

IAS Mains Political Science 2005

Paper II

Time Allowed: Three Hours Maximum Marks: 300

Candidates should attempt questions 1 and 5 which are compulsory, and any THREE of the remaining questions selecting at least ONE question from each Section. All questions carry equal marks.

Section-A

1. Comment on any three of the following in about 200 words each: $20 \times 3 = 60$
 - a. Game Theory for the study of International Politics and its limitations
 - b. Sustainable Development
 - c. Basic issues in movements for Gender Justice
 - d. Relevance of Non-Alignment in Post-Cold war era
2. Analyse the basic goals of Third World movement for global justice. What is the importance of South-South co-operation to achieve these? 60
3. Critically evaluate the nature of capitalist model of development and its usefulness and limitations for developing countries. 60
4. Describe and assess the role and importance of Geopolitical and Geo-economic factors in the determination of foreign policy of a country 60

Section-B

5. Comment on any three of the following in about 200 words each: $20 \times 3 = 60$
 - a. Indias interest in ASEAN
 - b. Indias claim for acceptance as a nuclear power
 - c. India as leader of Non-Aligned movement
 - d. Emerging areas of co-operation between India and Japan
6. Explain the importance and limitations of recent Confidence Building Measures in Indo-Pak relations. 60
7. Evaluate the role India has played in U. N. Peace-keeping activities and the cause of global disarmament. 60
8. How far institutions like WTO and IMF have influenced Indias political and economic sovereignty? What has been Indias response to these? 60