



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.A./B.Sc. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2021

GEOACOR08T-GEOGRAPHY (CC8)

REGIONAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

CATEGORY-A

Answer any *two* questions from the following within 600 words each 10×2 = 20

1. Discuss about the conceptual and theoretical framework of Regional Planning. 10
2. Classify regions and discuss the bases of such classification. 4+6
3. Critically examine how Myrdal's theory explains the development of regional inequalities. 7+3

CATEGORY-B

Answer any *four* questions from the following within 150 words each 5×4 = 20

4. Discuss the different environmental indicators of development.
5. What are the causes of under-development?
6. What do you understand by Compage Region?
7. How does HDI help to determine human development of a region?
8. What is the relationship between economic growth and development?
9. What are the causes of regional disparity?
10. Discuss the essential characteristics of a Megalopolis. Give examples.

CATEGORY-C

Answer any *five* questions from the following within 50 words each

2×5 = 10

11. What is an ad-hoc region?
12. Define regionalization.
13. Differentiate between Model and Theory.
14. Define multi-level planning.
15. How is a formal region identified?
16. Mention any two objectives of regional planning.
17. What do you mean by an 'urban agglomeration'?
18. What is a conurbation?
19. Distinguish between disparity and diversity.

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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GEOACOR09T-GEOGRAPHY (CC9)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

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CATEGORY-A

Answer any *two* questions from the following (within 600 words each) 10×2 = 20

1. Discuss the evolution, distribution and problems of tea cultivation as plantation farming in India. 10
2. What do you mean by economic man? Explain the nature and characteristics of different types of economic activities. 4+6
3. Explain the role of transport in industries and industrialization with examples from India. 10

CATEGORY-B

Answer any *four* questions from the following (within 150 words each) 5×4 = 20

4. What are the major objectives to develop Special Economic Zones in India?
5. Discuss the role of GATT in international trade in brief.
6. Write the characteristic features of mixed farming in Europe.
7. Describe the major objectives for developing the Technology Parks in India.
8. Analyse the role of WTO for international trading.
9. Differentiate between connectivity and accessibility.
10. What is BRICS? State the functions of BRICS.

CATEGORY-C

Answer any *five* questions from the following (within 50 words each)

2×5 = 10

11. What are the scopes of economic geography?
12. Differentiate between goods and services.
13. What do you mean by quinary activities?
14. Differentiate between isotim and isodapane.
15. What do you mean by line-haul-cost?
16. What do you mean by economic distance?
17. What is E-commerce?
18. Write short note on European Union.
19. Distinguish between production and productivity.

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GEOACOR10T-GEOGRAPHY (CC10)

ENVIRONMENTAL GEOGRAPHY

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

CATEGORY-A

Answer any *one* question from the following (within 600 words)

10×1 = 10

1. Describe the components of Ecosystem. State the nature of energy flow in the Ecosystem. 6+4
2. What are the basic characteristics of environmental issues associated to urban areas? Suggest measures to mitigate them. 6+4

CATEGORY-B

Answer any *four* questions from the following (within 150 words each)

5×4 = 20

3. Briefly state the causes and consequences of Air Pollution.
4. Distinguish between food chain and food web with proper examples.
5. State the importance of holistic approach in the study of Environmental Geography.
6. Highlight the major outcomes of Stockholm Summit (United Nations Conference on Human Environment 1972).
7. Account for the causes of Global Warming citing few recent events worldwide.
8. Write a short note on 'Systems Approach of Environmental Studies'.

9. Explain the relation between the existing urban drainage systems to the problem of waterlogging.

CATEGORY-C

Answer any five questions from the following (within 50 words each)

2×5 = 10

10. Which organisms are termed decomposers and why?
11. Discuss the significance of Ozone layer.
12. Define Emission Trading.
13. What is Ecotone?
14. Define Trophic Level.
15. State the impact of Deforestation.
16. What is detritus food chain?
17. What were the goals of Montreal Protocol?
18. What do you understand by Agenda-21?

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