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GEOGRAPHY

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***(Geography of Regional Development in
India with Special Reference to NE India)***

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

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

Unit - I

Answer ***any three*** questions from the following : 16×3=48

1. Do climate and relief play a role in determining regional development in India ?
If so, compare the regional development of at least two contrasting regions with respect to relief and climate. 8+8=16

2. Give a detailed account of the river systems of Northeast India. Analyse critically the role of Brahmaputra river on the economic development of the region. $8+8=16$
3. Critically examine the relationship between population growth, urbanization and social inequalities in India.
4. Discuss the salient characteristics of agricultural development of India. Further examine the regional disparity in economic development of the country from agricultural perspectives. $8+8=16$

Unit – II

Answer *any four* questions from the following : $8 \times 4 = 32$

5. Describe the types of soil found in Northeast India and their role in shaping the agricultural practices in the region. $4+4=8$
6. Discuss the potential of hydropower in India and its contribution to the country's energy needs. $5+3=8$

7. How does migration from other parts of India and neighbouring countries affect the demographic and socio-economic structure of Northeast India ? $4+4=8$
8. Illustrate the trend of production of coal and petroleum in Northeast India and their contributions towards economic development of the region. $4+4=8$
9. Write short notes on : **(any two)** $4 \times 2 = 8$
- (a) Forest resources in India
 - (b) The Golden Quadrilateral
 - (c) India's foreign trade policy
 - (d) Locational significance of India
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