

Vision Ias Study Material

Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International relations Topic Covered: 1. Salient Features of the Constitution of India: The Preamble, Fundamental Rights and Duties, Directive Principles; Parliamentary System and Amendment Procedures; Judicial Review and Basic Structure doctrine 2. Salient features of the Representation of People’s Act 3. Role of Civil Services in a Democracy 4. E Governance- applications, models, successes, limitations, and potential 5. Issues relating to poverty and hunger 6. Important aspects of governance, transparency and accountability 7. Government policies and interventions for development in various sectors and issues arising out of their design and implementation 8. Statutory, regulatory and various quasi-judicial bodies 9. Development processes and the development industry- the role of NGOs 10. Mechanisms, Laws, Institutions and Bodies constituted for the protection and betterment of these vulnerable section 11. Welfare schemes for vulnerable sections of the population by the Centre and States and the performance of these schemes 12. Separation of powers between various organs 13. India and Its Neighborhood Relations 14. Pressure Groups and formal/Informal Associations and Their Role in the Polity 15. Comparison of the Indian Constitutional Scheme with That of Other Countries 16. Appointment to Various Constitutional Posts, Powers, Functions and Responsibilities of various Constitutional Bodies 17. Functions and Responsibilities of the Union and the States General Studies-2 Paper Syllabus for UPSC Civil Services Mains Exam consists of the below major areas: Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International relations. Detailed syllabus is given below: GENERAL STUDIES PAPER-2 SYLLABUS FOR UPSC CIVIL SERVICES MAINS Indian Constitution- historical underpinnings, evolution, features, amendments, significant provisions and basic structure. Functions and responsibilities of the Union and the States, issues and challenges pertaining to the federal structure, devolution of powers and finances up to local levels and challenges therein. Separation of powers between various organs dispute redressal mechanisms and institutions. Comparison of the Indian constitutional scheme with that of other countries Parliament and State Legislatures - structure, functioning, conduct of business, powers & privileges and issues arising out of these. Structure, organization and functioning of the Executive and the Judiciary Ministries and Departments of the Government; pressure groups and formal/informal associations and their role in the Polity. Salient features of the Representation of People’s Act. Appointment to various Constitutional posts, powers, functions and responsibilities of various Constitutional Bodies. Statutory, regulatory and various quasi-judicial bodies. Government policies and interventions for development in various sectors and issues arising out of their design and implementation. Development processes and the development industry- the role of NGOs, SHGs, various groups and associations, donors, charities, institutional and other stakeholders. Welfare schemes for vulnerable sections of the population by the Centre and States and the performance of these schemes; mechanisms, laws, institutions and Bodies constituted for the protection and betterment of these vulnerable sections. Issues relating to the development and management of Social Sector/Services relating to Health, Education, Human Resources. Issues relating to poverty and hunger. Important aspects of governance, transparency and accountability, e-governance- applications, models, successes, limitations, and potential; citizens charters, transparency & accountability and institutional and other measures. Role of civil services in a democracy. India and its neighborhood- relations. Bilateral, regional and global groupings and agreements involving India and/or affecting India’s interests. Effect of policies and politics of developed and developing countries on India’s interests, Indian Diaspora. The twenty-first century has been dubbed the Asian Century. Highlighting diverse thinker-politicians rather than billionaire businessmen, Makers of Modern Asia presents eleven leaders who theorized and organized anticolonial movements, strategized and directed military campaigns, and designed and implemented political systems.

A clear, concise and to the point book for Civil Services Examination GS Paper IV. The book gives a simple and holistic view of all issues. Usp of the book is to guide aspirants on how to approach case studies. Ethics, Integrity; Aptitude by Ashok Kumar IPS: Civil Services Main Examination book with solved case studies.

