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**CLASS - X**  
**SOCIAL SCIENCE**  
**SET B**

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**Section A**

**1 Mark Each**

**Multiple Choice Questions (Q 1 to 20)**

**1. Following method of water conservation is known as and is used in the state of**



- (a) Johads, Rajasthan
- (b) Bamboo drip Irrigation, Meghalaya
- (c) Zabo, Nagaland
- (d) Surangam, Kerala

**2. Identify the correct statements regarding the Act of Union.**

- (i) It was signed in 1707.
- (ii) It was signed between England and Scotland.
- (iii) It resulted in the establishment of democracy in Scotland.
- (iv) It resulted in the formation of United Kingdom of Great Britain.

**Codes**

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

**3. Identify the following crop with the help of given clues.**

**(i) The Arabica variety initially brought from Yemen is produced in the country.**

**(ii) Its cultivation was introduced on the Baba Budan Hills.**

**(iii) It is cultivated in Nilgiri in Karnataka, Kerala and Tamil Nadu.**

**(a) Millets**

**(b) Tea**

**(c) Coffee**

**(d) Rubber**

**4. Which of the following statement option (s) is/are correct about the nation of Poland?**

**(i) Poland was partitioned in the 18th century.**

**(ii) Poland was ruled by Russia and Polish language was used as a weapon of struggle against Russian Dominance.**

**(iii) With the end of Poland, the sentiments of nationalism among the Polish people ended as well.**

**Codes**

**(a) Only (i)**

**(b) Only (iii)**

**(c) Both (ii) and (iii)**

**(d) Both (i) and (ii)**

**5. There are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Mark your answer as per the codes given below.**

**Assertion (A) Pulses are grown in rotation with other crops.**

**Reason (R) It helps in restoring soil fertility by fixing nitrogen from the air.**

**Codes**

**(a) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.**

**(b) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.**

(c) A is false, but R is true.

(d) A is true, but R is false.

6. Identify the correct statement/s about Unitary form of government.

(i) There is either only one level of government or the sub-units are subordinate to the Central government.

(ii) The Central government can pass on orders to the provincial government.

(iii) Laws made by the centre are equally enforced in rest of the states without territorial distinction.

(iv) The powers of State governments are guaranteed by the Constitution.

Codes

(a) (ii) and (iii)

(b) (i) and (ii)

(c) Only (iv)

(d) (i), (ii) and (iii)

7. During the Indian Freedom Struggle, why did the Rowlatt Act arouse popular outrage?

(a) It curbed trade union activities.

(b) It curtailed the freedom of religion.

(c) It allowed detention of political prisoners without trial for two years.

(d) It was against the Champaran Satyagraha

8. Which among the following is known as a system of checks and balances?

(a) The judges are appointed by the executive and further judges can check the functioning of executive or laws made by the legislature.

(b) The Supreme Court Judges can check the powers of the High Court Judges.

(c) The President of India appoints the Prime Minister and further the Prime Minister checks the Powers of the President.

(d) All of the above

9. Identify the revolutionary, with the help of statements given below.

(i) He was an Italian revolutionary.

(ii) He founded two secret societies Young Italy in Marseilles and Young Europe in Bern.

(iii) Metternich described him as 'the most dangerous enemy of our social order'.

Choose the correct option.

(a) Louis Philippe

(b) Giuseppe Garibaldi

(c) Giuseppe Mazzini

(d) Karol Kurpinski

10. Match the following

	List-I		List-II
A.	All India Trinamool Party	1.	Meghalaya
B.	Bahujan Samajwadi Party	2.	Karnataka
C.	National People's Party	3.	Uttar Pradesh
D.	Janata Dal (Secular)	4.	West Bengal

Codes

(a) A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1

(b) A-3, B-4, C-1, D-2

(c) A-4, B-3, C-1, D-2

(d) A-4, B-1, C-3, D-2

11. Annette studies in a Dutch medium school in the Northern region of Belgium. Many French speaking students in her school want the medium of instruction to be French. Her parents approach towards the respective government to realise the desire of the child. What could be the measure Belgian government will adopt in such a situation?

- (a) Majoritarian measures
- (b) Despotic measures
- (c) Policy of accommodation
- (d) All of the above

12. Arrange the following in the correct sequence (land degradation by %).

- (i) Forest degraded area
- (ii) Water eroded area
- (iii) Wind eroded area
- (iv) Saline and alkaline deposits

Codes

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

13. Complete the following table with correct information with regard to sectors of economy.

Activities	Economic Sectors
Mining	Primary Activity
Banking	?

- (a) Secondary Activity
- (b) Tertiary Activity
- (c) Primary Activity
- (d) None of the above

14. Identify the incorrectly matched pair.

- (a) Vienna Peace Settlement 1815
- (b) Death of Lord Byron 1824
- (c) Piedmont and France defeated Austria 1832
- (d) Custom Union was formed 1834

15. Read the following data and select the appropriate option from the following.

State	Infant Mortality Rate per 1000 live births (2017)	Literacy Rate %20 17-18	Net Attendance Ratio (Per 100 persons) secondary stage (age 14 and 15 years) 2017-18
Haryana	30	82	61
Kerala	10	94	83
Bihar	35	62	43

Why Bihar has high infant mortality rate as compared to other states? Identify the reason from the given options.

