode circuits: Clipping, clamping and rectifiers.

Biasing and bias stability of BJT.

Amplifiers: Single and multi-stage, differential, operational, feed-back and power.

OPAMP circuits, Active Filters.

Sinusoidal oscillators: transistor and OPAMP configurations.

Function generators and wave-shaping circuits.

Boolean algebra; minimization of Boolean functions; logic gates.

Digital IC families (TTL,MOS,CMOS).

Combinational circuits: Arithmetic circuits, code converters, multi plexers and decoders.

Sequential circuits: latches and flip-flops, counters and shift-registers.

Comparators, timers, multivibrators.

Sample and hold circuits, ADCs and DACs.

Semiconductor memories.

Logic implementation using MUX / DMUX and programmable devices (ROM, PLA, FPGA).

**Measurement and Instrumentation:**

Error analysis, measurement of current, voltage, power, energy, power-factor, resistance, inductance, capacitance and frequency, bridge measurement, Use of CT and PT.

Electronic measuring instruments: multimeter, CRO, digital voltmeter, frequency counter, Q-meter.

Transducers: Thermocouple, thermistor, RTD, LVDT, strain-gauge, piezo-electric crystal, use of transducers in measurements of non-electrical quantities.

Data acquisition systems.

**Control System:**

Elements of control systems, block-diagram representation, open-loop & closed-loop systems, principles and applications of feed-back.

LTI systems: time-domain and transform-domain analysis.

Stability: Routh Hurwitz criterion, root loci, Nyquist’s criterion, Bode plots.

Design of lead-lag compensators.

Proportional, PI, PID controllers.

State-variable representation and analysis of control systems.

Principles of discrete-control system.

**Microprocessors and Microcontrollers:**

Microprocessor architecture, Address/Data and Control lines, Timing Diagram, Internal Registers, Interrupt mechanism (hardware/software), Memory interfacing, I/O interfacing, Programmable Peripheral devices, Microcontrollers and Embedded Processors – its architecture.
Paper – II:

**Electrical Machines:**
- Principles of electromechanical energy conversion: Torque and emf in rotating machines.
- DC machines: characteristics and performance analysis, starting and speed control of motors.
- Transformers: principles of operation, analysis, regulation, efficiency. 3-phase transformers.
- 3-phase induction machines and synchronous machines: characteristics, performance analysis, starting, speed control and braking.
- Special machines: Stepper motors, brushless DC motors, permanent magnet motors, single-phase induction motors, AC series motors.

**Power Electronics & Electric Drives:**
- Semi-conductor power devices: diode, transistor, thyristor, triac, GTO and Power MOSFET – static characteristic and principles of operation.
- Diode rectifiers, phase control rectifiers, triggering circuits.
- Bridge converters: fully-controlled and half-controlled.
- Principles of choppers and inverters.
- Basic concepts of speed control of dc and ac motor drives.
- Linear power supplies and SMPS.

**Power Systems and Protection:**
- Construction and parameters of overhead lines and underground cables, π and T models of lines, principles of active and reactive power transfer, per unit representation, load flow analysis, control of voltage, active and reactive power, frequency control, tie-line control, economic operation, analysis of symmetrical and unsymmetrical faults.
- Concept of power system stability: rotor angle stability and voltage stability, swing equation, equal area criterion.
- Line compensation, static VAR system, basic concepts of HVDC transmission and Flexible AC Transmission System (FACTS).
- Power system protection: principles of overcurrent, differential and distance protection, protection of lines, transformers, busbars and generators.
- Circuit breaker: principles of current interruption and arc quenching, restriking voltage, making capacity and breaking capacity, different types of circuit breakers.
- Introduction to energy control centre: SCADA and RTUs.
- Distribution system: radial and ringmain systems, calculation of voltage drop.

**Analog & Digital Communication:**
- Signals and Spectra: properties of Signals and Noise.
- Analog modulation Techniques: AM, FM and PM.
- Pulse Amplitude modulation and digital communication: PAM, Delta, ASK, FSK, PSK, MSK.
- Performance of communication systems corrupted by Noise: signal-to-noise ratio, C/I ratio.

**Energy Sources:**
- Present Electrical Power Scenario of West Bengal & India (Generation & Utilisation).
- Main components of Thermal and Hydel Power Plant.
- Basic theory of small Hydropower, Solar (thermal and photovoltaic), Wind & Bio-energy and other renewable sources.
Pollution from energy sources.
Energy Conservation & Storage.
Energy Management and Audit.

Electrical Utilisation & Illumination Engineering:
Electric heating. Resistance, Arc & Induction Furnaces - basic principles and application, Dielectric Heating - principles & application.
Radiometric and Photometric quantities, Laws of Illumination, Photometry.
Lamps: incandescent, discharge and solid-state types, their efficacies, features and applications.
Luminaire - its functions.
General indoor lighting design by Lumen method.

GEOGRAPHY:

Paper - I:

PRINCIPLES OF GEOGRAPHY (GROUP - A: PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY)

Geomorphology
Nature and composition of earth's crust; Structure of earth's interior; Origin, distribution and permanency of Continents and Ocean Basins; Theories of isostasy, continental drift, and plate tectonics; Earth movements - types and effects; Fundamental concepts in geomorphology; Gradational processes - weathering and masswasting; Landforms due to fluvial, glacial, aeolian, coastal and karst processes; Evolution of landscape - cyclic and non-cyclic models; Global hydrological cycle.

Climatology
Atmosphere - nature, composition and structure; Elements and factors of weather and climate; Insolation and Heat-budget; General circulation of winds, Jet Streams and Monsoons; Condensation and Precipitation; Airmass and fronts; Tropical and Extra-tropical cyclones; Thunderstorm and tornado; Climatic classification - principles and application (Koppen, Thorntwaite, Trewartha); Global climatic changes.

Oceanography
Origin of continents and ocean basins; Bottom topography of ocean basins: Indian, Pacific & Atlantic Oceans; Nature, origin and characteristics of continental shelves and slopes, submarine canyons and coral reefs and atolls; Ocean currents: Indian, Pacific and Atlantic oceans; Physical and Chemical properties of ocean water: temperature, salinity and density; TS Diagram and Watermass; Ocean Deposits; Marine Resources.

Environmental Geograhphy
Nature and composition of Biosphere; Concepts relating to Ecosystem - production and decomposition, homoeostasis, energy environment, productivity, food chain, food web, trophic structure, ecological niche, ecological pyramids, and ecological crisis; Ecosystem - principles and components; Components, Bio-energy Cycles and Biogeochemical cycles; Major Ecosystems of the world; Environmental degradation and conservation; Environmental pollution - land, water, air and noise; Natural hazards and natural disaster characteristics, mitigation and global efforts.

