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(CBCS)

(6th Semester)

GEOGRAPHY

TWELFTH(A) PAPER

(Urban Geography)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. “Urban geography includes the site revolution pattern and classification of towns.” This statement was given by

- (a) Kohu ()
- (b) G. Taylor ()
- (c) D. Stamp ()
- (d) Dickinson ()

2. Which one is the early approach to study urban geography?

- (a) Urban morphology ()
- (b) Positivism approach ()
- (c) Behavioural approach ()
- (d) Humanistic approach ()

- 3.** Which is the modern approach to study urban geography?
- (a) Site and situation ()
 - (b) Positivism ()
 - (c) Urban morphology ()
 - (d) None of the above ()
- 4.** The first human settlements are estimated to begun at the year of
- (a) 12000 BC ()
 - (b) 10000 BC ()
 - (c) 8000 BC ()
 - (d) 5000 BC ()
- 5.** What phenomenon led the growth of urbanization in developed countries?
- (a) Industrial revolution ()
 - (b) Agricultural revolution ()
 - (c) Technological development ()
 - (d) None of the above ()
- 6.** Who has classified cities on the basis of their functions?
- (a) Griffith Taylor ()
 - (b) Lewis Mumford ()
 - (c) C. D. Harris ()
 - (d) Homer Hoyt ()
- 7.** Who proposed 'multiple nuclei theory' of urban land use?
- (a) Harris and Ullman ()
 - (b) Mattila and Thompson ()
 - (c) Moses and Scott ()
 - (d) Harris and Nelson ()

8. Who proposed the rank size rule?

- (a) Linsky ()
- (b) G. K. Zipf ()
- (c) Mark Jefferson ()
- (d) F. Auerbach ()

9. Aizawl city is a _____ city.

- (a) class I ()
- (b) class II ()
- (c) class III ()
- (d) class IV ()

10. How many urban centres are notified by the Census of India in Mizoram?

- (a) 22 ()
- (b) 23 ()
- (c) 30 ()
- (d) 32 ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWER)

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following questions :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. Define urban geography.

OR

2. What are the different criteria of urban areas as given by Census of 2011?

UNIT—II

3. What are the characteristics of urbanization in developing countries?

OR

4. Highlight the pattern of urbanization in India.

UNIT—III

5. What are the bases of classification of town?

OR

6. Define metropolis.

UNIT—IV

7. Write the concept of centrality.

OR

8. Write the concept of primate city.

UNIT—V

9. Highlight three problems of urbanization.

OR

10. Write a note on slum in Aizawl city.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following questions :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Describe the scope of urban geography.

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OR

2. Discuss the negative and positive impacts of urbanization.

5+5=10

UNIT—II

3. What are the urbanization patterns of developed countries? 10

OR

4. Define urbanization. Mention its causes in detail. 2+8=10

UNIT—III

5. Give an account of Ashok Mitra's functional classification of Indian towns. 10

OR

6. Describe Harris' method in the functional classification of towns. 10

UNIT—IV

7. Explain in detail the concept of rank-size rule. 10

OR

8. Describe the marketing principles of Christaller's central place theory. In what ground the theory was criticized? 5+5=10

UNIT—V

9. Discuss the problems of housing and water scarcity in Aizawl city. 5+5=10

OR

10. Discuss the major modes of transportation in Delhi. 10