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More Puzzles

Useful for IAS Prelims and State Level Competition

History of Modern India

Indian Society

A thorough and incisive introduction to contemporary India The story of the forging of India, the world's largest democracy, is a rich and inspiring one. This volume, a sequel to the best-selling India's Struggle for Independence, analyses the challenges India has faced and the successes it has achieved, in the light of its colonial legacy and century-long struggle for freedom. Framed, as also how the Nehruvian political and economic agenda and basics of foreign policy were evolved and developed. It dwells on the consolidation of the nation, examining contentious issues like party politics in the Centre and the States, the Punjab problem, and anti-caste politics and untouchability. This revised edition offers a scathing analysis of the growth of the nation, and the challenges it has faced, furthering its cause. It also documents the fall of the National Democratic Alliance in the 2004 General Elections, the United Progressive Alliance's subsequent rise to power and the Indo-US Nuclear Deal that served to unravel the political consensus at the centre. Apart from detailed analyses of Indian economic reforms since 1991 and wide-ranging land reforms and an overview of the Indian economy in the new millennium. These, along with objective assessments of Jawaharlal Nehru, Indira Gandhi, Jayaprakash Narayan, Lal Bahadur Shastri, Rajiv Gandhi, Vishwanath Pratap Singh, Atal Bihari Vajpayee and Manmohan Singh, constitute a remarkable overview of a nation on the move.

Former India Foreign Secretary Shyam Saran has had a ringside view of the most critical events and shifts in Indian foreign policy in the new millennium. In this magisterial book, Saran discerns the threads that tie together his experiences as a diplomat

The Children's Vaccine Initiative is an international endeavor to ensure that children throughout the world are immunized. This book notes that one of the best opportunities to address the growing problem of immunization in the United States and to improve the health of children in developing countries lies in marshaling the vaccine development and production efforts in the United States and abroad, and it recommends ways to enhance participation in the International Children's Vaccine Initiative.

UPSC IAS Mains Exam: General Studies Paper-3 Complete Study Material

The Children's Vaccine Initiative

6 Years UPSC Civil Services IAS Mains Topic-wise Solved Papers (2020 to 2015) for Paper B (Compulsory English), Paper I (Essay), & Paper II - V (General Studies Papers 1 to 4) 2nd Edition

Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude

An Action Agenda for Reform

In this second edition, the aptitudes of civil servants and the foundational values of public service in India have been examined in depth, in the light of new researches in the fields of 'neurology' and 'emotional intelligence.' The ethical concerns, dilemmas, and probity issues in governance have been examined in the context of declining moral values, accountability ethics, and galloping corruption in Indian public administration. The chapter on "Moral Philosophies and Philosophers" has been entirely rewritten. Further, a new chapter on "Corporate Social Responsibility and Global Transparency: The Ethical Issues" has been additionally incorporated to highlight the ethical/social responsibility of business and ethical interactions in global politics. The book will provoke civil service aspirants to think and debate the ethical issues woven around the emerging ethos of transparency, new codes of conduct, and work culture. A section of case studies from India will help readers relate theory to a practical understanding of the subject. The book enables readers to identify right attitudes and discover problem-solving approaches when dealing with conflicts. [Subject: India Studies, Ethics, Public Administration]

UPSC PSC Prelims: Geography Question Bank UPSC Civil Services Preliminary Exam 2020 - 60 Days Revision MYUPSC.COM is dedicated to preparation of UPSC Civil Services and State PSC Prelims and Mains Examination 2020. We are providing here the best quality study material and Test Series for UPSC IAS Prelims and Mains Exam 2020. You can get India yearbook 2020 and State wise Current Affairs and General Knowledge Yearbook 2020. The site intends to provide free study notes, knowledge or information related to IAS/PCS exams that can help to crack these Examinations. The Study Portal has also published its Ebooks/ PDF on various aspects & dimensions of General Studies of World, India and all the Indian states. The vision of the Study Portal is to consolidate all the relevant information related to India, Indian States regarding its History, Geography, Polity, Art-Culture, Heritage, Economy, Environment & Biodiversity and Current Affairs etc. UPSC Civil Services Preliminary Exam 2020 - 60 Days Revision 60 Days Online Revision Test Programme · 45 Days Concept cum Revision Daily Test · 17 Days Prelims Current Affairs Tests · Special Test on Economic Survey & Budget · Special Test on India Year Book & Mapping · Prelims Mock Test Series · Prelims Study Material Programme Approach 1. UPSC Prelims is all about managing micro detailing of subjects & handling negative marking. As aspirants tend to get confused about what to study and how to study (i.e. up to what level/extent) for Civil Services Prelims, this programme has been designed to help students to cover whole syllabus effectively within a stipulated time and also have an assessment through test series. 2. This programme covers the complete syllabus including - History, Geography, Polity, Economy, Science, Environment and Current Affairs with the correct mix of Fundamental and Advance level of study to cover micro detailing of sub-topics & current developments. 3. 44 Days Concept cum Revision tests for covering basic concepts. In each Test there will be a test of 100 questions (based on the topics given in schedule) followed by Class to cover basic aspects of each topic and approach to handle questions. 4. 17 days Current Affairs Test covering last 2 years current topics/issues supplemented by notes. 5. Current Affairs Test will also include updates on Indian Year Book (IYB), PIB, Budget and Economic Survey. 6. Special Test on Mapping (World & Indian Geography). 7. Complete Prelims Study Material & Prelims Current Affairs Material will also be provided (It will cover Current Affairs of past 2 years). UPSC Prelims 2020 Revision Geography Question Bank: Expected MCQs for UPSC PSC Exams

