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3 (Sem 1) GGY M1

2015

**GEOGRAPHY**

(Major)

Paper : 1.1

(Understanding Geography)

Full Marks – 60

Time – Three hours

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

1. Answer the following questions : 1×7=7

(a) Who among the following wrote a book on Anthropogeographic ?

(i) Carl Ritter (ii) Friedrich Ratzel

(iii) E. Huntington (iv) D. M. Smith

(b) The book 'Explanation in Geography' was written by

(i) R. J. Chorley (ii) P. Haggett

(iii) David Harvey (iv) R. Hartshorne

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- (c) Write down a definition of geography given by an eminent geographer (Also mention the name of the geographer).
- (d) 'Man is a product of the earth's surface' is a phrase given by a geographer and this phrase supports the idea of
- Possibilism
  - Behaviouralism
  - Positivism
  - Environmental Determinism
- (e) Vidal De La Blache, the great human geographer made significant contributions to the
- French School of Thought
  - German School of Thought
  - American School of Thought
  - British School of Thought
- (f) What is a model in geography ?
- (g) Who among the following may rightly be called as 'the father of geography' ?
- Herodotus
  - Ptolemy
  - Eratosthenes
  - Immanuel Kant

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2. Give a very short answer questions :
- What is a region ?
  - Mention any two branches of geography.
  - What do you mean by the 'place' ?
  - Distinguish between climatology and meteorology.

3. Answer any *three* of the following

- Explain the concept and scope of human ecology.
- State with examples the application of the concept in geographical studies.
- Describe geography as a science.
- Briefly state the geographical ideas of the ancient Indian scholars.
- Discuss briefly the impact of the Industrial Revolution on geography.

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

10×3=30

- (a) Briefly discuss the salient features of development of geography during the modern period. 10
- (b) 'Physical and Human Geography are the two wings of Geography'. – Discuss the statement. 10
- (c) Explain why the importance and relevance of biogeographic study has been growing day by day in recent years. 10
- (d) Write short notes on the following : 5+5=10
- (i) Spatio-temporal variation
  - (ii) Spatial organization
- (e) Discuss the nature of geography as an integrated discipline. Give examples where necessary. 10

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**3 (Sem 1) GGY M2**

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**GEOGRAPHY**

**(Major)**

Paper : 1.2

**(Basis of Geomorphology)**

Full Marks – 60

Time – Three hours

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

1. Choose the correct option of the following questions : 1×7=7

(a) Who among the following proposed normal cycle of erosion theory ?

Hartshorne / Davis / Penck / Hutton

(b) Which one of the following is the youngest folded mountain ranges in India ?

Aravalli Hills / Eastern Ghats / Himalayas / Western Ghats

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- (c) ..... is a tributary of the Brahmaputra  
Tsang Po / Subansiri / Son / Mahananda.
- (d) Inselberg is associated with fluvial / glacial  
/ arid / coastal topography.
- (e) Moraine is the term associated with fluvial  
/ glacial / arid / coastal topography.
- (f) Wind actions create 'Mushroom rocks' which  
are usually found in —  
Deserts / Plateaus / Tropical coastal area /  
Hills.
- (g) The India's highest annual rainfall is reported  
at —  
Chamba, Himachal Pradesh / Churu, Rajasthan  
/ Mawsynram, Meghalaya / Namchi, Sikkim.
2. Write very briefly on the following :  $2 \times 4 = 8$
- (a) Sial layer
- (b) Rift valley
- (c) Delta
- (d) Radial drainage

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3. Write short notes on any *th*
- (a) Physical weathering
- (b) Eustatism
- (c) Flood plain
- (d) Branches of Physical C
4. Discuss the structure and co  
crust and interior.
- Or
- Discuss the continental drift  
by Alfred Wegener.
5. Describe the erosional and de  
associated with fluvial topo
- Or
- Discuss the mountain B  
propounded by Aurther Hol
6. Discuss the causes of earthq  
and their geomorphic impac
- Or
- Discuss the nature and  
Geography.

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