

U.G. 4th Semester Examination - 2020

GEOGRAPHY

[HONOURS]

Course Code : GEOH-CC-T-9

(Economic Geography)

Full Marks : 60

Time : 2½ Hours

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.**Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.***UNIT-I****(Concept)****Marks : 20**

1. Answer any **three** from the following: 2×3=6
 - a) What is *spatial economics*?
 - b) What is meant by *tertiary production*?
 - c) What are *transshipment costs*?
 - d) What is meant by *exchange* in economic activity?
 - e) Who are *consumers*?
2. Answer any **one** from the following: 4×1=4
 - a) State the effects of agglomeration on

economic activities.

- b) Specify the role of market in determining the location of industries.
3. Answer any **one** from the following: 10×1=10
 - a) Discuss any two approaches for studying Economic Geography.
 - b) Analyse the major determining factors of transport costs.

UNIT –II**(Economic Activities)****Marks: 40**

4. Answer any **seven** from the following: 2×7=14
 - a) What is *social forestry*?
 - b) What is *isodapane*?
 - c) What is *mixed farming*?
 - d) What is *manufacturing*?
 - e) Write the full form of *NHAI*.
 - f) What is *opencast* mining?
 - g) What is *JFM*?
 - h) What is *quinary sector* of economy?
 - i) Write any two characteristics of coniferous forests.

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j) What is *pig iron*?

k) What is balance of trade?

5. Write short notes on the following (any **four**):

4×4=16

a) North-West Atlantic fishing zone

b) Subsistence agriculture

c) Tea plantation in Darjiling district

d) Technology parks

e) Objectives of Special Economic Zones

f) Significance of transnational sea-routes

6. Answer any **one** from the following: 10×1=10

a) Critically discuss the agricultural location theory of Von Thunen.

b) Analyse the factors in determining the location of cotton textile industry in India with examples.
