

3 (Sem-5) GGY M 4

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GEOGRAPHY

(Major)

Paper : 5.4

(Population and Settlement Geography)

Full Marks : 42

Time : 2 hours

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

GROUP—A

(Marks : 21)

1. Answer the following : 1×2=2

- (a) What is overpopulation?
- (b) Write the meaning of hierarchy of settlement.

2. Answer the following (each within 30 words) : 2×2=4

- (a) What is meant by rural-urban dichotomy?

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- (b) Distinguish between pull and push factors of migration.

3. Answer any *three* of the following (each within 150 words) : 5×3=15

- (a) Discuss the meaning and scope of settlement geography.
- (b) Explain the factors influencing the shape of age-sex pyramid.
- (c) Write a note on Malthus theory of population growth and its relevance.
- (d) What are the main features of Central Place Theory? Mention its significance.
- (e) Explain the field of population geography along with its development trend.

GROUP—B

(Marks : 21)

4. Answer any *three* of the following (each within 250 words) : 7×3=21

- (a) What is migration? Explain critically how it affects the demographic and economic structures of a particular region. Give examples.

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- (b) Discuss the functional characteristics of rural and urban settlement with examples.
- (c) Compare the concept of population pyramid between developed and developing countries with necessary illustrations from South-East Asian countries.
- (d) Write a note on uneven distribution of population pattern in global context.
- (e) Explain the concept of population, resource and economic development with reference to Indian subcontinent.

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3 (Sem-4/CBCS) GGY HC 2

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GEOGRAPHY

(Honours)

Paper : GGY-HC-4026

(Population and Settlement Geography)

Full Marks : 60

Time : Three hours

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

GROUP-A

(Marks : 30)

1. Answer the following objective type questions : 1×5=5
 - (i) Who is known as the father of Demography ?
 - (ii) What is the full form of SRS ?

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- (iii) What is the current estimated population of the world ?
- (iv) What is the name of the principle associated with $K=3$ as per Christaller's Central Place Theory ?
- (v) Mention *one* criterion for identifying a settlement as a town as per Census of India.

2. Answer the following very short answer type questions : 2×5=10

- (a) Mention *two* factors influencing fertility rate.
- (b) Mention the salient characteristics of the first stage of demographic transition model.
- (c) What is meant by "Ageing" ?
- (d) Define migration. Give an example of seasonal migration in India.
- (e) What is "Urban Fringe" ? Mention *any one* of its characteristics.

3. Answer the following short answer type questions : **(any three)** 5×3=15

- (i) Define the field of population geography and briefly discuss its importance. 2+3=5

- (ii) Outline the trend of population growth in the world since the beginning of Christian era. 5
- (iii) Briefly discuss the push and pull factors of migration with examples. 5
- (iv) Throw light on the Malthusian theory of population growth. 5
- (v) Define Settlement Geography and briefly discuss its nature. 2+3=5

Group-B

(Marks : 30)

4. Answer the following broad analytical answer type questions : **(any three)** 10×3=30
- (a) Discuss the factors associated with spatial variation in population growth in the world. Give relevant data in support of your arguments. 7+3=10
- (b) Explain the causes and consequences of International migration. Give examples. 7+3=10

- (c) What are the factors influencing variation in mortality rate in the world? Briefly assess the impacts of current pandemic in different parts of the world. 7+3=10
- (d) Discuss the morphological and socio-economic differences between rural and urban settlements. 5+5=10
- (e) Critically discuss the Burgess theory of internal structure of a town. 10
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3 (Sem-6) GGY

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GEOGRAPHY

(General)

**(Economic, Political and
Environmental Geography)**

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

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

Answer **either** in English **or** in Assamese.

GROUP-A

Marks : 40

1. Answer the following objective questions :
1×6=6
 - (a) What is resource ?
সম্পদ কাক বোলে?
 - (b) Give two examples of abiotic resource.
অজীৱীয় সম্পদৰ দুটা উদাহৰণ দিয়া।
 - (c) Give two examples of primary economic activity.
প্ৰাথমিক বৃত্তিৰ দুটা উদাহৰণ দিয়া।

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- (d) What is extensive agriculture ?
বিস্তৃত কৃষি কাক বোলে?
- (e) Give *two* examples of plantation crop.
ৰোপন শস্যৰ দুটা উদাহৰণ দিয়া।
- (f) Give an example of nation-state.
জাতি-ৰাষ্ট্ৰৰ এটা উদাহৰণ দিয়া।
2. Answer the following very short answer type questions : 2×5=10
- (i) Define Economic Geography.
অৰ্থনৈতিক ভূগোলৰ সংজ্ঞা দিয়া।
- (ii) Define Environmental Geography.
পৰিবেশ ভূগোলৰ সংজ্ঞা লিখা।
- (iii) Define Political Geography.
ৰাজনৈতিক ভূগোলৰ সংজ্ঞা লিখা।
- (iv) Distinguish between state and nation-state.
ৰাষ্ট্ৰ আৰু জাতি-ৰাষ্ট্ৰৰ মাজৰ পাৰ্থক্য লিখা।
- (v) What is shifting cultivation ?
স্থানান্তৰী কৃষি কাক বোলে?
3. Answer the following short answer type questions : 6×4=24
- (a) Distinguish between regional and systematic approaches in Economic Geography. 6

অৰ্থনৈতিক ভূগোলৰ আঞ্চলিক আৰু প্ৰণালীবদ্ধ
অধ্যয়ন পদ্ধতিৰ মাজৰ পাৰ্থক্য দাঙি ধৰা।

- (b) What is meant by conservation of resources ? Mention the techniques of conservation of non-renewable energy resources. 2+4=6

সম্পদ সংৰক্ষণ বুলিলে কি বুজায়? অনৰীকৰণযোগ্য
শক্তি সম্পদৰ সংৰক্ষণ পদ্ধতিবোৰ উল্লেখ কৰা।

- (c) Discuss the distribution and production patterns of wheat in the world. 6

পৃথিৱীত ঘেঁহুৰ বিতৰণ আৰু উৎপাদনৰ স্বৰূপ সম্পৰ্কে
আলোচনা কৰা।

- (d) Discuss the importance of Political Geography. 6

ৰাজনৈতিক ভূগোলৰ গুৰুত্ব সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা।

GROUP-B

Marks : 40

4. Answer the following broad answer type questions : **(any four)**

(Each within 250 words) 10×4=40

- (i) With examples explain the dynamic concept of resource. 10

উদাহৰণসহ সম্পদৰ গতিশীল ধাৰণা সম্পৰ্কে ব্যাখ্যা কৰা।

- (ii) Discuss the factors influencing cultivation of rice in the world. 10
পৃথিবীত ধান কৃষিকার্যত প্ৰভাৱ পেলাৱা কাৰকসমূহ আলোচনা কৰা।
- (iii) Discuss the role of cash crop farming to India's economy. 10
ভাৰতৰ অৰ্থনীতিত মূলধন কৃষিৰ অৰিহনা আলোচনা কৰা।
- (iv) Discuss the importance of environmental studies in geography. 10
ভূগোলত পৰিৱেশ অধ্যয়নৰ গুৰুত্ব সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা।
- (v) Discuss the elements of a state from political geography perspective. 10
ৰাজনৈতিক ভূগোলৰ পৰিপ্ৰেক্ষিতত এখন ৰাষ্ট্ৰৰ উপাদানবোৰ আলোচনা কৰা।
- (vi) Discuss the significance of Economic Geography. 10
অৰ্থনৈতিক ভূগোলৰ গুৰুত্ব সম্পৰ্কে আলোচনা কৰা।
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