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3 (Sem-2/CBCS) GGY HC 1

2024

GEOGRAPHY

(Honours Core)

Paper : GGY-HC-2016

(*Human Geography*)

Full Marks : 60

Time : Three hours

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

1. Answer in a word or two : $1 \times 7 = 7$

(a) Who formulated the concept of environmental determinism ?

(b) Who coined the term 'megalopolises' ?

(c) The book, *The Principles of Human Geography* was written by whom ?

(d) Mention an important characteristic of a town.

(e) Who gave the concept of locational analysis ?



Contd.

(f) The book, *Origin of Species* by Darwin was written in which year ?

(g) Mention *one* difference between rural and urban settlements.

2. Answer the following questions in very short :

2×4=8

(a) Write *two* important characteristics of urban settlements.

(b) What is meant by environmental determinism ?

(c) What is meant by human ecology ?

(d) Define suburb.

3. Answer in brief : **(any three)** 5×3=15

(a) Discuss the nature and scope of human geography.

(b) Briefly explain the concept of locational analysis with examples.

(c) Describe the impact of urbanization on environment.

(d) Briefly explain the concept of cultural determinism.

(e) Distinguish between race and ethnicity.

4. Answer the following questions : **(any three)**

10×3=30

(a) Discuss the relation of human geography with other social sciences.

(b) Discuss the origin and functions of urban settlements. 5+5=10

(c) Discuss the salient characteristics of the major races of the world.

(d) Define environment. Highlight the major impacts of man on environment in global context. 2+8=10

(e) Explain the concept of neo-determinism and its relevance in understanding human-environment relationship in contemporary world. 6+4=10

