

## Paper – IV : Indian Economy

1. Structure and Basic Features of Indian Economy
2. **Indian Demographic Structure:** Population Growth, Sex Ratio, AgeComposition, Migration.
3. **Planning in India:** Meaning and Type of Planning, Planning Commission and Main Features of Five Year Plan (Current and immediately preceding).
4. **Agriculture:** Role of Agriculture in Indian Economy, Land Reforms, Agricultural Holdings.
5. **Agricultural Finance:** Sources of Agricultural Finance; Causes, Consequences and Solutions of Rural Indebtedness.
6. **Large Scale Industries**
  - I. **Iron and Steel:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects.
  - II. **Cement:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects.
  - III. **Information Technology:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects.
  - IV. **Sugar:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects.
7. **Small Scale and Cottage Industries:** Definition, Objectives, Scope, Problems and Government Policy.
8. **Transport:**
  - I. **Road:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects
  - II. **Railways:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects
  - III. **Air:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects
  - IV. **Water:** Present Position, Problems and Prospects
9. **Foreign Trade:** Composition of Foreign Trade after 1991, Export Promotion & Import Substitution.
10. India and the World Trade Organization