Cartography
The Earth as a Cartographic Problem - size and shape; co-ordinate system; scale and map projection; Principles and properties of Polar Zenithal. Conical. Cylindrical and Conventional projections (all normal case); Thematic mapping - types and techniques; Principles of Surveying and Levelling with Chain, Plane Table, Dumpy level and GPS; Remote Sensing nature and principles; Geographical Information System - evolution, components, and functionality.

GROUP - B: HUMAN GEOGRAPHY

Economic Geography
Concepts and theories of resources; Locational analysis of agriculture (intensive subsistence in monsoon lands, extensive commercial farming in temperate lands, plantation farming in the tropics and dairy farming in the temperate grasslands), lumbering, fishing, mining (coal, petroleum and iron ore), power production (hydel and nuclear) and manufacturing (iron & steel, aluminium, and cotton textile); Economic models - landuse (Von Thunen), industry (Weber, Hoover, Pred). Economic systems and
Population Geography
Factors and measures of population growth; Malthus, Neo-Malthusianism, Optimum, Social and economic, Biological and natural and Demographic transition theories of population growth; Pattern of World population growth; Migration - nature, theories and consequences on society; Population distribution - density and global pattern; Global patterns and trends of population composition (age-sex structure and occupational structure).

Social & Political Geography
Concept of space: absolute & relative; Social structure: stratification and differentiation; Social Processes; segregation, adaptation, assimilation and integration; Heartland and Rimland theories; Principles of boundaries and frontiers

Settlement Geography
Origin and Growth of Settlements; Function, morphology, types and patterns of Rural settlements; Urban growth and urbanization; Classification, functions, and morphology of towns and cities; Models of urban growth - Burgess, Hoyt, Harris and Ullman, Mann. Urban gradients and densities; Residential areas - patterns and processes; The Central Business District - characteristics, delimitation and changes; The Central Place Theory and the Ranksize rule, The Urban field and inter-urban movement.

Regional Development and Planning
Regions - concepts, types and methods of regionalization; Regional diversity and disparities in development; Regional development - role of resource base, technology and information system, agriculture and industry, transport and communication, trade and commerce; Regional development theory - Perroux and Isard; Regional planning - basic principles and types; Environmental issues in regional planning and planning for sustainable development; Planning regions - concepts and delineation; State as a planning unit and micro-level planning with special reference to India.

Paper - II:

**REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY**

**GROUP - A: GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA**

Physical Geography
Location and space relationship with neighboring countries; structure and Relief; Climate and Drainage; Soil and Natural Vegetation

Resource Base
Distribution, utilization and Conservation of Land (soil), Water (freshwater), Water Disputes interstate and neighboring countries, Mineral (iron ore, manganese, bauxite, mica), Energy (coal, oil, natural gas, and Non - Conventional sources like wind, tidal and solar power) and Biotic Resources

Economy
Indian agriculture - nature and characteristics; Development of Agriculture during the Plan periods; Green Revolution; Distribution and characteristics of cultivation of rice, wheat, jute cotton, tea, and coffee; Agricultural Regions, Industrial development and industrial policy during the Plan Period; Locational Dynamics, Growth and Development of the Iron & Steel, Aluminum, Engineering, Oil Refining, Cotton Textile, Jute, Sugar, Paper, cement and automobile industries; Growth and Development of Transport and Communication System (Road, Rail, Water, and Air); Nature and Development of Trade - national and foreign specially with the SARC and ASEAN countries; Trade Balance.

Population
Population as a Resource; Relation between Population and Socio-economic Development; Population Growth - spatial and temporal variations; Population Distribution and population - resource relationships; Population Composition and social implications age, sex, literacy, religion, and caste; Urban Growth and Urbanization - characteristics and patterns, factors and processes; Population Problems and Population Policy during the Plan periods.

**GROUP - B: GEOGRAPHY OF WEST BENGAL**

Physical Geography
Location with Geographical Personality; Physiographic Divisions - structure and relief; Climate - seasonal weather conditions; Agro-climatic regions; Drainage systems and problems; Soil - types and fertility, erosion and conservation; Natural Vegetation - types
**Resource Base**
Distribution, utilization and Conservation of Land, Water, Mineral, Energy (both Conventional and Non - Conventional) and Biotic Resources

**Economy**
Landuse - characteristics and correlates; Irrigation and Agriculture - development during the Plan periods; Rice, jute, and tea - cultivation, crop ecology, production and problems; Crop Combination Regions; Impact of Green Revolution; Industrial Regions - growth, development and problems; Trade and Transport - nature and status of development; issues of development

**Population**
Population as a Resource; Relation between Population and Socio-economic Development; Growth and Distribution (absolute, and density - crude, physiological and habitational); Population Composition - age, sex, literacy, occupation, religion, and caste; Urban Growth and Urbanisation - characteristics, patterns and factors; Population Problems and Population Policy during the Plan periods

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Description and importance of Siwalik fauna, Gondwana flora and fauna.

VI. **Stratigraphy:**
Geologic time scale, Principles of determination of absolute and relative ages of rocks and geological events. Importance of unconformities in stratigraphy.
Lithostratigraphic, biostratigraphic, magnetostratigraphic, chronostratigraphic and geochronologic units and their inter-relations.
Geological evolution of Precambrian terrains of Dharwar, Singbhum and Rajasthan.
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Texture of metamorphic rocks, metamorphic crystallization.


Regional metamorphism of pelitic and mafic rocks, and contact metamorphism of impure carbonate rocks. Metasomatism and granitisation. Migmatites. Granulite terrains of India.

IV. Sedimentology:

Processes of formation of sedimentary rocks, provenance, diagenesis and lithifaction.

Textural components; Textural parameters- porosity, permeability.

Classification of sedimentary rocks-terragenous and chemogenic. Types of fluid. Aqueous fluid flow-current and wave.

Primary sedimentary structures, their processes of formation and significance. Flow regimes, bed forms, their internal structures and fields of stability.

Facies, facies association and facies models- fluvial, deltaic and beach-barrier bar systems. Sandstone, conglomerate and limestone: definition, composition, classification.

V. Environmental Geology:

Natural hazards – earthquake, tsunami, volcanic eruption, landslides, floods, and droughts.

Impact of human activities on wetlands and forests, use of fertilizers on land.

Pollution of groundwater, surface water and ocean.

Composition of air, air pollution, effects of air pollution on human health.

Impact of mining on atmosphere, biosphere, lithosphere and hydrosphere. Industrial and radioactive waste disposal.

Environmental Protection, legislative measures, processes of mitigation.

VI. Economic Geology:

Classification of ore deposits, protore, ore, gangue, tenor and grade.

Ore forming processes: magmatic, sedimentary, metamorphic, hydrothermal and supergene. Controls of ore localization, ore textures and structures.

