

SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT - II (2015-16)
SOCIAL SCIENCE
Class - IX

Time allowed : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 90

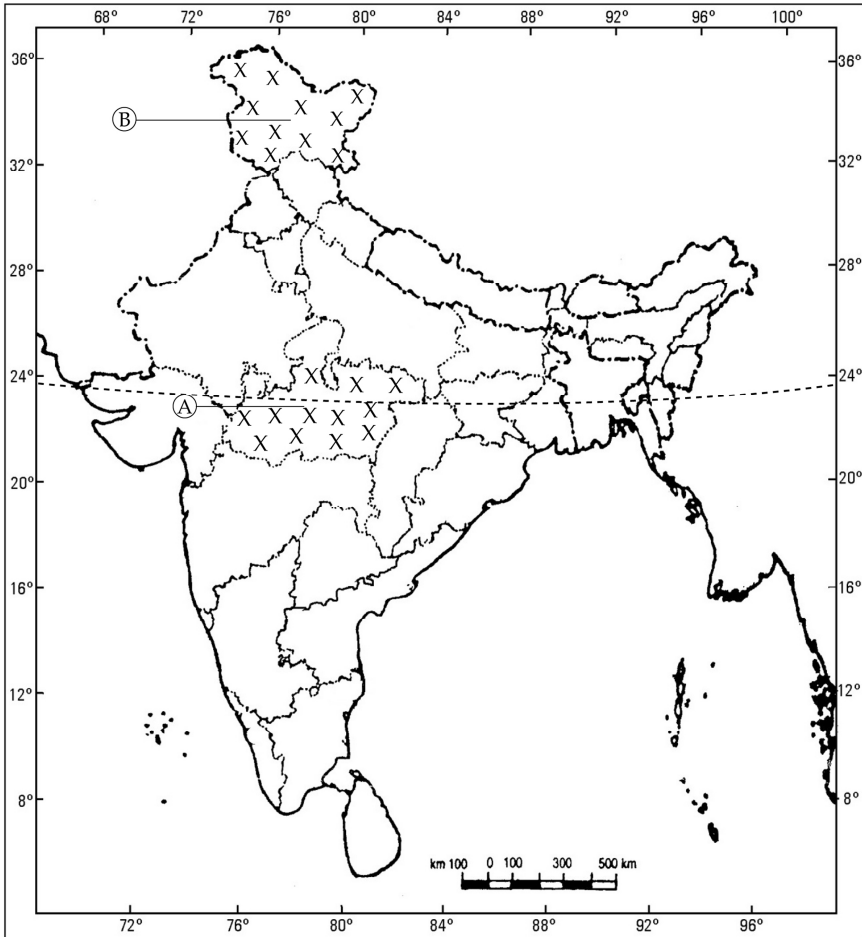
General Instructions :

- (i) The question paper has **two sections (Section A and Section B)** with **30** questions in all. All questions are **compulsory**.
- (ii) Marks are indicated against each question.
- (iii) Questions from serial number **1** to **8** are very short answer type questions. Each question carries **one mark**.
- (iv) Questions from serial number **9** to **20** are **3 marks** questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **80 words** each.
- (v) Questions from serial number **21** to **26** are **5 marks** questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **120 words** each.
- (vi) Question number **27** and **28** are map question of **3 marks** each, from History and Geography respectively. After completion, attach the maps inside your answer book.
- (vii) Question number **29** and **30** are from **Open Text themes** and each question is of **5 marks**.

SECTION - A

1.1	Mention any two economic activities carried out by the Raikas.	1
	OR	
1.2	Name the famous rice producing island in Indonesia.	1
	OR	
1.3	Who created enclosures in the sixteenth century England ?	1
2	Why does Thiruvananthapuram have a moderate climate?	1
3	What is meant by Equality before law ?	1
4	What is a 'Ballot Paper' ?	1
5	Who enjoys the support of the majority of the members in the Lok Sabha ?	1
6	Who is an Urban poor?	1
7	What is the aim of Prime Minister Rozgar Yozna ?	1
8	What does the recent study say about the poverty status in India?	1
9.1	Explain any three different livelihood practices adopted by the pastoralist in the 20th century, as they left their traditional occupations.	3
	OR	
9.2	Why did the British appoint the Inspector General of Forests in India? Explain any three reason.	3
	OR	

