



DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY
ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, RANCHI
(An Autonomous College of Ranchi University)

COURSES OF STUDIES



M.A. GEOGRAPHY

**FOR POST GRADUATE COURSES UNDER ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE
(AUTONOMOUS) , RANCHI UNIVERSITY, RANCHI.**

IMPLEMENTED FROM ACADEMIC SESSION 2024 & ONWARDS.



No. 01 / SXCGEO

Dated: 08/01/2025

BOARD OF STUDIES
CURRICULUM REVIEW COMMITTEE

It is notified for the general information of all concerned that the **BOARD OF STUDIES**, Curriculum Review Committee dated 08/01/2025 approved the changes/modifications in the GEOGRAPHY B. A. & M.A. syllabus which will be effective from the **ACADEMIC SESSION 2024 & ONWARDS**.

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COURSE STRUCTURE FOR M.A. GEOGRAPHY

Table AI-1: Distribution of 80 Credits for Subjects having Practical Papers

[*wherever there is a practical examination there will be no tutorial and vice –versa.]

| Course | Papers | Credits Theory + Practical | Credits Theory + Tutorial |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| I. Foundation Course (FC) | | | |
| 1. Foundation Course Compulsory Foundation/ Elective Foundation | (FC) 1 Paper | 1X5=5 | 1X5=5 |
| II. Core Course (CC) | (CC 1 to 10/11) | | |
| Theory | 7 Papers/11 Papers | 7X5=35 | 11X5=55 |
| Practical/ Tutorial* | 3 Papers/----- | 3X5=15 | |
| Project | 1 Paper | 1X5=5 | 1X5=5 |
| III. Elective Course (EC) | | | |
| A. Ability Enhancement Course of the Core Course opted | (AE/EC 1) 1 Paper | 1X5=5 | 1X5=5 |
| B. Discipline Centric Elective | (DC/EC 2&3) | | |
| Theory + | 2 Papers | 2X5=10 | |
| Practical | 1 Paper | 1x5=5 | |
| OR Theory/Practical/Tutorial* | 1 Paper +1 Practical/Dissertation | | 2X5=10 |
| OR Generic Elective/ Interdisciplinary (GE/EC 2&3) | | | |
| Theory OR | 2 Papers | | |
| Theory/Practical/Tutorial* | 1 Paper +1 Practical/Dissertation | | |
| Total Credit = 80 | | = 80 | |

Table AI-1.1: Course structure for M.Sc Programme with Practical Papers

| Semester | Subject | Allied Foundation | Course |
|----------|--|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Total Credits | | |
| | (Core Courses) | (Elective Courses) | (Compulsory Course) |
| | 11 Papers | 4 Papers | 1 Paper |
| Sem-I | C-1, C-2, C-3 (5+5+5=15 Credits) | Foundation Course FC (05 Credits) | 20 Credits |
| Sem-II | C-4, C-5, C-6, C-7 (5+5+5+5=20 Credits) | | 20 Credits |
| Sem-III | C-8, C-9, C-10 (5+5+5=15 Credits) | EC1 (05 Credits) | 20 Credits |
| Sem-IV | C-11 (Project) (05 Credits) | EC2, EC3, EP (5+5+5=15 Credits) | 20 Credits |

Total = 80

Credits



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COURSES OF STUDY FOR M.A. GEOGRAPHY

Table AI-2 Subject Combinations allowed for M. Sc. Programme (80 Credits)

| Foundation Course | Core Subject | Ability Enhancement Course | Discipline Centric Elective/ Generic Elective Course |
|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|---|
| FC | CC | AE | DC/ GE/ EC |
| 1 Paper | 11 Papers | 1 Paper | 3 Papers |

Table AI-2.1 Semester wise Examination Structure for Mid Sem& End Sem Examinations:

| Sem | Core, AE/GE/DC/ EC& Compulsory FC Courses | | | | Examination Structure | | |
|------------|---|------------|--------|---|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | Paper | Paper Code | Credit | Name of Paper | Mid Semester Evaluation (F.M.) | End Semester Evaluation (F.M.) | End Semester Practical/ Viva (F.M.) |
| I | Foundation Course | FCGEO101 | 5 | Development of Geographical Thought | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Core Course | CCGEO102 | 5 | Geomorphology | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Core Course | CCGEO103 | 5 | Climatology | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Practical's on Core | CPGEO104 | 5 | Practical-I | ---- | ---- | 70 + 30 |
| II | Core Course | CCGEO201 | 5 | Geography of India | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Core Course | CCGEO202 | 5 | Oceanography | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Core Course | CCGEO203 | 5 | Population Geography | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Practical's on Core | CPGEO204 | 5 | Practical-II | ---- | ---- | 70 + 30 |
| III | Ability Enhancement Course | ECGEO301 | 5 | A. Agriculture Geography / B. Settlement Geography / C. Tourism Geography | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Core Course | CCGEO302 | 5 | Economic Geography | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Core Course | CCGEO303 | 5 | Geography of Jharkhand | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Practical's on Core | CPGEO304 | 5 | Practical-III(Physical Survey) | ---- | ---- | 70 + 30 |
| IV | Elective | ECGEO401 | 5 | A. Hydrology and Water Resources / B. Regional Planning & Develop./ C. Environmental Geography | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Elective | ECGEO402 | 5 | A. Soil Geography / B. Urban Geography / C. Remote Sensing & GIS/GPS | 30 | 70 | ---- |
| | Practical's on Elective | EPGEO403 | 5 | A. Soil Geography & Hydrology-P/ B. Urban Geog. & Reg. Planning-P / C. Remote Sensing & GIS/GPS-P | ---- | ---- | 70 + 30 |
| | PROJECT | PRGEO404 | 5 | Project Work(Dissertation) | ---- | ---- | 70 + 30 |



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SEMESTER I

4 Papers

Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks

I. COMPULSORY FOUNDATION COURSE [FCGEO101]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

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| Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 | Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45 |
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Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. **"Better of Two"** shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

DEVELOPMENT OF GEOGRAPHICAL THOUGHT

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

The Field of Geography: Definition and Meaning of Geography, Nature and Scope of Geography, Geography as a Social and Natural Science, Limits in Geography, Traditions in Geography, Inter-disciplinary and Intra-disciplinary approaches in Geography.

