

Chapter: 8

Q.1 Choose the right option and rewrite the sentence

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- 1** Which of the following cities is not an IT centre ?
a. Old Delhi b. New Delhi c. Noida d. Bengaluru

Ans Which of the following cities is not an IT centre **Old Delhi.**

- 2** An amount of the 2% of the profit have to be utilized for which purpose by the industries ?
a. Income Tax b. Corporate Social Responsibility
c. Goods and Service Tax d. Sales Tax

Ans An amount of the 2% of the profit have to be utilized for which purpose by the industries **Corporate Social Responsibility**

- 3** Which factor amongst mentioned below does not directly impact industrial development
a. water b. electricity c. labour d. air

Ans Which factor amongst mentioned below does not directly impact industrial development **air.**

- 4** Which of the following is a small industry ?
a. Machine parts b. Book binding industry c. Silk industry d. Sugar industry

Ans Which of the following is a small industry ? **Book binding industry**

Q.2 Answer in one sentence

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- 1** Write any one facility provided by the government to industrial estates ?

Ans The government provides; electricity, water and taxes at concessional rates to industrial estates.

- 2** Essential factors for the locations of any one industry.

Ans Land, labour force, capital, raw material, transport advance Technology and market.

- 3** Write one impact of industrial development on national development ?

Ans Industrial development generates employment opportunities which increase the per capita income and standard of living of the people.

- 4** How is corporate social responsibility is useful ?

Ans An industry or group of industries spend their 2% of their profits for the benefitting of the society e.g. providing education, health facilities or adopt a village.

Q.3 Differentiate the following

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- 1** Medium Industries and Heavy Industries

Ans

Medium Industries	Heavy Industries
i. Medium industry required less inputs like capital manpower, machinery and lesser number of labour.	i. Heavy industry requires heavy capital, machinery and manpower.
ii. Eg. : Fruit processing, Jaggery making	ii. Textile, sugar, cement industries.

Q.4 State whether the given statement is right or wrong and correct the wrong one.

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- 1** Small and medium industries of a country are harmful to heavy industries.

Ans **Incorrect** - Small and medium industries of a country are supportive to heavy industries.

2 Corporate social responsibility is compulsory for every industrialist.

Ans Incorrect - Corporate social responsibility is voluntary for the industrialists.

3 The level of industrialization is an indicator of the economic development of a country.

Ans Correct - The level of industrialization is an indicator of the economic development of a country.

4 The aim of the industrial development corporation is to decentralise industrialization.

Ans Correct - The aim of the industrial development corporation is to decentralise industrialization.

Q.5 Answer in detail/ brief

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1 Considering India's population the development of industries is a good solution to the problem of unemployment. Explain.

Ans

- The development of industries is a good solution to the problem of unemployment
- Industries provide employment opportunities to the people, raising the per capita income of the people and thereby improving the standard of living.
- Mass production by industrial leads to increase in the export of finished products. This results in increase in foreign exchange reserves.
- Industrial growth provides assured income and compared to agriculture, thus accelerate the process of economic development at a faster rate.
- To promote industrial development, the government provides subsidies to the industries Eg. : Providing electricity, water and taxes at concessional rate thus industries have an important role in the economic development.

2 Explain the importance of Information Technology industry :

Ans

- Information Technology is an important engineering branch.
- Work is carried out by computers. India has made rapid progress.
- Search for Technical information, obtaining, analyzing and compiling it.
- All information is obtained from the internet on computers, mobiles and other devices.
- Today there is an increase in the use of computer and technology.

3 Give your opinion in short on the usefulness of Corporate Social Responsibility.

Ans

- Corporate social responsibility is responsibility shown by the industrialists by working for the betterment of the society and for conserving environment.
- Industries making annual profit of more than 5 crores are expected to spend 2% of their profits on some of the following acts:
 - Providing educational or health facilities.
 - Establishing centres for mentally or physically challenged, widows, other needy people.
 - Developing a particular village or region.
 - Establishing environmental development centres, etc.
- Corporate social responsibility increases the welfare of people and so proves beneficial to the society.

4 Mention three features of small industries.

Ans Three features of small industries are as follows:

- Small industries require comparatively less amount of inputs like capital, machinery and manpower.
- Small industries require comparatively less premise for its day-to-day operations.
- Generally, the goods produced in small industries have local/regional markets.

5 State the advantages of the Maharashtra Industrial Development Corporation (M.I.D.C.).

Ans The advantages of M.I.D.C. are :

- M.I.D.C. was established on 1st August, 1962.
- Through M.I.D.C. decentralization of industries is expected throughout the state.
- In these industrial estates very often auxiliary industries have been established.
- Employment opportunities have been available to local people.
- In these industrial estates, various facilities necessary for industries have been made available.

6 Write in your own words how industrial development impacts national development.

Ans i. Industrial development generates employment opportunities.

- ii. Due to increased employment level, people get jobs and per capita income increases. This further increases the standard of living of people.
- iii. Industrial development increases the value of the Gross National Product.
- iv. Industrial development increases the production of various goods. By exporting the surplus goods, country can earn foreign exchange. In this way, industrial development positively impacts national development.

7 What are the facilities provided by the government to industrial estates?

Ans The following are the facilities provided by the government to industrial estates.

- i. Government gives concessional rates to the estates for electricity, water and taxes.
- ii. Estates are also provided piece of land at concessional rates by the government.

8 Explain the factors affecting industrial development.

Ans i. Industrial development depends on several factors.

- ii. Availability of raw material, water, labour transport capital market etc.
- iii. As per the availability of these factors, specific industries develop.
- iv. Because of the unequal distribution of these factors industrial development does not take place at the same pace at all places.
- v. Some regions are suitable for the development of industries while in other regions, only particular industries develop Eg. Dense forests and deserts areas are not conducive for industrial development.

