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PG (NEW) CBCS M.Sc. Semester-II Examination, 2019 GEOGRAPHY

PAPER: GEO 202 (POPULATION & DEVELOPMENT)

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

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Use separate Answer-scripts for GEO 202.1 & GEO 202.2

GEO 202.1:

POPULATION GEOGRAPHY

Marks-20

GROUP-A

1. Answer any two questions of the following:

2×2=4

- a. Mention the salient features of National Population Policy 2000.
- b. What is 'One Child Population Policy'?
- c. What do you understand by population equilibrium?
- d. What is 'Population Explosion'?

GROUP-B

2. Answer any two questions of the following:

2×4=8

- a. State the recent trends of population geography and its interdisciplinary nature.
- b. Write a Comparative study on under and optimum population.
- c. Explain any one method of population projection.
- d. What is carrying capacity and what is its significance?

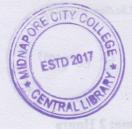
GROUP-C

3. Answer any one question of the following:

1×8=8

- a. Critically discuss the theory of population resource regions after Ackerman.
- b. Elaborate the Demographic Transition model in population growth study.

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GEO 202.2:

POPULATION & DEVELOPMENT

Marks-20

GROUP-A

1. Answer any two questions of the following:

2×2=4

- a. What is GEM?
- b. Mention two major objectives of Millennium Development Goals.
- c. What do you mean by food insecurity?
- d. What is step migration?

GROUP-B

2. Answer any two questions of the following:

2×4=8

- a. Write a short note on the relationship between population growth and development.
- b. Differentiate logistic growth from exponential growth of population.
- c. Explain the concept of HDI and highlight any technique of its measurement.
- d. Discuss the main principles of 'Law of Migration' given by Ravenstein.

GROUP-C

3. Answer any one question of the following:

1×8=8

- a. Elaborate the mobility transition model of Zelinsky.
- b. Critically discuss the view point of Malthus regarding population growth and its differences from that of Marx view.
