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State Purpose of Worksheet – II Term Examination [2018 – 2019]

[III Class work/Home Assignment/Alternate Class work/Internal Assessment/Continuous Assessment/Unit Test/Cycle Test/Revision Test/Mid Term Examination/Term Examination/Preboard]

Name:	Std: VIII	Subject: Geography
Date:	Term: II	Topic: NA
Maximum Marks: 80	Time Duration: 2 hr	Type of Assessment (if internal assessment): NA

General Instructions:

Answers to this Paper must be written on the answer sheet provided separately.

You will not be allowed to write during the first 15 minutes.

This time is to be spent in reading the question paper.

The time given at the head of this Paper is the time allotted for writing the answers.

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Attempt *seven* questions in all

Part I is compulsory. All questions from Part I are to be attempted.

A total of five questions are to be attempted from Part II.

The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in the brackets [ ]

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Note:

 (i) In all Map Work, make wise use of arrows to avoid overcrowding of the map.

 (ii) The Map given at the end of this question paper must be detached, and after marking must be fastened to your

    answer booklet.

(iii) All sub-sections of the questions attempted must be answered in the correct serial order.

(iv) All working including rough work should be done on the same answer sheet which is used to answer the rest of

    the paper

PART I (30 Marks)

Attempt all questions from this **Part.**

Question 1.
With reference to the topographic map extract 45 D/ 10 provided, with Eastings 01 to 10
and Northings 17 to 28 , answer the questions that follow-

(a) Identify the four figure grid reference of the following – **[4]**
   (i) The settlement at Rampura
   (ii) Village Hamirpura
   (iii) Dhad Talao
   (iv) Village Indaria
(b) Give the six-figure grid reference of the following –
   (i) Post Office near Dantral **[2]**
   (ii) The temple near Jolpur **[2]**
(c) Mention any one chief occupation of the people residing in the area reflected **[2]**
   in the given extract. Give an evidence to justify your answer.
(d) What is the RF of the given map extract? **[1]**
(e) State the settlement pattern at **[2]**
   (i) Grid square 0819   **(ii)** Village Bhamra
(f) What does 16r written near Amarapura village indicate? **[1]**
(g) Why is it written "motorable in dry season", on the given topo map extract? [1]
(h) Identify the drainage pattern in [2]
   (i) Grid square 0822   **(ii)** Grid square 0517
(i) State the commonly found mode of transport in the region. [1]
(j) What do the blue dots on the map indicate? [1]
(k) What is the Contour Interval of the given map extract? [1]

Question 2.
A. On the outline map of India mark and label the following :
(a) The Northern Mountains [1]
(b) The Northern Plains [1]
(c) The Peninsular Plateau [1]
(d) Thar Desert [1]

B. On the given political map of India, mark and label the following -
(a) Rajasthan [1]
(b) Uttar Pradesh [1]
(c) Tamil Nadu [1]
(d) Maharashtra [1]
(e) West Bengal [1]
(f) Madhya Pradesh [1]

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PART II (50 Marks)
Attempt *any five* questions from *this Part*
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Question 3.
With reference to Population Dynamics, answer the questions given below-
(a) Define sex ratio. Mention any one reason for discrepancy in sex ratio in India. **[2]**
(b) What do you understand by the following? **[2]**
   (i) Census   **(ii)** Sustainable development.
(c) Mention any three impacts of overpopulation. **[3]**
(d) Explain the age composition system associated with population. **[3]**

Question 4.
Answer the following questions based on Interpretation of topographic maps-
(a) What do you understand by contours. **[2]**
(b) Draw the cross section of relief related to the given arrangement of contours. **[2]**
(c) Define the following – **[3]**
   (i) Eastings   **(ii)** Northings   **(iii)**Representative Fraction
(d) Draw illustrations to show the following – **[3]**
   (i) Radial drainage pattern **(ii)** Linear settlement pattern **(iii)** Dendritic drainage pattern

Question 5.

Give answers to the following question on the context of Migration -

(a) Differentiate between immigration and emigration. **[2]**

(b) Mention one advantage and one disadvantage of immigration. **[2]**

(c) Distinguish between Brain Drain and Brain Gain. Suggest two steps to curb Brain Drain. **[3]**

(d) Give one reason for each of the following types of migration – **[3]**

    (i) Rural to rural   **(ii)** Rural to urban   **(iii)** Urban to rural

Question 6.

In the context of Urbanization, answer the questions given below.

(a) Give any two characteristic features of satellite cities. **[2]**

(b) Which two features would you expect to find in a smart city? **[2]**

(c) Mention any three causes for urbanization. **[3]**

(d) (i) State one positive impact of urbanization. **[1]**

    (ii) Indicate any two measures to reduce the negative impacts of urbanization. **[2]**

Question 7.

Answer the following questions based on Natural and Man-made Disasters.

(a) Enumerate any two causes for disasters. **[2]**

(b) State any two impacts of floods. **[2]**

(c) Mention any three risk reduction measures related to floods. **[3]**

(d) (i) Suggest any two important things to be included in a disaster management kit. **[3]**

    (ii) What do you understand by anthropogenic causes? Mention any two anthropogenic causes of the Assam floods.

Question 8.

Give answers to the following questions with reference to Asia.

(a) Define Coriolis force. **[2]**

(b) Explain Orographic rainfall. **[2]**

(c) State reasons why Asia is called as the Continent of Extremes. **[3]**

(d) (i) What is the other name for Temperate Grasslands? **[1]**

    (ii) Give any one characteristic feature of Equatorial forests. **[1]**

    (iii) State any one chief characteristic feature of Deciduous forests. **[1]**

Question 9.

With reference to Climate and farming methods of India, answer the following questions-

(a) Name the two branches of the South West Monsoon winds in India. **[2]**

(b) What do you know about the following? **[2]**

   (i) Archipelago   (ii) Jhumming cultivation

(c) Explain why Tamil Nadu receives only winter rains. **[3]**

(d) Distinguish between Intensive and Extensive farming. **[3]**

Question 10.

Answer these questions based on Resources in India Human.

(a) Distinguish between skilled and unskilled human resources. **[2]**

(b) State any two reasons why Indian workforce does not include more women. **[2]**

(c) Indicate any three ways in which skilled human resources have an impact on the socio-economic development of a country. **[3]**

(d) (i) Define population density. **[1]**

    (ii) State any one reason for high density of population and one reason for low density of population in India. **[2]**

Question 11.
Answer the following questions -
(a) Suggest any two risk-reduction measures related to earthquakes. **[2]**
(b) State one positive and one negative impact of under-population. **[2]**
(c) Mention two push factors and one pull factor responsible for migration. **[3]**
(d) Suggest three ways in which disaster management can be organized in a society. **[3]**