9.3	Why were the Confucian rulers of China not willing to allow the entry of foreign goods in China? Give reasons.	3									
10.1	How is the varying size of a cricket field a reflection of its rural past? Explain.	3									
	OR										
10.2	What reforms were introduced in women's clothing in America ? Explain.	3									
11.1	Describe any three changes that have taken place in the game of cricket in the 20 th century.	3									
	OR										
11.2	What was the Western look of the Parsis in the colonial period in India ?	3									
12	What is the role of the various animal species found in the ecosystem ? Describe.	3									
13	How has the rural-urban migration resulted urbanization in India. Explain.	3									
14	Give any three characteristic features of Cold Weather Season in India.-	3									
15	Which values are promoted in the nomination of twelve members in Rajya Sabha by the President of India ?	3									
16	Write any three merits to have political competition.	3									
17	Can a person criticise the government and incite others to rebel under 'Right to Freedom' ? Explain.	3									
18	Explain the historic reason of poverty in India.	3									
19	Differentiate between 'minimum subsistence level of living' and a 'reasonable level of living'.	3									
20	Mention any three factors which are responsible for large income inequalities.	3									
21.1	Why do the Raikas combine cultivation with pastoralism ?	5									
	OR										
21.2	How far is it correct to say that in many cases Indian forest have survived because of the tribals ?	5									
	OR										
21.3	What were the effects of the open field system on the peasant women in England ?	5									
22.1	According to Kerry Packer, ``Cricket is a marketable game and can generate huge revenues." How far this statement holds true even today ? Explain.	5									
	OR										
22.2	Describe the case of 'shoe respect' defiance which took place in Surat.	5									
23	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Station</th><th>Latitude</th><th>Altitude</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>A</td><td>12 degree N</td><td>909 mts.</td></tr> <tr> <td>B</td><td>26 degree N</td><td>160 mts.</td></tr> </tbody> </table> Study the table given above and answer the following questions: (a) What type of climate does station A have ? Why? What type of climate does station B have ? Why?	Station	Latitude	Altitude	A	12 degree N	909 mts.	B	26 degree N	160 mts.	5
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24	Despite a ban on hunting the one-horned rhinoceros are being killed for their horns. Do we just raise slogans and play the blame game ? Explain.	5									

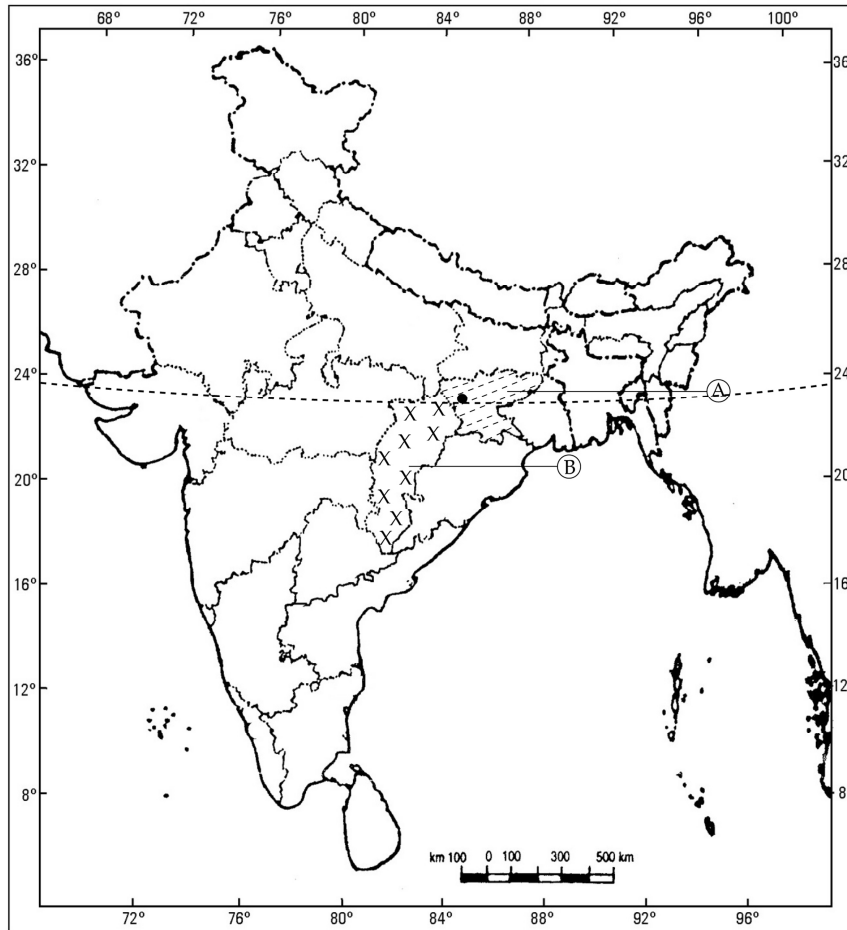
25	Describe the use of EVMS (Electronic Voting Machines) in India.	5
26	Describe the powers and functions of the Indian Parliament.	5
The student has to attempt any one map question from question numbers 27a, 27b and 27c. Question no. 28 is compulsory. The maps are attached with the question paper.		
27a	(a) Two items A and B are shown in the given political outline map of India. Identify these items with the help of following information and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map. (A) State related to the pastoral community of Banjaras. (B) The state to which Gujjar Bakarwalas belong. (b) On the same political outline map of India, locate and label the following item with appropriate symbol : (C) State related to Dhangars community. Note : The following questions are for the visually impaired candidates only in lieu of map question. (27.1) Name the state to which the Manpas belong. (27.2) Name the state to which Gaddi cattle herders belong. (27.3) Name the pastoral communities of Andhra Pradesh. Political Map of India 	3
OR		
27b	(a) Two items A and B are shown in the given political outline map of India. Identify these items with the help of following information and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map. (A) The Place to which Birsa Munda belonged. (B) The state to which Gonds belong.	3

