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GEOGRAPHY

(Major)

Course: 403

(Economic Geography)

(Part-II)

Full Marks: 48
Pass Marks: 19

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer the following questions as directed:

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Name the country of which industries depend upon imported raw materials.
- (b) Iron and steel industry is a good example of ferrous industry.

(State True or False)

(c) Which country is known as the rice bowl of South-East Asia?

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- (d) How many zones of agricultural intensity did von Thünen identified around a large market centre?
 - (i) Three
- (ii) Four
- (iii) Five
- (iv) Six

(Choose the correct answer)

- (e) Name the canal which connects the two oceans, the Atlantic and the Pacific.
- 2. Answer the following questions (within 150 words each): $4\times3=12$
 - (a) Write on iron and steel industry of India.
 - (b) Write a brief note on the scope of agricultural geography.
 - (c) Why are means of transport and communication today called 'lifeline of an economy'?

Answer the following questions (within 500 words each):

UNIT-I

(Industrial Geography)

 Who propounded the least cost theory of industrial location? Discuss the Weber theory of industrial location. 1+10=11 Or

Explain the concept of tourism. Give an account of the problems and prospects of tourism industry of India. 1+5+5=11

UNIT-II

(Agricultural Geography)

4. Discuss the role of agriculture in the economy of a country. What are the geographical factors affecting agriculture?

7+3=10

Or

What is agricultural region? Examine the Wittessey's classification of agricultural regions of the world. 1+9=10

UNIT-III

(Transport Geography)

5. Give a comparative analysis of different modes of transport.

Or

What is the concept of transport network?

Describe the network analysis in transport geography.

3+7=10
