

Time allowed: 45 minutes

Maximum Marks: 200

General Instructions: Same as Practice Paper-1.

Select the most appropriate option.

1. The agencies of United Nations Organisation are:

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| (i) WHO | (ii) Security Council | (iii) UNESCO | |
| (a) (i) only | (b) (ii) only | (c) (i) and (ii) only | (d) (i) and (iii) only |

2. The major objectives of Nehru's foreign policy were:

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| (i) To establish a Capitalist System in India | (ii) To protect territorial integrity |
| (iii) To promote rapid economic development | (iv) To preserve the hard-earned sovereignty |
| (a) (i), (ii) and (iv) only | (b) (i), (iii) and (iv) only |
| (c) (i) and (iii) only | (d) (ii), (iii) and (iv) only |

3. Problems emerging out of partition:

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| (a) Problem of geographical distance | (b) Non-muslim minority problem |
| (c) Problem of refugees | (d) All of these |

4. Arrange the following in chronological order:

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| (i) Operation Desert Storm | (ii) Operation Infinite Reach |
| (iii) 9/11 | (iv) Operation Enduring Freedom |
| (a) (ii) (i) (iii) (iv) | (b) (i) (ii) (iii) (iv) |
| (c) (i) (iii) (ii) (iv) | (d) (i) (iv) (ii) (iii) |

5. Which of the following is the correct pair?

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| (a) Gujarat was created — 1957 | (b) Andhra Pradesh was created — 1951 |
| (c) Maharashtra was created — 1960 | (d) Meghalay was created — 1970 |

6. The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR) came into being after the socialist revolution in Russia in:

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| (a) 1916 | (b) 1917 | (c) 1919 | (d) 1920 |
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7. Statement 1 : India's nuclear policy is 'No First Use'.

Statement 2 : Contemporary regional security challenges, the Prime Minister Narendra Modi-led government has made it clear that the 'No First Use' policy can be reviewed nationally.

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| (a) Both the Statements are correct |
| (b) Both the Statements are incorrect |
| (c) To develop economic spirit among the people |
| (d) All of these |

8. What is the purpose of nation-building?

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| (a) To develop national consciousness among the people |
| (b) To develop religious spirit among the people |
| (c) To develop economic spirit among the people |
| (d) All of these |

9. The National Development Council is the apex body for decision making and deliberation on matters of _____.

(a) Development

(b) Agriculture

(c) Industry

(d) Communication

10. Study the picture given below and answer the question that follows:



Which organisation does this logo belong to?

(a) United Nations

(b) World Bank

(c) World Trade Organisation

(d) International Monetary Fund

11. The first Chief Election Commissioner was:

(a) Balram Jakkhar

(b) Hukum Singh

(c) Sukumar Sen

(d) Shivraj Pati

12. Put them in chronological order.

(i) Demolition of Babri Masjid

(ii) Assassination of Indira Gandhi

(iii) NDA govt.-I was formed

(iv) Godhra incident and its result

(a) (ii) (i) (iii) (iv)

(b) (i) (ii) (iii) (iv)

(c) (i) (iii) (ii) (iv)

(d) (i) (iv) (ii) (iii)

13. In which year Cuban Missile Crisis took place?

(a) 1962

(b) 1960

(c) 1961

(d) 1970

14. Which of the following statements is True about globalisation?

(a) Globalisation is only about movement of commodities.

(b) Globalisation does not involve a conflict of values.

(c) Services are an insignificant part of globalisation.