- (b) On the same political outline map of India, locate and label the following item with appropriate symbol.
 (C) Place related to Koravas.

Note : The following questions are for the visually impaired candidates only in lieu of map question.

- (27.1) Name the Place to which Siddu and Kanu belonged.
 (27.2) Name the State to which Gonds belong.
 (27.3) Name any one forest community of Bastar.

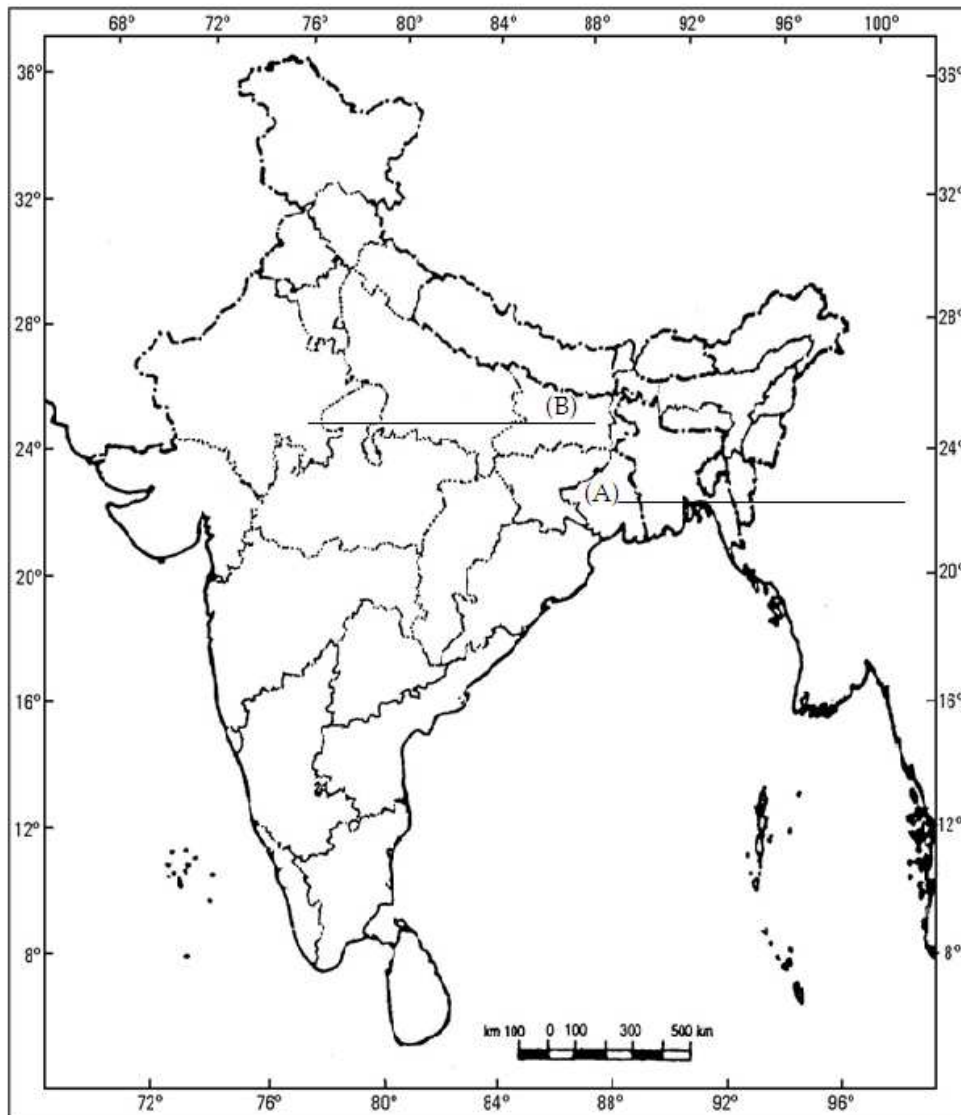
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OR/अथवा

