

2023
B.A./B.Sc.
Third Semester
CORE – 6
GEOGRAPHY
Course Code: GGC 3.21
(Economic Geography)

Total Mark: 70
Time: 3 hours

Pass Mark: 28

Answer five questions, taking one from each unit.

UNIT-I

1. Define economic geography. Outline the various approaches to the study of economic geography. 2+12=14
2. Classify and explain fully the economic activity with the help of a few examples. 2+12=14

UNIT-II

3. What is economic activity? Enumerate the factors responsible for the location of economic activity. 4+10=14
4. Evaluate the Von Thunen theory of agriculture. Also mention its demerit. 12+2=14

UNIT-III

5. (a) Distinguish between subsistence and commercial agriculture with examples. 6
(b) “Good forestry implies a balance between exploitation and conservation of forest.” Justify the statement. 8
6. (a) “The richest fishing grounds are located on the continental shelves.” Explain. 6
(b) Write a concise note on drifting and lining method of fishing. 4+4=8

UNIT-IV

7. (a) “Iron and steel industry is often referred to as basic industry.”
Comment. 2
- (b) Why are many iron and steel industries located near the source of raw materials? Illustrate your statement with special reference to USA. 2+10=12
8. Outline and comment on the location and production of cotton textile industry in India. 6+8=14

UNIT-V

9. Define trade. Explain how multilateral trade differ from bilateral trade stating suitable examples from across the world. 2+12=14
10. What are service industries? Describe the financial service industry with special reference to India. 2+12=14
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