Unit 2:

Pioneers and their contributions to Geography: Ancient period – Greek, Romans, Indians and Chinese. Medieval period - Arabs and Geographical Discoveries. Modern period – French, British, American and Russian.

Unit 3:

Determinism, Possibilism: Neo-Determinism and Social Determinism, Quantitative Revolution. Geographical Models – need, features, types and classification. Geographical Paradigms.

Unit 4:

Explanations in Geography - Cognitive, Cause & Effect, Temporal & Functional, System Analysis and Regional Concepts, Modern Themes in Geographical Thought – Positivism, Existentialism, Realism, Radicalism, Behaviouralism.

References:

- Adhikari S. (2004) Fundamentals of Geographic thought, Concept Publishers, New Delhi.
- Dikshit R.D. (2001). Geographical Thought: A Conceptual History of Ideas, Prentice Hall Publishing Company, New Delhi-2
- Harvey ME (2002) Theme in Geographical Thought, R.K. Publications and Distributors, Ansari Road, N. Delhi
- Majid Hussain (2001) Evolution of Geographic Thought, Rawat Publications, New Delhi-02
- David Harvey (2000) Explanations in Geography, Macmillan, New York.
- Peter Hagget (1972): Geography: A Modern Synthesis
- Frazier J.W. (1982); Applied Geography, Prentice Hall, New Delhi.
- Singh. I (2006): Diverse Aspect of Geographical Thought: ALFA Publications, New Delhi.



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II. CORE COURSE [CCGEO102]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

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(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

GEOMORPHOLOGY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Geomorphology: Definition and Scope of Geomorphology, Fundamental concepts – Geological structure and land forms, Uniformitarianism, Multi cyclic and Poly cyclic evolution of landforms, Theories of landscape development

Unit 2:

Earth Movements: Orogenic, Epirogenic Movements and resultant landforms, Forces of instability, Isostasy, Plate Tectonics, Seismicity, Volcanicity, Orogenic structures with reference to the evolution of the Himalayas.

Unit 3:

Exogenic Processes: Concept of gradation, Agents and processes of gradation, Process of Weathering and Mass Wasting, Landforms produced by – Drainage system and Drainage patterns, Slope evolution.

Unit 4:

Geomorphic Processes: Dynamics of Aeolian, Marine, Glacial, Coastal processes and resulting landforms, Recent Trends in Geomorphology, Applied geomorphology: Urban geomorphology, Geomorphic hazards.

References:

- Ahmed E. (1985) Geomorphology, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.
- Strahler A.N. (1968) The Earth Sciences, Harper & Row Intl. Edn, New York
- Thornberry W.D. (1969) Principles of Geomorphology 2nd Edition, Wiley Intl. Edn. & Wiley Eastern Reprints 1984.
- Verstappen H. (1983) Applied Geomorphology, Geomorphological Surveys for Environmental Development, Elsevier, Amsterdam
- Woodridge S.W and R.S. Morgan (1991) An Outline of Geomorphology, The Physical Basis of Geography, Orient Longman, Kolkata.
- Dayal P. (1995) A Text Book of Geomorphology 2nd Edition., Sukla Book/Dept. Patna.
- Homes A. (1965) Principles of Physical Geology, 3rd Edition, ELBSS Edn.
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- Singh, Savindra (2001): Bhuakriti Vigya, Pravalika Publications, Allahabad.
- Singh, Savindra (2015): Bhautik Bhugol, Pravalika Publications, Allahabad.
- Worcester P.G. (1965), A Text Book of Geomorphology, Can North and 2nd Edition, East-West Edn. N Delhi.
- J.A. Steers: Unstable Earth
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III. CORE COURSE [CCGEO103]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

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End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

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CLIMATOLOGY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Definitions, nature, scope of Climatology. Elements of weather and climate. Origin, Composition and Structure of atmosphere. Temperature: Solar radiation principles, Greenhouse effects, Horizontal and Vertical distribution of temperature & inversion of temperature. Global warming.

Unit 2:

Atmospheric Pressure: Pressure Gradient, Coriolis Effect, Horizontal and vertical distribution of Air Pressure and Pressure Belts. Winds: Planetary, Monsoons, Local Winds, Jet Streams. Mechanism of monsoon. Humidity and Precipitation. El-Nino and La Nina phenomena, El-Nino-Southern Oscillation (ENSO).

Unit 3:

Air masses: Definition, Nature, Source Region, Classification of air masses. Fronts - Frontogenesis and Frontolysis, Classification of fronts, Cyclones: Tropical Cyclones & Temperate Cyclones - Origin, types, structure and distribution.

Unit 4:

Classification of World climates: Koppen's & Thornthwaite classification. Climatic changes, Weather forecasting, Problems and prospects of weather forecasting in India.

