

**B.Sc. GEOGRAPHY SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2022**

**Subject: Economic Geography**

**Paper: SC/GEOG/UG/CORE/TH/09**

**Time: 2 hours**

**Full Marks: 50**

**GROUP-A**

*Answer any two question*

**10x2 = 20**

1. Classify economic activities. What do you understand by White collar and Gold collar workers? Which of the economic activities has been linked to urbanization more and why?  
4+3+3
2. Critically examine the pattern of agricultural land use after Von Thunen 10
3. What is meant by plantation farming? What factors have led to the development of tea plantations in India? 3+7
4. What is meant by SEZ? How far have the SEZs been successful in India 7+3

**GROUP-B**

*Answer any two questions*

**5x2 = 10**

5. Explain the concept of economic man
6. Write a brief note on the role of OPEC in controlling oil prices
7. What are the basic assumptions of Weber's Least Cost Location theory?
8. What is Critical Isodopane? Mention its importance in industrial location according to Weber's theory?

**GROUP-C**

*Answer any five questions*

**2x5 = 10**

9. What is meant by pure raw material?
10. Highlight two of the major environmental problems associated with underground mining.
11. Mention the major sea-routes used for international trading.
12. Define footloose industry.
13. What is material index?
14. Mention the importance of the 'Golden Quadrilateral' project in India.
15. What are the benefits of technology parks?
16. What is agglomeration economies?

**Internal Assessment**

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