Metallogenic provinces and epochs.

Geology of important metallic deposits of India: chromite, copper, iron, lead-zinc, manganese and uranium-thorium.

Geology of important non-metallic deposits of India: bauxite, mica, phosphates, barite, diamond and graphite. Rock as construction material.

Raw materials used in iron and steel, cement, refractories, fertilizer industries.

Coal: its origin, chemical, macroscopic and microscopic constituents, ranks, classification, grade
and utilization. Distribution of coal in India.

Petroleum and natural gas deposits with special reference to their origin, migration and accumulation. Distribution of petroleum and natural gas in India.

Methods of mineral prospecting (geological, geophysical and geochemical), mineral beneficiation and ore dressing.

**HISTORY:**

**Paper- I :**

**ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL INDIA**

**UNIT A**

1. **Sources :**

   Archaeological Sources: Exploration, Excavation, Epigraphy, Numismatics, Monuments.

   Literary Sources: Indigenous, Biography, Religious Literature, Creative Literature, Scientific Literature, Literature in Regional Languages.

   Foreign Accounts: Greek, Roman, Chinese and Arab Writers.

2. **The Harappan Civilization :** Third to Second Millenium B.C.E

   Origin, Date, Extent, Characteristics, Decline, Survival and Significance, Art and Architecture.

3. **The Iron Age in India, Vedic Society and the Megalithic Culture:** 1500 B.C.E to 6th Century B.C.E.

   Distribution of pastoral and farming cultures outside the Harappan orbit. Early Vedic Society, Polity and Economy. Changes in the later Vedic period.

4. **Period of Mahajanapadas :**

   Formation of territorial States (Mahajanapada): Republics and Monarchies; Spread of Jainism and Buddhism; Rise of Magadha and the Nandas. Iranian and Macedonian invasions and their impact.

5. **The Mauryan Empire:**

   Foundation of the Mauryan Empire, Chandragupta, Kautilya and Arthasastra; Asoka; Concept of Dharma; Edicts; Polity, Administration; Economy; Art, Architecture and Sculpture; External contacts; Religion; Spread of religion; Literature. Disintegration of the Empire.

6. **Post-Mauryan Period**

   Northern India: The Sungs and the Kanvas, The Indo-Greeks, Sakas, Kushanas, Western Kshatrapas, Contact with the outside world; The Deccan and Southern India: The Satavahanas, Tamil States of the Sangam Age: Administration, Economy: land grants, trade guilds and urban centres; Social conditions. Culture and Religion: Rise of Mahayana Buddhism and Buddhist Centres; Literature and culture; Art and architecture and science.

7. **Guptas, Vakatakas and Vardhanas:**

   Samundra Gupta, Chandragupta-II: Gupta Polity and administration, Economic conditions, land grants, Caste system, Position of women, Education and educational institutions; Nalanda, Vikramsila and Valabhi, Creative Literature, scientific literature, art and architecture.

   Decline of the Gupta Empire; changes in Trade network, Decline of urban centres, Indian Feudalism.

8. **The Post Gupta Period and the Rise of Regional States**

   The Kadambas, Pallavas, Chalukyas, Palas, Senas, Rashtrakutas, Paramaras, Cholas, Hoysalas, Pandyas.

   Regional Polities and Administration, Local Government, Land administration, Economy, Trade Guilds.

   Religion: Proliferation of Religious Sects in Buddhism, Vaishnava and Saiva religions. Tamil Bhakti Movement, Shankaracharya; Vedanta.

   Cultural Aspects, Regional Languages and texts, Literature, Growth of art and architecture, Sculpture, Temple Architecture; Education and Literature, major philosophical thinkers and schools, ideas in Science and Mathematics.

   Arab conquest of Sind; Alberuni.
UNIT B

1. Major political developments in India during 13th to 15th Centuries:

Campaigns of Mahmud Ghazni, Muhammad of Ghor — The foundation of the Delhi Sultanate and the early Turkish Sultans — Qutbuddin Aibak to Balban — The Khalji revolution — Alauddin Khalji, conquests and economic reforms — , Muhammad-bin-Tughlaq and his projects — Firuz Tughlaq— agrarian measures, public works— Decline of the Tughlaqs.

Provincial Kingdoms — Bengal under the Iliyas Shahi and Hussain Shahi Dynasties—Bahmani and Vijaynagar Empires — Kashmir and Gujarat.

2. Society, Culture and Economy during 13th and 15th centuries:

Social and Cultural Assimilation — Sufi and Bhakti Movements—Kabir, Nanak, Chaitanya, Namdeva, Growth of Regional Languages and Literature — Nature of the State — agriculture, revenue system (iqta) trade and Commerce — art and architecture.

3. Major Political Developments in India during 16th and 18th Centuries:

Coming of the Mughals —Babur and the foundation of the Mughal Empire, — Afghan — Mughal Contest for supremacy—Humayun and Sher Shah — Consolidation of the Mughal Empire— Akbar, Jahangir and Nur Jahan, Shah Jahan and Aurangzeb — The Mughal Central State and regional powers— Rajputs, Afghans, Marathas, Sikhs, Deccan, Awadh and others. Peasants in Revolt — Jat, Satnami etc. Later Mughals — Fall and Disintegration of the Empire —Rise of the Regional States — Bengal, Hyderabad, Awadh and the Marathas.

4. Society, Culture and Economy during 16th and 18th centuries:

Administrative System- Sher Shah to Akbar, Jagir and Mansabdari systems, — Evolution of religion under the Mughals — Sulh-i-Kul and Din-i-Illahi — Mughal art, architecture, painting, music and literature, Mughal economy and Society—Condition of the peasants — urbanisation —trade and commerce and the mercantile classes — Coming of the European merchants and ‘trade revolution’.

MODERN INDIA AND THE WORLD

UNIT A

1. European Penetration and Rise of British power in India:

• The early European Settlements in India in the 17th and 18th centuries - The Anglo - French rivalry.
• The British East India Company and the Bengal Nawabs - the EIC as sovereign ruler of Bengal (From Plassey to Buxar), Grant of Dewani.
• British relations with and subjugation of the other principal Indian powers - Oudh, Hyderabad, Marathas, the Sikhs, and Mysore.

2. Indian economy under the British Colonial Rule:-

(A) Impact of Colonial rule on Indian agrarian economy:-

• Land revenue settlements– Permanent, Ryotwari and Mahalwari Settlements.
• Economic Impact of revenue settlements – Commercialization and its consequences.
• Rural Indebtedness and growth of landless labour.
• Famine and poverty.

(B) Changing nature of India’s trade and industry under the colonial rule:-

• Dislocation of traditional trade and commerce
• De-industrialization - decline of village industries and town handicrafts
• Railways
• Growth of Foreign capital and rise of modern industries.