References:

- Savindra Singh (2005): Climatology, Prayag Pustak Bhawan, 20-A, University Road, Allahabad- 02. UP.
- Critchfield H.J. (2005): General Climatology, Prentice Hall of India, Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi-01.
- Lal D.S (2009): Physical Geography, Sharada Pustak Bhawan, II, University Road, Allahabad – UP.
- Siddhartha K (2005): Atmosphere, Weather and Climate, Kislaya Publications Pvt.ltd., C—2, Padma Apartment, Mehruuli, New Delhi-30.
- Lal D.S. (2005): Climatology: Sharada Pustak Bhawan, 11, Univ. Road, Allahabad -02, UP.
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IV. CORE COURSE PRACTICAL [CPGEO104]: (Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5 Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100

Pass Marks =45

Instruction to Question Setter:

End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

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PRACTICAL-I

Practical: 60 Hours

Unit 1:

Map Projection: Sinusoidal Projection (Simple), Mollweide's Projection (interrupted), Globular Projection, Gnomonic Projection (Polar, Equatorial and Oblique).

Unit 2:

Geological Maps: Construction of sections and interpretation, Identification of rocks and minerals.

Unit 3:

Triangular Graph, Poly Linear Graph, Scattered diagram, Lorenz Curve, Divided Rectangular diagram.

Unit 4:

Profiles: Serial, Superimposed, Projected and Composite, Slope analysis (Wentworth's Method), Stream ordering.

References:

- Monkhouse F.J and Wilkinson HR (1952) Maps and Diagrams, their compilations and concentration, Muthuen & Co. London.
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- Robinson & Marison (1995), Elements of Cartography USA.
- R.L. Singh (2010) Practical Geography, Sharada Pustak Bhavan, 11, University Road, Allahabad, UP - India
- Singh RL. (1979) Elements of Practical Geography, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.
- Sharma, J.P. (2011): Prayogik Bhugol, Rastogi Publications, Meeruth.
- Chouhan, P.R. (2005) Prayogik Bhogol, Vasundhara Prakashan, Gorakhpur.
- Hiralal (2006): Prayogik Bhugol, Radha Publications, New Delhi
- Tiwari, R.C. & Tripathi, S. (2011): Prayogatamak Bhugol, Prawalika Publications, Allahabad.
- Khullar, D.R. (2002): Prayogatamak Bhugol Ke Tatwa, New Academic Publishing Company, Jalandhar.
- Singh, L.R. (2011): Prayogik Bhugol Ke Sidhhant, Sharda Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad.



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SEMESTER II

4 Papers

Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks

(Credits: Theory-05)

I. CORE COURSE [CCGEO201]:

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| Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 | Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45 |
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GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Physical Setting of India: Location, Physiographic Divisions, Natural Drainage Systems and their Distribution. Climate: seasons & climatic regions. Soils: Types, Distribution, Erosion and Conservation. Natural Vegetation: Types and Distribution, Degradation and Conservation.

Unit 2:

Agriculture: Major Agricultural Crops: Rice, Wheat, Cotton, Sugarcane, Maize, Jowar, Tea, Coffee, Rubber, Mulberry Crops. Green Revolution in India, and Food Security in India. Irrigation: Major River Projects.

Unit 3:

Distribution, production and trade of important Minerals & Power resources: Iron Ore, Manganese, Mica, Copper, Bauxite, Coal, Petroleum, Natural Gas, Atomic Energy, Hydral and Thermal Power. Growth, Development and Distribution of Major Industries: Iron & Steel, Engineering, Cement, Paper, Fertilizers, Cotton Textiles, Silk, Knowledge-based Industries, Industrial Regions of India.

Unit 4:

Growth & Development of Transportation Transport System: Roads, Railways, Airways and Inland Water, Population: Growth and Distribution, Composition and Density, Literacy, Sex Ratio, Fertility & Mortality & Health Services.

References:

- Khullar DR. (2009): India: A Comprehensive Geography, Kalyani Publishes, New Delhi, Hyderabad, Kolkata.
- Alka Gautam (2009) Geography of India, Sharada Pustak Bhawan, University Road, Allahabad – UP.
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- Tiwari R.C. (2008) Geography of India, Prayag Pustak Bhavan, 20-A, University Road, Allahabad- UP.
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- Phani Deka & Abani Bhagabati (1992): Geography: Economic and Regional, Wiley Eastern Limited, Ansari Raod, Daryaganj, New Delhi-01.
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- Jadish Singh (2003): India: A comprehensive Systematic Geography, Gyanodaya Prakashan, Gorakhpur- UP.
- India: Year Books- (PRD Govt. of India publishes every year).



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CORE COURSE

[CCGEO202]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

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OCEANOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Nature and scope of Oceanography, Configuration of Ocean Floor - Continental Shelf, Slope, Ocean Plains and Ocean Deep, Physical and Chemical properties of ocean water: Composition, Temperature and Salinity

Unit 2:

Surface currents, Waves and tides, Marine biological environment, Biozones, Types of organism, Plankton, Nekton and Benthos, Food and mineral resources of the sea.

Unit 3: Major marine environment: Coastal, Estuaries, Deltas, Coastal Ecology-Coastal Dunes and Mangroves.

Unit 4:

Ocean Deposits: Types and Distribution, Coral Reefs: Origin, Types and Theories of Origin of Coral Reefs (Darwin, Dally and Murray). Impact of Humans on the Marine Environment. Recent Trends in Oceanography.

References:

- Lal. D.S. (2003) Oceanography, Sharada Pustak Bhavan, Allahabad 02.
- King Cuchalaine A.M. (2000) Oceanography for geographers, Edward Arnold publications, London.
- Savindra Singh (2004): physical geography, Prayog Pustak Bhavan, Allahabad -02
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II. CORE COURSE [CCGEO203]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type** five questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type** six questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks;80<Attd.<85, 3 marks;85<Attd.<90, 4 marks;90<Attd, 5 marks).

POPULATION GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial:15 Hours

Unit1:

Nature and Scope of Population Geography, Population Geography and Demography, Sources of Population Data, Distribution and Density of Population, Distribution and its Pattern in the World, Factors Influencing Distribution of Population in the world.

