

2018

GEOGRAPHY

( Major )

Paper : 5.1

**( Concept of Regional Development Planning  
and Geography of Development of the  
USA and Japan )**

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions as directed :

1×7=7

(a) Mention a common development indicator.

(b) The USA produces the world's total manufactured goods, which is nearly 50% / 30% / 60% / 40%.

( Choose the correct option )

(c) Elongated island of Japan is Kyushu / Hokkaido / Sikoku / Honshu.

( Choose the correct option )

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- (d) Name an important iron and steel centre of Japan.
- (e) What is tertiary sector?
- (f) Major automobile industries of the USA are located in Northern Appalachian / New England State/ Detroit / Chicago.  
( Choose the correct option )
- (g) What is ad hoc region?

2. Give very short answers to the following questions :  $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) What are the main natural resources of Hokkaido island?
- (b) Name four metropolitan centres of the USA.
- (c) What do you mean by extensive type of agriculture?
- (d) What is functional region?

3. Answer any *three* of the following questions :  $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) Explain in brief the human resource-based development of the USA. 5
- (b) Drawing a sketch, divide the agricultural belts of the USA. Discuss any one of them in brief.  $3 + 2 = 5$

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- (c) With the help of a sketch, give reasons why major industries are located in Great Lake region. 5
- (d) Giving suitable example, mention the approaches of regional development planning. 5
- (e) Drawing a sketch, write a note on industrial cooperation among four major islands of Japan. 5

4. Define sectoral development. Describe the sectoral development pattern of the USA with examples.  $2 + 8 = 10$

Or

What are the problem regions in Japan? Discuss the strategies for management of such regions.  $3 + 7 = 10$

5. What is regional development? Describe the agricultural development patterns of Japan.  $2 + 8 = 10$

Or

Make a comparative appraisal of the automobile and shipbuilding industries of the USA and Japan. 10

6. Differentiate between the development policies of Japan and the USA, and highlight their results. 8+2=10

Or

Describe the locational factors of iron and steel industries in Japan with necessary illustrations. 10

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