

Syllabus mentioned is indicative not exhaustive.			
P o l i t y	Groupings	1. Indian Polity	
	Test No. 1	P1 Historical Background Making of the Constitution Salient Features of the Constitution Preamble of the Constitution Union and its Territory Citizenship Fundamental Rights	
	Test No. 2	P2 Directive Principles of State Policy Fundamental Duties P3 Amendment of the Constitution Basic Structure of the Constitution Parliamentary System Federal System Centre-State Relations Inter-State Relations Emergency Provisions	
	Test No. 3	P4 President Vice-President Prime Minister Central Council of Ministers Cabinet Committees Governor Chief Minister State Council of Ministers	
	Test No. 4 Polity Sectional Revision Test		
	Test No. 5	P5 Parliament Parliamentary Committees Parliamentary Forums Parliamentary Group State Legislature	
	Test No. 6	P6 Supreme Court Judicial Review Judicial Activism Public Interest Litigation High Court Subordinate Courts	
	Test No. 7	P7 Special Status of Jammu & Kashmir Special Provisions for Some States Panchayati Raj Municipalities Union Territories Scheduled and Tribal Areas	
	Test No. 8 Polity Sectional Revision Test		
	Test No. 9	P8 Election Commission Union Public Service Commission State Public Service Commission Finance Commission National Commission for SCs National Commission for STs Special Officer for Linguistic Minorities Comptroller and Auditor General of India Attorney General of India Advocate General of the State	
	Test No. 10	P9 NITI Aayog National Human Rights Commission State Human Rights Commission Central Information Commission State Information Commission Central Vigilance Commission Central Bureau of Investigation Lokpal and Lokayuktas Co-operative Societies	
	Test No. 11	P10 Official Language Public Services Tribunals Rights and Liabilities of the Government P11 Authoritative Text of the Constitution in Hindi Language Special Provisions Relating to Certain Classes Political Parties Elections Voting Behaviour Election Laws Electoral Reforms Anti-Defection Law P12 Pressure Groups National Integration Foreign Policy P13 National Commission to Review the Working of the Constitution	
	Test No. 12 Polity Sectional Revision Test		
Test No. 13 Complete Polity Revision Test			
		2. Economy	
Test No. 14		GDP: Its meaning and measurement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Measurement of national income: value added method, income method, expenditure method, Application of various methods, Base year, GDP deflator · Debates around GDP and other indices, National income, GDP, GNP, Market Price and Factor Cost, NNP, NDP, transfer payments, National income at FC, Personal Income, disposable income, factors affecting national income, net foreign facto income Measurement of national income: value added method, income method, expenditure method, Application of various methods, Base year, GDP deflator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Debates around GDP and other indices Poverty and Development Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Measuring poverty · Human capital, social capital and their role in development · Inclusive and sustainable development · Various indices used to measure deprivations 	

E c o n o m y		EC1	Unemployment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Types of Unemployment: Structural, Seasonal, Frictional, Cyclical, Nature of Unemployment in India
	Test No. 15		Planning: Five year Plans: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Priorities and Performance, Issues related to planning Economic Policies till 1991 NITI Aayog and its recent initiatives Mobilization of resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Natural resources: Forest Land Mineral etc. and their policies Human resource Financial resources Economic Reforms since 1991: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> End of license Raj, Liberalization, Privatisation and Globalisation, FDI, FII, issues, challenges etc. Infrastructure: IT, Communication, Urbanization, Transport, Mining, etc.
