2019

B.Sc. (Honours)

5th Semester Examination

GEOGRAPHY

Paper - DSE-2T

Full Marks: 60

Time: 3 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

[Resource Geography]

Group - A

Answer any *ten* questions from the following. $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 1. Define resource.
- 2. What is flow resource?
- 3. What do you mean by Millenium Development goals?

[Turn Over]

- 4. Define sustainable development.
- 5. What do you mean by fund resource?
- 6. Mention the sources of fossil fuel.
- 7. What are the uses of gypsum mineral?
- 8. What is resource depletion?
- 9. What is ubiquitous resource?
- 10. What is conventional energy resource?
- 11. What do you mean by community based resource utilisation?
- 12. What is sustainable use of resource?
- 13. Why is human considered as resource?
- 14. What is Phantom Pile?
- 15. Differentiate between natural and cultural resources.

Group - B

Answer any four questions from the following:

 $4 \times 5 = 20$

- 16. Distinguish between renewable and non-renewable resources with suitable example.
- 17. Explain the utilitarian approach of resource utilisation.
 - 18. Mention the reasons behind the rapid decline of water resource quality in recent time.
 - 19. Describe major bauxite mining areas of India.
 - 20. Mention the major strategies of water resource management.
 - Elaborate the significance of the concept of resource sharing.

Group - C

Answer any two questions from the following:

 $2 \times 10 = 20$

22. Highlight major factors of global forest depletion mentioning its negative environmental impacts.

[Turn Over]

- Briefly discuss the major sources of non-conventional energy. What are the consequences of using nonrenewable resources.
- Describe the world iron ore producing areas.
 Mention the utilisation of limestone.
- 25. Explain recent trends of global politics centering on power resouces.

[Fluvial Geomorphology]

Group - A

Answer any ten questions from the following.

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 1. Define the river basin.
- 2. What do you mean by surface run-off?
- 3. What is watershed?
- 4. What do you mean by negative change of sea level?
- 5. What is badland topography?
- 6. What is checkdam?
- 7. What do you mean by rejuvenation head?
 - 8. Distinguish between drainage basin and drainage valley.
 - 9. What is hyposometric curve?
- 10. What is eustatic change of sea level?

- 11. What is quasi-natural flood?
- 12. Distinguish between alluvial fan and alluvial cone.
- 13. What is inter-tidal channel?
- 14. What is meant by avulsion?
- 15. What is point bar?

Group - B

Answer any four questions from the following.

 $4 \times 5 = 20$

- 16. Explain the controlling factors of Runoff.
- 17. Discuss the Horton's Stream Law.
- 18. Discuss the significance of drainage basin as a hydrological unit.
- 19. Explain the mechanism of river bank erosion.
 - 20. Explain the principles of watershed management in non-perennial river.
 - 21. Explain the different models of channel initiation and network development.

Group - C

Answer any two questions.

 $2 \times 10 = 20$

- 22. How does a river adjust to tectonic, climatic, eustatic and landure changes?
- 23. Describe various types of human intervention on fluvial system and their consequences.
- 24. Explain the fundamentals of Rosgen Stream Classification system.
- 25. Describe the strategies followed by Govt. and Non Govt. agencies to address River bank erosion.

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[Social Geography]

Group - A

Answer any ten questions from the following.

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 1. Define Social Geography.
- 2. What do you mean by social inclusion and exclusion?
- 3. What is Social Darwinism?
- 4. Define space.
- 5. Define Social Ecology.
- 6. What is riot?
- 7. Differentiate between ethnic status and economic status.
- 8. Compare between Social differentiation and stratification.
- 9. What is gender well-being?
- 10. What is Casteism?

- 11. What is ghetto?
- 12. Define poverty line.
- 13. What do you mean by HDI?
- 14. What is 'Cyber crime'?
- 15. What do you mean by 'Social Impact Assessment'?

Group - B

Answer any four questions from the following.

 $4 \times 5 = 20$

- 16. Mention the indicators of quality of life.
- 17. Discuss the basis of social region formation.
- 18. What are the positive and negative impacts of migration on social ground?
- 19. Write the salient features of crimes in India.
- Mention the key features of social planning during the five year plans in India.

21. Why NREGA is considered as social planning in India?

Group - C

Answer any two questions from the following. $2\times10=20$

- 22. Describe the nature and scope of Social Geography.
- What is social well-being? Discuss about the measures of social well-being.
- 24. Differentiate between sex and gender. How many methods to be used for measuring the gender disparity?
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- Discuss the contemporary social environmental issues with special reference to India.