Unit 2:

Concept of Population Composition, Population Change: Growth of Population in the World and India, Components of Population Change, Fertility, Mortality and Migration, Determinants of Fertility and Mortality, Demographic Transition Theory.

Unit 3:

Migration - Meaning and Types, Causes and Consequences, Theories of Migration – Ravenstein & Lee.

Unit 4:

Population and Resources, Optimum Population, Population Resource Regions, Malthus Population Theory, Population Policy of India.

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CORE COURSE PRACTICAL [CPGEO204]: (Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5 Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100

Pass Marks =45

Instruction to Question Setter:

End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

PRACTICAL-II

Practical: 60 Hours

INSTRUMENTAL SURVEY (PRACTICAL)

Unit 1:

Importance of field work, Scope and purpose, Types of survey, Principles and applications of selected survey instruments, Plane Table, Plan preparation, Resection method: two point problem, three point problem, Tracing paper method.

Unit 2:

Prismatic Compass: Open and closed traverse, elimination of error by Bowditch Rule. Other smaller instruments: Sextant, Abney Level and Indian Clinometer. Dumpy Level: Traverse Survey, Spot height determination and contour plan preparation,

Unit 3:

Theodolite: horizontal and vertical (height) measurement, Accessible and inaccessible method. Survey of selected area, Preparation of base map by the use of surveying instruments.

Unit 4:

Measures of Central Tendency, Dispersion, Skewness, Kurtosis, Moments, Correlation, Regression.

References:

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SEMESTER III

4Papers

Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks

I. ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COURSE [ECGEO301A]:(Credits: Theory-05)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 **Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45**

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

A. AGRICULTURE GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Nature and scope, Significance and development of agricultural geography, Approaches to the study of agricultural geography, Origin and dispersal of agriculture, Sources of agricultural data.

Unit 2:

Determinants of agricultural land use – Physical, economic, social and technological, Land holding and land tenure systems, Land reforms, Land use policy and planning, Cropping pattern, Intensity of cropping.

Unit 3:

Theories of agricultural location based on several multi dimensional factors, Von Thunen's model and its recent modifications, Whittlesey's classification of agricultural regions, Agro-climatic regions of India.

Unit 4:

Agriculture in India – Land use and shifting cropping pattern, New trends in Indian agriculture, Green Revolution, White Revolution, Blue Revolution, Problems of Indian agriculture, Agricultural Policy of India.

References:

- Mohammad Shafi (2006): Agricultural Geography, Dorling Kindersley (India) Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi.
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ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COURSE [ECGEO301B]:(Credits: Theory-05)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd. 5 marks).

B. SETTLEMENT GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

General Introduction, Evolution & Distribution of Settlements: Nature, Scope, Significance and Recent Trends in Settlement Geography. Evolution of Settlements in India: Emergence of Village Settlements, Origin and Growth of Towns; Basic and Non-Basic Concepts in Settlement formation. Distribution of Settlements, Spacing of Settlements-Application of Models of Christaller and Losch.

Unit 2:

The Functional classification of Settlements: Rural and Urban Settlements. Rural Settlements - Types of Rural Settlements, House Types, Morphology and Functions of Rural Settlements; Rural Service Centers and their Role in Urbanization Process. Indian Rural Settlements in Different Micro-Environmental Conditions: (a) Mountains (b) Desert Region (c) In the vicinity of Urban Centers.

Unit 3:

Urban Settlements - Classification of Urban Places: Non-Functional and Functional. Morphology of Indian Cities and Its Comparison with Western Cities; Functional Relations between Urban Settlements and their umlands.

Unit 4:

Theories in Settlement Geography- CBD, Centrifugal and centripetal forces theory, Urban Fringe, Urban structures theories. Rank size relationship. Settlement Geography of selected Indian Cities: Mumbai, Kolkata, Delhi, Chennai, Ranchi, Jamshedpur and Dhanbad.

References:

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| Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 | Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45 |
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Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

C. TOURISM GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Definition, Nature, Scope and Extent, Concept of Tourism, Importance of Tourism, Relationship between Geography and Tourism, Ecotourism, Agro-tourism, Heritage tourism and Adventure tourism.

Unit 2:

Types of Tourism – Domestic and International Tourism, Adventure, Wildlife, Medical, Pilgrimage, Business, Leisure, Pleasure, and Cultural Tourisms, Tourists types– Local, National and International, Economic and socio- cultural impact of Tourism.

Unit 3:

Infrastructural approach for the development of Tourism – Mode of transportation, Govt. agencies, Guides, License, Hotels, Resorts, Youth Hostels, Home stays, Government policies for planning and promotion of Tourism in India. Prospects and planning of tourism in Jharkhand.

Unit 4:

Case Studies – Hill Station– Mount Abu, Shimla, Ooty, Beach Points– Kovalam, Goa and Marina Beach. Historical Centres–Mysore, Jaipur and Agra, Religious Centers– Puri, Shirdi and Tirupathi, Dams – Sardar Sarovar, Bhakra Nangal and Masanjore dam, National Parks –Gir National Park, Palamu Tiger Reserve, Betla, Nandan Kanan National Park, Bhubaneswar.

References:

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II. CORE COURSE [CCGEO302]: (Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type** five questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type** six questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks;80<Attd.<85, 3 marks;85<Attd.<90, 4 marks;90<Attd, 5 marks).

ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial:15 Hours

Unit 1:

Nature, Scope and importance of Economic Geography, Evolution of Economic Geography, approaches to economic Geography, Concept of Economy, Spatial structure of the economy, Economy and economic Geography.

Unit 2:

Primary Economic Activities: Hunting, Fishing, Food gathering, Herding, Timbering, Agriculture and Mining. Commercial Economic Activities: Dairying, Mixed Farming, Poultry, and Plantations. Fishing and Forestry: Law of the sea, fishing grounds and aquaculture. Issues and challenges for the development of fishing and forestry.

