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GEOGRAPHY

(Theory Paper)

Paper Code: GGY-301

(Regional Planning and Development)

Full Marks - 80

Pass Marks – 32

Time - Three hours

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

1. Multiple Choice Questions (answer all):

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- (a) Which of the following is not the purpose of regional study?
 - (i) Delineation of the space into homogenous units
 - (ii) To study the human association within a specific regional environment

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- (iii) For decentralization of region
- (iv) To facilitate comparison
- (b) Which of the following region is categorized on the basis of administrative convenience?
 - (i) Special region
 - (ii) Generic regions
 - (iii) Synthetic regions
 - (iv) Planning regions
- (c) Who put forwarded the concept of Spatial social justice?
 - (i) Devid Harvey
 - (ii) H. T Odum
 - (iii) H. E. Moore
 - (iv) Kazimiers Dziewonski
- (d) Who of the following is the Vice-Chairperson of NITI AAYOG?
 - (i) Narendra Modi
 - (ii) Chief Ministers of States
 - (iii)Rajiv Kumar
 - (iv) Nitin Gadkari

- (e) A rolling plan refers to a plan which
 - (i) Does not change its target every year
 - (ii) Changes its allocation every year
 - (iii) Changes its allocation and target every year
 - (iv) Changes only its target every year
- (f) Which of the following is not one of the basic issues of National Capital Region?
 - (i) Urban Congestion
 - (ii) Public health and environment
 - (iii) Housing
 - (iv) Agricultural hinterland.
- 2 Answer in brief (answer all):
 - (a) Write the concept of region.
 - (b) State the distinction between homogeneous and nodal region.
 - (c) What do you mean by Think Tank policy?
 - (d) What are the objectives of Techno-economic Surveys for regional planning?
 - (e) What do you mean by indicators of development?
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 $5 \times 2 = 10$

3 Answer in brief (any six):

- 5×6=30
- (a) Classify regions into different categories.
- (b) Write the basic objectives of formulation of NITI AAYOG.
- (c) What do you mean by the indicators of development? State with examples.
- (d) Explain how macro regionalization is different from that of micro regions.
- (e) What do you mean by sectional and sectoral planning? State with examples.
- (f) What are the five basic factors that control developmental process?
- (g) Explain the chief objectives of regional plan for the National Capital Region (NCR).
- (h) Write the functions of survey in regional planning.
- (i) Explain KBK region planning.
- 4 Answer in detail (any two):

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) Explain the need and importance of regional planning and development. 10
- (b) Explain the regional development policies taken up so far in India.

- (c) What is Drought Prone Areas Programme (DPAP)? Explain it in detail. 2+8=10
- 5. Answer in detail (any one):

14×1=14

- (a) What do you mean by the regionalization? Explain the methods of regional delimitation and provide a detail physiographic regionalization of India. 2+8+4=14
- (b) Give a detailed account of Diagnostic Surveys for regional planning.