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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.

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- (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