Unit 3:

Knowledge-based Technologies: Electronic age, Spatial Information Technology, Telecommunication, High tech-transport, Effects of Liberalization, Privatization and Globalization (LPG) on Economic activities in the World and India.

Unit 4:

Economic Development: Growth and Development, Definition, Concept, Contents of Development and Sustainable Development. Human Resource Development: Concept, Measurement, Indicators and Components.

References:

- Alexander (1975): Economic Geography
- Guha J.L. and Chatteraj (2004), A New approach to Economic Geography, A Study of Resources, The World Press Pvt. Ltd. Calcutta.
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III. CORE COURSE [CCGEO303]: (Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks;80<Attd.<85, 3 marks;85<Attd.<90, 4 marks;90<Attd, 5 marks).

GEOGRAPHY OF JHARKHAND

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial:15 Hours

Unit 1:

Physical: Areal differentiation and characterization of land units based on rock type, topography, drainage, climate, vegetation and soil.

Unit 2:

Agriculture, areal pattern differentiation of different crops, crop intensity (irrigated and un irrigated), yield of crops and agricultural productivity of the land, impact of physical, economic and institutional factors (size of land holding, land tenure, agricultural practices etc.)

Unit 3:

Location of economic activities, types of industries (Large, medium and small), relationship of the resource based and footloose industries, industrial regions, minerals and power resources.

Unit 4:

Population: Demographic and socio-economic characteristics and locations of infrastructure facilities and amenities, Demographic and socio-economic conditions of tribes – Oraon, Munda and Santhal, Settlement hierarchy and pattern, Urbanization, Tourism.

References:

- Ahmad, E: Bihar: A Physical, Economic and Regional Geography, Ranchi University, Ranchi, 1965.
 - Tiwari, R.K.: Jharkhand Ka Bhoogol, Rajesh Publication, New Delhi.
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CORE COURSE PRACTICAL [CPGEO304]: (Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE:30 Written Exam) + 70 (ESE:50 Report + 20 Viva)=100

Pass Marks =45

Instruction to Question Setter:

End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):

1. Physical Survey report will have to be submitted to the H.O.D. ten days before examination and it will be placed before the external examiners who will ask questions related to the concerned report.
2. Marking will be made on the basis of Written Exam (30 Marks), the report presentation (50 Marks) and viva (20 Marks).

PRACTICAL-III

PHYSICAL SURVEY (PRACTICAL)

Objective:

The main objective of the field work (Physical Survey) is to conduct an extensive survey of a contiguous wider region of India and identify salient landforms, their genesis and their impact on human life, flora and fauna. It is an extensive field study outside the class room and the University provides the requisite fund for conducting the survey.

Unit 1:

Trace the prominent features of the area to be surveyed. Identify the salient landform features of the selected area on a topographical sheet.

Unit 2:

Identify the landforms on the surface, while in the field. Also note the agents of erosion, transportation and deposition associated with the landforms.

Unit 3:

Identify and classify the biodiversity in the area (Flora and Fauna).

Unit 4:

Observe the relationship of various landforms, flora and fauna with land use, settlement, structure and life style of the people.

Note:

Based on observations of the above characteristics, prepare a field survey report. The report need to be supplemented with maps, sketches, diagrams and photographs etc.

The practical exercises should aim at identification of micro-geomorphic features on the ground and their relationship to land use/settlement pattern. This is also a training in Report Writing.



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SEMESTER IV

4 Papers

Total 100 x 4 = 400 Marks

I. GENERIC/DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE [ECGEO401A]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. **"Better of Two"** shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

A. **HYDROLOGY AND WATER RESOURCES**

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Definition and scope of hydrology, importance of water, hydrological cycle, water storages – glaciers, river channels, lakes and reservoirs, soil moisture, ground water,

Unit 2:

Surface water: sources and factors affecting quality and quantity; precipitation: forms and factors; interception: factors; runoff: sources and factors affecting runoff; evaporation: measurement and factors; evapotranspiration: control and factors.

Unit 3:

Ground water: characteristics of stream flow, darcy's law, permeability, infiltration, ground water storage, ground water aquifers in different rock systems, movement and discharge.

Unit 4:

Environmental influences on water resources; sectoral demands for water; urban water supply; water management; water harvesting; water pollution and control.

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(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

B. REGIONAL PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Concept of Region: Types, hierarchy and characteristics of regions, Delineation methods of regions – Formal, Functional and Nodal. Geography and regional planning. Concept and scope of Regional Planning. Regional Approaches. Principles, methods, techniques of regional planning, need for planning.

Unit 2:

Conceptual and theoretical frame work of regional planning: Growth pole and growth foci. Planning Processes: Sectoral, Multilevel, decentralized planning. Integrated Area Development Planning (IADP). Planning for tribal and hill areas, drought prone areas, command areas and watershed. Planning for metropolitan region: CDP, satellite towns, urban green belt.

Unit 3:

Concept of Development, Indicators of development. Regional imbalance. Regional development strategies. Problems and issues in regional planning. Sustainable development of regions. Regionalization of India: Based on natural, economic and administration (macro and meso levels only).

Unit 4:

Theories of regional development: Central Place Theory, Diffusion theory (Hegervand's). The role of locational theories in regional planning process. An evaluation of regional disparities / imbalances – backward regions of India. Identification of backward areas, Planning backward area. Harnessing the information through GIS, Remote Sensing, GPS for regional planning and development.

References:

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Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

There will be **two** groups of questions in written examinations of 20 marks. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain five questions of **very short answer type** consisting of 1 mark each. **Group B will contain descriptive type five** questions of five marks each, out of which any three are to be answered.

