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**Entrance Examination 2017 (पदव्युत्तर वृत्तपत्रविद्या पदविका /PGDMM)**

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**Duration: Three Hours**

**Total Marks: 100**

Note: This is English language version of the question paper. You will have to answer it in English ONLY. If you want to write in Marathi ask for the Marathi version. (ही प्रश्नपत्रिका इंग्रजीत आहे व ती इंग्रजीतच सोडवावी लागेल. आपण मराठीत उत्तरे लिहिणार असाल तर मराठी प्रश्नपत्रिका मागून घ्या.)

- \* The Question paper is divided in two sections. Section I Question Paper is given first.
- \* Answers to Section I are to be written in the space provided in Question Paper.
- \* Section II Question Paper will be given only after Section I is returned.
- \* You are advised not to spend more than one hour on answering Section I.

**Section I (Marks 50)**

**Q.1 Name any 15 of the following:**

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1. The Indian origin Prime Minister of Portugal is \_\_\_\_\_
2. Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) is observed on \_\_\_\_\_
3. The port in Myanmar recently developed by India \_\_\_\_\_
4. The Present High Commissioner of Pakistan in India is \_\_\_\_\_
5. World's largest refinery and petrochemical complex will be set up at \_\_\_\_\_

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Q. 1	Q. 2	Q. 3	Q. 4	Q. 5	Q. 6	Total	Examiner's Signature
15	10	10	5	5	5	50	

6. Political party of newly elected President of Ireland is \_\_\_\_\_
7. India's longest river bridge in Assam is renamed as \_\_\_\_\_
8. Director of the national award winning film 'Kasav' is \_\_\_\_\_
9. The present Agriculture Minister of Maharashtra is \_\_\_\_\_
10. The first Indian woman to scale Mount Everest for the fourth time \_\_\_\_\_
11. Newly introduced Israeli missiles in the Indian Navy \_\_\_\_\_
12. The Samvidhan Diwas or the Constitution Day of India is observed on \_\_\_\_\_
13. David Grossman won the Man Booker International Prize for the novel \_\_\_\_\_
14. The newly elected president of France is \_\_\_\_\_
15. The clay court where French Open tennis tournament is held is known as \_\_\_\_\_
16. The Indians who received Ramon Magsaysay prize 2016 are \_\_\_\_\_
17. The first newspaper in India was started by \_\_\_\_\_
18. The new TV channel of Arnab Goswami is \_\_\_\_\_
19. The governor of Uttar Pradesh is \_\_\_\_\_
20. Character played by Zaira Wasim in 'Dangal' is \_\_\_\_\_

**Q. 2 Language skills (Total marks: 10)**

1. Give meaning of **any two** of the following idioms/phrases and use them in your own sentence. (2)

a) Tongue in cheek

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b) No love lost

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c) When pigs fly

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d) To wear heart on sleeve

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2. Give **two synonyms each** for **any two** of the following words: (2)

Pamper \_\_\_\_\_

Blatant \_\_\_\_\_

Unprecedented \_\_\_\_\_

Indulgent \_\_\_\_\_

3. Give **one antonym each** of **any four** of the following words: (2)

Abstract \_\_\_\_\_

Background \_\_\_\_\_

Haphazard \_\_\_\_\_

Obstinate \_\_\_\_\_

Proper \_\_\_\_\_

Salvage \_\_\_\_\_

4. There are mistakes in spelling, punctuation and grammar in the following sentences. Rewrite the corrected sentences below, underlining the corrected words. You are not expected to add or delete words but only correct/replace them. (4)

1. Why isnt firing from a cross the border not stopping

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2. When the write time come He will uses his trump card.

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3. gst may as the financeministerclaims change the Economy.

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4. Indo China talks no farther progres

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**Q. 3 Explain (in not more than twenty words) who/what the following are and why they were in news recently (any five). (10)**

1. Harish Salve -----

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2. Kidambi Shrikant -----

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3. KPS Gill -----

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4. Sukma -----

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5. Indus Waters Treaty -----

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6. Theresa May -----

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7. Darjeeling -----

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8. Jallikattu -----

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9. Lodha Committee -----  
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**Q. 4 Translate the following paragraph in Marathi or Hindi. (5)**

The Bombay High Court today said that malnutrition deaths in tribal areas of Maharashtra is an issue as important as the farmers' distress which attracted loan waiver by the government to mitigate it.

The tribal population needs an immediate attention from the government, said a division bench of justices V M Kanade and A M Badar. It directed the government to implement within two months all previous orders passed by the court to extend help to the tribal population. The court gave its direction while hearing a bunch of petitions on the issue of malnutrition deaths of children in tribal areas.

As per a report by a committee headed by Dr Abhay Bang, as many as 10,000 children die of malnutrition and related illnesses each year in tribal areas of Maharashtra.

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**Q. 5 Expand any five of the following abbreviations**

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1. DGMO

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2. FICCI

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3. CPEC

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4. NPA

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5. NCERT

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6. CRY

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7. NDTV

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8. RERA

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**Q. 6 Explain any five of the following terms in one sentence only**

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1. Post-truth

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2. Fat Boy

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3. Operation Clean Money

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4. Minimum Support Price

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5. Triple Talaq

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6. UDAN scheme

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7. Doodle

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