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Section-A Macro Economics							
Unit name	1 mark	3 Marks	4 Marks	6 marks	Total		
National Income	1(R)	1(U)		1(A)	10		
Money and Banking	1(U),1(A)		1(U)		6		
Income determination	1(R), 1(U), 1(E)	1(A),		1(U)	12		
Government Budget	1(U), 1(E)		1(R)		6		
Balance of Payment	1(A), 1(E)		1(E)		6		
Section A	10*1=10	2*3=6	3*4=12	2*6=12	40		
Se	ction- B Indian Ec	onomic Deve	lopment				
Development Experience	1(R), 1(U), 1(A),		1(R),		12		
and Economic Reforms	1(E)		1(U)				
Current Challenges facing	1(R), 1(U), 1(A),	1(U), 1(A)		1(R),	22		
Indian Economy	1(E)			1(E)			
Development Experience	1(U), 1(E)		1(A)		6		
of India							
Section B	10*1=10	2*3=6	3*4=12	2*6=12	40		
Total	20*1=20	4*3=12	6*4=24	4*6=24	80		

Creative Answer Type Questions: Q.No. – 29, 32, 34

Change in Questions:

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Marks Category	2018-19	2019-20	Changes
1 mark	8	20	Increased by 12
3 marks	4	4	No change
4 marks	6	6	No change
6 marks	6	4	Decreased by 2
Total Questions	24	34	

SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER (2019-20)

ECONOMICS (030)

Time allowed: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 80

General instructions:

i.	All the questions in both the sections are compulsory. Marks for questions are indicated against
	each question.
ii.	Question number 1 - 10 and 18 - 27 are very short-answer questions carrying 1 mark each. They
	are required to be answered in one word or one sentence each.
iii.	Question number 11 - 12 and 28 - 29 are short-answer questions caring 3 marks each. Answers to
	them should not normally exceed 60-80 words each.
iv.	Question number 13 - 15 and 30 - 32 are also short-answer questions carrying 4 marks each.
	Answers to them should not normally exceed 80-100 words each.
v.	Question number 16 - 17 and 33 - 34 are long answer questions carrying 6 marks each. Answers
	to them should not normally exceed 100-150 words each.
vi.	Answer should be brief and to the point and the above word limit be adhered to as far as possible.

SECTION - A (Macro Economics)

Q.No	QUESTION	Marks		
1	Value of Money Multiplier(increases/decreases/remains unchanged)			
	with an increase in Cash Reserve Ratio.	1		
	(Fill up the blank with correct alternative)			
2	Define an intermediate good.	1		
3	Average Propensity to Consume can never be			
	(choose the correct alternative)			
	a) positive b) zero			
	c) more than one d) less than one	1		
4	Name any two quantitative tools to control credit creation in an economy.			
	Or			
	What are demand deposits?	1		
5	The monetary policy generally targets to ensure			
	(Choose the correct alternative)			
	a) price stability in the economy	1		
	b) employment generation in the country.			
	c) stable foreign relations.			
	d) greater tax collections for the government.			
6	In an economy, break-even point and equilibrium point may lie at the same level of			
	income, if ex-ante investments are	1		
	(Fill up the blank with correct answer)			
7	State whether the given statement is true or false:	1		
	'Managed Floating Exchange Rate is decided by market forces but remains within a			
	specific range as decided by central bank'.			
8	The formula to calculate Primary deficit is			
	(Fill up the blank with correct answer)	1		

	Column I	Column II	
	a) Export of software to France	(i) Debit side of current account	
	b) Import of Machinery from	(ii) Capital Account of Balance of	
	China	Payments	
	c) Remittances to relative	(iii) Debit side of Current Account of	
	staying abroad	Balance of Payments	1
	d) Investment by Apple	(iv) Credit side of Current Account of	
	phones firm in India	Balance of Payments	
)		Meal scheme running in government (state	
	7	expenditure in government budget.	1
	(Fill up the blank with correct answe		
1	"India's GDP is expected to expand 7.5"		3
		- The Economic Times.	
	I =	elfare of people of India increase at the same	
	rate? Comment with reason.		
2	1	nsity to Consume (MPC), if in an economy,	
	_	res, ex-ante investments are ₹ 4000crores and	
	equilibrium level of Income of the econ		3
	Suppose in a hypothetical economy,	the savings increase by ₹ 20 crores when crores. Compute the additional investments income by ₹ 6.000 crores?	
	needed to ditain an increase in national	mediae by Co,000 crores.	3
3	Discuss any one of the following functi	ons of a central bank:	4
	a) As government's bank	b) Open market operations.	
4		remained net seller in the Indian capital	
•	markets over the last few weeks".	- The Economic Times.	
		the given statement on foreign exchange rate	4
	with reference to the Indian Economy.	and Britain commensation on research	
	Or		
		tions (MNCs) have recently shifted their	
		ed their production in India, thereby boosting	
	the Make in India plans of the Governm		
	-	, discuss the effects of the given statement on	4
	Foreign Exchange rates with reference		
5		of resources' in the government budget.	4
5	a) 'Real Gross Domestic Product is a be	etter indicator of economic growth than	<u> </u>
	Nominal Gross Domestic Product's a St.	maioator or comonne grown man	
	Do you agree with the given statement?	Support your answer with a suitable	
	numerical example.	- TPP - 10 J Car allower with a barrante	4
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		S.no	Particulars		Amount (in	n ₹crores)		
	1	i.	Capital value of	of the asset	1,000	ii (crores)		
	1	ii.	Estimated life		20 years			2
	-	iii.	Scrap Value	of the asset	Nil			_
	L	111.	Scrap varae		1111			
				Or				
	a) 'Circular flow of income in a two sector economy is based on the axiom that one's							
	1 1		other's income'.		,			
			ith the given sta		ort your ansv	wer with valid	reasons.	3
		J	C	11				
	b) Calcul		mpensation of e	mployees fror	n the following	ng data:	1	
		S.no	Particulars			Amount		
						(in ₹crores)		
		i.	Profits after ta	X		20		
		ii.	Interest			45		
		iii.	Gross Domest		Market Price	200		
		iv.	Goods and Ser			10		3
		v.	Consumption	of Fixed Capit	tal	50		3
		vi.	Rent			25		
		vii.	Corporate Tax			5		
17			s operating at u					_
			nent? Discuss o	ne fiscal meas	sure and one	monet <mark>a</mark> ry mea	sure to tackle	6
	the situat	ion.					\mathbf{H}	
1.0	N			B (Indian Eco			(CCT)	1
18			taxes which wer			Services Tax ((GS1).	1
19	State weather the following statement is true or false: 'The latest demonetization of currency was undertaken by the Government of India					1		
	on Nove			currency was	undertaken b	y the Govern	ment of maia	
20			rect sequence of	f alternatives	givon in Colu	mn II by mot	ahina tham	
20					given in Colu	illili II by illat	ching them	
	with respective terms in Column I: Column – I Column – II							
	A		Ceiling	i. Incre	ase in produc			
		Dulla C				ielding variety	7	
				seeds				
	В.	Land r	eforms			ural produce		
	B. Land reforms ii. Portion of agricultural produce sold in the market				1			
	C. Green Revolution iii. Fixing the maximum limit of land							
	holding for an individual.							
	D. 1	Marke	ted Surplus		_	ership of land	l	
					to tillers)			
							_	
21			4					
21	Agricultu	ire mai	rketing does not					
		,	T	`		rrect alterna	,	
	a)		Transportation of	of the produce	to the market	t place for sale	3.	

