

(2½ Hours)

[Total Marks: 75]

Note- a- All Questions are compulsory.

b- Internal choices are provided.

- 1) A) Regional language newspapers have acquired greater readership and influence than English news papers in the last twenty years. Comment. 15

OR

- B) Analyze the difference between any one English daily and any one regional language daily based on parameters like style of reporting, selection of stories and impact on readers. 15

- 2) a-1- Examine the evolution of Hindi press post independence and discuss how it influenced national politics over the last two decades. 8

- b-1 Discuss the role of Malayalam newspapers in making Kerala a progressive and developed state. 7

OR

- 2) a-2-Examine the role played by Bengali newspapers in bringing about national consciousness to spark the freedom struggle. 8

- b-2-Write a note on Anand Bazar Patrika as prominent Bengali newspaper today. 7

- 3) a-1 Examine the contribution of Kesari as a periodical and Lokmanya Tilak as an editor in India's freedom struggle. 8

- b-1- Trace the contribution of Marathi press to the Samyukta Maharashtra movement. 7

OR

- 3) a-2- Discuss the reasons for the decline of Urdu journalism in India. 8

- b-2-Write a note on Eenadu and its role in development of Telugu journalism. 7

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- 4) A) Discuss and debate whether regional journalism contributes to national integration or promotes regional tendencies by giving relevant examples. 15

OR

- B) 'Regional Newspapers have contributed immensely to social reforms and change in India'. Explain the statement with reference to newspapers in Bengal, Maharashtra and Tamilnadu. 15

- 5) Write short notes on any three of the following- 15
- a) S. Sadanand.
  - b) Mathrubhumi
  - c) Dainik Jagran
  - d) Lokmat
  - e) Regional Television Channels.

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