		EC2	
	Test No. 16		Inflation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definition, Inflationary Gap and Inflationary Process, Inflation Cycles: Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push Inflation, Causes of Inflation, Inflation Control measures Money and Banking: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Money: Definition, Functions and significance, Evolution of Money, Money supply in India and factors affecting it Banking: Need of banks, Function, Commercial Banks Central Bank: Importance, functions, Structure, Policy tools, Monetary Policy (CRR, SLR, OMO, Repo and Rev Repo, MSF etc.) Banking Reforms Government budgeting and Fiscal Policy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Budgeting: Evolution of Budgeting, Institutions and Laws, The Union Budget: Components - Revenue Account, Capital Account, Measures of Government Deficit etc., Weaknesses in the Budgetary Process Fiscal Policy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Finance - Role and Importance, Public Expenditure - Revenue and Capital, Development and Non-Development, Public Revenue - Sources of Revenue,
		EC3	
	Test No. 17 Economy Sectional Revision Test		
	Test No. 18		External Sector in India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Forex Reserves External Debt Exchange Rate, Fixed Currency Regime, Floating Currency Regime, Managed Exchange rates, Pegging of Currencies, Depreciation, Appreciation, Balance of Payment (BoP) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Balance of Trade o Current Account o Capital Account Convertibility: Convertibility in India, Current Account Convertibility, Capital Account Convertibility NEER and REER, Hard Currency, Soft Currency, Heated Currency, Cheap Currency Special Economic Zone (SEZ) New Steps to Promote Foreign Trade International Trade and Bodies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> IMF: Purpose and Objectives, Organization and Functions, Working and Evaluation, IMF and Underdeveloped Countries, SDR's, Reforms etc., World Bank, Bilateral and Regional Cooperation Foreign Trade of India: Trade Policy, Product wise trade, Region wise trade, Subsidy boxes, WTO related issues and India" New Foreign Trade Policy
	Test No. 19		Financial Sector of India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Capital Markets: Basic Terms and Concepts, Equity and debt Instruments, Primary market and Secondary markets etc. Money Market and their instruments and institutions Industrial Sector: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Industrial Policies, Licensing, MSME, Labour Reforms, Companies Act, Make in India, Skill India, Challenges in Industrial development, Organised and unorganised sector, PPP, Investment models, Recent initiatives taken by the govt., etc. Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Banking, Insurance, Aviation, Tourism, Issues and potential of services sector
	Test No. 20		Rural development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rural infrastructure like road, housing, water etc. Agriculture and allied sector <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recent trends in Agriculture Sector, Cropping System and Pattern; Agricultural Marketing and Reforms; Agricultural Research; Sustainable Agriculture; Animal Husbandry, PDS, Farm distress and government initiatives, MSP and related concepts. Livestock sector Fisheries sector Horticulture sector
	Test No. 21 Economy Sectional Revision Test		
Test No. 22 Complete Economy Revision Test			
Test No. 23 Polity and Economy Full Length Revision Test			
M o d e r n			3. Modern India India during 18th century <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Polity and Administration of the States South Indian States in 18th Century North Indian States in 18th Century Economic Conditions Social Conditions THE BEGINNINGS OF EUROPEAN SETTLEMENTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trade between Europe and India and South-East Asia The Portuguese The Dutch British Entry in Trade The Growth of the EIC trade & influence (1600-1714) The Anglo-French Struggle in South India British Occupation of Bengal
	Test No. 24	MI1	