1. Cracking the CSAT paper -2 is a complete study guide 2. The book is divided into sections 3. Comprehension Practice sets are provided with their solutions 4. Solved Papers (2020-2011) are given to know the paper pattern 5. 5 Crack Sets are provided for thorough practice 6. Scientific and Logical Presentation of Contents as per UPSC Level 7. Question based on Graphs, Charts, Tables, etc questions are also included. CSAT (Paper-II) is a compulsory Pre Examination that one has to qualify in order to clear the UPSC Civil Service Examination. This paper tests the aptitude, intellect and suitability of a candidate and evaluates their overall understanding level. "Cracking the CSAT Paper 2" is the most popular book that takes you to the next stage of IAS. With the complete coverage to the whole syllabus this book follows exact pattern as prescribed by UPSC, including the relevant study material and variety of questions based on each field along with their complete solutions. All the sections mentioned in this study package have been revised intelligently and improved features and formats as per 2020 examination. Scientific and Logical presentation of contents is designed as per competition level of UPSC Civil Service Examination. At the end of the book 5 Crack sets have been given with their detailed explanations that help in assisting the aspirants to crack CSAT Paper 2 Exam. TABLE OF CONTENT Solved Papers (2020-2011), Comprehension, Basic Numeracy, General Mental Ability, Data Interpretation & Sufficiency, Decision Making & Problem Solving, Interpersonal Skills Including Communication Skills, Logical Reasoning & Analytical Ability, English Language Comprehension, Crack Sets (1-5) with Detailed Explanations.

Ethics in Governance

How India Sees the World

Administrative Thinkers

Geography Question Bank: UPSC PSC Exams

An Introduction to Indian Philosophy

The thoroughly Revised and Updated 12th edition (2 colour) of Disha's BESTSELLER "27 Years UPSC IAS/ IPS Prelims Topic-wise Solved Papers 1 & 2 (1995-2021)" consists of past years solved papers of the General Studies Paper 1 & 2 distributed into 8 Units and 52 Topics. # This new edition includes Strategy Video by Mrunal, Notes & Sources for select questions. # The USP of the book is its flawless detailed solution to each and every question whose answer key has been validated with UPSC. # This new edition also includes an IAS Planner which will help the aspirants in planning their preparation for the Prelim & Main Exam. # This is the only book that provides Solved Papers of 27 Years of Prelim Exam along with Unsolved Questions of Mains Exam from 2013 to 2020. # The book has been empowered with Unique Inputs/ Articles by the author who is also one of the Most esteemed faculties for IAS - Mrunal on: ◌ Understanding the IAS Exam & Strategies to Crack the Prelim & Main Exam. ◌ How to Attempt the IAS Main Exam Questions? ◌ How to approach the Economics section? ◌ How to write Essays for GS IV Main exam? # The book provides UNSOLVED Mains Papers from 2013 - 20, divided topic-wise. The book also provides List of Essays divided topic-wise from 1993 - 2020. # The strength of the book lies in the Errorless DETAILED Solutions. The book is 100% useful for both the General Studies papers (1 and 2) of the Prelims/ CSAT.

