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GEOGRAPHY AND ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT

PAPER-III

Full Marks: 100

Time: 4 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as faras practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

Write the answers to Questions of each Module in separate books

MODULE-5

(Settlement Study).

[Marks:50]

Answer any *four* questions, selecting *two* from each Group

GROUP-A

 Discuss the principal aspects of the multiple nucli theory of Urban morphology as proposed by C.D.Harris and E.L.U11man. What are its applied aspects in the real world?

2.	Define service centre. What is the basic	proposition
	of Rank size rule of city size distribution? Explain	
	the concept of Primate city.	4+6+5

- 3. Critically evaluate the Christeller's theory of central place and comment on its applicability in Indian 12+3
- 4. What do you understand by "Rural urban frienge"?

 State the functional and morphological characteristics of conurbation with Indian examples.

 5+10

GROUP-B

- 5. Define urban-social space. Explain the social pattern of a urban space with the help of social area analysis.

 3+7
- 6. Give a brief account on the evolution of human settlements.
- 7.. Enumerate the factors responsible for evolution and growth of rural settlement giving examples from India.

Write short notes on any two:

5x2

- (i) House types and forms
- (ii) Urban Agglomeration

- (iii) Evolutionary theory of human settlement
- (iv) Central Business District.

MODULE-6

(Population Study)

[Marks :50]

Answer any *four* questions, selecting *two* from each Group

GROUP-A

- Analyse the demographic transition indicating the gradual shifting of economic status of the nation.
 What are the main types of demographic transition?
- 2. Do you consider fertility as an important component of population change? Enumerate the factors controlling the fertility rate. 9+6
- **3.** What is age-sex structure? Critically discuss the theory of population growth as propounded. by Marx.

 3+12
- 4. What are the basic indicators of Human Development Index? Analyse the implication of Human Development Index in developing and developed countries.

 5+10

GROUP-B

- Define poverty line. Discuss poverty alleviation programmes implemented by Govt. of India. 2+8
- 6. Specify the types Migration. Assess the impact of Migration in the respective areas of source and destination.
- 7. "Different types of language create cultural diversity of India." Illustrate with specific examples. 10
- 8. Write short notes on any two:

5x2

- (i) Pronatal and anti-natal
- (ii) Social causes of famine
- *Ud*) Gender Development Index (GDI)
- (iv) Mortality and morbidity.