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GEOGRAPHY

Paper: GGY-1046

(Economic 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:

- 1. Define Economic Geography and discuss its scope and significance. 4+6+6=16
- 2. What is small-scale Farming? Discuss its advantages citing relevant examples.

6+10=16

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- 3. Discuss the salient features of the Growth Pole Model and state its contemporary relevance. 10+6=16
- 4. Write short explanatory notes on **any two** of the following: 8×2=16
 - (a) Theoretical approach to the study of Economic Geography
 - (b) Levels of economic development
 - (c) Commercial farming
 - (d) Economic development

Group-B

(Marks: 32)

Answer any four of the following questions:

- 5. Explain the place of agriculture in the world economy with special reference to India.
 6+2=8
- 6. Discuss the assumptions and main features of von Thunen's agricultural location model. 2+6=8
- 7. Explain with examples the merits and demerits of modernization of agricultural in India. 6+2=8

- 8. Critically examine the current relevance of Alfred Weber's industrial location model.
- 9. Give an outline of the international trade in coal and state the role of India in the regard. 6+2=8
- 10. Write short notes on **any two** of the following: 4×2=8
 - (a) Regional disparity in technology application
 - (b) Non-conventional energy
 - (c) Problems of iron and steel industries in the USA
 - (d) Green revolution in India