



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.A./B.Sc. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2021

GEOADSE06T-GEOGRAPHY (DSE3/4)

RESOURCE GEOGRAPHY

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

CATEGORY-A

1. Answer any *two* questions from the following: (within 600 words each) 10×2 = 20
- (a) What are the different approaches of Resource Conservation? How can the conservational approaches be incorporated to the community-based initiatives in rural areas? Explain with examples. 4+6
- (b) Why community-based adaptation is an important and essential approach for resource utilization? 10
- (c) Highlight the major problems that are associated to resource depletion in global scale. How does deforestation affect the resource reserves and chalk out its conservation strategies to minimize such depletion? 4+6

CATEGORY-B

2. Answer any *four* questions from the following: (within 150 words each) 5×4 = 20
- (a) Give a brief account of the utilisation of conventional energy resources scenario of India.
- (b) What are the different ways to conserve natural resources?
- (c) What do you understand by fossil fuels? Explain with examples.
- (d) Suggest measures for conservation of non-renewable resources.
- (e) What are the different types of strategies to support water conservation in the world?
- (f) How does the water dispute in association to Kaveri River become a conflict between states of peninsular India?
- (g) “Humans are resources, at the same time they are creators and destroyers of the same” — Explain.

CATEGORY-C

3. Answer any *five* questions from the following: (within 50 words each) 2×5 = 10
- (a) What is water-sharing system?
 - (b) Define economic growth.
 - (c) Mention the importance of the place Kudankulum of Tamil Nadu in terms of non-conventional energy resources.
 - (d) Describe culture as resource creating factor.
 - (e) What are the uses of iron-ore?
 - (f) Suggest measures to combat conventional resource scarcity.
 - (g) What is agro-forestry?
 - (h) State advantages of community adaptive resource management.
 - (i) Mention four key approaches of resource utilization.

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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