

Ph.D. GEOGRAPHY (PHDGG)

Term-End Examination

June, 2016

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**RGG-001 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN
GEOGRAPHY**

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Answer any five questions. Each question carries equal marks.

1. What do you understand by scientific methods in geographical research ? 10

2. Differentiate between theoretical and empirical research. 10

3. Explain alternative methods for survey data collection. 10

4. What care should be taken to prepare a research questionnaire ? 10

5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 5+5
- (a) Objectives of Research
 - (b) Research Hypotheses
 - (c) Research Question
 - (d) Citations
6. Explain different stages in the formulation of a research proposal. 10
7. What do you understand by ethics in research ? 10
8. What is meant by measurement in research ? What difference does it make whether we measure in terms of nominal, ordinal, interval or ratio scale ? Explain by giving examples. 10
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