

Time: 3 hours

Full Marks: 300

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates should attempt Q. No. 1 from Section – A and Q. No. 5 from Section – B which are compulsory and any **three** of the remaining questions, selecting at least **one** from each Section.

SECTION - A

- On the outline map of India given to you, mark the location of the following and write the most significant aspect of each of those in not more than 30 wards:
 - (a) Farraka Barrage
 - (b) Coromandel Coast
 - (c) Pygmalion Point

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- (d) Majuli Island
- (e) Shillong Plateau
- (f) Satapada
- (g) Granary of South India
- (h) Pal Ghat
- (i) Cochin International Airport
- (j) Tehri Dam
- (k) Champion Series
- (I) Great Boundary Fault
- "There are many roadblocks in unleashing the full potential of India's energy sector." Justify the given statement with bringing out various obstacles in the way of making India energy efficient and discuss the possible solutions or programmes undertaken by the Government of India to deal with it.
- Discuss the various parameters to understand the spatial pattern of Indian Agriculture and its regional disparity with suitable examples.

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 Critically explain the role of liberalisation and globalisation on the economy of India.

SECTION - B

- 5. Answer any **three** of the following: $20 \times 3 = 60$
 - (a) Major tribes of Odisha and various tribal plans initiated by the Center and State Governments to solve their problems.
 - (b) Problems of urbanisation in India with suitable examples.
 - (c) Multi-level Planning in India.
 - (d) Cultural regions of India based on language, religion and customs.
- Discuss the mechanism of urban sprawl witnessing the problems and prospects in India with suitable examples.
- Discuss the significance of geopolitics of India in
 Indian Ocean with the response from the
 bordering countries with examples.

8. Make a detailed note on geographical perspective of COVID-19 pandemic's situation, its trend with respect to India and Odisha with a focus on the efforts initiated by various institutions and organisations to counter the adverse impacts.