	b) Grading of the produce according to the quality. Storage of the produce for sale in future	1				
	c) Storage of the produce for sale in future.d) Credit taken to meet expenditure on agriculture.	1				
22	Undertype of unemployment, marginal product gained by					
22	employing one additional unit of labour is zero.	1				
		1				
	(Fill up the blank with correct answer) Or					
	an indicator which is used for analyzing the employment					
	situation of a country.					
	(Fill up the blank with correct answer)					
23	In 1955, Karve committee was constituted for aiming the					
	(Fill up the blank with correct answer)	1				
24	Identify the correct sequence of alternatives given in Column II by matching them					
	with respective terms in Column I					
	Column - I Column - II					
	A. Study Group formed by Planning i. 2005					
	Commission for Poverty					
	B. 'Task Force on Projections of the ii. 1962					
	Minimum Needs and Effective					
	Consumption Demand'					
	C. Mahatma Gandhi National Rural iii. 2014					
	Employment Guarantee Act					
	D. Jan DhanYojana iv. 1979	1				
	Choose the correct alternative: a) ii, iii, iv, i b) iii, ii, i, iv					
	c) i, ii, iii, iv					
	d) ii, iv, i, iii					
25	Solar energy can be converted into electricity with the help of	1				
	(Photovoltaic cell/Lithium cells).					
	(Fill up the blank with correct alternative)					
26	Arrange the following events of China in chronological order and choose the correct					
	alternative:	1				
	i. Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution					
	ii. Great Leap Forward campaign					
	iii. Introduction of Economic Reforms					
	iv. First five year plan					
	Choose the correct alternative:					
	a) ii, iv, iii, i					
	b) iv, ii, i, iii					
	c) ii, iv, i, iii					
	d) iv, i, ii, iii					
27	Introduction of Economic Reform in Pakistan took place in	1				
	(Choose the correct alternative)					
	a) 1978 b) 1980 c)1988 d) 1991					

28	"Recently Indians have drifted away from the traditional knowledge and practices	3				
	and caused large scale damage to environment".					
	Explain how, adopting the traditional practices can be helpful in achieving the					
	objective of sustainable development?					
	Or					
	'Power sector in India has major issues with its installed capacity'. Discuss the given					
20	statement.					
29	'Education Commission 1964-66 had recommended that at least 6 per cent of GDP					
20	must be spent on education'. How far India has been able to achieve the said goal?	3				
30	'The opening up of the Indian Economy has led to a rapid increase in Foreign Direct					
	Investments and Foreign Exchange Reserves of the country'. Defend or refute the	4				
2.1	given statement.					
31	Define the following terms					
	a) Disinvestment b) Import Substitution	4				
	OR OR					
	Define the following terms					
20	a) Outsourcing b) Quota					
32	Answer the following questions on the basis of the following data:	2				
	a) Comment upon the population growth rates among the three	3				
	countries.	1				
	b) Which country has most skewed in sex ratio? Country Estimated Annual Growth of Sex Ratio	1				
	Population Population (in %)					
	(in million) India 1311 1.2 929					
22	Source: World Development Indicators, 2015, www.worldbank.org "Payed Footnomic development is assential for Indian Footnomic development." Do	6				
33						
2.4	you agree with the given statement? Support your answer with valid reasons.	6				
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	ailing system in itself'. Defend the statement citing any three major problems of Health sector in India.					
	Or					
	Study the following chart showing the Growth of Employment and Gross Domestic Product					
	and analyse the trend of the two variables from 1990-2012.					
	and analyse the tiend of the two variables from 1770-2012.					

