

Test No./Date	Paper /Subject	Topics Covered	Sources
Mock Test 1 15 th Nov 2025	GS1 Indian Economy (Sectional) & CA (April 2025)	Core economic concepts: Economic growth and development: Concepts like GDP, GNP, HDI, sustainable development, and the difference between growth and development. National income: Accounting and related concepts like GDP, NNP, and per capita income. Inflation: Different types of inflation (demand-pull, cost-push, stagflation) and measures like CPI and WPI. Fiscal and monetary policy: Government budget, taxation, expenditure, public debt, and tools used by the RBI like repo and reverse repo rates. Indian economy and sectors Banking and financial system: Role of RBI, commercial banks, NBFCs, non-performing assets (NPAs), and financial inclusion initiatives like PMJDY. Indian agriculture: Status, government schemes, public distribution system (PDS), and its relation to rural economy and food security. Industry and infrastructure: Industrial policies, energy, and the role of both public and private sectors. External sector: Balance of Payments (BOP), foreign exchange reserves, FDI, and international organizations like the WTO and	Economy: • <i>NCERTs (Class 11–12): Indian Economic Development (Class 11), Introductory Macroeconomics (Class 12).</i> • <i>Indian Economy by Sanjiv Verma/Nitin Singhania</i> • <i>Budget/Economic Survey (Latest edition) –Important Economic Reports/</i> • <i>Class Notes</i> • <i>News papers</i>

		IMF. Social and policy-related topics Poverty and inclusion: Measurement of poverty, government programs, and the concept of financial inclusion. Demographics: Census data, literacy rates, population distribution, and their socio-economic implications. Government schemes: Recent and important schemes related to social welfare, health, education, sanitation, and skill development. Economic planning: Historical context of planning in India and the impact of economic reforms since 1991. Sustainable development: Ensuring that development meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations	
Mock Test 2 29 th Nov 2025	GS1 Indian Polity (Sectional) & CA (May 2025)	Core topics: Constitution of India: Historical background, making of the Constitution, Preamble, key features, and important articles. Fundamental Rights and Duties: The nature and scope of rights, their enforceability, and Fundamental Duties. Directive Principles of State Policy (DPSP): Nature, scope, and the relationship with Fundamental Rights. Union Government: President, Vice President, Prime Minister, and Council of Ministers. State Government: Governor, Chief Minister, and Council of Ministers. Indian Parliament: Structure, functions, and law-making	Polity: • <i>NCERTs (Class 9–12): Democratic Politics (I, II), Indian Constitution at Work (Class 11).</i> • <i>Indian Polity</i> by M. Laxmikanth • <i>Class Notes</i> • <i>Current Bills/Acts</i>

		process. Judiciary: Structure and powers of the Supreme Court, High Courts, and subordinate courts. Federalism: Nature of Indian federalism and Centre-State relations. Local Government: Panchayati Raj Institutions and Municipalities. Other important areas Constitutional Bodies: Election Commission, UPSC, Finance Commission, and National Commissions. Non-Constitutional Bodies: Bodies that are not defined in the Constitution, but are important in the governance structure. Constitutional Amendments: Focus on major amendments like the 42nd, 44th, and 73rd. Emergency Provisions: Provisions related to national, state, and financial emergencies. Electoral Process: Electoral system, electoral reforms, and the Election Commission. Public Policy and Governance: Policy formulation and implementation, and related issues. Current Affairs: Recent political and governance challenges, government schemes, and major bills.	
Mock Test 3/ 6 th Dec 2025	GS1 Geography (Sectional) & CA (June-2025)	Physical Geography: Earth's Structure: Layers of the Earth (crust, mantle, core), tectonic activities. Geomorphology: Landforms, erosion, weathering, deposition. Climatology: Atmospheric composition, weather systems (monsoons, cyclones), and climate	Geography: <i>NCERTs (Class 6–12):</i> <i>Fundamentals of Physical Geography</i> (Class 11), <i>India: Physical Environment</i> (Class 11), <i>Fundamentals of Human Geography</i> (Class 12).

