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2005 - MAINS - GEOGRAPHY PAPER - II

INSTRUCTIONS

Each question is printed both in Hindi and in English Answer must be written in the medium specified in the Admission Certificate issues to you, which must be stated clearly on the cover of the answer book in the space provided for the purpose. No marks will be given for the answers written in a medium other than that specified in the Admission Certificate.

Candidate should attempt Question Nos. 1 and 5 which are compulsory and any three of the remaining questions selecting at least one question from each section. The number of marks carried by each question is indicated at the end of the question.

Illustrate your answer with suitable sketch – maps and diagram.

Section – A

1. Mark on the outline map of India supplied any ten of the following entries. Write brief notes (not exceeding 30 words each) on the significant aspects of the same ten entires. $6 \times 10 = 60$

- Jawaharlal Nehru Port
- Chandra Bhaga River
- Kaimur Range
- Dalhousie
- Ganga Sagar
- Indira Point
- Cardmom Hills
- Pulicat Lake
- Kakinada



2. "Non - Conventional energy is the energy of the future in India" Justify this statement 60
3. Present an account of the success and constraints of White Revolution in India. 60
4. What is the Golden Quadarilateral? Discuss the progress made in its execution and impacts on Indian economy. 60

Section – B



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5. Answer any three of the following in about 200 words each:

20 × 3 = 60

1. Identify the tribal of India and highlight their important problems
2. Discuss briefly the principal types of rural settlements in India
3. Elucidate the concept of sustainable growth and development
4. Discuss Panchayati Raj as a measure of decentralized planning in India.

6. Give an account of the distribution of flood - prone areas of India and the programmes and policy of controlling the impact of floods in the country 60
7. Examine the relationship between geography and regional planning 60
8. Discuss the experience of regional planning in India in the context of the National Capital Region. 60