	Test No. 25		EXPANSION OF BRITISH EMPIRE IN INDIA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expansion under Lord Wellesley (1798 - 1805) Subsidiary Alliance Subsidiary Alliance and Indian States Expansion under Lord Hastings (1813 - 22) The Consolidation of British Power (1818 - 57) Dalhousie and the Policy of Annexation (1848 - 56) BRITISH POLICIES IN INDIA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> British Administrative and Economic Policy British Administrative Policy British Economic Policies Drain of Wealth Development of Means of Transport and Communication Postal System and Telegraph Land Revenue Policy ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATION AND SOCIO-CULTURAL POLICY British Administrative System Social and Cultural Policy Humanitarian Measures
		MI2	THE REVOLT OF 1857 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pre-1857 Revolts Post 1857 Revolts Tribal and Civil Rebellions

I n d i a	Test No. 26	MI3	<p>SOCIAL & CULTURAL AWAKENING IN THE FIRST HALF OF 19TH CENTURY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reform Movements Emancipation of women/the fight for the betterment of Women The Fight Against Caste-Based Exploitation An Overview of Socio-Cultural Reform Movements and Their Leaders Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Brahma Samaj, Maharishi Debendranath Tagore(1817-1905), Prarthana Samaj, Derozio and Young Bengal, Pandit Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar, Paramhansa Mandalis, Satyashodhak Samaj and Jyotiba Phule, The Servants of India Society, The Ramakrishna Movement, Dayanand Saraswati and Arya Samaj, Seva Sadan, Sri Narayana Guru Dharma, Paripalana (SNDP) Movement, Justice Movement, Self-Respect Movement • Temple Entry Movement, Indian Social Conference, Wahabi/Wallullah Movement, Titu Mir's Revolt, Faraizi movement, Ahmadiya Movement, Aligarh Movement and Sayyid Ahmad Khan, The Deoband School, Reform Movements Among, Parsis, Religious Reform Among Sikhs, The Theosophical Society and Annie Besant Positive contributions of Reform Movements Negative fallouts of the Reform Movement
	Test No. 27 Modern India Sectional Revision Test		
	Test No. 28	MI4	<p>EARLY NATIONALISM-1857 TO 1906</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationalist Movement , Predecessors of the Indian National Congress , The Indian National Congress, The Early Nationalists, The Partition of Bengal, The Swadeshi and Boycott , The Surat Split,
	Test No. 29	MI5	<p>MILITANT PHASE OF NATIONALIST MOVEMENT: SIGNIFICANT EVENTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Swadeshi Phase , All India Muslims League , Act of 1909 Morley-Minto, Reforms , Rise of Revolutionary Terrorism –, Phase 1 , Ghadr Party, Komata Maru Incident , The Berlin Committee for Indian, Independence , etc.
	Test No. 30	MI6	<p>National Movement during Gandhi's arrival to India:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Home Rule Movement , The Lucknow Session of Congress – 1916 , Montague's Statement OF 1917/ The August Declaration , The Government of India Act – 1919, Gandhiji's stay in South Africa <p>GANDHIJI IN INDIA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Champan Satyagraha , Ahmedabad Mill Strike , Kheda Satyagraha , Rowlatt Satyagraha , Jallianwala Bagh Massacre , Hunter Commission Report
	Test No. 31	MI7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Khilafat Movement , The Non-Cooperation Movement , The Chauri Chaura Incident , Emergence of New Forces during 1920s and 1930s The Revolutionary Activities , Simon Commission , Nehru Report, 1928 , Civil Disobedience Movement, The Dandi March, Gandhi Irwin Pact , Karachi Session Of 1931 <p>Movement from 1930s to 1947</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Communal Award/ Macdonald Award , The Poona Pact , The Government of India Act, 1935, Congress's Stand on the Eve of World War 2, August Offer- August 1940, Individual Satyagraha Cripps Mission, Quit India Movement 1942, C Rajagopalachari Formula –, 1944 , Wavell Plan, 1945 , Cabinet Mission 1946, Mountbatten Plan – 1947 , Indian Independence Act 1947 , Post War National Upsurge , 1945 INA Trials – Significance 16, 1946 RIN Mutiny – Significance <p>POST INDEPENDENCE CONSOLIDATION</p> <p>Process of Unification, Language Issue, Indian Tribal Issues , Promotion of Social, Economic and Educational interests , Refugee Crisis after Partition,</p>
	Test No. 32 Complete Modern India Revision Test		
Test No. 33 Polity, Economy, Modern India Full Length Revision Test			
G e o g r a p h y	Test No. 34	G1	<p>4. Geography</p> <p>Geomorphology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Origin and Evolution of Universe & Earth Interior of Earth Landforms and their evolution