- (a) Due to lack of education facilities
- (b) Due to lack of health facilities
- (c) Low guidance
- (d) Both (a) and (b)

16. Which group of crops can be classified under the classification of millets?

- (a) Bajra and Ragi
- (b) Urad and Arhar
- (c) Maize and Wheat
- (d) Sesamum and Groundnut

**17. Rajesh is overweight as his weight is 85 kg and his height is 180 cm. Find out his Body Mass Index (BMI) from the following options.**

- (a) 18.6 kg/m<sup>2</sup>**
- (b) 29.2 kg/m<sup>2</sup>**
- (c) 26.2 kg/m<sup>2</sup>**
- (d) 14.7 kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**18 .How GDP is calculated?**

- (a) The value of final goods and services produced in each sector during a particular year provides the total production of sector for that year and the sum of production in the three sectors.**
- (b) The value of final goods and services produced in each sector during last three years provides the total production of the sector for that year.**
- (c) The value of intermediate goods and services produced in each sector during a particular year provides the approximate production of the sector for that year.**
- (d) The value of intermediate goods and services produced in each sector during a particular year and the sum of production in the three sectors.**

**19. Where will you find the disguised unemployment the most? Select the correct option.**

- (a) Factory workers**
- (b) Private company owners and employees.**
- (c) Government officials**
- (d) Among agricultural workers working on self-owned farm lands**

**20. Read the information given below :**

**These activities by themselves do not produce a good but they are an aid or a support for the production process. At times, it may be necessary to store these in godowns. Since these activities generate services rather than goods.**

**Analyse the consumer movement information given above, considering one of the following correct option:**

- (a) Tertiary Sector
- (b) Secondary Sector
- (c) Primary Sector
- (d) Industrial Sector

## **SECTION-B**

### **Very Short Answer Question (Q 21 to 24)**

**2X4=8**

**21.State any two reasons/ ways which states that the world has been converted into a global village?**

**22. Mention any one restriction imposed by the British government upon the Indian merchants in the 19th Century.**

or

**Which was the first printing press of the Europe?**

**23. What is meant by defection in democracy?**

**24.Natural gas is considered an environmental friendly fuel. Suggest and explain an three ways to make it popular.**

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## SECTION-C

Short Answer Based Question (Q 25 to 29)

3X5=15

25. Describe the role of different religious groups in the development of anti-colonial feelings in Vietnam.

26. How had Indian trade been beneficial for the British during seventeenth century? Explain.

or

Why did the export of Indian textile decline at the beginning of the nineteenth century? Explain any three reasons.

27. Explain any three functions of opposition political parties.

28. How has globalization affected the life of Indians? Explain with examples.

29. Study the table given below and answer the questions that follow:

Inequality of Income in Selected Countries		
Name of the Countries	% Share of National Income	
	Top 20%	Bottom 20%
South Africa	64.8	2.9
Brazil	63.0	2.6
Russia	53.7	4.4
USA	50.0	4.0
United Kingdom	45.0	6.0
Denmark	34.5	9.6
Hungary	34.4	10.0

1. "Within democracies there can be very high degree of inequalities." Justify the statement with an example.

2. Which democratic countries are much better than south africa and brazil in respect of inequality of income between rich and poor section of the country?

## SECTION-D

5X4=20

### Long Answer Based Question (Q 30 to 33)

30. Highlight the reasons for the growth of nationalist tensions in the Balkan region before the First World War.

or

The Civil Disobedience Movement saw the participation of different social classes and groups. Give reasons for the participation of the following:

- (1) rich peasants
- (2) poor peasants
- (3) business classes
- (4) industrial working classes
- (5) women

31. What has been the contribution of the Indian Wildlife Protection Act in protecting habitats in India ? Explain.

or

Explain any three measures taken by the Indian Government to protect wild life.

or

Highlight any three differences between endangered species and extinct species.

32. Describe the rationale behind the implementation of Decentralisation in India.

or

Describe any three steps taken by the Indian Government towards decentralisation of power in 1992.

33. 'Tertiary sector is playing a significant role in the development of Indian Economy'. Justify the statement.

or

Why is the tertiary sector becoming more important in India ? Explain.

or

'Public sector contributes to the economic development of India.' Justify the statement.

## SECTION-E

### Map Skill Based Question

2+3=5

34. (a) Two places (A) and (B) are marked on the given political outline map of India. Identify them and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them.

(A) The place where Indian National Congress Session (Dec. 1920) was held.

(B) Movement of Indigo Planters.

(b) On the same outline map of India, locate and label any three of the following with suitable symbols.

(i) Kolkata - An International airport

(ii) Bokaro - An iron and steel plant

(iii) Thiruvananthapuram - A software technology park

(iv) Ramagundam - A thermal power plant