		classification. Oceanography: Ocean currents, tides, El Niño, La Niña. Natural Disasters: Earthquakes, volcanoes, tsunamis. Indian Geography: Physiography: Mountains (Himalayas, Western/Eastern Ghats), plains, plateaus, islands, and deserts. Drainage Systems: Ganga, Indus, Brahmaputra river systems, and peninsular rivers. Indian Monsoon: Understanding the mechanics and seasonal variations. Soils and Vegetation: Types of soils and natural vegetation in India. Natural Resources: Distribution of mineral and energy resources. Human and Economic Geography Population Geography: Distribution, density, growth, and migration patterns. Economic Geography: Industries, agriculture, and trade patterns. Human Settlement: Urbanization and rural-urban interfaces.	• <i>Certificate Physical and Human Geography</i> by G.C. Leong – For physical and human geography concepts. • <i>Oxford Student Atlas</i> – For map-based questions, crucial for Prelims. • <i>Class Notes</i>
Mock Test 4/ 13 th Dec 2025	GS II CSAT/ Maths (Sectional)	• Percentage • Profit, Loss, and Discount • SI, CI • DI - Line Chart • Ratio, Mixtures & Allegation • Average • Speed and Distance • DI - Bar Graph • Time and Work • Age • Permutation & Combination • Probability • Path • DI – Data Table	<i>Quantitative Aptitude for Competitive Examinations</i> by R.S. Aggarwal: This book is known for its comprehensive coverage of arithmetic and data interpretation topics, with many solved examples. <i>CSAT Manual</i> by Tata McGraw Hill: A comprehensive manual that covers the entire CSAT syllabus, including math and reasoning sections.
Mock Test 5 /	GS 1 Environment &	Biodiversity and conservation: • Biodiversity hotspots,	• <i>NCERT Biology (Class 12):</i>

20 th Dec 2025	Ecology (Sectional) & CA (July 2025)	national parks, wildlife sanctuaries, and biosphere reserves in India. - India's conservation projects like Project Tiger and Project Elephant. Endangered species in India. - Key international organizations like IUCN and WWF. - Ramsar sites and their locations. - Climate change - Causes, effects, and mitigation strategies. International agreements like the Kyoto Protocol and Paris Agreement. - India's Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs). - Renewable energy initiatives, including solar, wind, and hydrogen energy. IPCC reports. - Environmental pollution and degradation Types of pollution: air, water, soil, and noise. Key acts: Air Act, 1981 and Water Act, 1974. - Management of e-waste and solid waste. - Role of the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) and State Pollution Control Boards (SPCBs). Desertification and soil erosion. - Environmental laws and governance - National laws like the Environment Protection Act, 1986.	Chapters on ecology and environment. <i>Environment</i> by Shankar IAS Academy – Comprehensive for environment and ecology topics. <i>Down to Earth</i> magazine – For current environmental issues. <i>Class Notes</i> <i>News papers</i>
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		• National Green Tribunal (NGT) and its role. • Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) process. • Sustainable development concepts and the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Ecology basics and concepts • Basic principles of ecology, ecosystem structure and function, and food chains/webs. • Ecological succession and climax communities. • Ecological niche and ecotone. • Population ecology and growth models. • International conventions and agreements • The Montreal Protocol and its protocols. • Cartagena Protocol and Nagoya Protocol. • Conferences of Parties (COP) meetings related to various conventions.	
Mock Test 6 /3 rd Jan 2026	GS 1 General Science & Technology (Sectional) & CA (Aug 2025)	Physics: • Fundamental concepts: Newton's laws, optics, thermodynamics, electromagnetism • Modern physics: Nuclear physics, particle physics, and their applications • Advanced topics: Superconductivity, lasers Chemistry: • Basics: Periodic table elements, chemical reactions, and properties • Environmental chemistry: Pollution and its chemical aspects	• <i>NCERTs (Class 6–10):</i> Science textbooks for basic concepts. • <i>Science and Technology</i> by Ravi P. Agrahari/Spectrum – For advanced topics and current developments. • <i>Class Notes</i> • <i>News papers</i>