3. Indian Society in transition: Cultural Encounter and Socio-cultural changes:

• Introduction of western education and modern ideas
• Reform movements - Ram Mohan Roy, Brahmo Samaj, Young Bengal, Vidyasagar, Arya Samaj, Vivekananda and Ramkrishna Mission.
• Women’s Question and Indian Reformers
• The Growth of modern vernacular literature, press and public opinion, growth and spread of scientific ideas.
• The Faraizi and Wahabi movements; The Aligarh movement, Deoband School.
• Social Reform movements in the late 19th and early 20th centuries (including depressed caste movements) - a broad overview.

4. Resistance to the British rule:
• Early uprisings against the British rule in 18th and 19th centuries (1757 - 1856) with special reference to Bengal and eastern India.
• The Revolt of 1857 - genesis, course, character, causes of its failure and its impact.
• The Act of 1858 and the establishment of the British Raj.

5. Growth of Nationalism (1858 - 1918):
Factors leading to birth of Indian Nationalism - Early Political Associations - The foundation of the Indian National Congress (1885) - The Safety-valve thesis - Programme and objectives of the early Congress - Economic Nationalism and Drain Theory - The moderates and the extremists - the Partition of Bengal (1905) - The Swadeshi Movement in Bengal and other provinces - the economic, cultural and political aspects of Swadeshi movement.

Rise of Gandhi - Character of Gandhian nationalism - the Rowlatt Satyagraha - The Khilafat - the Non Co-operation movement - Simon Commission, Nehru Report and Round Table Conferences - Civil Disobedience Movement - Quit India Movement.
The Left: The Left within the Congress and Jawaharlal Nehru - Subhas Chandra Bose and the INA - the Congress Socialist Party - the Communist Party of India - other left parties.
The Peasant Movement.
The Working Class and Trade Union Movements.
Women’s organisations, development of women issues and the role of women in nationalistic movement.
The Peoples’ Movement in Princely States.
The Post - War upsurge
Growth of Muslim Separatism - Rise of Muslim League - Demand for Pakistan
Hindu Nationalism
Depressed Classes and caste politics with special reference to the role of B. R. Ambedkar.
Communalism, British Policy, Partition and Independence.

The Regulating Act, Pitt’s India Act and the Charter Acts.

8. Consolidation as a Nation after 1947:
Framing of the Indian Constitution - Integration of Princely States - the question of National Language - the linguistic reorganisation of States, making of India’s foreign policy - Non-alignment and the Third World - India and her neighbours.

UNIT B

01. Enlightenment and Modern Ideas:
(i) Major ideas of enlightenment ; and its impact
(ii) French Revolution and its aftermath: 1789 - 1815
(iii) The American War of Independence (1776). The American civil War

02. Industrialization:
03. Nationalism:
(i) Rise of nation states in Europe: Italy & Germany.

04. Imperialism, Colonialism and War:
(i) Capitalism, imperialism, scramble for colonies.
(ii) Origins and impact of the First World War
(iii) Making of the Russian Revolution & establishment of a Socialist State.

05. World history from 1919 to 1945:
(i) League of Nations, collective security.
(ii) Rise of Nazism and Fascism : Germany, Italy & Japan.
(iii) Second World War: Causes and consequences.

06. Asia and Africa after World War II:
(i) Chinese Revolution of 1949
(ii) Nationalist movements and decolonization in South and South East Asia.
(iii) Changes in Africa: Egypt and South Africa, End of Apartheid.

07. Cold War & Global scenario:
(i) Origins and Growth of cold War
(ii) UNO and global disputes - Korea, Congo, Cuban crisis.
(iii) Emergence of Third World and NAM

08. Collapse of Soviet Union
(i) Disintegration of the Soviet Union: Causes & Consequences
(ii) End of the Cold War
(iii) Political Changes in Eastern Europe.

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MATHEMATICS:

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| (2) Real Analysis I: | Real number system as an ordered field with least upper bound property; Sequences, limit of a sequence, Cauchy sequence, completeness of real line; Series and its convergence, absolute and conditional convergence of series of real and complex terms, rearrangement of series. Open sets, limit points, closed sets. Bolzano-Weierstrass theorem. Functions of a real variable, limits, continuity. Intermediate value theorem. Differentiability, Rolle's theorem, mean-value theorem. Higher order differentiation, Leibnitz' formula, Taylor's theorem with remainders. L'Hospital's rule. Maxima and minima; asymptotes; envelopes. |
| (4) Analytic Geometry: | Cartesian and polar coordinates in two and three dimensions. Transformation of rectangular axes. Straight lines. |
Conic sections: Circle, parabola, ellipse, hyperbola and pair of straight lines. Second degree equations in two variables, reduction to canonical forms and classification of conics. Tangents and normals to conic sections.

Planes in three dimension; shortest distance between two skew lines. Second degree equations in three variables, reduction to canonical forms. Sphere, cone, cylinder, paraboloid, ellipsoid, hyperboloid of one and two-sheets: tangent planes and normals. Surfaces of revolution.

(5) Differential Equations:
Formulation of differential equations; Equations of first order and first degree, integrating factor; Orthogonal trajectory; Equations of first order but not of first degree, Clairaut's equation, singular solution.

Second and higher order linear equations with constant coefficients, complementary function, particular integral and general solution.

Second order linear equations with variable coefficients, Euler-Cauchy equation; Determination of complete solution when one solution is known using method of variation of parameters.

Laplace and Inverse Laplace transforms and their properties; Laplace transforms of elementary functions. Application to initial value problems for 2nd order linear equations with constant coefficients.


(6) Statics:
Equilibrium of a system of coplanar forces, Astatic equilibrium; Stability of equilibrium, equilibrium of forces in three dimensions. Work and potential energy, friction; Principle of virtual work.

(7) Particle Dynamics:

Paper – II:

(1) Classical Algebra
Complex numbers; de Moivre's theorem; complex functions.
Inequalities AM ≥ GM ≥ HM and their generalizations. Cauchy Schwarz inequality.

(2) Abstract Algebra
Sets and relations; equivalence relations.
Groups, subgroups, cyclic groups, cosets, Lagrange's Theorem, normal subgroups, quotient groups, homomorphism of groups, basic isomorphism theorems, permutation groups, Cayley's theorem.
Rings, subrings and ideals, homomorphisms of rings; Integral domains, principal ideal domains, Euclidean domains and unique factorization domains; Polynomial Rings. Fields, quotient fields. Finite fields Zp, for prime p.

(3) Multivariate Calculus & Vector Analysis
Vector valued functions of one real variable. Continuity and differentiability. Velocity and acceleration.
Double and triple integrals; Areas and volumes.

