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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

Marks : 48

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

16×3=48

1. Define the field of geography as a spatial science and discuss its multi-disciplinary nature. 4+12=16
2. What are the modes of explanation in geography according to Harvey? Explain their distinguishing characteristics and significance with necessary illustrations. 2+14=16

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3. "Geography is the study of spatial organisation." Explain the statement.
4. Discuss the integrated approaches in geography as proposed by Haggett and briefly explain their significance in present-day context. 10+6=16
5. Discuss the importance of geography as the study of the planet earth as the home of man.

GROUP-B

Marks : 32

Answer *any four* of the following questions :

8×4=32

6. What is meant by 'space' in geography ? Explain the concept of absolute space, relative space and pace with examples. 2+6=8
7. Highlight the significance of space-time dimension in geographical study.
8. Discuss the nature of the discipline geography in relation to its branches and sub-branches.
9. Highlight the meaning and significance of society-environment interface in geography.

10. What is spatial modeling ? Discuss its significance in scientific analysis of geographical phenomena. $2+6=8$
11. Write short explanatory notes on the following : $4 \times 2 = 8$
- (a) Applied Geography
 - (b) Concept of region in Geography
