3 (Sem-3/CBCS) GGY HC 1

2023

GEOGRAPHY

(Honours Core)

Paper: GGY-HC-3016

(Economic Geography)

Full Marks: 60

Time: Three hours

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

- 1. Answer the following questions: $1 \times 7 = 7$
 - (a) Define dry farming.
 - (b) Name one major industrial region of USA.
 - (c) What is multiple cropping?
 - (d) Define intensive agriculture.
 - (e) What is fund resource?
 - (f) Name the tea research centre of Assam.

- (g) Give an example of non-renewable resource.
- 2. Answer the following questions in brief: 2×4=8
 - (a) Classify the agricultural practices on the basis of supply of land.
 - (b) What is meant by 'conservation of resources'?
 - (c) Name two important chemical industries.
 - (d) Distinguish between renewable and non-renewable resources.
- 3. Answer any three of the following questions: 5×3=15
 - (a) Write the factors influencing activation of wheat in the world.
 - (b) Write a note on characteristics of Mediterranean agriculture.
 - (c) Discuss the important characteristic features of subsistence agriculture.
 - (d) Compare and contrast the features of traditional large scale industries and modern high tech industries.

- (è) Define resource and explain its dynamic concept with examples. 2+3=5
- 4. Define economic geography. Discuss its meaning and subject matter. 2+8=10

Or

What are the different approaches to the study of economic geography? Discuss *any* one in this respect. 2+8=10

5. Mention the various factors influencing establishment of iron and steel industry. Examine critically the Weber's theory of industrial location in this respect. 4+6=10

Or

What are the advantages and disadvantages of railway transport? Discuss its role in the mobilisation of resources and economic development of India. 4+6=10

6. What are the sources of imports into India?

Name the principal commodities that are imported into India. State India's trading relations with few countries. 3+3+4=10

Discuss the relative advantages and disadvantages of land, water and air transport. Examine their role on the economy of a country.

5+5=10