

MODEL EXAMINATION – JANUARY – 2020

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE (CODE 087)

STD: IX

DATE: 06/01/2020

MARKS: 80

TIME: 3 Hrs.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- i) The question paper has 35 questions in all.
 - ii) Questions from serial number 1 to 20 are objective type questions. Each question carries one mark. Answer them as instructed.
 - iii) Questions from serial number 21 to 28 are 3 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 80 words each.
 - iv) Questions from serial number 29 to 34 are 5 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 120 words each.
 - v) Question number 35 is a map question of 6 marks with two parts – 35 a. from History (2 marks) and 35b from Geography (4 marks).
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SECTION - A

1. Which two new crops were introduced by farmers in England to retain the fertility of the soil?

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Identify this personality and his political party.

3. Who was the ruler of France during the Revolution?

4. A tax levied by the church, comprising one-tenth of the agricultural produce is called -----.
5. Socialist encouraged private property and accepted the monarchical rule. Agree/ Disagree. Give any one reason.
6. With which country do states of Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, West Bengal and Sikkim have common frontiers?
7. Monsoon arrives in India approximately in -----.
- a) Early May b) Early July c) Early June d) Early August
8. Define Oxbow lakes with the diagram.
9. A large proportion of children in a population are a result of -----.
10. Complete the following table with correct information with regard to the Vegetation of India.

VEGETATION	CLIMATE	FLORA	FAUNA	REGION
TROPICAL EVERGREEN FOREST	Warm and wet throughout the year	? ½	Elephants and Monkeys	? ½

11. Here is a false statement. Identify the mistake and rewrite correctly based on what you have read in the chapter.

Members of the Constituent Assembly of India held the same views on all provisions of the Constitution.

12. Here is some information about four countries. Based on this information, how would you classify each of these countries? Write 'Democratic', 'Undemocratic' or 'not sure' against each of these.

a. COUNTRY A: People who do not accept the country's official religion do not have a right to vote.

b. COUNTRY B : The same party has been winning elections for the last twenty years.

c. COUNTRY C: Ruling party has lost in the last three elections.

d. COUNTRY D: There is no independent election commission.

13.



Spot the reference to political event in this advertisement?

14. What does democratic mean?

15. Match the following items given in Column A with those in columns B. Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

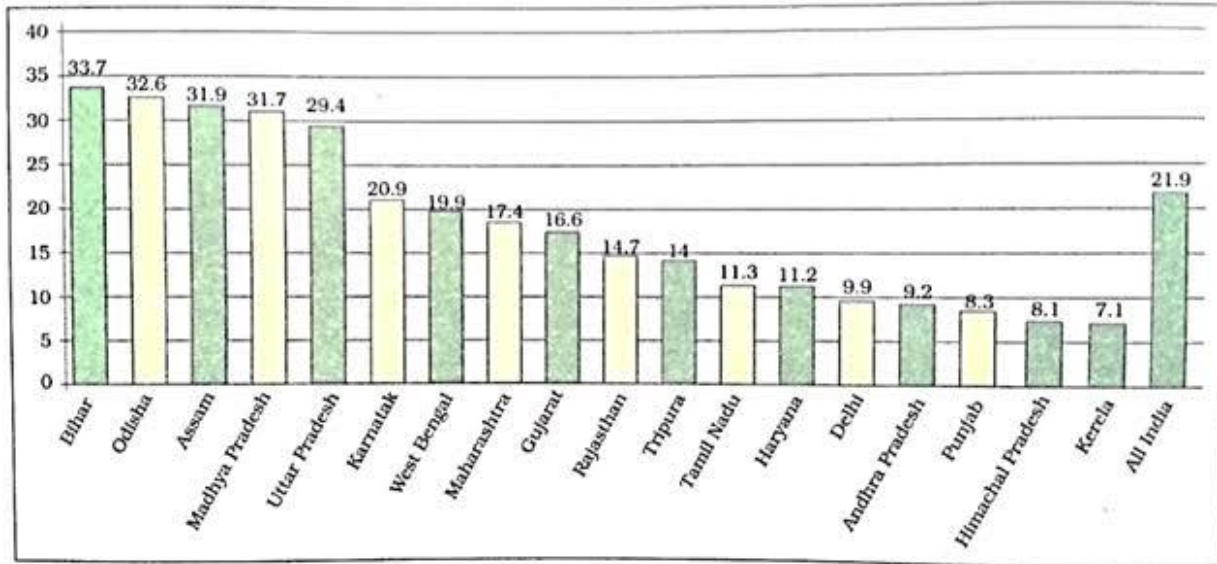
COLUMN A	COLUMN B
a) A new policy is being made to increase the jute exports from the country	1) Ministry of Defence
b) Telephone services will be made more accessible to rural areas	2) Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Public Distribution
c) The price of rice and wheat sold under the Public Distribution System will go down.	3) Ministry of Commerce and Industry
d) The allowances of the soldiers posted on high altitudes will be increased	4) Ministry of Communications and Information Technology.