General Studies Paper-3 Syllabus for UPSC Civil Services Mains Exam consists of the below major areas: Technology, Economic Development, Biodiversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management. Detailed syllabus as provided by UPSC is as below: GENERAL STUDIES 3 PAPER SYLLABUS FOR UPSC CIVIL SERVICES MAINS 1. Indian Economy and issues relating to planning, mobilization of resources, growth, development and employment. 2. Inclusive growth and issues arising from it. 3. Government Budgeting. 4. Major crops cropping patterns in various parts of the country, different types of irrigation and irrigation systems storage, transport and marketing of agricultural produce and issues and related constraints; e-technology in the aid of farmers. 5. Issues related to direct and indirect farm subsidies and minimum support prices; Public Distribution System- objectives, functioning, limitations, revamping; issues of buffer stocks and food security; Technology missions; economics of animal-rearing. 6. Food processing and related industries in India- scope and significance, location, upstream and downstream requirements, supply chain management. 7. Land reforms in India. 8. Effects of liberalization on the economy, changes in industrial policy and their effects on industrial growth. 9. Infrastructure: Energy, Ports, Roads, Airports, Railways etc. 10. Investment models. 11. Science and Technology- developments and their applications and effects in everyday life. 12. Achievements of Indians in science & technology; indigenization of technology and developing new technology. 13. Awareness in the fields of IT, Space, Computers, robotics, nanotechnology, biotechnology and issues relating to intellectual property rights. 14. Conservation, environmental pollution and degradation, environmental impact assessment. 15. Disaster and disaster management. 16. Linkages between development and spread of extremism. 17. Role of external state and non-state actors in creating challenges to internal security. 18. Challenges to internal security through communication networks, the role of media and social networking sites in internal security challenges, basics of cyber security; money-laundering and its prevention. 19. Security challenges and their management in border areas; linkages of organized crime with terrorism. 20. Various Security forces and agencies and their mandate. Technology, Economic Development, Bio-diversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management Topic Covered: 1. Challenges to Internal Security through Communication Networks 2. Money Laundering and Its Prevention 3. Role of Media and Social Networking Sites in Internal Security Challenges 4. Linkages of Organised Crime with Terrorism 5. Land reforms in India 6. Linkages between development and spread of extremism 7. Issues relating to intellectual property rights 8. Awareness in the fields of IT 9. Awareness in the fields of Computers 10. Awareness in the fields of Robotics 11. Awareness in the field of Space 12. Awareness in the fields of Bio-technology 13. Awareness in the fields of nano-technology 14. Conservation 15. Environmental pollution and degradation 16. Environmental impact assessment 17. Food processing and related industries in India- scope and significance, location, upstream and downstream requirements, supply chain management. 18. Environmental Impact Assessment 19. Food processing and related industries in India 20. Security challenges and their management in border areas 21. Disaster Management 22. Indian Economy and issues relating to planning, mobilization of resources, growth, development and employment 23. Major crops cropping patterns in various parts of the country 24. Different types of irrigation and irrigation systems storage 25. E-technology in the aid of farmers 26. Effects of liberalization on the economy, changes in industrial policy and their effects on industrial growth. 27. Transport and marketing of agricultural produce and issues and related constraints 28. Inclusive growth and issues arising from it 29. Public Distribution System-, functioning, limitations, revamping 30. Issues of buffer stocks and food security 31. Economics of Animal Rearing 32. Infrastructure: Energy, Ports, Roads, Airports, Railways 33. Science and Technology 34. Effects of science and technology in everyday life 35. Application of science and technology 36. Achievements of Indians in science & technology 37. Developments Science and Technology 38. Indigenization of Technology and Developing New Technology 39. Role of External State and non-state Actors in creating Challenges to Internal Security 40. Issues related to direct and indirect farm subsidies and minimum support prices

Competition Science Vision (monthly magazine) is published by Pratiyogita Darpan Group in India and is one of the best Science monthly magazines available for medical entrance examination students in India. Well-qualified professionals of Physics, Chemistry, Zoology and Botany make contributions to this magazine and craft it with focus on providing complete and to-the-point study material for aspiring candidates. The magazine covers General Knowledge, Science and Technology news, Interviews of toppers of examinations, study material of Physics, Chemistry, Zoology and Botany with model papers, reasoning test questions, facts, quiz contest, general awareness and mental ability test in every monthly issue.

Colonial Society and Economy

A History of Western Political Thought

Introduction to Religious Philosophy

IAS Mains Chapterwise Solved Papers General Studies

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Drawing upon diverse sources such as history, indology, anthropology and sociology, this book discusses the various aspects of indian society,It also discusses the major trends of change and their impact, illminating the complex social realities of india.

(Free Sample) 27 Years UPSC IAS–IPS Prelims Topic-wise Solved Papers 1 & 2 (1995 – 2021) 12th EditionDisha Publications

Invaders from another world are attacking the Earth, and humanity's only hope lies in special armors called Hybrid Heart Gears, or HHGs. Hida Kizuna might seem unexceptional, but he has a skill that can turn the tide of battle—by getting female HHG users hot and bothered, he can replenish their energy!

