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GEOGRAPHY

(Theory Paper)

Paper Code : GGY 201

(Geography of India)

Full Marks – 80

Time – Three hours

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

1. Answer *all* the Multiple-Choice questions :

1×6=6

(a) India covers an area of ——— total world area.

(i) 3.1

(ii) 2.2

(iii) 2.8

(iv) 3.2

(b) Name the pass through which famous
Stilwell Rode is constructed.

(i) Lucha

(ii) Domla

(iii) Hukwang

(iv) Tuzu

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(c) The Bara Lapcha La and Shipki La are two important Passes located in

(i) Himachal Pradesh (ii) Uttaranchal

(iii) Sikkim (iv) Kashmir

(d) In India, the people who work for six months and more than it is known as

(i) Workers

(ii) Non Workers

(iii) Main Workers

(iv) Marginal Workers

(e) Dibru-Saikhowa National Park is famous for

(i) Rihno (ii) Deer

(iii) Wild Horse (iv) Buffalo

(f) The mighty Brahmaputra river is originated from

(i) Gangotri (ii) Chemayungdung

(iii) Siachen (iv) Rathong

2. Answer *all* the questions from the following :
2×5=10

(i) What do you mean by the term population change ?

(ii) What do you mean by the term main workers and marginal workers ?

(iii) What is the difference between Indian Standard Time (IST) and Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) ?

(iv) Where is the Line of Control between India and Pakistan ?

(v) What is the difference between Bhangar and Terai ?

3. Answer any *six* questions from the following :
5×6=30

(i) "India as a geographical entity; unity in diversity" justify the statement.

(ii) Explain in brief about the types of Indian Soil.

(iii) Describe the mechanism of Indian monsoon.

(iv) Write the major causes of population growth in India.

(v) Explain the distribution of cotton crops in India.

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(vi) Describe relation of India with its neighboring SAARC Countries.

(vii) Write in brief on the development issues of North East India.

(viii) "India's cities are the drivers of economic growth with significant production and consumption, however, this sunrise story is threatened by unsustainable urban development in the era of climate change." Comment.

(ix) Mention the important causes of flood in North East India.

(x) Give a brief note on distribution of Population in India.

4. Answer any *two* questions from the following :
10×2=20

(i) Elucidate the Physiographic division of North East India with the help of map.

(ii) What do you mean by the term literacy and educational attainment? Describe the pattern of literacy variation in India with the help of 2011 Census.

(iii) Describe the nature of major Iron and Steel industry located in India and also state the importance of geographical factors in their location.

5. Answer any *one* question from the following :
14×1=14

(i) Divide India in physiographic divisions and explain the Northern Plain in detail.

(ii) 'Agriculture is the backbone of Indian Economy'. Explain the statement. Describe the impact of Agricultural modernization in Indian economy.