

**MODEL PAPER**  
**SOCIAL STUDIES - Paper – I**  
**(English Medium)**  
**PART - A**  
**(Max. Marks : 35)**

Class : X

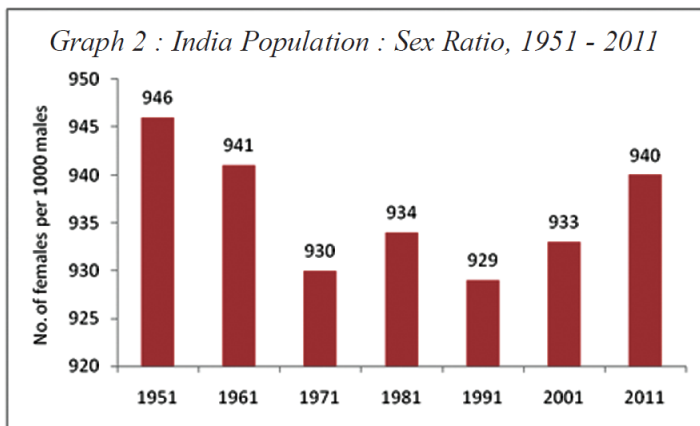
[Time : 2 Hrs.]

**SECTION - I (Marks : 8)**

**Note :** Answer any FIVE of the following questions, choosing at least two from each group A & B.

**GROUP - A**

1. Which of the inflow or outflow processes has most impact in the context of groundwater resources?
2. Deforestation results in global warming. Write any four suggestions to stop deforestation.
3. Observe the following bar graph and answer the following questions.

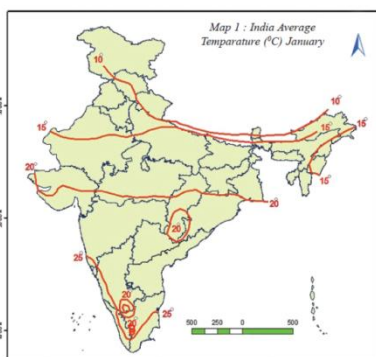


- i. In which year India experiences the highest difference in Sex Ratio.
- ii. What is 'Sex Ratio'?

4. "Growth of urbanisation means not only the growth of opportunities and economical transactions to the urban people but also the growth of many problems" – What is your opinion about the conditions of urbanisation?

**GROUP - A**

5. Why do we use averages? Are there any limitations to their use?
6. Do you think the classification of economic activities into primary, secondary and tertiary is useful? Explain how.



7. Observe the map and answer the following questions.

- i. As we move towards northern part of India What changes we can find in the Temperature?
- ii. Which state maintain an average temperature of 20° C in the month of January?

8. 'Most children of migrant families become dropouts' Do you agree with this statement? Justify your answer.

## SECTION -II (Marks = 4)

**Note : Answer any FOUR of the following questions.**

9. Define “Density of population”.
10. Which are the major physiographic divisions of India?
11. Write two points about Public Distribution System.
12. What is “Sustainable Development”?
13. Draw an outline map of India and show the onset direction of South – West monsoon.
14. How is multi-cropping system beneficial to farmers?

## SECTION -III (Marks = 16)

**Note : Answer any FOUR of the following questions, choosing at least one from each group A & B. Each question carries 4 marks.**

### GROUP - A

15. If the Himalayas would have not been in its present position how would be the climatic conditions of the Indian Sub – Continent?
16. How human activities contribute to Global warming?
17. “ Current laws on ground water use are inappropriate because the basic link between access to ground water and land ownership on which these rules are based are flawed. Since groundwater has to be extracted from the land above, a link was established between land ownership and control. The water drawn from the underground system was assumed to be owned by the landowner. This implies that groundwater is mostly controlled by individuals that own the land. Land owners were not restricted in the amount of water they can take out”  
Q. Suggest some appropriate instructions in the law for the better consumption of ground water.
18. Read the table given below and answer the following questions.

	Ploughing	Sowing	Weeding	Transplanting	Harvesting	Winnowing	Threshing	Picking
Male workers	214	197	215	-	164	168	152	-
Female Workers	-	152	130	143	126	124	118	136

- i. What are the works done only by the female workers?
- ii. What are the works done only by male workers?
- iii. In which works the wages are different of male and female?
- iv. What are the reasons of paying less wages to female workers than male workers.

## GROUP - B

19. What is the percapita income of Himachal Pradesh? Do you think higher incomes can make it easier for parents to send children to school? Discuss. Why was it necessary for government to run schools in Himachal Pradesh.
20. Find out about the various ways in which the problems of garbage and emissions are being dealt with around the world.
21. How has the liberalisation of foreign trade benefited the people in India?
22. Describe the relationship between increase in food production and food security.