	Test No. 35	G2	<p>Climatology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Atmosphere, Its structure and Composition Properties of Atmosphere, TPH <p>Elements of climate, special weather phenomenon like cycones, thrunderstorms etc.</p>
	Test No. 36	G3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Climate Types and World Vegetation
	Test No. 37 Geography Sectional Revision Test		
	Test No. 38	G4	<p>Oceanography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oceans Basics Physico-Chemical Properties of Ocean Water Ocean Water in Motion Oceanic Resources
	Test No. 39	G5	<p>World Economic Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Mineral Resource World Soil Resource World Energy Resource World Transportation, Industries etc. <p>World Human Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Population, its distribution and characteristics
	Test No. 40	G5	<p>Indian Phycial Geog</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> India Location, its neighbours India Geological structure India Physiography Indian Drainage system
	Test No. 41 Geography Sectional Revision Test		
	Test No. 42	G6	<p>Indian Climate, water resource</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spatial and temporal distribution of temperature, pressure, winds and rainfall Indian Monsoon: mechanism, onset and variability; spatial and temporal variations, Climatic Regions of India Water Resources- Availability and potential: Lakes, rivers, dams, power and irrigation projects, wetlands and inter-linking of rivers <p>Indian Vegetation</p>
	Test No. 43	G7	<p>Indian Soil</p> <p>Indian Agriculture Allied sector</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agriculture Horticulture Fisheries Livestock
Test No. 44	G7	<p>Indian Mineral Resources</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Important mineral resources and their location <p>Indian Energy Resources</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Renewable Energy Resource Non - Renewable Energy Resource <p>Indian Industries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Their location, location characteristics etc. <p>Indian Infrastructure Transportation ICT Trade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Road Railways Waterways Civil Aviation 	
Test No. 45	G8	<p>Indian Human Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Population and Growth trends - density, sex ratio, literacy, tribes and racial groups in India <p>Biogeography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Location of important biodiversity regions <p>Disasters</p> <p>Miscellaneous</p>	
Test No. 46 Geography Sectional Revision Test			
Test No. 47 Complete Geography Revision Test			
Test No. 48 Geography, Polity, Moden India Full Length Revision Test			
E n v i r o n m	Test No. 49	EV1	<p>5. Environment</p> <p>Ecology and Functions of an ecosystem, Terrestrial ecosystems, Aquatic ecosystems,</p> <p>Environmental problems: Climate Change, Acidification, Eutrophication, Ozone Depletion, Mitigation Strategies, India and Climate Change</p>
	Test No. 50	EV2	<p>Environmental pollution: Pollutants, Air pollution, Water Pollution, Soil Pollution, Noise Pollution, Radioactive pollution, E-Waste, Solid Waste, Bioremediation</p>
	Test No. 51	EV3	<p>Biodiversity: Basic Concepts, Plant and Animal Diversity, Marine Organisms, Threat to Biodiversity</p> <p>Indian Biodiversity ad conservation efforts, Conservation efforts: India and World</p> <p>Protected Area Network: National parks, Wildlife sanctuaries, Biosphere reserves, Reserved and protected forests, Conservation and community reserves, Village and panchayat Forests, Private protected areas, Conservation areas, Biodiversity Conservation efforts</p>
Test No. 52 Environment Sectional Revision Test			

e n t	Test No. 53		Climate Change: Meaning, reasons, impact, mitigation and adaptation measures
	Test No. 54		Institutional and Organizational mechanisms for preservation and conservation of environment & biodiversity. Environmental Acts and Policies by Indian Government Environmental conventions
Test no. 55 Environment Sectional Revision Test			
Test no. 56 Environment and Geography Full Length Revision Test			
A n c i e n t I n d i a			6. ANCIENT INDIA-Detailed Syllabus While studying Ancient and Medieval India certain common themes which must be remembered are: Society, economy, polity, administration, religion, S&T developments, literature etc during each phase.