(4) Metric Space & Complex Analysis:
Extended complex plane, stereographic projection.
Differentiability of complex functions; Cauchy-Riemann equations, Analytic functions, harmonic functions; relation between analytic and harmonic functions.
(5) Numerical Analysis and Computer programming:


Solution of algebraic and transcendental equations of one variable by bisection, fixed point iteration; Regula-Falsi and Newton-Raphson methods; solution of system of linear equations by Gaussian elimination and Gauss-Seidel (iterative) methods.

Numerical integration: Trapezoidal rule, Simpson's 1/3rd rule, Gaussian quadrature formula.


Computer Programming: Positional number system, Binary, Octal, Decimal and Hexadecimal systems; Binary arithmetic, Conversion to and from decimal systems.

Algorithms and flow charts: important features, ideas about complexities of algorithm, applications in simple problems.

Boolean algebra: Huntington postulates for Boolean algebra, algebra of sets and switching algebra as examples of Boolean algebra, duality principle, disjunctive normal and conjunctive normal forms of Boolean expressions. Design of simple switching circuit.

Programming using C.

(6) Probability & Statistics:


Bivariate samples. Sample correlation co-efficient. Least square regression lines and parabolas.


(7) Linear Programming:

Linear programming problems, Graphical method of solutions; hyperspace, convex sets, extreme points. Basic solution, basic feasible solution and optimal solution; Fundamental theorem of LPP; Simplex method; Duality.

Transportation and assignment problems.

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Leadership---Theories, Approaches-Power and Authority
Coordination - Definition - Characteristics- Objectives - Principles – Techniques
Controlling --Control Process, Requirements for effective Control, Critical Control Standards and Techniques, Maintenance vs. Crisis Management, Overall Control Process

**UNIT IV** ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOUR

Foundations of Individual Behaviour-- Personality, Perception, Learning, Attitudes & values
Foundations of Group Behaviour--Group Process, Group Tasks, Types, Group Development
Conflict Management – Management of Change

**UNIT V** RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

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5. IC Engine:  a) S.I and C.I engines - basic principles of working, differences and applications, indicator diagram.

      b) 2-stroke and 4-stroke engines: working principles and simple engine performance calculations involving $\eta_{thermal}$, $\eta_{mechanical}$ etc.

      c) Combustion process, Basic idea about knocking and detonation. Cetane and Octan numbers.

      d) Carburation and Fuel injection - description only.

      e) Exhaust gas analysis: ORSAT analysis.


6. Heat Transfer:
   a) Fourier’s law of heat conduction. Derivations of unsteady 2-D heat conduction equation.

      Numerical problems involving 1-D equation. Concept of Bi-number.

   b) Steady state heat conduction in extended surface - derivation of related equation and simple problems.

   c) Basic concept of free and forces convections - concept and significance of Nusselt number, Reynolds number and Grashof number.

      Simple problems with the help of empirical convection correlation for heat transfer.

   d) Heat exchangers - types and use, Efficiency.

      Concept of LMTD and NTU method for parallel flow and counter flow heat exchangers - simple problems using LMTD method only.


   f) Refrigeration cycles and system components, Choice of Refrigerants, Problems related to performance, COP of refrigeration system.

   g) Airconditioning - system components and general description.

      Comfort indices. Cooling load calculation using psychrometric chart.

7. Fluid Mechanics:
   a) Newton’s law of viscosity: statement and simple problems.

   b) Hydrostatic force on submerged flat plate - simple problems


   d) Application of Bernoulli’s principle in simple engineering systems.

   e) Head loss in pipe, Darcy - Weisbach equation, Friction factor as function of Reynolds number and relative roughness, Minor loss, Simple system head loss calculations

   f) Dimensional analysis - various dimensionless quantities, problems involving model tests and their use in prototype performance prediction.

   g) Different types of pumps and their applications, Concept of specific speed, System curve and Pump performance curves – operating point.
8. Power plant:
   a) Thermal and Hydraulic Power plant components - description only.
   b) Different types of hydraulic and steam turbines and their areas of application.
   c) Modern High pressure, high duty boilers - description.
   d) I.D., F.D and balanced draft boilers - description and simple problems, Dust removal systems - description only.
   e) Heat balance, Station and plant heat rates, Plant load factor, Load curve; Station economics - simple problems.

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4. Humanism; Secularism; Multiculturalism.
7. Levels of Mind; Proofs for the existence of the unconscious; Freud’s theory of dream, citta, cittavṛtti (Yoga).

Ethics and Philosophy of Religion

8. Standards of Morality: Utilitarianism (Bentham and Mill), Deontological Theories.
11. Feminism: Liberal and Radical.
13. Theories of Punishment; Capital Punishment.
14. Terrorism and Just war.
15. Indian Ethics : Puruṣārtha, Concept of Liberation, Anuvrata and Mahāvrata (Jainism), Brahmavihāra (Buddhism).
16. Proofs for the existence of God: Descartes, St. Anselm, Naiyāyikas.
17. Religion without God, Religion and Morality.

PHYSIOLOGY:

Paper – I:

1. **Biophysical Principles**:
   Definition and example of osmosis and buffers; Definition of pH.
2. **Biochemical Principles**:
   Definition and chemistry of monosaccharides, oligosaccharides, polysaccharides, triglycerides, cholesterol, HDL, LDL, VLDL; amino acids, nucleotides.
3. **Metabolism**:
   Glycolysis, TCA Cycle, β-oxidation, deamination, transamination.
4. **Nutrition & Dietetics**:
   Definition of food groups, Balanced diet and ACU. Source, functions and deficiency symptoms of vitamin A, B₁, B₂, B₁₂, C, D, E, and Fe, Zn, Na, K, Ca, I.
5. **Blood**: Formed elements of blood, functions of hemoglobin; plasma protein. ABO and Rh Blood groups. Overview of innate and acquired immunity.

6. **Heart and circulation**: Properties of cardiac muscle, cardiac cycle, definition and determination of cardiac output, normal ECG waves.

7. **Respiratory System**: Carriage of oxygen and carbondioxide, definition of lung volumes and capacities, hypoxia.

8. **Renal Physiology**: Structure of nephron, formation of urine, non excretory functions of kidney.

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**Paper II**

1. **Nerve-Muscle Physiology**: Structure and functions of skeletal muscle & nerve fibre, classification of nerve fibres, neuromuscular junction, neuromuscular transmission, synaptic transmission, origin and propagation of nerve impulse, degeneration and regeneration in nerve fibres.

2. **Nervous system**: Basic anatomical organization of the neurons system, ascending and descending tracts, reflex arc, classification and properties of reflexes, functions of sympathetic and parasympathetic neurons system, sleep, memory, learning and aphasia.