End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

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(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd., 5 marks).

C. ENVIRONMENTAL GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Nature and Interdisciplinary Aspect of Environmental Geography. Ecological Approaches. Definition and Meaning of environment. Habitat. Ecological Niche. Bio-sphere and Biodiversity.

Unit 2:

Ecosystem: Structure and Functioning of Ecosystem, Pond as a Ecosystem, Food Chains, Food Webs, Food Pyramid. Biomes – Equatorial to Tundra i.e 11 types. Man and Environmental Relationships. Resource Use and Ecological Imbalance with reference to Soil, Forests and Energy Resources. Man Made Ecosystem - Urban, Ecotourism, National Parks and Sanctuaries. Depletion of Ozone, Green House Effect and Acid Rain.

Unit 3:

Man Induced Changes in Environment: Environmental Pollution, i.e. Air, Water, Noise, Solid Waste with special reference to India. Environmental Hazards, i.e. earth as Warehouses, Flood, Famines, Land Slides, Avalanches, Forest Fires, Impact of Green revolution and Extinction of Species.

Unit 4:

Principles of Environmental Management- Environmental Policy of India, (post 2000AD). Environment Impact Assessment (EIA). Global Summits and Agencies of Environment Conservation.

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Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100 Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

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End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations

The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

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A. SOIL GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Nature, scope and significance of Soil Geography; its relationship with Pedology, Soil forming factors: parent material, organic, climatic, topographic, Spatio-temporal dimensions, Processes of soil formation and soil development: Physical, Biotic and Chemical. Soil profile.

Unit 2:

Soil organism, macro-animals (earthworms, sowbugs, mites, centipedes, rodents and insects), Micro-animals and plants-Nematodes, Protozoa, Rotifers, Fungi, Bacteria, algae and Actinomycetes.

Unit 3:

Physical properties of soils: Morphology, Texture, Structure, Water, Air, Temperature and other properties of soil, Chemical properties of soil and soil reaction, Soil erosion, Degradation and Conservation

Unit 4:

Evaluation of land and soil: Parametric and non-parametric systems, Land capability classification, Soil reclamation and management: soil survey and landforms in environmental management, Sustainable development of soil resources with reference to India.

References:

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Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

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End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

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The Mid Semester Examination shall have three components. (a) Two Semester Internal Assessment Test (SIA) of 20 Marks each, (b) Class Attendance Score (CAS) of 5 marks and (c) Class Performance Score (CPS) of 5 marks. "**Better of Two**" shall be applicable for computation of marks for SIA.

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B. URBAN GEOGRAPHY

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Nature and scope of Urban Geography-Definition of Urban Settlements (Towns, Cities and Metro etc.), Attributes of urban places during ancient, medieval and modern period, Classification of urban settlements on the basis of size and function, Urban growth and theories, Central Place theory of Christaller and Losch, Contribution of Indian scholars to the studies of urban settlements.

Unit 2:

Urban Population Density and Land Value Curves- Urban Land Use – Vertical and Horizontal Growth of Cities, Concentric, Zonal and Multiple Nuclei Theories of Urban Structure.

Unit 3:

Urban Functions- Basic and Non-Basic- Urban Hierarchy- Rank-Size Rule – Central Place Theory – Functional Classification of Towns by C.D. Harris and H.J. Nelson. Urban Issues & Challenges: Water supply, traffic congestion, solid waste, smog, sewage and drainage system.

Unit 4:

Concept of City, Region and Urban Hinterland – Urban Sprawl- Urban Slums – Urban Crimes and their Trends with reference to India- Concept and Issues of Peri-Urbanization. Elements of Urban Planning – Urban Renewal – Policies of Urban Development in India – Master Plans of Ranchi City.

References:

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[ECGEO402C]:

(Credits: Theory-04, Tutorial-01)

Marks: 30 (MSE: 20Th. 1Hr + 5Attd. + 5Assign.) + 70 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks (MSE:17 + ESE:28)=45

Instruction to Question Setter:

Mid Semester Examination (MSE):

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End Semester Examination (ESE):

There will be **two** groups of questions. **Group A is compulsory** and will contain two questions. **Question No.1 will be very short answer type** consisting of five questions of 1 mark each. **Question No.2 will be short answer type** of 5 marks. **Group B will contain descriptive type six** questions of fifteen marks each, out of which any four are to be answered.

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(Attendance Upto75%, 1mark; 75<Attd.<80, 2 marks;80<Attd.<85, 3 marks;85<Attd.<90, 4 marks;90<Attd, 5 marks).

C. REMOTE SENSING & GIS/GPS

Theory: 60 Hours; Tutorial: 15 Hours

Unit 1:

Stages in remote sensing data acquisition; physics of remote sensing; electro magnetic spectrum (ems); emr and its interaction with atmosphere and earth surface features.

Unit 2:

Remote sensing - platforms: types and their orbital characteristics; sensors types: active and passive; sensors systems: whiskbroom and push broom; satellite series: irs, spot, ikonos and quick bird.

Unit 3:

Digital image processing: digital data formats; image restoration: geometric radiometric corrections and filtering. Image enhancement: linear and non linear contrast stretch; band combinations; image classifications: supervised and unsupervised.

Unit 4:

Geographic information system and global positioning system:

Components of GIS; Data Structures; Data Base Management System (DBMS); Data Models; spatial data analysis and applications; Fundamentals of GPS; Segments of GPS; GPS Applications.

References:

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III. GE/DC PRACTICAL [EPGEO403A]: (Credits: Practical-05)

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| Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100 | Pass Marks =45 |
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Instruction to Question Setter:

End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Up to 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

A. SOIL GEOGRAPHY & HYDROLOGY PRACTICAL

Practical: 60Hrs

Unit 1:

Land capability, Agricultural Efficiency, Cropping Intensity. Crop Combination.