	Test No. 57	AI1	Prehistoric India • Mesolithic Age: (10,000 – 4000BC) • Neolithic Age: (7000 – 1000 BC) • Chalcolithic Age (2500 – 700 BC)
		AI2	THE HARAPPAN CULTURE: BRONZE AGE CIVILIZATION • Famous Sites • Drainage system, Agriculture , Agriculture tools, Irrigation , Food Grain production , Domestication of Animals Technology, • Crafts, Textile, Other Crafts, Trade, • Political Organization, • Religious Practices, The Male Deity in the Indus Valley, • The Harappan Script , Weights and Measures, Harappan Pottery , Seals, Images , Terracotta Figurines, Reasons of Decline, Post Urban phase of Harappan Culture (1900-1200 BC)
	Test No. 58	AI3	VEDIC PERIOD • Early Vedic (1500 – 1000 BC) • Occupation of Rig Vedic Society • Political Organization • Religion and Faith • Yajnas
		AI4	THE LATER VEDIC PHASE JAINISM AND BUDDHISM Jainism: Religion and Philosophy, Causes of Origin, Vardhaman Mahavira and Jainism, Doctrines of Jainism, Philosophy, Jainism on Varna System, Spread of Jainism, Spread in southern part, Spread in other parts, Contribution of Jainism, In Prakrit language, In other languages, Gautama Buddha and Buddhism • Sources, Doctrines of Buddhism, Teachings and Principles, Famous Buddhist Councils, Influence of Buddhism, Importance of Buddhism in India, Gandhara Art, Buddhist
	TES No. 59	AI5	Sangha, Decline of Buddhism, Buddhism and Jainism- Comparative Study MAURYAN EMPIRE • Chandragupta Maurya, (Sandrocotus/Androcotus in Greek records), Bindusara (Amitrachotus), Ajivika Sect, Ashoka, Ashokan Dhamma, Ashokan Edicts or Inscriptions, Arthashastra, Mauryan Administration, Indica, Economic Regulations, Agriculture, Connectivity, Transportation, Taxation System, Currency, Social and Cultural Life, Position of Slaves, Mauryan Art, Royal Art, Folk Arts, Causes of Decline of Mauryan, Empire, Brahmanical Reaction, Financial Crisis, Oppressive Rule, Neglect of the North-West, Frontier and the Great Wall of, China, CENTRAL ASIAN CONTACTS AND THEIR RESULTS • Indo – Greeks (Bactrians), Shakas (Scythians – Central Asia), Parthians (Phalvas) – Persia, Kushanas (Yuthi Tribe) – Central Asia, Satavahanas/Andhras, Impact of Central Asian Contacts, Mathura School of Art, Gandhara School of Art, Amravati School of Art, THE AGE OF THE SATAVAHANAS • Political History, Gautmiputra Satakarni (A.D. 106-130), Vasishthiputra Pulumayi (AD 130 154), Social Organization, Administration, Religion, Architecture, Language, Crafts, trades and towns in the post Mauryan age, Crafts
	Test No. 61	AI6	GUPTA PERIOD Trade with Eastern Roman, Chandragupta I (AD 319 - 334), Empire, Samudragupta (A.D. 335-380), Foreign Trade, Chandragupta II: (380 – 415 AD), Money Economy, Kumaragupta, Urban Settlements Skandgupta HARSHA AND HIS TIMES SANGAM AGE Important Literary Pieces, Economy, Two great Epics, Social Developments, Historical Information from, Sangam Literature, Literature, Sangam Literature, Political History, Art, Sangam Polity, Architecture, Sangam Society, Paintings During Gupta Period, Decline of Gupta Empire, Religion, Position of Women, Economy of the Sangam Age
Test No. 62 Complete Ancient India Revision Test			
M e d i e v a l I n d i a	Test No. 63	Mel1	7. Medieval India- Detailed Syllabus EARLY MEDIEVAL INDIA Indian Kingdoms • Vakatakas • Chalukyas • Rashtrakutas • Pallavas • Cholas • Rajput Kingdoms
	Test No. 64	Mel2	Islamic Penetration of India • Arab Conquest of Sind (712 A.D.) • Mahmud of Ghazni and his Invasions • Muhammad Ghori • The Khalji Dynasty (1290-1320) • The Tughlaq Dynasty (1320-1414) • Sayyid Dynasty (1414-1451) • Lodi dynasty (1451-1526) • Art forms • Delhi Sultanate Architecture • Lodhi Architecture