3. **Sensory physiology**: Eye-structure of retina, accommodation, myopia, hypermetropia and astigmatism; Ear-structure of middle and inner ear, transmission of sound wave through ear; structure of taste buds and smell receptors.

4. **Skin and body temperature regulation**: structure and functions of skin and sweat glands, neural and hormonal control of body temperature.

5. **Endocrine system**: structure and functions of pituitary, thyroid, parathyroid, pancreas and adrenal gland diseases associated with hypo and hypersecretion of these glands.

6. **Reproductive physiology**: Histology of testis and ovary, spermatogenesis, ovulation, menstrual cycle.

7. **Work physiology**: Definition of $O_2$ debt, $O_2$max, static work, dynamic work and physical fitness index (PFI), Body Mass Index (BMI).

8. **Environmental and social physiology**: Air, water and noise pollution, mass immunization, ORS and concept of safe drinking water.

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**PHYSICS**

**Paper I**

1. **Mechanics**:

   Generalised coordinate, degrees of freedom. Lagrange’s and Hamilton’s equations- simple applications. Hamilton’s principle.


2. **Special Relativity**: Michelson-Morley experiment. Lorentz transformation, length contraction, time dilation, addition of velocities. Doppler effect, relativistic kinematics, mass energy relation. Four vector and covariance.

3. **Waves and Oscillations**:

   b) Waves: Equation of progressive wave, wave packets, phase and group velocities. Stationary waves, reflection and refraction from Huygen’s principle.


   Fraunhofer diffraction – single slit, double slit, diffraction grating. Fresnel diffraction, Zone plate.
4. Electricity and Magnetism:


5. Thermodynamics:


Paper – II:

1. Quantum Mechanics:


2. Statistical Physics:


3. Nuclear and Particle Physics:

Basic nuclear properties - size, binding energy, angular momentum, parity, magnetic moment; Semi-empirical mass formula and applications, mass parabolas; Shell model of the nucleus successes and limitations; Violation of parity in beta decay; Q-value of nuclear reactions; Nuclear fission and fusion, energy production in stars;

Classification of elementary particles and their interactions; Conservation laws;

4. Solid State Physics:

Crystalline and amorphous structure of matter; Different crystal systems. Methods of determination of crystal structure; X-ray diffraction; Band theory of solids-conductors, insulators and semiconductors; Magnetism; dia, para and ferromagnetism; Elements of superconductivity,

5. Electronics:


Political Science:

Western Political Thought - Plato, Aristotle, Machiavelli, Rousseau, Bentham, J. S. Mill, Marx.

Indian Political Thought - Kautilya, Rammohan Roy, Vivekananda, Syed Ahmed Khan, Rabindranath, Gandhi, Ambedkar.

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**Public Administration and International Relations**

**Group - A**

**Public Administration**

Theories of Administration - Scientific Management, Classical Theory, Weber’s theory of bureaucracy, Riggian Model of Echological Approach to Public Administration.

Forms of Public Organizations - Ministries and Departments; Corporations, Boards and Commissions.

Principles of Organization - (a) Hierarchy (b) Unity of Command (c) Span of Control (d) Authority (e) Centralization, Decentralization and Delegation, (f) Line and Staff.

Processes of administration - (a) Decision - making and Policy Formulation (b) Communication and Control (c) Leadership (d) Co-ordination.

Accountability and Control - Legislative, Executive and Judicial Control over administration; Role of Civil Society; Public opinion and Media; Right to Information; Administrative Corruption; Grievance Redressal Machineries like Ombudsman.

Development Administration - Evolution of the Concept; Basic features.

Control of Public Expenditure - Parliamentary Control, Control of Parliamentary Committees;

Indian Administration - Continuity and Charge - brief historical outline.
Recruitment and Training of Civil Servants in India - Role of Union and State Public Service Commissions and Training Institution.

Organization of the Union Government in India - PMO, Cabinet Secretariat, Secretariat Administration.

Organization of the State Governments in India - Chief Secretary - Relationship between Secretariats and Directorates.

District Administration in India - Changing role of District Officers, Sub-divisional Officers & Block Officer; their interfaces with Local Self Government.

**Group-B**

**International Relations**

Some Basic Concepts of International Relations - (a) Balance of Power (b) Collective Security (c) Bipolarity and Unipolarity (d) Neo-Colonialism (e) Globalization.

Foreign Policy - Concept and Techniques; Determinants of foreign policy. Evolution of World Politics - League of Nations; United Nations; Cold War; Detente; Collapse of the Soviet Union; Regional Integrations; International Terrorism.

Non-Alignment - Evolution of the Movement and Role of India.

Major Issues in Indian Foreign Policy - Sino-Indian relations, Indo-Pak conflicts and the liberation of Bangladesh, developments in Sri Lanka, Indian role in promoting regional cooperation through S.A.A.R.C., the Kashmir question and India becoming a nuclear power. India and South East Asia; India’s relations with U.S.A., China, Japan & Russia. India on the question of nuclear weapon. India and the U.N. system-India's role in U.N. peace keeping and global disarmament. India and the emerging international economic order.

Recent Global Issues - Egypt, Lebanon and Lybia.

**PSYCHOLOGY :**

**Paper – I :**

Basic psychological processes and development

**Scope and Methods of Psychology** - Biological basis of behaviour

2. **Cognitive Processes:**

A) Sensation: attributes of sensation, psychophysics (weber-Fechner Law), Methods of Psychophysics

B) Attention: determinants of attention, fluctuation of attention, selectivity of attention

C) Perception: Movement, space, depth and time perception, perceptual organization, Gestalt View

3. **Learning** : Conditions of Learning

- Theory of classical conditioning
- Theory of operant conditioning
- Trial and error theory
- Theory of insight learning
- Programmed learning

4. **Memory**: Encoding, storage, retrieval

- Types of Memory (STM & LTM, ICONIC, Echoic & Procedural)
- Forgetting curve
- Theories of forgetting

5. **Motivation and Emotion**: Physiological and psychological basis of motivation and emotion

- Intrinsic and extrinsic motivation - factors influencing intrinsic motivation
- Theories of motivation - Maslow, Mcclelland
- Theories of Emotion - James-Lange Theory, Canon-Bard and Schachter-Singer Theory
- Effects of Motivation and emotion on behaviour

6. **Intelligence**

- Spearman's two factor theory
- Thurstone’s theory
- Guilford's structure of intellect
- Gardner’s theory

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- Piaget's theory of cognitive development ~ Problem solving
- Creative thinking - Nature and stages

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- Definition of attitude, values and interests
- Value - concept, development and measurement
- Attitude - formation, measurement and change concept
- Stereotype, prejudice, discrimination
- Measurement, reduction of prejudice

