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**MAINS MOCK TEST 2022**

**General Studies**

**Test - 10**

**TOPICS COVERED**

- 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.
- Important International Institutions, agencies and fora - their Structure, Mandate.

1. It is time to reform the United Nations. Critically analyze the issues plaguing the UN. 10 Marks
2. China has been using the financial tool of debt to gain influence across the world and grab considerable power in India's neighbouring countries. What are the effects of this policy on India and what can India do to counter this? 10 Marks
3. Though there are no winners in Russia-Ukraine war, it presents an opportunity for India. Comment. 10 Marks
4. India's relationship with ASEAN is a key pillar of our foreign policy and the foundation of our Act East Policy. Analyse the role that north eastern states can play in strengthening ties with ASEAN. 10 Marks
5. The formation of the Indo-Pacific Economic Framework for Prosperity (IPEF) holds good potential for India with respect to economic growth. Critically Analyse. 10 Marks
6. For India, QUAD could become much more than a Security alliance. Discuss. 10 Marks
7. What is the controversy surrounding Taiwan? Can it lead to full blown conflict? Critically argue. 10 Marks
8. The economic travails of Sri Lanka presents a huge opportunity for India to further its ambition of "Neighbourhood-First Policy". Elaborate. 10 Marks
9. India treated Japan with respect after its defeat in the Second World War and this laid the foundations of India-Japan ties. However, there is a great leap in the relations during the previous decade. Elaborate. 10 Marks
10. Critically examine various issues surrounding the growth, production, export and usage of palm oil across the world. 10 Marks
11. How does the growing Russia-China friendship affect India's relations with Russia, which has remained India's time-tested friend? How can India strengthen relations with Russia in these circumstances? 15 Marks
12. Indian diaspora has a decisive role to play in the politics and economy of the Global North. Comment with examples. 15 Marks
13. Is it time to revise India's Nuclear doctrine? Critically analyse. 15 Marks
14. India's connectivity projects to Central Asia and Europe are facing Economic and Geopolitical hurdles. Discuss. 15 Marks
15. "The international community might have prevented third world war, but the present tumultuous world is caught in a swirl of chaos". Elucidate. 15 Marks
16. After shedding decades of hesitations of history, India's engagement with the Gulf is expected to cement further in the coming decades. Discuss in the light of the recently concluded first I2U2 summit 15 Marks

17. Critically examine the recent decisions at Ministerial Conference 12 from Indian perspective. 15 Marks
18. "India and West Asia economic relations are multidimensional and fused together and are inseparable". Elucidate. 15 Marks
19. What do you understand by "New Pink Tide" in Latin America? How do the ideologies are different for the Leftist Governments in comparison to the Governments of the early 21st Century? 15 Marks
20. "The world's oldest democracy and the largest democracy are the natural partners and as we go forward, the convergence is going to be cemented further". Elucidate. 15 Marks





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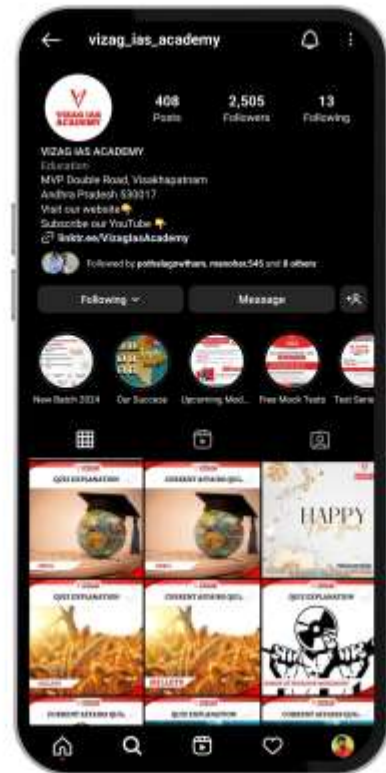
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