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Q5(a)

Impact of urbanization and industrialization on tribal communities of India.

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2025 · Anthropology GS 2 · 10 marks · The concept of ethnicity

7.3 The concept of ethnicity; Ethnic conflicts and political developments; Unrest among tribal communities; Regionalism and demand for autonomy; Pseudo-tribalism. Social change among the tribes during colonial and post-Independent India.

Facts & figures for this PYQ only.

Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

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Samata 1997

Supreme Court restricted mining leases on tribal land in Scheduled Areas to protect against alienation to non-tribals.

RFCTLARR 2013

Requires consent and rehabilitation for much acquisition; implementation in mining districts remains contested.

Circular migration

Households keep a village base and a city wage, so urbanisation is partial and often without local ST benefits.

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