

BOARD-PATTERN PRACTICE PAPER · CBSE CLASS 12**Human Development**

Geography · Chapter 3 · Matches current CBSE blueprint · Each question PYQ-sourced where indicated

DATE	TOTAL MARKS	DURATION	MARKING	TARGET
_____	25	50 min	As per board	≥ 20/25

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. All compulsory.
2. Use geographical vocabulary accurately.
3. Thinker names (Haq, Sen) and the ILO link are mandatory for full marks where asked.
4. One real-world example per point earns marks in conceptual questions.

Section A — VSA (1 mark × 4)**4 MARKS · 8 MIN**

- Q1.** Who conceived the Human Development Index? [PYQ 2018 Delhi] **[1 mark]**
- Q2.** Name the four pillars of human development. [PYQ 2019 All India] **[1 mark]**
- Q3.** What is the range of HDI values? [PYQ 2022 Delhi] **[1 mark]**
- Q4.** Which organisation proposed the basic-needs approach? [PYQ 2023 Delhi] **[1 mark]**

Section B — SA-I (3 marks × 2)**6 MARKS · 12 MIN**

- Q5.** Distinguish between economic growth and human development. [PYQ 2020 All India] **[3 marks]**
- Q6.** Name the indicators used to construct the Human Development Index. [PYQ 2022 Delhi] **[3 marks]**

Section C — SA-II (5 marks × 3)**15 MARKS · 30 MIN**

- Q7.** Explain the four pillars of human development. [PYQ 2023 All India] **[5 marks]**
- Q8.** Explain the different approaches to human development. [PYQ 2020 Delhi] **[5 marks]**
- Q9.** How is human development measured? Explain the HDI and the measurement of deprivation. [PYQ 2019 Outside Delhi] **[5 marks]**

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