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**( Held in 2022 )**

**GEOGRAPHY**

Paper : GGY-1016

**( Nature of Geography )**

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

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

**Group-A**

**(48 Marks)**

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

16×3=48

1. Define the field of geography and discuss its relations with natural and social sciences.

4+12=16

2. "Geography is the study of planet earth as the home of man." Elucidate the statement.

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*Contd.*

3. Explain the concept of spatial organisation, spatial integration and spatial modeling from the perspectives of geography. 16
4. Explain the meaning and significance of systematic and regional approaches in geography. 16
5. What are Harvey's modes of explanation in geography? Distinguish between morphometric and cause and effect explanations with respect to their meaning and significance. 4+12=16

### **Group-B**

*(32 Marks)*

*Answer any four of the following questions :*

$8 \times 4 = 32$

6. Highlight the significance of multi-disciplinary nature of geography. 8
7. What is space in geography? Distinguish between absolute space and relative space with examples. 2+6=8
8. Discuss the meaning and significance of regional complex analysis in geography. 8

9. Do you consider geography as a science? Justify your views in this respect. 8
10. Distinguish between region and territory from geographical perspective. Highlight regional characteristics and content in relation to scale factor. 5+3=8
11. Write short explanatory notes on the following : 4×2=8
- (a) Spatio-temporal analysis in geography
- (b) Geography as the study of society-environment interface.
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