SSLD-3	**STATE & COUNTRY STUDIES** **SECTION A** **Unit I:** Land Border States: Understand the land border states of India in detail from the security point of view to include threats from across the border, demography, internal conflict/strife issues if any, terrain issues likely to lead to natural calamities and employment of the uniformed services. **Unit II:** Seaboard States: Understand the seaboard states of India, both on the Eastern and Western seaboards from the security point of view to include threats from across the sea, demography, internal conflict/strife issues if any, terrain issues likely to lead to natural calamities and employment of the uniformed services. **Unit III:** Island Territories: Understand the island territories of India, from the security point of view to include threats of all kinds, demography, conflict/strife issues if any, terrain issues likely to lead to natural calamities and employment of the uniformed services. **SECTION B** **Unit IV:** Neighbouring Countries: Understand the neighbouring countries to India from the security point of view to include threats, geography, demography, political set up, relationship with India and the overall standing in the region and the world. Countries to be studied are Pakistan, Bangladesh, Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan, Maldives and Myanmar. **Unit V:** Countries which Impact India's Security: Understand countries which impact India's Security to include political leanings, defence exports to India, support to India in the International fora, geography, demography, political set up, relationship with India and overall standing in the world. Countries to be studied are USA, Russia, Israel, and UK. **Unit VI:** International Organisations: Understand about International Organisations like the UN, EU and other similar organisations and how they affect India and its security.	M.M - 100 Ext. - 70 Int. - 30 Pass - 40%