

QP Code: 23/PT/15/VIIB

**POST-GRADUATE COURSE**

**Term End Examination — June, 2023/December, 2023**

**GEOGRAPHY**

**Paper-VIIB : REGIONAL PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT**

Time : 2 hours ]

[ Full Marks : 50

Weightage of Marks : 80%

**Special credit will be given for precise and correct answer. Marks will be deducted for spelling mistakes, untidiness and illegible handwriting. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.**

**Section - A**

Answer any *three* questions :

10 × 3 = 30

1. Enumerate the economic, social and demographic indicators of regional development with special reference to India. 10
2. Discuss the role of DVC as a planning region. 10
3. Classify regions. State the characteristics of different types of planning. 4 + 6
4. Discuss the concept, features and method of delineation of city region. 10
5. Give an account of the structural framework and salient features of centralized and decentralized planning. 5 + 5
6. Critically explain the model of Rostow. 10

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**Section - B**

7. Answer any *five* questions :

4 × 5 = 20

- a) State the salient features of Multi-level planning.
- b) Give an account of the planning regions in India.
- c) Distinguish between Regionalism and Regionalization.
- d) Enumerate the problems of coastal regions.
- e) What are Ad hoc region and administrative region ?
- f) Briefly state about Megalopolis.
- g) Briefly discuss the concept of growth pole and growth centre.
- h) Identify the major features and functions of SEZ with special reference to India.
- i) Describe in brief the major rural development programmes in India.
- j) Briefly state about the Five-Year planning in India.

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