16. Which is not a non-farm activity?

a) Shop keeping b) Transport c) Manufacturing d) Sowing

17. When are women paid for their work?

18. Study the bar graph carefully, and answer the following questions:



Identify the two states, where the poverty ratio is the highest.

19. "The food security scheme launched in 2000 for the 'poorest of the poor' and 'indigent senior citizens,' respectively -----.

20. What is the accepted average calorie requirement in Rural and Urban India.

SECTION - B

21. The variation in duration of sunlight at different is due to differences in latitude, altitude, season and duration of the day. Due to longer duration of sunlight, trees grow faster in summer.

In India almost the entire rainfall is brought in by the advancing southwest monsoon and retreating northeast monsoons. Areas if heavy rainfall has more dense vegetation as compared to other areas of less rainfall.

a) Why are the Southern slopes in Himalayas region covered with thick vegetation cover as compared to northern slopes of the same hills?

(2 marks)

b) Why have the western slope of the Western Ghats covered with thick forests and not the eastern slopes? (1 marks)

22. Write short notes on the Indian desert.

23. Do you believe that green revolution has made India self-sufficient in food grains? How?

24. What is the role of education in Human capital formation?

25. Explain any three limitations of Democracy.

26. Analyze the reaction of people after the implementation of the Mandal Commission Report.

27. "Taxation policy is responsible for the French Revolution." Give any three reasons.

28. What lessons can we draw from the conversion of the countryside in the USA from a bread basket to a dust bowl?

SECTION - C

29. SOURCE - A

In an address to women at the Nuremberg Party Rally, 8 September 1934, Hitler said: We do not consider it correct for the woman to interfere in the world of the man, in his main sphere. We consider it natural that these two worlds remain distinct...What the man gives in courage on the battlefield, the woman gives in eternal self-sacrifice, in eternal pain and suffering. Every child that women bring to the world is a battle, a battle waged for the existence of her people.

SOURCE – B

Hitler at the Nuremberg Party Rally, 8 September 1934, also said: 'The woman is the most stable element in the preservation of a folk...she has the most unerring sense of everything that is important to not let a race disappear because it is her children who would be affected by all this

suffering in the first place...That is why we have integrated the woman in the struggle of the racial community just as nature and providence have determined so.'

SOURCE – C

Robert Lay, head of the German Labour Front, said: 'We start when the child is three years old. As soon as he even starts to think, he is given a little flag to wave. Then comes school, the Hitler Youth, military service. But when all this is over, we don't let go of anyone. The labour front takes hold of them, and keeps hold until they go to the grave, whether they like it or not.'

How would you have reacted to Hilter's ideas if you were?

SOURCE -A

- 1) A Jewish woman (1 mark)
- 2) A non-Jewish German woman (2 marks)
- 3) A German child, (2 marks)

(OR)

Explain the various causes for the rise of Russian Revolution.

29. Is political competition is advantage or disadvantage for the Democracy? Explain with five reasons.

30. Highlight any five difficult circumstances under which Indian Constitution was drawn up.

31. Why are Monsoon considered a unifying bond?

32. Explain the characteristics of any two peninsular rivers.

33. As per your visit to a Ration shop in your area, Answer the following questions?

a) What are the items sold at the ration shop? (1 mark)

b) When does the ration shop open?(1 mark)

c) Give your views about the storage of ration items in ration shop? (1 mark)

d) Why are ration shops necessary? (1 mark)

e) What are the ineffectiveness of Public Distribution system? (1 mark)