Field Notes Of A Civil Servant

India After Independence

Civil Services Chronicle October 2020

(Free Sample) 27 Years UPSC IAS–IPS Prelims Topic-wise Solved Papers 1 & 2 (1995 – 2021) 12th Edition

Poor But Spritied In Karimnagar

This is the enlarged edition of a Critical History of Modern Philosophy. In this new edition Greek and Medieval Philosophies have been added. The book also includes a critical and comparative account of the major contributions of eight modern thinkers. To this exposition the idealism of Hegel and Bradley has been introduced. Recent discussions concerning Hume, Kant, Hegel and Bradley have also been incorporated. Whilst giving fully an analytic account of topics, the author maintains that philosophy is a holistic enterprise of man, as we find it in Spinoza, Kant, Hegel and Bradley.The book has turned out to be a reliable and useful to the students of the subject throughout India. This thoroughly revised and enlarged edition will prove to be all the more serviceable in general.

The difficulty of finding solutions After six decades of policy-making and planning that appear perfect on paper, vast pockets of poverty persist across the country, accompanied by low human development indices. In Poor but Spirited in Karimnagar, Sumita Dawra recounts her experiences as collector in the district of Karimnagar in Andhra Pradesh, and grapples with the question of why even with crores of rupees of government funding, well-meaning implementing agencies and constructive action, this wide gap between intention and results continues. The stories cover diverse populations, from child labour to cotton farmers, from coal miners to malnourished power loom weavers. They traverse the thick Naxal-infested forests, course along the Godavari, and meander through the 'multiple urban worlds' of Ramagundem and the dry upland areas of Sircilla, examining the key issues that need to be addressed. Each chapter, divided into three sections - identifying the problem, providing the context, and offering the solution, along with a useful statistical guide that provides a quick overview - looks at the key points of lacunae in service delivery in the concerned areas and provides a starting point for a more effective engagement in the tackling of the problems. Based on successful models of governance within the country and elsewhere, this book from a seasoned bureaucrat offers a fresh, contemporary perspective on administration and governance.

About the book ETHICS IN GOVERNANCE Amidst modern complexities and riddles, executives and organizational heads face immense ethical dilemmas in their decision-making. Circumstantial adversaries pose unique challenges and threats to their conscience and leadership abilities. This book tends to address such dilemmas, threats and challenges in a rather systematic and elucidate manner. It attempts to construct perspectives that may find practical solutions to governance rigor and internal moral conflicts. This is a book full of people, almost too many of them who took part in a national seminar on 'Ethical dimensions of governance' organized at India International Centre: executives, politicians, jurists, media people, medical practitioners, academicians, and organizational heads. Those who were philosophically as well as emotionally interested in the inter-faith debate and who believed in trying to create a synthesis of different belief systems on governance. So there is a kind of internal moral dialogue and deliberations that are captured by the authors. There are countless anecdotes, some humorous and some poignant, and they are fascinating also because such people have never been so exuberant in the public eye anyway. Individuals who are responsible for good governance and deep-down care ethical practices and human values would get enough impetus reading this book. It is also meant to benefit those who want to understand the realities of governance and based up on that want to frame their own philosophy of work and life. This book would further be useful to students and professionals who would like to learn the pitfalls of governance and there-upon set benchmarks for their future endeavors. Nevertheless, if you are unhappy allowing your trinity (intellect, soul and heart) to do the talking in the context of governance then this text cannot be recommended.

Governance:- Public Policy • Corporate Sector • Public Sector • Health Care • Banking Industry • Environment Sector • Leadership challenging corruption • Tasks and Solutions for the Future.

Dictionary Of Public Administration

Kautilya to the 21st Century

Makers of Modern Asia

India's Struggle for Independence

Cracking the CSAT Paper-2

India's struggle for Independence by Bipin Chandra is your go to book for an in-depth and detailed overview on Indian independence movement . Indian freedom struggle is one of the most important parts of its history. A lot has been written and said about it, but there still remains a gap. Rarely do we get to hear accounts of the independence from the entire country and not just one region at one place. This book fits in perfectly in this gap and also provides a narration on the impact this movement had on the people. Bipin Chandra's book is a well-documented history of India's freedom struggle against the British rule. It is one of the most accurate books which have been painstakingly written after thorough research based on legal and valid verbal and written sources. It maps the first war of independence that started with Mangal Pandey's mutiny and witnessed the gallant effort of Sri Rani Laxmi Bai. Many of the pages of this book are dedicated to Mahatma Gandhi's non-cooperation and the civil disobedience movements. It contains detailed description of Subash Chandra Bose's weapon heavy tactics and his charisma. This book includes all the independence movements and fights, irrespective of their size and impact, covering India in its entirety. Although these movements varied in means and ideas, but they shared a common goal of independence. This book contains oral and written narratives from different parts of the country, making this book historically rich and diverse. The book captures the evolution of Indian independence struggle in full detail and leaves no chapter of this story untouched. This book is a good read for the students of Indian modern history and especially for students who are preparing for UPSC examination and have taken History as their subject.

