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**SECTION 'C'** **12×4=48**  
(Long Answer Type Questions)

**Note :** Answer the following questions in 500 words.

1. Write an essay on European dominance in the Indian ocean ?

Or

Write an article on Maratha Navy ?

2. Write the strategic importance of East African States.

Or

Describe the strategic importance of Channels and routes in the ocean.

3. Write an article on the hot spot in the Indian ocean.

Or

Write an essay on the strategic importance of Diago-Garcia.

4. Write an article on the power interest in the Indian ocean.

Or

Explain the ingredients of sea power.

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**M.Sc. I Semester Examination, April-2021**

**DEFENCE STUDIES**

**Paper I**

(Area Study of the Indian Ocean)

Time : 3 Hours ]

[Maximum Marks : 80

**Note :** All questions are compulsory. Question Paper comprises of 3 sections. **Section A** is objective type/Multiple Choice questions with no internal choice. **Section B** is short answer type with internal choice. **Section C** is long answer type with internal choice.

**SECTION 'A'** **1×8=8**  
(Objective Type Questions)

Choose the correct answer :

1. Which country is part of the Socotra Island ?
2. Write the full form of IDRA ?
3. Which country is the part of the Cocos (keeling) Island ?
4. Which one of the following seas borders with Uzbekistan and Kazakhstan :
  - (a) Caspian sea
  - (b) Sea of Azov
  - (c) Arab sea
  - (d) Sea of Akhotsk

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5. A historic trade centre, which is the only Iranian part with direct access to Indian ocean, is :
- (a) Bandor Abbas                      (b) Chabahar  
(c) Kish Island                      (d) Bushire
6. Which one of the following has not been included by A.T. Mahan as elements of Sea Power ?
- (a) Geographical position  
(b) Physical conformation  
(c) Extent of territory  
(d) National character
7. The Straits of Hormuz is an important route for international traffic between :
- (a) The Persian Gulf and the Gulf of Oman  
(b) The Indian Ocean and the Pacific Ocean  
(c) The Atlantic Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea  
(d) The Red Sea and the Mediterranean Sea
8. 'Fierry cross' a reef is located in which of the following seas ?
- (a) Lyte Gulf                      (b) Philippines Sea  
(c) Tasmania Sea                      (d) South China Sea

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**SECTION 'B'**

**6×4=24**

*(Short Answer Type Questions)*

**Note :** Answer the following questions in 250 words.

1. Write a note on the importance of Persian Gulf.

Or

Write the names of the littoral countries of the South East Asia.

2. Write a note on the importance of Gulf of Aden.

Or

Write the names of the littoral states of East African States.

3. Write a note on the Palk Strait.

Or

Write a note on the Sunda Strait.

4. Write a note on the China presence in the Indian ocean.

Or

Write a note on the importance of sea power.

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