9. **Interest - concept and measurement**

10. **Development of behaviour : From birth to adolescence**
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- Emotional development
- Moral development
- Social development

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| - Stress & health - nature, types, causes and consequence of stress |
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| - Schizophrenia |
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| - Client centered therapy |

| **6.** Organizational psychology |
| - Personal selection, job analysis methods |
| - Job Satisfaction |
| - Theories of motivation, Herzberg, Alderfer |
| - Conflict in organization - sources, types |
| - Organizational culture and climate |
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| - Group versus team - Influence of primary and secondary group on society |
| - Structure and functions of group |
leadership - characteristics of a good leader with special reference to trans actual and transformational leadership

8. Social problems
   - Problems of social integration caste, class and religion
   - Delinquency and crime
   - Psychosocial problems related to old age

9. Application of Psychology to different fields
   a) Rehabilitation - concept, primary, secondary and tertiary prevention
   b) Education - Psychology, principles underlying effective teaching-learning
   c) Motivating and training people for entrepreneurship and economic development

10. Psychology and Methodology
    - Normal probability curve
    - Parametric and non-parametric statistics - characteristics
    - Hypothesis formation
    - Research variables and their control
    - Techniques of sampling

SOCIOLOGY:

Paper - I:

Fundamentals of Sociology:
   a) Modernity and social changes in Europe and emergence of Sociology.
   b) Scope of the subject and comparison with other social sciences.
   c) Sociology and common sense.

Pathfinders of Sociology:
   a) Karl Marx - Historical materialism, mode of production, alienation, class struggle.
   b) Emile Durkheim, Social fact, collective consciousness and social solidarity, suicide, religion and society.
   c) Max Weber - Social action, ideal types, types of authority and bureaucracy. Protestant ethic and the spirit of capitalism.
   d) Simmel : Formal Sociology : Forms & Types; Subjective & Objective Culture, Money; Metropolis.
   e) Contemporary interpretations of Modern Sociology:
      Talcot Parsons - Social system and its four major problems, pattern variables.
      Robert K. Merton - Latent and manifest function and dysfunction, conformity and deviance, reference groups.
   g) Individual & groups: Personality & Socialization, classification of groups & their contemporary significance.

Inequality, Stratification & Mobility:
   a) Concepts - equality, inequality, hierarchy, exclusion, poverty and deprivation.
   b) Social mobility - open and closed systems, types of mobility, sources and consequences of mobility.

Economy & Society:
   a) Social aspects of production, distribution, exchange & consumption, Social organization of work in different types of Society - slave society, feudal society, industrial / capitalist society, post - industrial society.
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**Approaches to the study of Indian Society:**
Indological (Ghurye); Structural-functional (Srinivas); Marxist / Dialectical (Desai); Dalit (Ambedkar).

**Major Social Groups:**
Religious groups, linguistic and regional groups, castes & tribes.

**Some Major Institutions:**
Marriage, family, kinship patterns and changes affecting those; gender socialization; division of labour and economic interdependence, decision-making, centres of power and political participation; religion and society; Education, inequality, social change, contemporary trends.

**Social Inequality:**
Nature and types; traditional concepts of hierarchy, caste and class; the Backward Classes; concepts of equality and social justice in relation to traditional hierarchies; education, occupation; changing patterns of stratification.

**Social change in modern India:**
Westernization, Sanskritisation and secularization; directed and undirected change; legislative and executive measures; social reforms; social movements; industrialization & urbanization; associations and pressure groups.

**Women & children:**
Demographic profile of women; special problems - dowry, atrocities, discrimination; existing programmes for women and their impact. Situational analysis of children; child welfare programmes.

**Globalisation & ecological crisis in India:**
Ecological and Environmental movements in India.

**Social problems in India:**
1) Poverty in rural and urban areas,
2) Child labour,
3) Problem of youth,
4) Drug addiction,
5) Juvenile delinquency,
6) Problems relating to old age,
7) Population problem,
8) Mass illiteracy,
9) Problem of violence.

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**STATISTICS:**

**Paper – I:**

**Probability theory:**

Definition of probability: Classical and relative-frequency approach to probability, Kolmogorov’s Axiomatic definition (detailed discussion on discrete space only), limitations of Classical definition. Probability of union and intersection of events, Conditional probability and Independence of events, Bayes’ Theorem and its applications

Random Variables : Definition of discrete and continuous random variables, cumulative distribution function (c.d.f.) and its properties (with proof), probability mass function (p.m.f.) and probability density function (p.d.f.), Expectation and Moments, Joint distribution of two random variables, marginal and conditional distributions, Statistical Independence.

Convergence in Probability, Weak Law of Large Numbers and its applications, Convergence in Distribution, Chebyshev’s inequality, Statement of Central Limit Theorem (i.i.d. case) & its applications.

**Statistical Inference:**

Point & Interval Estimations and Testing of Hypothesis:
Point estimation: Requirements of a good estimator – notions of Mean Square Error, Consistency, Unbiasedness: Minimum Variance Unbiasedness and Best Linear Unbiasedness. Sufficiency and factorization theorem, Rao-Balckwellisation, Methods of estimation- moments, least square, maximum likelihood and minimum chi-square

Elements of Hypothesis Testing : Null and Alternative hypotheses, Simple and Composite hypotheses, Critical Region, Type I and Type II Errors, Level of Significance and Size, p-value, Power. MP and UMP tests, Neyman Pearson lemma, Likelihood ratio tests.

Interval Estimation: Confidence intervals, Concepts of Uniformly Most Accurate (UMA) confidence sets, relationship with tests of hypotheses.

**Multivariate Analysis:**

Multivariate data – multiple regression, multiple correlation and partial correlation – their properties and related results.
Random Vector: Probability mass and density functions, Distribution Function, Mean vector and Dispersion matrix, Marginal and Conditional Distributions, Ellipsoid of Concentration, Multiple Regression, Multiple Correlation, Partial Correlation, Multinomial and Multivariate Normal Distributions.

**Sample Survey:**
Concepts of a Finite Population and a Sample, Need for Sampling, Complete Enumeration and Sample Surveys.

**Analysis of variance and Design of Experiments:**
Heterogeneity and Analysis of Variance and Covariance, Linear Hypothesis, Orthogonal splitting of total variation, applications of the ANOVA technique to: one-way classified data, two-way classified data with equal number of observations per cell (fixed effects model only).

Principles of experimental design: Randomization, Replication and Local Control, Uniformity trials, Shapes and Sizes of Plots and Blocks.
Standard Designs and their Analyses: Completely Randomized Design (CRD), Randomized Block Design (RBD) and Latin Square Design. Factorial Designs- $2^2$ and $2^3$ experiments.

