

B. Sc. GEOGRAPHY 3rd YEAR 2nd SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2022

Subject: Evolution of Geographical Thought

Paper: C613T (SC/GEOG/UG/CORE/TH/13)

Time: Two Hours

Full Marks: 50

GROUP-A

Answer any two questions

10x2 = 20

1. Analyse the contributions of British and German schools of thought in the development of geographical studies. 5+5
2. Narrate the reasons for spatial turn in geographical studies in the United States since 1950s. What is social physics? 8+2
3. Discuss the major characteristics of behavioural geography and its evolution thereafter. 10
4. What is meant by the 'age of discovery and voyages'? Discuss the contribution of the Portuguese voyages in the development of Geography. 4+6

GROUP-B

Answer any two questions

5x2 = 10

5. Differentiate between idiographic and nomothetic approaches in Geography.
6. Discuss the stages of evolution of Geography in India.
7. Write a short note on the emergence of Radical Geography in the United States.
8. Trace the contribution of Hipparchus in the development of Geography

GROUP-C

Answer any five questions

2x5 = 10

9. What do you mean by the 'Dark Age' in Geography?
10. Mention the major contributions of D. Stamp in Geography
11. What do you mean by 'exceptionalism' in Geography?
12. Differentiate the 'particular' and 'general' geography as stated by Varenus.
13. What is 'Mental Map'?
14. Mention the names of two books written by F. Ratzel.
15. What is meant by chorography?
16. What is ekumene?

Internal Assessment

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