	Test No. 65	Mel3	BHAKTI MOVEMENT • Sufism • Bhakti Saints of South India • Bhakti Saints of North India • Bhakti Saints of Bengal • Bhakti saints of Maharashtra Importance of the Bhakti Movement Southern India during medieval times Important kingdoms like VIJAYANAGARA AND BAHMANI KINGDOMS • VijayanagarA Kingdom • Sources • Krishna Deva Raya (1509 - 1529) • Bahmani Kingdom • Foreign travellers
		Mel5	THE MUGHAL EMPIRE • Babur (1526 - 1530) • Humayun • Sur Interregnum (1540-1555) • Akbar (1556-1605) • Jahangir (1605 - 1627) • Shah Jahan (1627-1658) • Sher Shah Architecture • Mughal Architecture Maratha Power and their challenge to Mughals
	Test No. 66 Medieval India Sectional Revision Test		
Test No. 67 Complete Medieval India Revision Test			
Test No. 68 Environment, Ancient and Medieval India Full Length Revision Test			
	Test No. 69		8. ART & CULTURE-Detailed Syllabus DANCES • Classical dances • Folk dances MARTIAL ARTS

A r t a n d C u l t u r e		AC1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sattriya, Gatra, Thang Ta, Pari-Khanda THEATER FORM OF INDIA
	Test No. 70		MUSIC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hindustani Music Carnatic Music Comparison of Hindustani and Carnatic Music RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY IN INDIA
	Test No. 71	AC2	Languages in India and Indian Literature
		AC3	Calendars in India Fairs and Festivals of India UNESCO'S List of Intangible Cultural Heritage
	Test No. 73	AC4	Test No. 72 Art and Culture Sectional Revision Test Indian Paintings Indian Handicrafts Indian Architecture, Sculpture and Pottery PUPPETS FORMS UNESCO'S List of Tangible World Heritage Sites in
Test No. 74	AC5	Awards and Honours INSTITUTIONS TO PROMOTE AND PRESERVE ART AND CULTURE IN INDIA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sahitya Akademi Sangeet Natak Academy Lalit Kala Akademi Centre for Cultural Resources & Training Arts, Crafts, Music, Monuments in States 	
Test no. 75 Complete Art and Culture Revision Test			
Test no. 76 Environment, Ancient India, Medieval India & Art and Culture Full Length Revision Test			
S & T	Test No. 77	ST1	9. Science and technology It will cover both basics and recent developments in S&T areas. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basic Physics, chemistry and biology with concepts like: Physics: optics, lights and its properties, different forces etc. Chemistry: some important chemicals and their importance etc. Biology: important organisms, important body parts and their functioning, concepts of DNA, RNA diseases, etc.
	Test No. 78	ST2	Applied and current affairs from following broad categories like: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biotechnology Space Technology Computer, IT and automation
Test No. 79 Complete S&T Revision Test			
D e f e n c e	Test No. 80	D1	10. Defense <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indian Defense equipment: Missiles, Aircraft carrier, submarine etc. Indian Military exercise Indian National security architecture Recent developments in defense sector
	Test No. 81 Complete S&T, Defence Revision Test		
Test No. 82 Environment, Ancient India, Medieval India, Art and Culture, S&T and Defence Full Length Revision Test			
TEST No. 83 Comprehensive Test TEST No. 84 Comprehensive Test TEST No. 85 Comprehensive Test TEST No. 86 Comprehensive Test TEST No. 87 Comprehensive Test			
			11. Current Affairs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current affairs will be covered month wise and comprehensively and in each month current affairs from previous month and for previous years (for important topics of previous month, for example if banking sector is in news then topics from banking sector from past years can be asked which will generally cover government policies in the sector)