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M.Sc. Semester-II Examination, 2020
GEOGRAPHY
PAPER: GEO 202
(POPULATION & DEVELOPMENT)

Full Marks: 20

Time: 1 Hour

Write the answer for each unit in separate sheet

GEO202.1: POPULATION GEOGRAPHY)

Answer any one question of the following:

10×1=10

1. Mention the major objectives of National Population Policy 2000 and discuss the measures taken for the small family norms in that policy.
2. Briefly explain the different methods of population projection.
3. Discuss the concept of under-population, optimum population and over-population in the context of population resource relationship.
4. State the distinct characteristics of different waves of demographic transition.
5. Highlights the spatial and temporal variations of literacy in India and mention the major determinants of literacy in India.

6 +4

(GEO202.2: POPULATION & DEVELOPMENT)

Answer any one question of the following:

10×1=10

1. Discuss why the HDI falls short in measuring development. What is inequality adjusted HDI.
2. How does Ravenstein's theory of migration differ from that of Zelinsky.
3. What are the measures to ensure food security for common people in India?
4. Critically assess the governmental initiatives to ensure gender parity across India.
5. 'Poverty and misery were not natural inevitable but were the evils of capitalism'- justify this statement.

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