*A History of Western Political Thought is an energetic and lucid account of the most important political thinkers and the enduring themes of the last two and a half millennia. Written with students of the history of political thought in mind, the book: * traces the development of political thought from Ancient Greece to the late twentieth century * focuses on individual thinkers and texts * includes 40 biographies of key political thinkers * offers original views of theorists and highlights those which may have been unjustly neglected * develops the wider themes of political thought and the relations between thinkers over time.*

The object of this book is to provide a simple introduction to the Indian systems of philosophy. Each one of these systems has had a vast and varied development. An attempt has been made to introduce the reader to the spirit and outlook of Indian philosophy and help him to grasp thoroughly the central ideas rather than acquaint him with minute details. Modern students of philosophy feel many difficulties in understanding the Indian problems and theories. Their long experience with university students has helped the authors to realise these, and they have tried to remove them as far as possible. This accounts for most of the critical discussions which could otherwise have been dispensed with. The book has been primarily written for beginners. The first chapter which contains the general principles and basic features of Indian philosophy, as well as a brief sketch of each system, gives the student a bird's-eye view of the entire field and prepares him for a more intensive study of the systems which are contained in the following chapters. It is hoped, therefore, that the book will suit the needs of university students at different stages, as well as of general readers interested in Indian Philosophy.

ETHICS, INTEGRITY & APTITUDE (Prabhat Prakashan)

India Since Independence

Certificate Physics And Human Geography; Indian Edition

IAS Mains – General Studies Solved Papers

This new edition of An Introduction to Political Theory examines a fairly wide range of issues on political theory as identified at the beginning of the new millennium. It elaborates the nature and significance of political theory, concept of ideology, wi

Ramachandra Guha ' s India after Gandhi is a magisterial account of the pains, struggles, humiliations and glories of the world ' s largest and least likely democracy. A riveting chronicle of the often brutal conflicts that have rocked a giant nation, and of the extraordinary individuals and institutions who held it together, it established itself as a classic when it was first published in 2007. In the last decade, India has witnessed, among other things, two general elections; the fall of the Congress and the rise of Narendra Modi; a major anti-corruption movement; more violence against women, Dalits, and religious minorities; a wave of prosperity for some but the persistence of poverty for others; comparative peace in Nagaland but greater discontent in Kashmir than ever before. This tenth anniversary edition, updated and expanded, brings the narrative up to the present. Published to coincide with seventy years of the country ' s independence, this definitive history of modern India is the work of one of the world ' s finest scholars at the height of his powers.

India has fallen far and fast from the runaway growth rates it enjoyed in the first decade of the twenty-first century. In order to reverse this trend, New Delhi must seriously reflect on its policy choices across a wide range of issue areas. Getting India Back on Track broadly coincides with the 2014 Indian elections to spur a public debate about the program that the next government should pursue in order to return the country to a path of high growth. It convenes some of India's most accomplished analysts to recommend policies in every major sector of the Indian economy. Taken together, these seventeen focused and concise memoranda offer policymakers and the general public alike a clear blueprint for India's future. Contents Foreword Ratan N. Tata (Chairman, Tata Trusts) Introduction Ashley J. Tellis and Reece Trevor (Carnegie Endowment for International Peace) 1. Maintaining Macroeconomic Stability Ila Patnaik (National Institute of Public Finance and Policy) 2. Dismantling the Welfare State Surjit Bhalla (Oxus Investments) 3. Revamping Agriculture and the Public Distribution System Ashok Gulati (Commission for Agriculture Costs and Prices) 4. Revisiting Manufacturing Policy Rajiv Kumar (Centre for Policy Research) 5. Generating Employment Omkar Goswami (Corporate and Economic Research Group) 6. Expanding Education and Skills Laveesh Bhandari (Indicus Analytics) 7. Confronting Health Challenges A. K. Shiva Kumar (National Advisory Council) 8. Accelerating Infrastructure Modernization Rajiv Lall and Ritu Anand (IDFC Limited) 9. Managing Urbanization Somik Lall and Tara Vishwanath (World Bank) 10. Renovating Land Management Barun S. Mitra (Liberty Institute) and Madhumita D. Mitra (consultant) 11. Addressing Water Management Tushaar Shah (International Water Management Institute) and Shilp Verma (independent researcher) 12. Reforming Energy Policy and Pricing Sunjoy Joshi (Observer Research Foundation) 13. Managing the Environment Ligia Noronha (Energy and Resources Institute) 14. Strengthening Rule of Law Devesh Kapur (University of Pennsylvania) and Milan Vaishnav (Carnegie Endowment for International Peace) 15. Correcting the Administrative Deficit Bibek Debroy (Centre for Policy Research) 16. Building Advanced Technology Capacity for Competitive Arms Acquisition Ravinder Pal Singh (Stockholm International Peace Research Institute) 17. Rejuvenating Foreign Policy C. Raja Mohan (Observer Research Foundation and Carnegie Endowment for International Peace)

