RGGE-103

Ph.D. IN GEOGRAPHY (PHDGG)

Term-End Examination

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RGGE-103 : REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING IN INDIA

Time : 3 hours   *Maximum Marks : 100*

Note : *Answer any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks.*

1. Discuss the evolution of spatial structures by its stages in detail.   *20*

2. Explain the Circular and Cumulative Causation theory by Gunnar Myrdal contextualising poverty and backwardness.   *20*

3. Explain regional development and disparities with special reference to India. Suggest measures to tackle regional disparities in the country.   *20*

4. Explain in detail, any two techniques of regionalisation.   *20*

5. Define Variable and Indicator. Explain the steps involved in the construction of an index along with their justification. *20*

6. What is Integrated Coastal Zone Management (ICZM) ? Why is there a need for ICZM in India ? Critically evaluate implementation of ICZM in India. *20*

7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : *2×10=20*

   (a) Concept of Region in the Context of Regional Planning

   (b) Dimensions of Development Planning

   (c) Economic Regionalisation of India

   (d) Methods of Making Indicators Scale Free

8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : *2×10=20*

   (a) Agriculture and Regional Development

   (b) Trends of Urbanisation and Regional Development in India

   (c) Integrated Tribal Area Development Plan

   (d) Desert Development Plan