### SECTION – IV

(Marks : 5)

23. Mark the following concepts on India outline map.

A) 1) River Narmada 2) Mt. Aroya 3) Rajasthan 4) Kolkata 5) Konkan coast

(Or)

B) 1) *Kudankulam* 2) River Tungabhadra 3) Mt. K2 4) Arunachal Pradesh 5)  $82 \frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  Eastern Longitude

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**I. Choose the correct answer from the following four choices and write the answer in the brackets given below.** **20 X ½ = 10 M**

**1. Identify the wrong sentence.** ( )

- A) Tropical regions are near the equator.
- B) South of Tropic of Cancer is in tropical region.
- C) Surface temperatures of earth depend on Insolation.
- D) If we go towards poles from equator, temperatures increase.

**2. Gender bias means** ( )

- A) Male and female
- B) Unequal treatment of women by men
- C) Equality of male and female
- D) Male worshiped by female

**3. This belongs to unorganised sector** ( )

- A) Banks
- B) Government schools
- C) Small farming
- D) Railways

**4. Which of the following is shown in climograph** ( )

- A) Height of a place
- B) Mean minimum temperature
- C) Distance of a place from sea
- D) Latitudes

**5. The river Ganga is formed by the merging of the rivers** ( )

- A) Narmada and Bhagirathi
- B) Bhagirathi and Yamuna
- C) Bhagirathi and Alakananda
- D) Bhagirathi and Brahmaputra

**6. It is not the tributary of Indus** ( )

- A) Ravi
- B) Jhelum
- C) Sutlej
- D) Lohit

**7. International Migration means** ( )

- A) People moving from villages to town
- B) People moving from cities to villages
- C) People moving from one country to another country
- D) People moving from one city to another city

**8. WTO is** ( )

- A) An Indian Trade Organization
- B) An International Trade Organization
- C) An American Trade Organization
- D) A Japanese Trade Organization

**9. The stock of food grains mainly wheat and rice procured by Government through** ( )

- A) BCCI
- B) FICCI
- C) FCI
- D) IDBI

**10. The mountain ranges that are called "Sahayadri" are** ( )

- A) Satpura
- B) Vindhya
- C) Aravali
- D) Western Ghats

**11. The share of service sector in the GDP of 2009-10** ( )

- A) 20-30%
- B) 30-40%
- C) 50-60%
- D) 70%

**12. The Northern Half of India belongs to** ( )

- A) Tropical climatic zone
- B) Sub-tropical climatic zone
- C) Tropical maritime
- D) Hot desert climatic zone

- 13. HDI rank of India in 2013 is** ( )  
 A) 92 B) 136 C) 146 D) 149
- 14. Active Mahila mandals can be found in many villages in the state** ( )  
 A) Punjab B) Andhra Pradesh C) Himachal Pradesh D) Bihar
- 15. 'Sunderbans' are in the state of** ( )  
 A) Tamil Nadu B) Odisha C) Kerala D) West Bengal
- 16. Unskilled labour from India is migrating in large numbers to** ( )  
 A) European countries B) African countries  
 C) West Asian countries D) South American countries
- 17. There are varied climatic conditions in India due to** ( )  
 A) Nearby seas and high mountains B) The existence of perennial rivers  
 C) The deserts and plains D) Vast area and latitudinal differences
- 18. Rain shadow region during South - West monsoon** ( )  
 A) Delhi B) Eastern Portion of Deccan plateau C) Kashmir ,  
 D) Brahmaputra Valley
- 19. Which state has positive sex ratio** ( )  
 A) Kerala B) Punjab C) Andhra Pradesh D) Bihar
- 20. The difference in sex ratio between 2001 and 2011 census decreases to** ( )  
 A) 10 B) 9 C) 8 D) 7

**II. Fill in the blanks.**

**5 X ½ = 2 ½ M**

21. The Shivaliks are called Mishmi hills in \_\_\_\_\_
22. IMR means \_\_\_\_\_
23. Indian Population according to 2011 census \_\_\_\_\_
24. "Silent spring" written by \_\_\_\_\_
25. Sardar Sarovar project is built on the river \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Match the following.**

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**Group A**

26. Indian multinational company  
 27. Food Corporation of India  
 28. Water conflict  
 29. Green Revolution  
 30. Natural resources

**Group - B**

- ( ) A) final goods  
 ( ) B) Primary sector  
 ( ) C) Coca-Cola  
 ( ) D) Unorganized sectors  
 ( ) E) buffer stocks  
 F) HYV – food grains  
 G) Tata Motors