Charles Darwin's Zoology Notes and Specimen Lists from H. M. S. Beagle

India After Gandhi: The History of the World's Largest Democracy

An Introduction to Political Theory

Getting India Back on Track

A Critical History of Western Philosophy

1. The book is designed for preparation of civil services exams 2. It is divided into 4 papers and segmented into topics. 3. Last 5 Years solved papers are given to understand the changing paper. 4. Chapterwise Questions are provided from 2020 to 1997 for practice. 5. Solved Papers 2020-2017 are given for practice. Candidates, who are appearing in IAS Main Exams, always in need of comprehensive and accurate study material which could actually serve the purpose for the smart and cumulative understanding of the subject. General Studies is a very dynamic topic which requires in depth analysis and vast knowledge. With the current edition of "IAS Mains General Studies Chapterwise Solved Papers 2020-1997" candidates are guided with the authentic source of information following the current paper pattern. The book is divided into 4 Parts providing complete practice of each paper. Every chapter is loaded with good number of questions from 1997 to 2020 along with detailed solutions. Solved Papers (2020-2017) are provided to get the better insight of the question papers and its pattern. TOC Solved Paper 2020-2017 (Paper - I, II, III, IV), Paper I – Indian Heritage and Culture, History and Geography of the World and Society, Paper II – Governance, Constitution, Polity, Social Justice and International Relations, Paper III – Technology, Economic Development, Biodiversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management, Paper IV – Ethics, Integrity and Aptitude.

This is a book with a clearly visible theme of Advaita. That is not to say, that Masih has not spoken of other things. However, this book is not an introduction to philosophy of religion, but an introduction to religious philosophy. Thus it escapes the narrow confines of being a mere introduction to religious philosophy, as there are plenty of insights on philosophy of religion as well. A striking aspect of this book is that the author not only believes, but also calculates logically, as to how the various insights of different religions must crossfertilise the visions of one another. This exercise obviously demands a great deal of understanding of the various religious commitments. The author quotes the example of Ramakrishna Paramahansa who suggested that there is something like religious unity and that one is capable of extending oneself beyond the limited confines of a single religion, of the Supreme Spirit. Thus, understanding the Supreme Spirit as a concept is useful, because it is in the nature of a concept that is shareable and comm-unicable. One appreciable part of the book is the sweep it has over the subject... from Galloway and Martinieu to J.N. Findlay, Hare Blik, Kant, Hastings, Rashdall to McCloskey and Radhakrishnan, the author has drawn from various thinkers.

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Competition Science Vision

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Here are over 300 tantalizing puzzles, brain teasers and riddles by one of the greatest mathematical geniuses of the twentieth century, Shakuntala Devi, popularly known as the 'human computer'. The puzzles include every possible type of mathematical recreation, time and distance problems, age and money riddles, puzzles involving geometry and elementary algebra, and entertaining, but always stimulating, the puzzles included in the book offer hours of fun and relaxation.

For the first time, Darwin's notes and logs from his voyage are published. Included are analyses, pencil drawings, and technical notes.

Greek, Medieval and Modern

26 Years UPSC IAS/ IPS Prelims Topic-wise Solved Papers 1 & 2 (1995 - 2020) 11th Edition

A Brief History of Modern India