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GENERAL STUDIES - PAPER 3

Name of the Candidate:

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Time Allowed: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 250

INSTRUCTIONS:

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1. Do furnish the appropriate details in the answer Sheet (viz. Name, Email, Roll No, Mobile).
2. There are TWENTY questions printed in ENGLISH.
3. All questions are compulsory.
4. The number of marks carried by a question /part is indicated against it.
5. Answers must be written in the medium authorized in the admission Certificate, which must be stated clearly on the cover of this Question-Cum-Answer . (QCA) Booklet in the space provided
6. Word limit in questions, if specified, should be adhered to
7. Any page or portion of the page left blank in the Question-Cum-Answer Booklet must be clearly.

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Q. 1. What do you understand by employment elasticity? Discuss the causes for falling employment elasticity in the post LPG 1991 period. (150 Words) 10 marks.



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Q.2. What do you understand by economic growth? How it is different from economic development? (150 words) 10 marks.





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Q.3. What do you understand by strategic disinvestment? Critically examine India's strategic disinvestment. (150 words) 10 marks .



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Q.4. Why agriculture growth is pre requisite to inclusive growth? (150 Words) 10 marks



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Q.5. What do you understand by precision farming? Discuss the technology behind it. (150 Words) 10 marks.





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Q.6. Seed is the primary input of a productive agriculture setup. In this context, critically analyze the Draft Seed Bill. Do you think it does enough to balance and protect farmer's rights against corporate interests? (150 Words) 10 marks.



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Q.7. The water crisis in India is inextricably linked to wasteful use of water in agriculture. Discuss (150 Words) 10 marks.





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Q.8. Critically examine the decision to unify cadres of railways into a single cadre called Indian Railways Management Cadre (IRMS). (150 Words) 10 marks.

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Q.9. Discuss the challenges faced by the Indian ports and shipping industry. Do you think corporatization of ports will solve the problem? (150 Words)10 marks.



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Q.10. Why is single use plastic considered deadly? Do you think just banning would solve the problem? (150 Words) 10 marks.





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Q.11 What is Extended Producer Responsibility? How can it help to manage growing E waste problem in India. (250 Words) 15 marks



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Q.12. The appearance of COVID-19 has shown that when we destroy biodiversity we destroy the system that supports human life. Discuss the link between biodiversity and corona pandemic (250 Words) 15 marks.





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Q.13. What do you understand by commodification of emission cuts? Do you think it can help in mitigating climate change? (250 Words) 15 marks.





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Q.14 Explain the science of immunity behind vaccine Explain the compulsory licensing? Explain the WTO provision regarding compulsory licensing. (250 Words) 15 marks.



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Q.15. Explain the quantum computers? Analyze the differences with classical computers. (250 Words) 15 marks.





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Q.16. Analyze the salient features of Epidemic Disease Act. Critically examine how far it can manage epidemics like corona? Enumerate the amendments proposed (250 Words) 15 marks.





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Q.17. What do you understand by fake news? How Social Media is used to spread fake news? Discuss its security implications. (250 words) 15 marks.



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Q.18. Cyber Intrusions and Attacks have increased dramatically over the last decade, exposing sensitive personal and business information, disrupting critical operations, and imposing high costs on the economy. Discuss the need of National Cyber Security Strategy. (250 Words) 15 marks.



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**Q.19. Discuss the indigenization of technology in biotechnology field in India. (250 marks)
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Q.20. Rising subsidies are crowding out resources for investment and innovation in agriculture. In this context, critically examine PMKISAN. (250 Words) 15 marks.



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