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2017

GEOGRAPHY (Honours)

Paper Code : III-B

(New Syllabus)

Full Marks : 50   Time : Two Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Group - A

[Economic Geography]

Section - I

Answer any *one* question (600-700 words) :

$10 \times 1 = 10$

1. Define resource. Attempt a classification of resource. Assess the role of power in utilization of resource.

$2+4+4=10$

2. What do you mean by primary activities ? What conditions have made the Darjeeling District World famous in tea cultivation ? $3+7=10$

Section - II

Answer any *four* questions (300 - 350 words) :

$5 \times 4 = 20$

3. Explain the environmental significance of forest.

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4. Explain with special reference to India the future prospect of food processing industry.

5. Illustrate role of transport and communication in utilization of natural resources.

6. Comment on potential use of non-conventional energy with special reference to solar energy.

7. Explain the functional theory of resource.

8. How far Weber's theory of industrial location is useful in explaining locational pattern of industry in modern world ?

9. Explain the necessities of renewable resource conservation.

10. Discuss the problems of coal industry in India.

Group - B

[Region, Regional Planning and Development]

Section - I

Answer any *one* question (600-700 words) :

10×1=10

11. Define region. How it is demarcated ?   2+8=10

12. What are the indicators of development ? Explain with suitable example. What do you mean by regional imbalance ?

5+5=10

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Section - II

Answer any *two* questions (300 - 350 words) :

5×2=10

13. Distinguish between the concepts of regionalization and regionalism.

14. Discuss the role of geographers in shaping up the planning and program process in National level.

15. Distinguish between formal and functional region.

16. Explain how HDI is calculated ?

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