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GEOGRAPHY

Paper : GGY-3156

(Regional Development and Planning)

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

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

GROUP-A

Marks : 48

Answer **any three** of the following.

1. Discuss the concept of regional development and state its significance in planning for development of a country like India.
10+6=16
2. Explain the meaning and significance of functional approach to the study of regional planning for development.
8+8=16

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3. Give an outline of the central place theory and discuss its relevance in planning for regional development. 10+6=16
4. Discuss the concept of region and explain its relevance in contemporary geographical context. 10+6=16

GROUP-B

Marks : 32

Answer ***any four*** questions.

5. Define the concept of a formal region. State how a formal region is identified. 4+4=8
6. What is meant by decentralization of planning ? Examine its relevance in the context of India. 3+5=8
7. What is resource region ? Discuss its importance in planning for regional development. 3+5=8
8. Give the meaning of growth pole and discuss the salient features of the theory developed around it. 2+6=8

9. Define the term 'problem region' and discuss how a problem region may be delineated.

2+6=8

10. Write short notes on **any two** of the following:

4×2=8

(a) Multi-level planning

(b) Town and country planning

(c) Functional or nodal region

(d) Resource management