- 27c Two items A and B are shown in the given political outline map of India.. Identify these items with the help of following information and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map. 3
- (A) The state where the 'Battle of Plassey' was fought.
 (B) A state where the peasants were forced to grow opium.
 On the same political outline map of India, locate and label the following item with appropriate symbol.
 (C) An area of central India, not under British control where opium was grown.
- Note :** The following questions are for the visually impaired candidates only in lieu of map question.
- (27.1) The trade between which two countries is related to the production of opium in India ?
 (27.2) From which country did East India company buy Tea ?
 (27.3) In which state did British Government gain monopoly to trade in opium ?

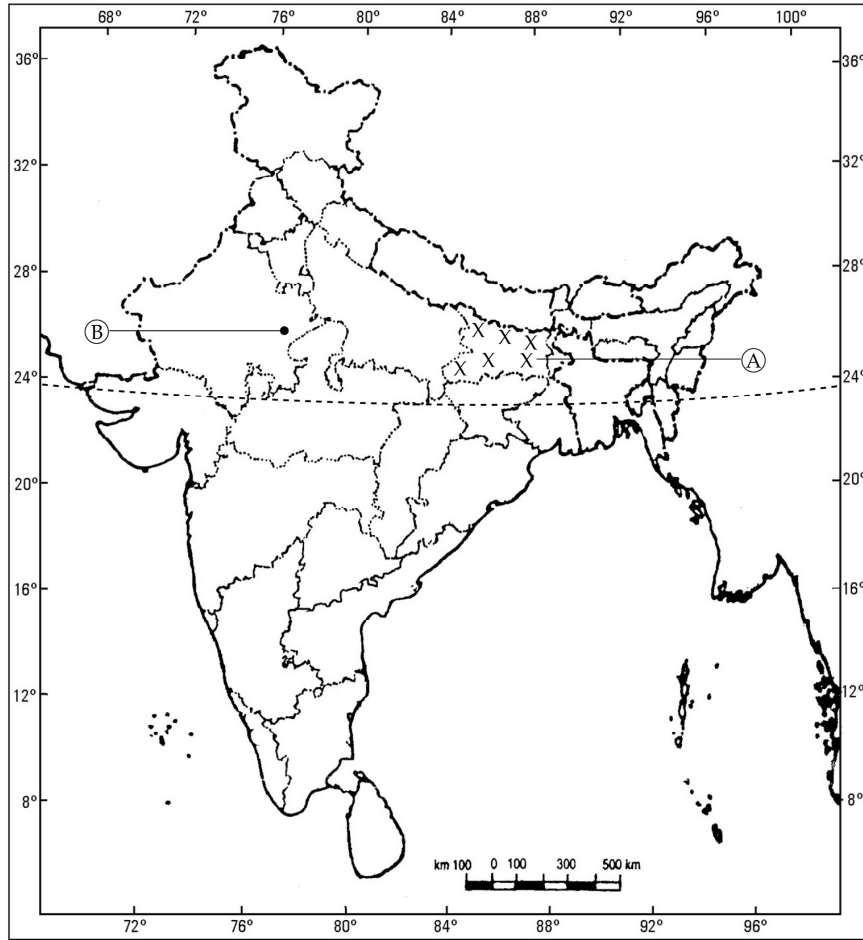
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- 28 (a) Two features (A) and (B) are shown in the political outline map of India. Identify these features with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map.
- (A) Type of natural vegetation.
- (B) A wildlife sanctuary.
- (b) On the same political outline map of India locate and label the following feature with appropriate symbol.
- (C) The most sparsely populated state.
- Note :** The following questions are for the visually impaired candidates only, in lieu of map question.
- (28.1) Name the type of natural vegetation found in Bihar.
- (28.2) In which state of India Periyar wildlife sanctuary is located ?
- (28.3) Name the most sparsely populated state of India.

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SECTION - B (OTBA)

(* Please ensure that open text of the given theme is supplied with this question paper)

Theme : Together We Rise

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| 29 | डेयरी सहकारी समितियों ने महिला सशक्तीकरण में किस प्रकार मदद की है।
How have Dairy Cooperatives helped to empower women ? | 5 |
| 30 | “सहकारी समितियों केवल ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों के सामाजिक आर्थिक उत्थान में ही योगदान नहीं देती अपितु शहरी क्षेत्रों में भी बहुत सक्रिय है।” कथन का परीक्षण कीजिए।
“Co-operatives not only contribute toward socio-economic upliftment of rural areas but are very active in urban sector as well”. Examine the statement. | 5 |

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