JGI JAIN COLLEGE V V Puram

I PUC Mock Paper – January. 2026

Course:	I PUC
Subject:	Economics
Max. Marks:	80
Duration:	3 Hours

Instructions:
1. Write the question numbers legibly in the margin.
2. Answer for the questions should be continuous.
3. Only the first written answers will be considered for Part-A.

PART-A

I. Choose the correct answer (Each question carries 1 mark). (5x1=5)

1. Scarcity is the root of
   a) All economic problems   b) Social problems   c) Political problems   d) All problems
2. Which of the following error is more serious
   a) Sampling error   b) Non sampling error   c) Data error   d) Calculation error
3. Railway transport introduced in India in the Year
   a) 1835   b) 1776   c) 1850   d) 1853
4. The institutions which regulates the technical education in India
   a) UGC   b) ICMR   c) AICTE   d) NCERT
5. Which of the following is renewable resource ?
   a) Water   b) Coal   c) Petroleum   d) Iron-ore

II. Fill in the blanks by choosing correct answer from the bracket. (5x1=5)
(Each question Carries 1 mark.)
(Human Capital, primary data, data, product moment, Time series graph, Prime Minister)

6. Data collected by the investigator is called _____
7. Karl pearson's correlation coefficient is called as _____ correlation.
8. Survey helps to determine the method of collection of _____
9. Chairperson of planning commission _____
10. Investment on education is considered as one of the main sources of _____

III. Match the following (Each question Carries 1 mark) (5x1=5)

A	B
11. Pilot survey	a) Institutional source
12. Median	b) Pre- testing of questionnaire
13. IMF	c) A positive development
14. Money lender	d) International Monetary Fund
15. Trade unions	e) Positional value
	f) Bargains for better wages

IV. Answer the following questions in a sentence or a word (5x1=5)
(Each question carries 1 mark)

16. Write the meaning of "Census".
17. What is frequency distribution.
18. What do you mean by land reforms?
19. What is Globalization?
20. Expand PDS.

PART-B

V. **Answer any Three of the following in 4 sentences each   (3x2=6)**
    (Each question carries 2 marks)

21. Generally in which three parts economics is discussed ?
22. Mention the types of classification of data ?
23. Write any two interesting properties of arithmetic mean.
24. What is Wholesale price index? Write its drawbacks.
25. Write the four steps in developing a project.

VI. **Answer any Four of the following in 4 sentences each   (4x2=8)**
     (Each question carries 2 marks)

26. What were the infrastructure facilities developed during colonial rule?
27. Mention four objectives of Trade policy?
28. What are the two major source of human capital in a country.
29. Name the three sectors of the economy?
30. Mention any four functions of environment?
31. Give the meaning of liberty indicator?

PART-C

VII. **Answer any Two of the following question in 12 sentences each.   (2x4=8)**
      (Each question carries 4 marks)

32. Write briefly about census and NSSO.
33. Write a note on classification of data.
34. Draw a bar diagram with the help of following data
    Production of cars of a company in different year

Years	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Number of cars	150	250	180	90	300	350

35. Compute the cost of living index number for the following data.

Commodities	Base year quantity	Base year price	Current year price
Wheat	20	10	12
Rice	5	30	35
Ghee	2	20	30
Sugar	4	25	40

VIII. **Answer any Four of the following question in 12 sentences each.   (4x4=16)**
       (Each question carries 4 marks)

36. Indicate the volume and direction of trade at the time of independence.
37. Explain the economic justification of the policy of subsidies.
38. Bring out the need of on-the-job-training for a person.
39. Briefly explain the major problems of rural development.
40. State the causes of land degradation in India.
41. Write a note on Great Leap Forward Campaign of China?

PART-D

IX. Answer any One of the following question in 20 sentences each. **(1x6=6)**
(Each question carries 6 marks)

42. Calculate average marks of the following students by using
    a) Direct method   b) Assumed mean method   c) Step deviation method

Marks(X)	0-10	10-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70
No. of students (f)	5	12	15	8	8	3	2

43. Calculate the coefficient of rank correlation.

X	18	28	35	44	35	26	37	48
Y	83	51	34	34	34	28	46	47

X. Answer any One of the following question in 20 sentences each. **(1x6=6)**
(Each question carries 6 marks)

44. Briefly explain the background of Economic Reforms in India.
45. Explain the measures taken by the government to improve the Agricultural Marketing system.

PART-E

XI. Answer any two of the following project and assignment oriented questions. **(2x5=10)**
(Each question carries 5 marks)

46. Suppose you are a research student and you are asked to conduct a sample survey about the Mid-day meal program in schools. Prepare a good questionnaire to support your study .
47. Identify the following banks as agriculture, industry, nationalized, private and foreign bank.
    ICICI, Canara Bank, HSBC, NABARD, IDBI
48. Make list of any five items that can be recycled.

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