Unit 2:

Study of Soil P_H Value, Nitrogen Content, Phosphorous and Construction of Soil Profiles.

Unit 3:

Stream Ordering, Drainage Density, Drainage Texture, Thalweg, Channel Profiles, Hypsometric Curve, Area-height Diagram.

Unit: 4

Water Budget, Rainfall Dispersion Diagram, Ergo graph, Climatograph.



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Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5 Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100

Pass Marks =45

Instruction to Question Setter:

End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

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B. URBAN GEOG. & REG. PLANNING PRACTICAL

Practical: 60Hrs

Unit 1:

Spherical Diagram, Isopleth, Volumetric or Sten de Geer's method, Traffic Flow Diagram.

Unit 2:

Distribution Maps: Uninhabited village in Jharkhand, Industrial Concentration Map, Regional Pattern of Urbanisation, Regional Pattern of Agricultural Labourers in Jharkhand.

Unit:3

Delimitation of Planning Regions, Proposing Growth Foci.

Unit 4:

Planning of Satellite Town, Planning of Garden Town, Planning Resource Association Regions.



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GE/DC PRACTICAL [EPGEO403C]:

(Credits: Practical-05)

Marks: 30 (ESE: 20 Viva + 5 Attd. + 5 Record) + 70 (ESE Pr: 6Hrs)=100

Pass Marks =45

Instruction to Question Setter:

End Semester Practical Examination (ESE Pr):

The questions in practical examination will be of equal to 70 marks and will be so framed that the students are able to answer them within the stipulated time. 20 marks will be awarded on the performance in viva voce whereas 10 marks will be awarded on cumulative assessment which is further subdivided as 5 marks for Practical record and 5 marks for Attendance.

Note:

(Attendance Upto 75%, 1 mark; 75 < Attd. < 80, 2 marks; 80 < Attd. < 85, 3 marks; 85 < Attd. < 90, 4 marks; 90 < Attd, 5 marks).

C. REMOTE SENSING & GIS/GPS PRACTICAL

Practical: 60Hrs

Unit 1:

Image analysis: Principles of visual image interpretation, recognition elements and interpretation keys for visual interpretation (Shape, size, colour, tone, texture, association), Interpretation of Satellite Image (Landsat, LISS III, LISS IV, Cartosat etc.)

Unit 2:

Photographs Identification of Spatial Data: point, line and Polygon Features, Representation of Spatial Features: Raster and Vector Data Model, Data Structure, Overlay analysis, Change Analysis and Buffer Analysis.

Unit 3:

Introduction GIS Software, Geo-referencing and Projection Spatial data entry, editing, query building and executing, Topology creation and linking spatial and non spatial data, Spatial data visualization and output Map Generation.

Unit 4:

Introduction to GPS, Finding latitude, longitude and altitude, Tracking in GPS, Routing in GPS.

References:

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CORE COURSE (PROJECT) [PRGEO404]:

(Credits: 05)

Marks: 100 (ESE: 3Hrs)=100

Pass Marks =45

Guidelines to Examiners for

End Semester Examination (ESE):

Overall project dissertation may be evaluated under the following heads:

- Motivation for the choice of topic
- Project dissertation design
- Methodology and Content depth
- Results and Discussion
- Future Scope & References
- Participation in Internship programme with reputed organization
- Application of Research technique in Data collection
- Report Presentation
- Presentation style
- Viva-voce

DISSERTATION

Each student has to submit two copies of the dissertation work duly forwarded by the HOD of Department concerned. The forwarded copies will be submitted in the Department of Geography.

The paper will consist of

- (a) Field work/Lab work related to the project.
- (b) Preparation of dissertation based on the work undertaken.
- (c) Presentation of project work in the seminar on the assigned topic in Department of Geography.

Topics

Different topics will be allotted to each student under a supervisor (Faculty member of the Department).

NB:- Students will select topics for the project work in consultation with a teacher of the department.



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DISTRIBUTION OF CREDITS FOR P.G. PROGRAMME (SEMESTER-WISE) FOR POSTGRADUATE 'P.G.Voc./M.Sc./M.A./M.Com' PROGRAMME

Table B-1: Semester wise distribution of 80 Credits for Subjects with Practical Papers.

| Semester | CC | FC | GE/DC | AE | Total credits |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|
| Semester I | 15 | 05 | | | 20 |
| Semester II | 20 | | | | 20 |
| Semester III | 15 | | | 05 | 20 |
| Semester IV | 5 | | 15 | | 20 |
| | 55 | 05 | 15 | 05 | 80 |

Table B-1: Semester wise distribution of 80 Credits for Subjects without Practical Papers.

| Semester | CC | FC | GE/DC | AE | Total credits |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|
| Semester I | 15 | 05 | | | 20 |
| Semester II | 20 | | | | 20 |
| Semester III | 15 | | | 05 | 20 |
| Semester IV | 10 | | 10 | | 20 |
| | 60 | 05 | 10 | 05 | 80 |

CC=Core Course; FC=Foundation Compulsory/Elective Course; GE=Generic Elective; SE=Skill Enhancement Course;
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SAMPLE CALCULATION FOR SGPA & CGPA FOR POSTGRADUATE 'P.G.Voc./M.Sc./M.A./M.Com' PROGRAMME

