Q.1. Short Answer Type Questions
1. Which agency markets steel for the public sector plant?

2. What are light industries?

3. Why iron and steel industry is called a basic industry?

4. Why the location of fertilizer industry is widespread throughout the country?

5. "Agriculture and industries are complimentary to each other." How?

6. Why there is a sudden boom in automobile industry in India?

7. What are the raw materials required for cement industry?

8. Why software technology industry is important for the development of country?
Q.2. “The economic strength of India is measured by the development of its manufacturing industries.” Justify the statement by giving three arguments. (3)
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Q.3. Why does the textile company occupy unique position in economy? (3)
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Q.4. Why were cotton textile industries mainly concentrated in Maharashtra and Gujarat in the early years? (3)
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Q.5. Why is there tendency for the sugar mills to shift and concentrate in the southern and western states? (3)

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Q.6. Explain in detail with examples the factors affecting the location of an industry? (5)

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Q.7. What are the factors responsible for the location of jute industries in the hugli basin? Explain them in detail. (5)
Q.8. Classify industries on the following basis: (4)
   a. main role they play
   b. bulk and weight of raw materials and finished goods

Q.9. How many workers and farmers are supported by the jute industry? What are the challenges before the industry and what are the steps being taken to face them? (1+2+1=4)
Q.10. Classify industries on the basis of ownership along with example. (4)

Q.11. Why has the Chottanagpur plateau region maximum concentration of iron and steel industries? (5)
Q.12. Compare and contrast cotton textile and iron and steel industries in India.  (4)

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Q.13. “Iron and steel industries are mainly in the public sector in India.” Give four reasons in support of your answer.  (4)
Q.14. Why is manufacturing important for the development of any economy? (5)
Q.15. Discuss the steps to be taken to minimize environmental degradation by industries.  

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Q.16. On the political map of India, locate the following with appropriate symbols:  
Iron & Steel Plants: Burnpur, Durgapur, Jamshedpur, Bhilai, Vijaynagar, Bhadravati,  
Vishakhapatnam, Salem, Rourkela.

Q.17. On the political map of India locate the following with appropriate symbols:  
a) Cotton textile industries: Mumbai, Indore, Ahmedabad, Surat, Kanpur,  
Coimbatore, and Madurai.

b) On the political map of India locate the following with appropriate symbols:  
Woolen industry: Srinagar, Amritsar, Ludhiana, Panipat, Mirzapur and Jamnagar
Silk industry Anantnag, Srinagar, Murshidabad and Mysore.

Q.18. On the political map of India locate the following with appropriate symbols:  
Software technology parks: Srinagar, Mohali, Noida, Jaipur, Gandhinagar, Indore,  
Mumbai, Pune, Guwahati, Kolkata, Bhubneshwar, Vishakhapatnam, Hyderabad,  
Bangalore, Mysore, Chennai, Tiruvanathapuram.