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**GEOGRAPHY**

( Major )

Course : 507

**( Regional Planning and Social Geography )**

*Full Marks : 48*

*Pass Marks : 19 (Backlog) / 14 (2014 onwards)*

*Time : 2 hours*

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

1. Answer the following as directed : 1×3=3

(a) Who for the first time defined social geography?

(b) The Second Five-Year Plan of India was launched in 1956/1957/1958.

(Choose the correct answer)

(c) Which region of India is known as 'Rurh of India'?

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2. Answer the following questions (**within 100 words** each) :  $3 \times 3 = 9$

- (a) Write a brief note on social space.
- (b) Write briefly about the concept of regional planning.
- (c) Mention the causes of industrial development of Japan.

Following questions are to be answered **within 350 words** each

UNIT—I

( **Social Geography** )

3. What is meant by 'cultural region'? Divide the world into cultural regions. Discuss any two of them with their special characteristics.

$2 + 3 + 3\frac{1}{2} + 3\frac{1}{2} = 12$

Or

Describe the central place theory of Christaller and state its relevance in present-day context.

$9 + 3 = 12$

UNIT—II

( **Regional Concept and Planning** )

4. What is regionalization? Explain the different methods of regionalization.

$3 + 9 = 12$

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Or

What is a region? Divide India into planning regions and describe any two of them in detail. 2+5+5=12

UNIT—III

( **Regional Planning Strategy** )

5. Explain the resource bases and development strategy of Punjab plain. 12

Or

What are the objectives of land use planning? Explain the methods of land use planning. 3+9=12

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