

U.G. 3rd Semester Examination - 2023

GEOGRAPHY

[HONOURS]

Course Code : GEO-H-CC-T-07

(Geography of India)

[New Syllabus under CBCS]

Full Marks : 60

Time : 2½ Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

UNIT-I

(Geography of India)

[Marks : 40]

1. Answer any seven from the following questions:

2×7=14

- a) What is meant by the term 'tribe'?
- b) What is *demographic dividend*?
- c) Differentiate regur soil from laterite soil.
- d) Write any two problems of information technology industry in India.
- e) What is meant by *integrated landuse planning*?
- f) What is *marusthali*?
- g) What are *ravines*?

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- h) Name any two petroleum producing areas in India.
- i) What is *sericulture*?
- j) Where is *Dandakaranya region* located?
- k) What are *karewas*?

2. Answer any **four** from the following questions:

4×4=16

- a) Outline the prospects of automobile industry in India.
- b) State the role of language in state formation of India.
- c) Highlight the socio-cultural regionalization of India after Sopher.
- d) Write the distribution of coniferous forest in India.
- e) Specify the demerits of green-revolution in India.
- f) State the major characteristics of any two physiographic regions in India.

3. Answer any **one** from the following questions:

10×1=10

- a) Name the agricultural regions of India and enumerate the major characteristics of any two agricultural regions. 4+6=10
- b) Give an account of growth and distribution of population with reference to India. 4+6=10

UNIT-II (Geography of West Bengal)

[Marks : 20]

4. Answer any **three** from the following questions:

2×3=6

- a) What is *tal region*?
- b) Which types of forest are found on the coast of West Bengal?
- c) Where is *bagri* located?
- d) Name any two reserved forests of West Bengal.
- e) What are the major minerals found in West Bengal?

5. Answer any **one** from the following questions:

4×1=4

- a) Mention the salient characteristics of Darjeeling Hills.
- b) Trace out the challenges of industries in West Bengal.

6. Answer any **one** of the following questions:

10×1=10

- a) Analyse the problems of Sundarban Delta mentioning their management strategies.
- b) Make an appraisal on agricultural infrastructure and agricultural development with reference to West Bengal.