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GEOGRAPHY

(Honours Core)

Paper : GGY-HC-3016

(Economic Geography)

Full Marks : 60

Time : Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Answer the following questions : $1 \times 7 = 7$
 - (a) Define dry farming.
 - (b) Name *one* major industrial region of USA.
 - (c) What is multiple cropping ?
 - (d) Define intensive agriculture.
 - (e) What is fund resource ?
 - (f) Name the tea research centre of Assam.

Contd.

(g) Give an example of non-renewable resource.

2. Answer the following questions in brief :

2×4=8

(a) Classify the agricultural practices on the basis of supply of land.

(b) What is meant by 'conservation of resources' ?

(c) Name *two* important chemical industries.

(d) Distinguish between renewable and non-renewable resources.

3. Answer **any three** of the following questions :

5×3=15

(a) Write the factors influencing activation of wheat in the world.

(b) Write a note on characteristics of Mediterranean agriculture.

(c) Discuss the important characteristic features of subsistence agriculture.

(d) Compare and contrast the features of traditional large scale industries and modern high tech industries.

(è) Define resource and explain its dynamic concept with examples. 2+3=5

4. Define economic geography. Discuss its meaning and subject matter. 2+8=10

Or

What are the different approaches to the study of economic geography ? Discuss *any one* in this respect. 2+8=10

5. Mention the various factors influencing establishment of iron and steel industry. Examine critically the Weber's theory of industrial location in this respect. 4+6=10

Or

What are the advantages and disadvantages of railway transport ? Discuss its role in the mobilisation of resources and economic development of India. 4+6=10

6. What are the sources of imports into India ? Name the principal commodities that are imported into India. State India's trading relations with few countries. 3+3+4=10

Or

Discuss the relative advantages and disadvantages of land, water and air transport. Examine their role on the economy of a country. 5+5=10