		- Industrial applications: Organic and industrial chemistry Biology: - Fundamentals: Biological classification, cellular biology, photosynthesis - Genetics and evolution: DNA, RNA, and evolutionary studies - Health: Human physiology, diseases (communicable and non-communicable), immunity, vaccines, and public health systems Emerging Technologies: - Space Technology: ISRO missions, satellite launches, and their purposes - Biotechnology: Gene editing, stem cell research, genetically modified crops, and DNA technology regulations - Defence Technology: Missiles, defence systems (e.g., Agni, BrahMos), and indigenous programs - ICT: 5G, cybersecurity, Artificial Intelligence, Blockchain, and basic computer systems Nanotechnology: Applications and principles Environment and Energy: - Environmental Science: Climate change, pollution, and environmental issues - Energy: Renewable energy sources (solar, wind), nuclear energy (thorium technology, reactors), and Hydrogen Mission - Government Schemes and Policies	
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		• Policies: Government initiatives and policies related to science and technology • Regulations: Laws governing new technologies, such as DNA technology regulations	
Mock Test 7 10 th Jan 2026	CSAT/ Reasoning	• Numerical and Alphabet Series • Coding-Decoding • Puzzles - Order, Ranking and Comparison • Syllogism • Venn diagram • Inequality • Puzzles - Arrangement (Circular, Linear, etc.) • Direction Test • Blood Relation • Counting of figures • Puzzles Grouping/Scheduling	<i>A Modern Approach to Verbal and Non-Verbal Reasoning</i> by R.S. Aggarwal: This is a popular and highly recommended book that provides a strong foundation in reasoning. <i>Analytical Reasoning</i> by M.K. Pandey: Specifically for analytical reasoning, this book is broken down into logic-based and rule-based reasoning.
Mock test 8/17 th Jan 2026	Modern History (Sectional) & CA (Sep 2025)	• Advent of Europeans and British Expansion • Arrival of Portuguese, Dutch, French, and British in India • Key battles like Plassey, Buxar, and Anglo-Mysore/Maratha wars • British consolidation of power and administrative policies • Governor-Generals and Viceroys and their associated events • British Policies and Administration • Land Revenue Systems: Permanent Settlement, Ryotwari, and Mahalwari • Constitutional and Administrative Developments: Charter Acts, Government of India Acts, and key reforms like	• Foundational resources • NCERT Books: Start with NCERTs from Class 8th and 12th for a conceptual understanding, including Our Past III (Part 1 & 2) and Themes in Indian History III. • NCERT Class XI Modern India: A direct NCERT resource specifically for modern Indian history. • Standard textbooks • A Brief History of Modern India by Spectrum: Highly recommended for revision and factual clarity. • India's Struggle for Independence by Bipan Chandra: A comprehensive book for a thorough understanding of the freedom struggle. From Plassey to Partition by Shekhar Bandopadhyay: Another detailed option for deeper knowledge.

