2021

GEOGRAPHY — **HONOURS**

Paper: DSE-B-8

(Geography of India)

Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Category - A

Answer any five questions (each within 50 words).

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- 1. Define Main Boundary Fault.
- 2. 'Amw' climatic type stands for what type of climate in India? Mention one characteristic feature.
- 3. Where does the Gaddi tribe belong to? Mention one occupation that is meant to be unique for them.
- 4. Mention any two characteristics of the soil found in the Deccan Trap region.
- 5. Write four uses of byproduct of Petroleum.
- 6. Write about the impact of literacy rate on Human Development Index in West Bengal.
- 7. What is Bhabar?

Category - B

Answer any four questions (each within 150 words).

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- **8.** Climate and soil are interrelated Explain.
- 9. Write a brief note on the Population Policy of India as prescribed by the Swaminathan Committee.
- 10. Evaluate the consequences of Green Revolution with special reference to Punjab.
- 11. Give a short account of the distribution of Natural Gas in India.
- 12. What are the challenges facing the Automobile Industry in India?
- 13. Name the cash crops produced in West Bengal. Briefly discuss about the problems faced by the Tea plantation in Darjeeling district.

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Category - C

Answer any two questions (each within 600 words).

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- 14. Give a detailed account of physiographic units of India.
- 15. Explain the problems of tribes of India with special reference to Santhals.
- 16. Discuss the economic regionalisation of India as proposed by P. Sengupta.
- 17. Analyse the impact of environment on socio-economic development of Sundarban region in West Bengal.