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14 (Sem-3) GGY 3123

2025

**GEOGRAPHY**

Paper : GGY-3123

*(Fundamentals of RS, GIS and GPS)*

Full Marks : 40

Time : Two hours

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

1. Explain the basic concept of EMR and discuss how electromagnetic radiation interacts with the atmosphere and earth's surface. *(Remembering and Understanding)*  
2+4+4=10

**OR**

Discuss the process of digital image processing and explain the key stages involved in the visual and digital interpretation of remotely sensed data. *(Understanding and Analysing)* 4+3+3=10

2. Describe the raster and vector data structures in GIS and compare their advantages and limitations for spatial analysis. (*Understanding and Analysing*)  
5+5=10

**OR**

Discuss the spatial analysis techniques used in GIS and their role in thematic data representation. (*Understanding and Applying*)  
6+4=10

3. Evaluate the application areas of GPS in geographical fieldwork with examples from rural and urban contexts. (*Applying and Evaluating*)  
5+5=10

**OR**

Discuss the accuracy and error sources in GPS data and the role of Differential GPS (DGPS) in improving positional accuracy. (*Understanding and Analysing*)  
5+5=10

4. Write short notes on : (**any two**)  
(*Remembering and Understanding*) 5×2=10
- (a) Challenges in remote sensing data interpretation
- (b) Spectral resolution and its significance in image interpretation

- (c) Data input and storage process in GIS
- (d) Role of GIS in urban planning and resource management
- (e) Potential and limitations of GPS technology

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