

BA POLITICAL SCIENCE
FIFTH SEMESTER [SPECIAL REPEAT]
POLITICS IN NORTH-EAST INDIA
BPS – 503

**SET
A**

[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 min.

(PART-A: Objective)

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1×20=20

- The Naga Hills was declared separate statehood on _____.
a. December 1, 1962
b. December 1, 1963
c. December 1, 1964
d. December 1, 1965
- Meghalaya was conferred statehood on _____.
a. January 21, 1971
b. January 21, 1972
c. January 21, 1973
d. January 21, 1974
- The Official Languages Act was passed in _____.
a. 1940
b. 1950
c. 1960
d. 1970
- Bengali is the official state language of _____.
a. Assam
b. Arunachal Pradesh
c. Mizoram
d. Tripura
- "Kokborok" is a language of _____.
a. Arunachal Pradesh
b. Assam
c. Tripura
d. Sikkim
- Asom Gana Parishad is a regional political party of _____.
a. Arunachal Pradesh
b. Assam
c. Meghalaya
d. Nagaland
- Originally, there were _____ factions of National Socialist Council of Nagaland (N.S.C.N.).
a. Two
b. Three
c. Four
d. Five
- The Hynniewtrep National Liberation Council (H.N.L.C.) is an insurgent group of _____.
a. Assam
b. Meghalaya
c. Mizoram
d. Nagaland
- At one point of time, more than _____ militant groups operated in India's North East.
a. 100
b. 110
c. 120
d. 130

10. The emergence of Insurgent groups in North East India was due to _____.
 - a. Illegal Migration
 - b. Poor governance
 - c. Lack of development
 - d. All of the above options.
11. North East India covers a total area which occupies _____ of the total geographical area of the Indian sub continent.
 - a. 6.9%
 - b. 7.9%
 - c. 8.9%
 - d. 9.9%
12. Arunachal Pradesh alone contributes _____ of the total hydro power of the country.
 - a. 14%
 - b. 24%
 - c. 34%
 - d. 44%
13. The North Eastern Council (NEC) was established in _____.
 - a. 1951
 - b. 1961
 - c. 1971
 - d. 1981
14. The Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (DoNER) was established in _____.
 - a. 1971
 - b. 1981
 - c. 1991
 - d. 2001
15. In North East, ____ of the population depends on the primary sector.
 - a. 45%
 - b. 55%
 - c. 65%
 - d. 75%
16. The state of Assam was ruled by Ahoms for almost _____ centuries.
 - a. 2
 - b. 4
 - c. 6
 - d. 8
17. The Treaty of Yandaboo is a peace treaty that put an end to the ____ Anglo-Burmese War.
 - a. First
 - b. Second
 - c. Third
 - d. Fourth
18. The state of Assam was annexed by the British in _____.
 - a. 1824
 - b. 1825
 - c. 1826
 - d. 1827
19. The next North East kingdom that was annexed by the British after Assam was _____.
 - a. Cachar Hills
 - b. Jaintia Hills
 - c. Khasi Hills
 - d. Naga Hills
20. On the provision of the Government of India Act 1935, Assam's hill areas got separated into _____ categories.
 - a. Two
 - b. Three
 - c. Four
 - d. Five

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(PART-B : Descriptive)

Time : 2hrs 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. Discuss the common characteristics of Socio-cultural diversity of North East India. 10
2. Write short notes on Peasant Resistance with regards to Phulaguri and Patharughat. 5+5=10
3. Examine the Language Politics in Assam and Tripura. 10
4. Examine the emergence of Regional Political Parties in North East India. 10
5. Describe the geo-strategic significance of North East India. 10
6. Evaluate the colonial policy with special reference to "Excluded and Partially Excluded Areas". 10
7. Discuss the emergence of separate state of any two states: 5+5=10
 - a) Meghalaya
 - b) Nagaland
 - c) Mizoram
8. Discuss the causes of Insurgency in North East India. 10

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