



NETAJI SUBHAS OPEN UNIVERSITY

POST-GRADUATE COURSE

Assignment — June-2020/Dec.-2020

GEOGRAPHY

Paper-III A : Economic Geography

QUESTION PAPER CUM ANSWER BOOKLET

(Full Marks : 50)

(Weightage of Marks : 20%)

Special credit will be given for precise and correct answer. Marks will be deducted for spelling mistakes, untidiness and illegible handwriting. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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Received Answer Booklet
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**জরুরি নির্দেশ / Important Instruction**

আগামী শিক্ষাবর্ষান্ত পরীক্ষায় (T.E. Exam.) নতুন ব্যবস্থা অর্থাৎ প্রশ্নসহ উত্তর পুস্তিকা (QPAB) প্রবর্তন করা হবে। এই নতুন ব্যবস্থার সঙ্গে পরীক্ষার্থীদের অভ্যস্ত করার জন্য বর্তমান অনুশীলন পত্রে নির্দেশ অনুযায়ী প্রতিটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর নির্দিষ্ট স্থানেই দিতে হবে।

New system i.e. Question Paper Cum Answer Booklet (QPAB) will be introduced in the coming Term End Examination. To get the candidates acquainted with the new system, assignment answer is to be given in the specified space according to the instructions.

**Detail schedule for submission of assignment for the
PG Term End Examination June-2020/Dec.-2020**

1. Date of Publication : 20/06/2020
2. Last date of Submission of answer script by the student to the study centre : 19/07/2020
3. Last date of Submission of marks by the examiner to the study centre : 16/08/2020
4. Date of evaluated answer scripts distribution by the study centre to the students (Students are advised to check their assignment marks on the evaluated answer scripts and marks lists in the study centre notice board. If there is any mismatch / any other problems of marks obtained and marks in the list, the students should report to their study centre Co-ordinator on spot for correction. The study centre is advised to send the corrected marks, if any, to the COE office within five days. No changed / correction of assignment marks will be accepted after the said five days.) : 23/08/2020
5. Last date of submission of marks by the study centre to the Department of C.O.E. on or before : 31/08/2020

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Answer any *three* questions from *Section – A*.

Question No. 7 in *Section – B* is compulsory.

Section – A

Answer any *three* questions :

10 × 3 = 30

1. Relate Economic Geography to Geography. Discuss the scope and content of Economic Geography. 3 + 7
2. Classify resources on the basis of their frequency of occurrence. Distinguish between Natural resources and Cultural resources. 5 + 5
3. Critically examine Von Thunen's model of agricultural landuse. What is its relevance in modern times ? 8 + 2
4. Examine the influence of raw material and transport on location of industries. 5 + 5
5. Explain Isard's theory of Space Economy. State its merits and demerits. 6 + 4
6. What do you understand by Chemical Industry ? Discuss the patterns of distribution of Chemical Industries in the USA. 3 + 7

First Answer :



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Section – B

7. Answer any *five* questions :

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- a) What are the recent trends in Economic Geography ?
- b) State the essential features of tertiary economic activities.
- c) How would you measure crop diversification ?
- d) Distinguish between Isodapane and Isotim.
- e) Why is Atlantic coastal region in the USA developed in industries ?
- f) Identify raw materials of Rayon industry.
- g) Compare the significance of unit costs in Road and Rail transport with reference to location of economic activities.
- h) Give an outline of the distribution of aluminium industry in the USA.
- i) How does Beta Index differ from Gamma Index of transport connectivity ?
- j) Distinguish between fixed and variable costs of modes of Transport.

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Second Answer :

Third Answer :



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Fourth Answer :

Fifth Answer :



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