

**GENERAL STUDIES****PAPER - III**

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Full Marks : 100

*Marks for each question is indicated against it.**Attempt any 10 (ten) questions taking at least 2 (two) but not more than 3 (three) questions from each Unit.***UNIT - I**

1. What is Human Development Index (HDI)? Suggest appropriate strategy for more inclusive growth in India. **(2+8=10)**
2. Write short notes on the following: **(5×2=10)**
  - (a) Food Security
  - (b) Land reforms in India
3. Discuss liberalisation and its impact on the Indian economy. **(10)**
4. What is Supply Chain Management? Discuss supply chain management practices in India. **(2+8=10)**

**UNIT-II**

5. What are transgenic foods? What are the positives effects and adverse effects for human beings? **(2+4+4=10)**
6. Write short notes on the following: **(2×5=10)**
  - (a) Nano Technology
  - (b) Intellectual Property Rights
7. What do you understand by e-governance? How can e-governance benefit common citizen? **(2+8=10)**
8. Comment upon India's Mission on Mars and justify its significance. **(10)**

**UNIT-III**

9. Critically analyse the significance of biodiversity conservation in North East India. (10)
10. What is environmental pollution? Write the different types of environmental pollution mentioning their causal and remedial measures. (2+8=10)
11. Explain the salient features of Disaster Management Act, 2005. Briefly outline the role of Municipalities in preventing man-made disasters. (5+5=10)
12. Explain the necessity of disaster warning systems in Industries. (10)

**UNIT-IV**

13. Describe major security issues in border areas of India-Bangladesh. Comment upon recent India-Bangladesh land boundary agreement. (10)
14. Discuss how social networking sites could be used as a means to threaten internal security. Also suggest suitable measures to solve the threat. (5+5=10)
15. Discuss the security challenges and their management between India and Pakistan border. (10)
16. How is money laundering done? Is there any legislation for checking of money laundering in India? (10)

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