3 (Sem-3) GGY M 2

2019

GEOGRAPHY

(Major)

Paper: 3.2

(Economic Geography)

Full Marks: 60

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer the following questions as directed:

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

- (a) Who is the creator of resource?
- (b) Scientific research is a primary/ secondary/quaternary/quinary activity.

(Choose the correct answer)

- (c) Define intensive agriculture.
- (d) In Assam, tea auction centre is located at Jorhat/Dibrugarh/Guwahati/Bongaigaon.

(Choose the correct answer)

(e) What is multiple cropping?

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(Turn Over)

- Mame one major characteristic feature of Mediterranean agriculture.
- (g) Name the oldest oil field in India.
- 2. Answer the following questions in brief: $2\times4=8$
 - (a) Classify the agricultural practices on the basis of supply of land.
 - (b) Distinguish between flow and fund resources.
 - (c) Distinguish between shifting agriculture and sedentary agriculture.
 - (d) Name two important chemical industries.
- **3.** Answer any *three* of the following questions: 5×3=15
 - (a) Write the factors influencing cultivation of rice and wheat in the world.
 - (b) Write the characteristic features of mixed farming.
 - (c) Examine the factors on which the development of agriculture depends.
 - (d) Write the specialities of plantation agriculture in the world.
 - (e) Explain the concept of resource conservation.

4. (a) Define economic geography. Discuss its meaning and subject matter. 2+8=10

Or

- (b) Write the different approaches to the study of economic geography. Discuss any one of them in detail. 3+7=10
- 5. (a) What are the geographical conditions necessary for cotton cultivation?
 Classify cotton on the basis of length of fibre. Mention the principal cotton producing areas of the world. 4+3+3=10

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- (b) Examine the nature of problems faced by India's agriculture. How can those problems be removed? 6+4=10
- 6. (a) Classify world's industries on the basis of raw materials. Discuss the locational factors of petrochemical industry. Also mention the raw materials required for petrochemical industry. 3+5+2=10

Or

(b) Mention the various factors for establishment of iron and steel industry. Examine critically the Weber's theory of industrial location in this respect.
