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M.A./M.Sc. 4th Semester Examination, 2016

GEOGRAPHY

PAPER – GEO-401(Unit-37 &38)

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

Write the answers to questions of each Unit in separate books

UNIT—37

(Schools in Geographical Thought)

GROUP—A

1. Answer any *one* of the following questions : 8×1
 - (a) Critically discuss the place of Geography in

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the classification of knowledge and state why it is considered as a dynamic science.

- (b) Outline the changing paradigms in conceptual and methodological development of Geography in 20th Century.

GROUP-B

2. Answer any *two* of the following questions : 4 × 2

- (a) Differentiate systematic from Regional approach in Geography.
- (b) Outline the linkages between the subdisciplines of human and physical Geography.
- (c) How is man-environmental relationship explained in determinism ?
- (d) What is a model ? Explain how is behavioural models in geography applied for social analysis.

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GROUP-C

3. Answer any *two* of the following questions : 2×2
- (a) What do you mean by “*dualism*” in Geography?
 - (b) What is *ontology*?
 - (c) What are the components of a landscape as conceived in systems approach?
 - (d) What is ‘*pays*’?

UNIT-38

(*Contemporary Discourses in Geography*)

GROUP-A

1. Answer any *one* question : 8×1
- (a) Explain, with illustration, the mechanism of individual behaviour and decision making.
 - (b) Distinguish between Modernism and post-modernism and bring out the salient features of post-modernism in contemporary geographical philosophy and methodology.

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GROUP-B

2. Answer any *two* questions : 4 × 2
- (a) Explain in brief the concept of 'third space'.
 - (b) How does Humanistic Geography establish man's position in geographical analysis ?
 - (c) "Social processes are the reflections of modes of production."— Explain briefly.
 - (d) Briefly discuss the concept of time-space prism.

GROUP-C

3. Answer any *two* questions : 2 × 2
- (a) Define *phenomenal environment*.
 - (b) Distinguish between radical geography and welfare geography.
 - (c) What are "Territorial Social Indicators" ?
 - (d) What is radical feminism ?