		Montford Reforms • Economic policies and their impact • Vernacular Press Act, 1878 • Revolt of 1857 • Causes, key events, and leaders • Consequences and administrative changes post-revolt • Socio-Religious Reform Movements • Key figures like Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Swami Vivekananda, and Jyotiba Phule • General features and impact • Rise of Nationalism and Indian National Congress • Early phase of the INC: Moderates vs. Extremists • Rise of militant nationalism and revolutionary activities • Formation of the Muslim League • Freedom Struggle Movements • Swadeshi Movement and partition of Bengal • Home Rule Movement • Gandhian movements: Non-Cooperation, Civil Disobedience, and Quit India • Revolutionary activities and key personalities • Partition and Independence • Events leading to 1947, including the Mountbatten Plan • Role of key leaders like Gandhi, Nehru, and Jinnah • Indian Independence Act, 1947 • Other Important Areas • Peasant, tribal, and other	
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		civilian uprisings before and after 1857 • Important personalities, including their newspapers and journals • INC important sessions, locations, and presidents	
Mock Test 9/ 31 st Jan 2026	Medieval History & CA (Oct 2025)	Major kingdoms: Rise of the Rajputs, Cholas, Palas, Rashtrakutas, and Gurjara Pratiharas. Cultural developments: Tripartite struggle, religious schools, literature, and temple architecture. Invasions: Early Arab and Turkish invasions, including those by Mahmud of Ghazni and Muhammad Ghori. Delhi Sultanate (c. 1206-1526): Dynasties: Mamluk (Slave), Khalji, Tughlaq, Sayyid, and Lodi dynasties. Administration: Structure of government, economic and social life under the Sultanate. Cultural impact: The spread of Indo-Islamic culture and architecture. Mughal Empire (c. 1526-1857): Establishment: Babur, the Battle of Panipat, and the Sur Dynasty (Sher Shah Suri). Expansion and consolidation: Key emperors like Akbar, Jahangir, and Shah Jahan, their policies, and expansion into different regions. Administration: Mughal administrative structure, including the Mansabdari and Jagirdari systems. Social and cultural life: Policies like Akbar's religious views and Rajput policy, cultural	Foundational Resources: Old NCERT: Begin with the Old NCERT "History of Medieval India" by Satish Chandra to grasp fundamental concepts and a chronological overview. New NCERT: Also, read the new NCERTs from Classes 6-10 for a basic introduction and a different perspective. Standard Reference Books Satish Chandra: For more in-depth analysis, especially for the Mains, refer to his more detailed book "History of Medieval India". K.A. Nilkantha Sastri: "A History of South India" is crucial for understanding South Indian dynasties like the Cholas and the Vijayanagara Empire.

		developments, and the Navratnas. Decline: Factors leading to the decline of the empire, particularly during Aurangzeb's reign and the later period. Regional Kingdoms Southern India: Vijayanagara and Bahmani kingdoms, including their administration, culture, and decline. Deccan: Administration and role of the Deccan Sultanates. Other regional powers: Rise of the Marathas under Shivaji and the Peshwas, and other provincial kingdoms. Religious and social movements: • Bhakti and Sufi movements: Their role, spread, and prominent figures across different regions. • Art and architecture • Key periods: Architectural developments during the Delhi Sultanate, Mughal Empire, and regional kingdoms. • Styles: Growth of both Indo-Islamic styles and temple architecture.	
Mock Test 10/14 th Feb 2026	Ancient History & GA (Nov 2025)	Prehistoric and Indus Valley Civilization: Prehistoric Cultures: Palaeolithic, Mesolithic, and Neolithic periods. Indus Valley Civilization (IVC): Major cities, town planning, urban layout, economy, trade, script, and decline. Vedic Period Early and Later Vedic Age: Socio-political structures, economy, and religious practices. Vedic Literature: The four Vedas	Foundational resources: NCERTs: Start with the NCERT textbooks, especially Class 6, 11, and 12, which provide a strong, chronological foundation. Tamil Nadu State Board: The Class XI textbook is another highly recommended resource. Standard reference books R.S. Sharma: "India's Ancient Past" is a crucial reference for comprehensive coverage of the subject. A.L. Basham: "The Wonder That Was India" is particularly