(d) All of these

15. Match these general secretaries with their countries:

Column-1	Column-2
A. Trygve Lie	(i) Egypt
B. Boutros Boutros Ghali	(ii) Ghana
C. U Thant	(iii) Myanmar
D. Kofi A. Annan	(iv) Norway

(a) A-(iv), B-(i), C-(iii), D-(ii)

(b) A-(iv), B-(ii), C-(i), D-(iii)

(c) A-(i), B-(iii), C-(ii), D-(iv)

(d) A-(iii), B-(ii), C-(i), D-(iv)

16. What are the results of shock therapy?

(i) Collapse of Industries

(ii) Collapse of Food Security

(iii) Collapse of Nuclear Weapons

(a) (i) and (iii) only

(b) (i) and (ii) only

(c) (i) (ii) and (iii)

(d) (iii) only

17. In which conference, Non-alignment was formed?
 - (a) Badung Conference
 - (b) Belgrade Conference
 - (c) Hawana Conference
 - (d) Indonesia Conference
18. Aim of India's planning system is:
 - (a) Economic development
 - (b) Self-dependent
 - (c) Social development
 - (d) All of these
19. Choose the incorrect sentence from the following sentences:
 - (a) Non-alignment allowed India to gain assistance both from USA and USSR.
 - (b) India contemplated after signing the non-proliferation treaty in 1968.
 - (c) The cold war has affected the relationship between India and Pakistan.
 - (d) The treaty of peace and friendship in 1971 was the result of India's closeness of USA.
20. The countries included in the 'Allied Nations' were:
 - (a) America, Soviet Union, Britain and France
 - (b) America, Britain, France and Germany
 - (c) Britain, France, Italy and Germany
 - (d) None of these
21. What was the objective of 'Operation Iraqi Freedom'?
 - (i) America established a government of its choice by invading Iraq.
 - (ii) Controlling oil reserves.
 - (a) (i) only
 - (b) (ii) only
 - (c) Both (i) and (ii)
 - (d) None of these
22. What factors influence the internal security?
 - (a) Separatist
 - (b) Terrorism
 - (c) Human security
 - (d) All of these
23. When was the 'earth summit' held?
 - (a) 1990
 - (b) 1992
 - (c) 1993
 - (d) 1994
24. Which type of government is working in Bangladesh?
 - (a) Representative democracy with multi-party system
 - (b) Presidential Government
 - (c) Monarchical Government
 - (d) All of these
25. Identify the country:
The struggle among pro-monarchy, pro-democracy groups and extremists created an atmosphere of political instability.
 - (a) Nepal
 - (b) Bangladesh
 - (c) Sri Lanka
 - (d) Pakistan
26. Which country has adopted the 'Open Door' policy?
 - (a) China
 - (b) Japan
 - (c) Burma
 - (d) Sri Lanka
27. When were Mandal Commission Recommendations imposed?
 - (a) 1971
 - (b) 1977
 - (c) 1990
 - (d) 1991
28. Which one amongst the following organisations is called 'Umbrella Organisation'?
 - (a) Socialist Party
 - (b) Congress Party
29. Who gave the slogan of 'Jai Jawan Jai Kisaan'?
 - (a) Indira Gandhi
 - (b) Ch. Charan Singh
 - (c) Lal Bahadur Shastri
 - (d) Vinoba Bhave
30. On the basis of language, when was Punjab reorganised?
 - (a) 1960
 - (b) 1966
 - (c) 1972
 - (d) 1975

31. Match the following:

Nature of Regional Aspirations	States
A. Socio-religious identify leading to statehood	(i) Nagaland/ Mizoram
B. Linguistic identity and tensions with China	(ii) Jharkhand/Chhattisgarh
C. Regional imbalance leading to demand for statehood	(iii) Punjab
D. Secessionist demands on account of tribal identity	(iv) Tamil Nadu

(a) A-(iii), B-(iv), C-(ii), D-(i)

(b) A-(iv), B-(ii), C-(i), D-(iii)

(c) A-(i), B-(iii), C-(ii), D-(iv)

(d) A-(iii), B-(ii), C-(i), D-(iv)

32. Which leader started 'Total Revolution' in India?

(a) Morarji Desai

(b) Charan Singh

(c) Charu Majumdar

(d) Jayaprakash Narayan

33. 'Narmada Bachao Aandolan' was:

(a) Related to environment

(b) Related to economic issues

(c) Related to social issues

(d) All of these

34. Statement 1 : The Cold War was neither a war or an armed military conflict nor a condition of peace. It was rather a state of uneasy peace.

