

2022

# GEOGRAPHY

(Honours)

Paper Code : V - D

(Political Geography and Geography of India)

(New Syllabus)

Full Marks : 50

Time : Two Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
Candidates are required to give their answers  
in their own words as far as practicable.*

## Group - A

[Political Geography]

### Section - I

Answer any *one* question of the following :

10×1=10

1. Define boundaries. How do you differentiate boundary from frontier. Present a brief discussion on genetic classification of boundaries. 2+4+4
2. Critically discuss the theory of Heartland. What is the relevance of heartland theory in present day ? 8+2

### Section - II

Answer any *two* questions of the following.

5×2=10

3. Differentiate between Political Geography and Geopolitics. 5
4. Write a short note on buffer state. 5
5. Do you think that India is a nation — justify your answer. 5
6. What is the impact of Cold War on world politics ? 5

## Group - B

[Geography of India]

### Section - I

Answer any *one* question of the following :

10×1=10

7. What are the problems of Indian agriculture ? Suggest some viable measures to solve them. 6+4
8. Discuss the evaluation and characteristics of extra peninsular drainage system with special reference to Brahmaputra river. 10

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**Section - II**

Answer any *four* of the following questions.

5×4=20

9. Write down the geomorphological characteristics of the Indo-Gangetic plain. 5
  10. Briefly discuss about the characteristics of climatic zones of India. 5
  11. Discuss the significance of retreating monsoon on Indian economy. 5
  12. What are the causes of depletion of forests ? 5
  13. Discuss the causes of development of jute industry on the bank of River Hoogly. 5
  14. Discuss the reasons of development of automobile industry in India. 5
  15. Discuss the classification of workers in India as per Census 2001. 5
  16. What do you mean by liberalization ? Discuss about the impacts of liberalization on Indian economy. 1+4
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