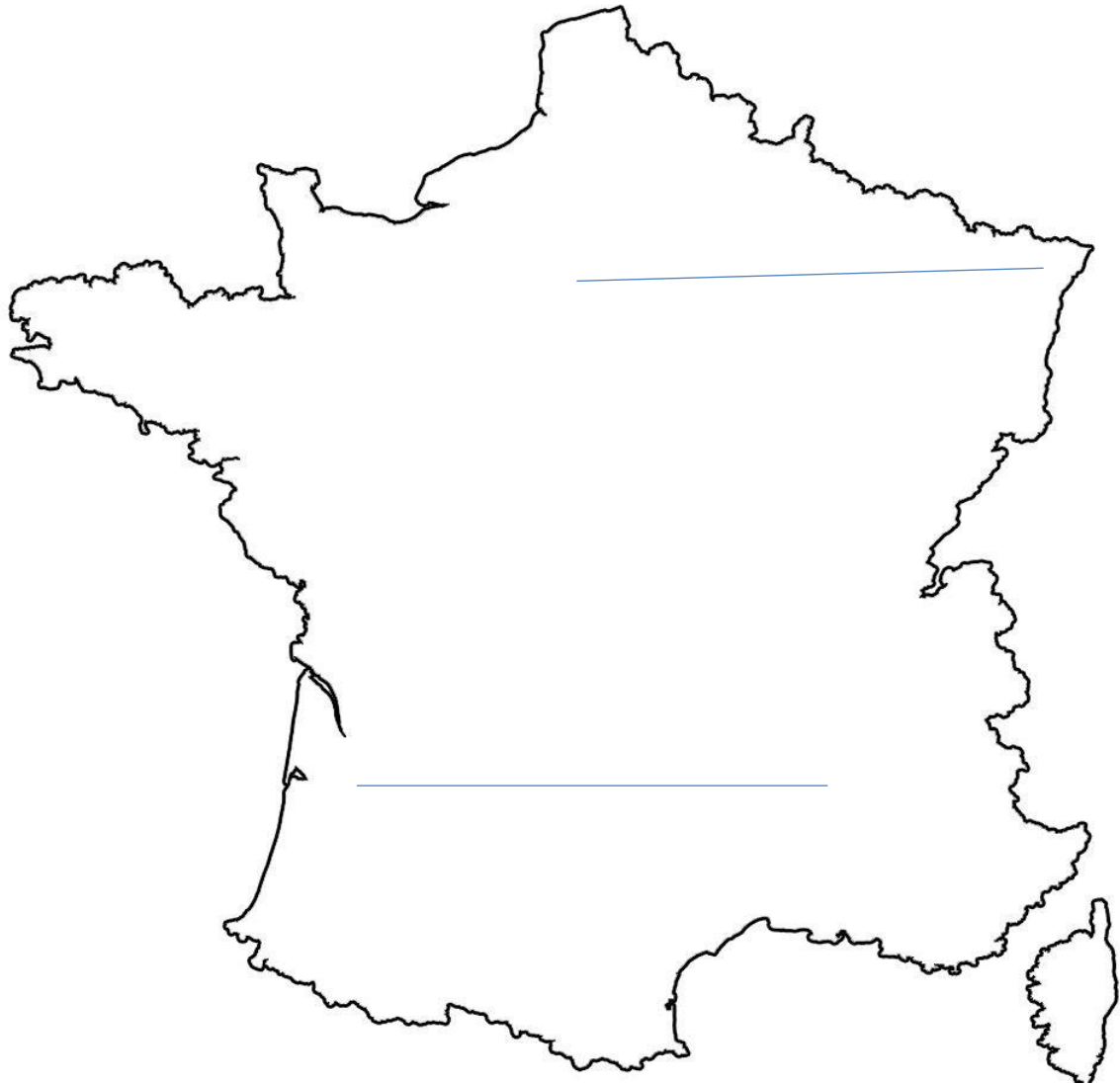
34. "Palampur village is one of a developed village." Do you agree? Explain with five reasons.

MAP BASED QUESTION

35. a) Two places A and B have been marked on the given outline map of FRANCE. Identify them and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them

A port of France related to Slave Trade

B. In this city Bastille prison was attacked by the revolutionaries.



b) On the outline map of India locate and label any four of the following with suitable symbols.

a) Area receiving less than 20 cm of rainfall.

b) Ranganathittu Bird sanctuary

c) Uttar Pradesh – Highly populated state

d) Chilika lake

e) Uttarakhand - Dehradun

f) Coromandel coast