Statement 2 : The Cold War was not being fought by clever moves, propagandist activities and diplomatic conflicts.

(a) Both the Statements are correct

(b) Both the Statements are incorrect

(c) Statement 1 is correct but the Statement 2 is incorrect

(d) Statement 2 is correct but the Statement 1 is incorrect

35. Name the first Soviet Republic which declared its independence.

(a) Chechnya

(b) Tajikistan

(c) Lithuania

(d) Latvia

36. By which operation did the US launch a cruise missile on Sudan and Afghanistan's al-Qaeda targets?

(a) Operation Infinite Reach

(b) Video Game War

(c) Computer War

(d) All of these

37. First Gulf War was known of _____.

(a) Operation Infinite Reach

(b) Operation Enduring Freedom

(c) Operation Desert Storm

(d) Operation Iraqi Freedom

38. Which political party won 16 seats and was at second place in the first General Elections of India?

(a) Jansangh Party

(b) Samajwadi Party

(c) Indian Communist Party

(d) Hindu Mahasabha

39. Decade of 1960 is called the decade of _____.

(a) Defection

(b) Dangerous

(c) Non-Congressi

(d) Congressi

40. In _____, Rashtriya Morcha Government imposed Mandal Commission recommendations.

(a) 1980

(b) 1990

(c) 1992

(d) 1996

41. Which Movement was started in 1920 under the leadership of Jyotiba Phule?

(a) Anti-caste movement

(b) Anti-poverty movement

(c) Anti-government movement

(d) None of these

42. In June 1975 in India _____ is declared by Ms. Indira Gandhi.

(a) Operation Blue Star

(b) Garibi Hatao

(c) Operation Peace

(d) Emergency

43. The number of member Countries in South Asia is _____.

(a) Five

(b) Six

(c) Seven

(d) Eight

44. State which of the following statements is incorrect:
 (a) In the traditional concept of security, the greatest danger to a country is from military threats.
 (b) India has been involved in conflicts with Pakistan in 1947-48, 1965, 1971 and 1999.
 (c) From 1990 to 1995, 600 states were involved in 97 wars.
 (d) By 2003, an estimated 4 crore people were infected with HIV-AIDS world wide.
45. In which year was first meeting of 'World Social Forum' organised?
 (a) 2001 (b) 2002 (c) 2003 (d) 1999
46. Which among the following is True about the Global Commons?
 (a) The Earth's atmosphere, Antarctica, Ocean floor and Outer space are considered as part of the global commons.
 (b) The global commons are outside sovereign jurisdiction.
 (c) The question of managing the global commons has reflected the North-South divide.
 (d) The countries of the North are more concerned about the protection of the global commons than the countries of the South.
47. When was 'Shah Commission' set up by Janta Party on the atrocities of Congress during Emergency?
 (a) May 1976 (b) May 1977 (c) March 1978 (d) June 1979
48. When was the first Coalition government formed in India?
 (a) 24th March 1977 (b) 25th April 1977 (c) 23rd March 1977 (d) None of these
49. What does 'Congress Syndicate' mean?
 (a) Group of powerful Congress leaders (b) Congress workers
 (c) Advisor of Congress President (d) None of these
50. What percentage of the indigenous population covers the total Indian population?
 (a) 8% (b) 10% (c) 15% (d) 20%



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PRACTICE PAPER – 2

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| 22. (d) | 23. (b) | 24. (a) | 25. (a) | 26. (a) | 27. (c) | 28. (b) |
| 29. (c) | 30. (b) | 31. (a) | 32. (d) | 33. (d) | 34. (d) | 35. (c) |
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| 43. (c) | 44. (c) | 45. (a) | 46. (a) | 47. (b) | 48. (a) | 49. (a) |
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