**Industrial Statistics:**
Process Control: Control Charts and their uses, Choice of Subgroup sizes, Construction of control charts by attributes ($p$, $c$, $np$) (including unequal subgroup size) and variables ($X$, $R$). Interpretation of non-random patterns of points.
Product Control: Producer’s Risk, Consumer’s Risk, Acceptance Sampling Plan, Single and Double sampling plans by attributes, their OC, ASN (and ATI), LTPD and AOQL, Sequential sampling plan- OC and ASN.

Concept of Reliability, failure rate and reliability functions, reliability of series and parallel systems.

**Economic Statistics:**
Index Numbers: Price, Quantity and Value indices.
Price Index Numbers: Construction, Uses, Limitations, Tests for index numbers, Various formulae and their comparisons, Chain Index Number.

Some Important Indices: Consumer Price Index, Wholesale Price Index and Index of Industrial Production – methods of construction and uses.

Measurement of income inequality: Gini’s coefficient, Lorenz curves, Application of Pareto and Lognormal as income distributions.

**Population Statistics:**
Introduction: Sources of Population Data – Census data, Registration data and the errors in such data. Rates and ratios of vital events.

Measurements of Mortality: Crude Death rate, Specific Death Rate, Standardized death Rate, Case fatality rate and Cause of Death Rate, Infant Mortality Rate, Neonatal and Perinatal Mortality Rates.

Life tables: Descriptions of Complete and Abridged Life Tables and their uses, Cohort vs. Current Life Tables, Stable population and Stationary population, Construction of complete life table from population and death statistics.

Measurements of Fertility: Crude Birth Rate, General Fertility Rate, Age Specific Fertility Rate, Total Fertility Rate. Growth Curve models.

**Time Series Analysis:**
Introduction: Examples of time series from various fields, Components of a time series, Additive and Multiplicative models.

Trend and Seasonal Components: Estimation of trend by linear filtering (simple and weighted moving-averages) and curve fitting (polynomial, exponential), Estimation of seasonal component by ratio to moving-average method, ratio to trend method, some special processes:- Moving Average process, Auto Regressive processes of orders one and two, Exponential smoothing method of forecasting.

**Linear Programming:** Formulation of LP problems, Simple LP model and its graphical solution, Simplex algorithm.

**Official statistics:**
The Statistical system in India: The Central and State Government organizations, the functions of the Central Statistical Organization (CSO), National Sample Survey Organization (NSSO) and West Bengal Bureau of Applied Economics and Statistics.

National Income statistics: Income, expenditure and production approaches. Their applications in various sectors in India.

**ZOOLOGY:**

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02. Outline classifications of Porifera to Hemichordata up to classes.  
03. Classification of chordata upto orders. |
| **Non Chordata** | Locomotion in Protozoa Annelida, Insecta & Mollusca,  
Excretion and Osmoregulation in Annelida, Arthropoda & Mollusca.  
Sense organs in Mollusca and Arthropoda. |
| **Specialized Features:** | Conjugation in ciliates  
Polymorphism in Siphonophora  
Coral reefs: types and formation  
Evolutionary position of Onychophora, Limulus  
Social Organisation in insects – Honey bee & Termites |
| **Chordata** | **Specialized Features:** | Ciliary mode of feeding in lower chordates.  
Integumentary derivatives in mammals.  
Comparative anatomy of heart, aortic arches & Kidney  
Respiratory structure and function in fish, bird and mammals.  
Ruminant stomach. |
Evolutionary position of Sphenodon and Monotremata

Poison apparatus, Biting mechanism and types of poison in snakes.

Retrogressive metamorphosis, Neoteny and paedogenesis.

Migration of Birds

Aerodynamics in birds flight.

Echolocation in Chiroptera and Caetacea

**Group C:** Ecology, Biodiversity and Ethology

Energy flow, Population Dynamics — Growth forms, mortality, natality, population density regulation.

Niche concept and resource Partitioning

Ecological succession.

**Pollution:** Greenhouse effect, Pollutants types and nature. Acute and chronic toxicity due to air and water pollution.

Innate and learned behaviour, FAP (Fixed Action Plan), Selfishness, Co-operation, Altruism and Kinship

**Biodiversity:** Definition, Levels, values, in-situ and Ex-situ conservation, Hot spots, megadiversity countries, Biopiracy.

Wildlife management strategies with reference to Tiger, Rhino and Elephant,

Elementary concept on remote sensing for sustainable diversity.

Systematics and Quantitative Biology

Codes of Zoological nomenclature, species concept, phenetics and cladistics.

Measure of Central Tendency, Probability, Student t test Chi square, ANOVA, Goodness of fit.

**Paper – II:**

**Group A:** Short/objective questions.

This group will cover the whole content of the Paper (II)

**Group B:**

**Cell Biology & Genetics:**

Ultra structure & functioning of — Plasmamembrane, Golgi complex, Mitochondria, ER, Lysosome, Chromosome, Nucleosome, Cell cycle.

Allele: Types, ABO blood group, Bombay phenotype, 3 point chromosome mapping in diploid with problems. Autosomal & sex linked inheritance in Drosophila & Man, Sex determinations in Drosophila & Man. Replication, Transcription and m RNA processing & Translation in prokaryots. Operon concept – Lac & Tryptophan, Mutations & Mutagenesis, Down, Klinefelter and Turner syndrome, Albinism, Sickle cell anemia, Thalassemia, Recombinant DNA : Vector, Principle of cloning, Restriction Endonucleases
Transgenic animals. Role of protooncogene & Tumor Suppressor Genes. Human Genome Project.

**Histology & Endocrinology:**


**Physiology & Biochemistry:** Enzymes: Classes, kinetics and factors affecting enzyme action.

Osmoregulation: Types and mechanism in aquatic vertebrates.


Principles and use of instruments – Spectrophotometer, TLC, RAPD, RFLP, PCR, ELISA, DNA fingerprinting.

**Group C:**

**Developmental Biology**


**Evolution & adaptation:**


Evolution: Elephant, Horse & Man.

Hardy Weinberg equilibrium and factors affecting it.

Fossilization, Zoogeographical realms, continental drift, Adaptive features of Aquatic, Volant and desert animals. Mimicry and colouration.

**Economic Zoology:** Pisciculture, Apiculture, Sericulture & Poultry. Types of cattle breed in India. Common pests of paddy, wheat and jute – damage & control, IPM.

**Parasitology & Immunology:** Morphology, Life-cycle, Pathogenicity and control of *Plasmodium, Leishmania, Taenia, Fasciola, Ancylostoma & Wuchereria*. Immunoglobulin classification, T & B cell cooperation. T cell receptors, cytokines, complements. Antigen-antibody reaction. Principles and importance of vaccination. Pathophysiology of Tuberculosis, Types of virus.