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Q12

"Investment in infrastructure is essential for more rapid and inclusive economic growth. "Discuss in the light of India's experience.

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2021 · GS III · 15 marks · Infrastructure

Infrastructure: Energy, Ports, Roads, Airports, Railways etc.

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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Golden Quadrilateral

Early-2000s national highway loop linking four metros; a classic growth-infra episode.

PMGSY

Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana: all-weather rural connectivity as an inclusion instrument.

PM Gati Shakti

2021 National Master Plan to coordinate multi-modal infrastructure across ministries.

UPI / digital public infrastructure

Low-cost payment and identity rails that cut transaction costs for small users.

HAM / PPP highways

Hybrid Annuity and other PPPs that brought private capital with public traffic-risk sharing.

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