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## GEOGRAPHY

(Honours Elective)

(Urban Geography)

Paper : GGY-HE-5036

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) Who gave the concept of concentric zone model ?
  - (b) Name one Garrison town of India.
  - (c) Who gave the concept of primate city ?
  - (d) Who gave the concept of the sector model on the internal structure of a town ?

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- (e) What is a slum area ?
- (f) What is meant by conurbation ?
- (g) What was the proportion of urban population in Assam as per 2011 census ?

2. Write brief notes on the following :  $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) Primate city
- (b) CBDs
- (c) Concept of SMART city
- (d) Waterlogging problems of the Indian cities

3. Write briefly on the following questions :  
(any three)  $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) What are the major objectives of studying urban geography ?
- (b) What is urban ? How does it differ from rural ?
- (c) What are the attributes of a town ?
- (d) What do you mean by satellite town ? Give two examples of satellite town of India.
- (e) Divide towns on the basis of categories of workers.

- (f) State how the level of urbanization differs from the growth rate of urban population.

4. Answer the following questions : (any three)  
 $10 \times 3 = 30$

- (a) Define urban geography. Discuss the nature and approaches of urban geography.  $2 + 4 + 4 = 10$

Or

Discuss the geographical bases of origin and growth of modern towns in India.  $5 + 5 = 10$

- (b) Explain the role of location and situation in the growth and development of towns and cities.  $5 + 5 = 10$

Or

Explain the concept of urban environment. Discuss the urban environment in India during the last three decades.  $5 + 5 = 10$

- (c) Discuss the positive and negative instruments of the urban environment.  $5 + 5 = 10$

Or

Present an account of the classification of city as per the rank-size-rule of urban system.  $10$

(d) Discuss the trend of growth of urbanization in India and its regional variation.

**Or**

Discuss the factors responsible for the growth of urbanization in the world.

(e) Describe how a hilly terrian may emerge as a popular tourist destination in developing an ecotourism site by taking examples from N. E. India. 10

**Or**

What is metropolis ? Discuss the basic structure and composition of metro regions of India. 2+8=10