Table B-2: Sample calculation for SGPA for M.Sc./M.A./M.Com Programme

| Course | Credit | Grade Letter | Grade Point | Credit Point (Credit X Grade) | SGPA (Credit Point/Credit) |
|---------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Semester I | | | | | |
| FC | 05 | A | 8 | 40 | |
| C-1 | 05 | B+ | 7 | 35 | |
| C-2 | 05 | B | 6 | 30 | |
| C-3/CP | 05 | B | 6 | 30 | |
| Total | 20 | | | 135 | 6.60 (135/20) |
| Semester II | | | | | |
| C-4 | 05 | B | 6 | 30 | |
| C-5 | 05 | C | 5 | 25 | |
| C-6 | 05 | B+ | 7 | 35 | |
| C-7/CP | 05 | A+ | 9 | 45 | |
| Total | 20 | | | 135 | 6.60 (135/20) |
| Semester III | | | | | |
| EC-1 | 05 | A+ | 9 | 45 | |
| C-8 | 05 | O | 10 | 50 | |
| C-9 | 05 | A | 8 | 40 | |
| C-10/CP | 05 | A | 8 | 40 | |
| Total | 20 | | | 175 | 8.75 (175/20) |
| Semester IV | | | | | |
| EC-2/EC-2 | 05 | B | 6 | 30 | |
| EC-3/EC-3 | 05 | A+ | 9 | 45 | |
| C11/EP | 05 | B | 6 | 30 | |
| Project | 05 | A+ | 9 | 45 | |
| Total | 20 | | | 150 | 7.50 (150/20) |
| CGPA | | | | | |
| Grand Total | 80 | | | 595 | 7.44 (595/80) |



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Table B-3: Sample calculation for CGPA for P.G. Vocational M.Sc./M.A./M.Com Programme

| Semester I | Semester II | Semester III | Semester IV |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Credit:20; SGPA:6.60 | Credit:20; SGPA: 6.60 | Credit:20; SGPA: 8.75 | Credit:20; SGPA: 7.50 |

Thus CGPA= (20x6.60+20x6.60+20x8.75+20x7.50) /80=7.36

DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS FOR EXAMINATIONS AND FORMAT OF QUESTION PAPERS

Distribution of Marks for Mid Semester Evaluation:

Table No. 15: Distribution of marks of Theory Examinations of Mid Semester

| Topic | Code | Full Marks | Pass Marks | Time | Group-A (Very short answer type Compulsory Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M. | Group-B (Descriptive Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M. | Total No. of Questions to Set | |
|-------------|------|----------------------|------------|------|---|---|----------------------------------|------------|
| | | | | | | | Group A | Group B |
| Mid Sem* | T30* | 30 (20 +5 +5) | 17 | 1 Hr | 5 x1 =5 | 3 (out of 5) x5 =15 | 05 | 5 |

***There shall be 20 marks theory examination for mid sem, 05 marks for attendance/ regular interactions& 05 marks for seminar/ assignment/term paper given by faculty concerned in classrooms.**

Distribution of Marks for End Semester Theory Examinations:

Table No. 16: Marks distribution of Theory Examinations of End Semester

| Topic | Code | Full Marks | Pass Marks | Time | Group-A [#] (Very short answer type Compulsory Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M. | Group-B (Descriptive Questions) No. of Questions x Marks = F.M. | Total No. of Questions to Set | |
|------------|------|------------|------------|-------|--|---|----------------------------------|------------|
| | | | | | | | Group A [#] | Group B |
| End Sem | T50 | 50 | -- | 3 Hrs | 2 x5 =10 | 2 (out of 3) x20 =40 | 2 | 3 |
| | T70 | 70 | 28 | 3 Hrs | Q.No.1 (5x1) + 1x5 =10 | 4 (out of 6) x15 =60 | 2 | 6 |

Question No.1 in Group-A carries very short answer type questions of 1 Mark

Note : There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory Examinations.



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FORMAT OF QUESTION PAPER FOR MID SEM EXAMINATION 20 MARKS



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Mid Sem No.

Exam Year

Subject/ Code

F.M. =20

Time=1Hr.

General Instructions:

समान्य निर्देश :

- i. **Group A** carries very short answer type compulsory questions.
(खंड 'A' में अत्यंत लघु उत्तरीय अनिवार्य प्रश्न हैं।)
- ii. **Answer 3 out of 5** subjective/ descriptive questions given in **Group B**.
(खंड 'B' के पाँच में से किन्हीं तीन विषयों पर वर्णनात्मक प्रश्नों के उत्तर दें।)
- iii. Answer in your own words as far as practicable.
(यथासंभव अपने भावों में उत्तर दें।)
- iv. Answer all sub parts of a question at one place.
(एक प्रश्न के सभी भागों के उत्तर एक साथ लिखें।)
- v. Numbers in right indicate full marks of the question.
(पूर्णांक दायीं ओर लिखे गये हैं।)

Group A

1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

[5x1=5]

Group B

6.
7.
8.
9.
10.

[5]
[5]
[5]
[5]
[5]



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FORMAT OF QUESTION PAPER FOR END SEM EXAMINATION 70 MARKS



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End Sem No.

Exam Year

Subject/ Code

F.M. =70

P.M. =28

Time=3Hrs.

General Instructions:

- Group A** carries very short answer type **compulsory** questions.
- Answer 4 out of 6** subjective/ descriptive questions given in **Group B**.
(खंड 'B' के छः में से किन्हीं चार विषयों के वर्णनात्मक प्रश्नों के उत्तर दें।)
- Answer in your own words as far as practicable.
(यथासंभव अपने भावों में उत्तर दें।)
- Answer all sub parts of a question at one place.
(एक प्रश्न के सभी भागों के उत्तर एक साथ लिखें।)
- Numbers in right indicate full marks of the question.
(पूर्णांक दायीं ओर लिखे गये हैं।)

Group A

- [5x1=5]
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 -
 -
 -
 -
- [5]

Group B

- [15]
- [15]
- [15]
- [15]
- [15]
- [15]
- [15]
- [15]

Note: There may be subdivisions in each question asked in Theory