		and their significance. Mahajanapadas, Buddhism, and Jainism Mahajanapadas: Rise of states, urban centers, and economic growth. Buddhism and Jainism: Founders, teachings, sects, councils, and spread. Empires and dynasties Mauryan Empire: Rulers (Chandragupta, Ashoka), administration, economy, and decline. Post-Mauryan Period: Foreign invasions (Indo-Greeks, Shakas, Kushanas) and regional powers (Satavahanas). Gupta Period: Administration, science, art, literature, and the "Golden Age" debate. Post-Gupta and Sangam Period: Harsha's reign and various South Indian kingdoms (Pallavas, Cholas, Chalukyas). Key themes and sources Recurring Themes: Focus on important archaeological findings, inscriptions, and texts and their authors. Cultural and Scientific Achievements: Contributions in art, architecture, mathematics, astronomy, and medicine. Literary Sources: Important works and their authors across different periods. Important Sites and Inscriptions: Specific details about key sites and the significance of major inscriptions and edicts.	useful for understanding ancient religion and philosophy.
Mock Test 11/ 21 st Feb 2026	CSAT/ Comprehension (Sectional)	Reading Comprehension: Focus on understanding written texts, improving reading speed, and	CSAT Manual: by Pearson General Studies Paper II for UPSC Preliminary

		accurately interpreting passages to answer questions correctly. Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability: This includes topics like statement and assumption, statement and inference, direction sense, circular and linear arrangements, and coding-decoding. Decision-Making and Problem-Solving: Candidates need to analyze given scenarios and apply logical deduction to find the best solution. Interpersonal Skills including Communication Skills: This section evaluates your ability to understand and communicate effectively.	Examination: by Tata McGraw-Hill Cracking the CSAT Paper: or CSAT Paper II by Arihant Experts Previous Years' Question Papers: Essential for understanding the exam's pattern and difficulty level/ Newspaper Editorials: Reading editorials from newspapers like The Hindu or The Indian Express helps build the skill of reading and understanding complex texts.
Mock Test 12/28 th Feb 2026	GS1 (Full Length)	(COMPLETE SYLLABUS): Indian Polity / Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Environment /Ecology + General Science/Tech + Current Affairs	-----
Mock Test 13/14 th March 2026	GS1 (Full Length)	(COMPLETE SYLLABUS): Indian Polity / Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Environment /Ecology + General Science/Tech + Current Affairs	-----
Mock Test 15/21 st March 2026	GS 2 /CSAT (Full Length)	COMPLETE SYLLABUS): Comprehension: Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability: Interpersonal Skills including Communication Skills: Decision-Making and Problem-Solving: General Mental Ability: Basic Numeracy /Data Interpretation	-----
Mock Test 16/28 th March 2026	GS1 (Full Length)	(COMPLETE SYLLABUS): Indian Polity / Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian	-----

		Economy & Social Development + Environment /Ecology + General Science/Tech + Current Affairs	
Mock Test 17/11 th April 2026	GS1 (Full Length)	(COMPLETE SYLLABUS): Indian Polity / Governance + Geography + History of India + Indian Economy & Social Development + Environment /Ecology + General Science/Tech + Current Affairs	-----
Mock Test 18/18 th April 2026	GS 2 /CSAT (Full Length)	(COMPLETE SYLLABUS): Comprehension: Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability: Interpersonal Skills including Communication Skills: Decision-Making and Problem-Solving: General Mental Ability: Basic Numeracy /Data Interpretation	-----
Mock Test 19/ 2 nd May 2026	Current Affairs Special Mock Test	1 Year Current Affairs (March 2025- March 2026)	Magazines & Newspapers: • <i>Down to Earth</i> magazine • <i>Yojana & Kurukshetra</i> magazines • <i>The Hindu, Business Line, and The Indian Express</i> Government Publications & Portals: • <i>India Year Book</i> – • <i>PIB</i> (Press Information Bureau): www.pib.nic.in • <i>Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC)</i> official website Acts, Policies & Initiatives: • Disaster Management Act and related policies • India's National Policies on Climate Change and Environmental Conservation

			- India & United Nations – Climate Change Initiatives and Collaboration International Organizations & Portals: - Official website of the <i>United Nations (UN)</i> - Websites of key international organizations (e.g., UNEP, IPCC, WWF, IUCN, UNFCCC/WTO/IMF etc) Note: Monthly current affairs magazines: - Opt for a single monthly compilation from a reliable source to get consolidated information from multiple newspapers and magazines, which saves time.
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