

2021

GEOGRAPHY — HONOURS

Paper : DSE-B-8

(Geography of India)

Full Marks : 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Category - A

Answer **any five** questions (each within **50** words).

2×5

1. Define Main Boundary Fault.
2. 'Amw' climatic type stands for what type of climate in India? Mention one characteristic feature.
3. Where does the Gaddi tribe belong to? Mention one occupation that is meant to be unique for them.
4. Mention any two characteristics of the soil found in the Deccan Trap region.
5. Write four uses of byproduct of Petroleum.
6. Write about the impact of literacy rate on Human Development Index in West Bengal.
7. What is Bhabar?

Category - B

Answer **any four** questions (each within **150** words).

5×4

8. Climate and soil are interrelated – Explain.
9. Write a brief note on the Population Policy of India as prescribed by the Swaminathan Committee.
10. Evaluate the consequences of Green Revolution with special reference to Punjab.
11. Give a short account of the distribution of Natural Gas in India.
12. What are the challenges facing the Automobile Industry in India?
13. Name the cash crops produced in West Bengal. Briefly discuss about the problems faced by the Tea plantation in Darjeeling district.

Please Turn Over

Category - C

Answer ***any two*** questions (each within **600** words).

10×2

- 14.** Give a detailed account of physiographic units of India.
 - 15.** Explain the problems of tribes of India with special reference to Santhals.
 - 16.** Discuss the economic regionalisation of India as proposed by P. Sengupta.
 - 17.** Analyse the impact of environment on socio-economic development of Sundarban region in West Bengal.
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Paper : DSE-B-7

(Urban Geography)

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Category - A

Answer **any five** questions (each within **50** words).

2×5

1. Define megalopolis.
2. Bring out the importance of green spaces in the city plan of Chandigarh.
3. What is National Smart Cities Mission?
4. What do you mean by Law of Primate city?
5. Distinguish between slum and shanty.
6. 'Social area analysis is a base of Urban structure' — Illustrate.
7. What is bid-rent curve?

Category - B

Answer **any four** questions (each within **150** words).

5×4

8. Distinguish between site and situation in the context of urban growth.
9. What is the contribution of the economic theory in the growth of urban places?
10. Highlight the importance of migration in the process of urbanization in India.
11. Highlight the problems of slum with reference to challenges of urbanisation in India.
12. Examine the pattern and trends of urbanisation in India.
13. How transport linkage influences the growth and development of slum areas in Delhi?

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Category - C

Answer ***any two*** questions (each within **500** words).

- 14.** What is urbanization? Trace the pattern of urbanization in developing countries of the world with suitable examples. 3+7
 - 15.** Critically discuss Christaller's Central Place theory. 10
 - 16.** What are the challenges of urbanization in India? Give a brief account of the policies adopted to meet these challenges in post-independent India. 5+5
 - 17.** Do you consider that Chandigarh is a perfect example of a planned city with reference to land use?
– Illustrate your answer. 10
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