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ALL INDIA SENIOR SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION, 2017

Marking Scheme – Geography (Theory) [Foreign] Q.P. CODE 64/2/1

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MARKING SCHEME GEOGRAPHY- 029 (FOREIGN) 64/2/1

Q.NO	EXPECTED ANSWER/ VALUE POINTS	PG.NO.	MARKS
1	Age structure represents the number of people of different age groups.	18	
		TB-1	1
2	Tourism is travel undertaken for purposes of recreation rather than business.	60	
		TB-1	1
3	Sugarcane is cultivated in sub-humid and humid climates of tropical areas.	51	
		TB-2	1
4	The people of a country are considered its real wealth because they make use of	8	
	country's resources and decide its policies. Thus, a country is known by its people.	TB-1	1
5	The navigability of inland waterways depends on the width by stabilizing the river		
	banks and increasing depth by regular dredging. Building dams and barrages also	75,76	
	regulates the flow of water.	TB-1	1
6	The two sectors of Indian cotton textile industry:		
	(i) Organised Sector	93	
	(ii) Unorganised Sector	TB-2	1/2+ 1/2=1
7	The downward trend of CBR has been possible due to:		
	(i) Increase in the mean age at marriage		
	(ii) Improved quality of life		
	(ii) Education of females	7	
	Any one point to be mentioned	TB-2	1
8	(8.1) Rural settlements patterns:		
	(A) Linear Pattern		
	(B) Circular Pattern (½+		
	½=1)		
	(8.2) Features:		
	Linear Pattern: Houses are located along the road/railway line/river/ river/ canal/	93,94	
	edge of a valley/ along a levee.	TB-1	1+2=3
	Circular Pattern: Circular villages develop along lakes/ tanks/ around an open area		
	which is used for keeping animals to protect them from wild animals. (1+1=2)		
	FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES:		
	Major problems of rural settlements in developing countries:		
	(i) Supply of water is inadequate		
	(ii) Water borne diseases such as Cholera and Jaundice are common		
	(iii) Problem of toilets and garbage disposal causes health problems		
	(iv) Frequent droughts and floods		

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	(v)Houses made of mud, wood and thatch remain susceptible to damage due to		
	heavy		
	rains and floods		
	(vi) Unmetalled roads	95	
	(vii) Lack of modern network of communication	TB-1	3X1=3
	(viii) Any other relevant point		
	Any three points to be explained		
9	Twoobjectivesof drought prone areaprogramme: (½+ ½=1)		
	(i)To provide employment to the people in drought prone areas		
	(ii) To create productive assets		
	Implementation:		
	(i)This programme laid emphasis on the construction of labour intensive civil works.		
	(ii) It emphasized on irrigation projects/ land development programmes/		
	afforestation/		
	grassland development.		
	(iii)Creation of basic infrastructure such as electricity/ roads/ markets/ credit/ services.	105 TB- 2	1+2=3
	(iv)Adoption of integrated watershed developmentapproach at micro level.	.5 -	1.2 3
	(v)Restoration of ecological balance		
	(vi)Any other relevant point. (½X4=2)		
	> Any four points to be explained		
10	(10.1) Rourkela in Odisha ($\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$)		
10	(10.2) (i) Koel, (ii) Brahamani/ Sankh($\frac{1}{2}$ + $\frac{1}{2}$ =1)	89,90	
	(10.3) The Hirakud project supplies electricity(1)	TB- 2	3X1=3
	(2010)		0712
	FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES:		
	Major factors responsible for the development of Bhilai Steel Plant:		
	(i)Proximity to raw material		
	(ii)Coal comes from Korba and kargali		
	(iii)Water comes from Tendula dam		
	(iv)Power is supplied from Korba Thermal Power Station		
	(v)It lies on the Kolkata-Mumbai railway route		
	(vi)Bulk of steel produced is fed to Hindustan Shipyard at Vishakhapatnam	90	
	(vii) Any other relevant point	TB- 2	3X1=3
	> Any three points to be explained		
11	Approach to development without damaging the environment:		
	(i)Human beings were able to develop technology after they developed better		
	understanding of natural laws.		
	(ii)Obeying nature is extremely important to develop technology and technology		
	loosens the shackles of environment on human beings.		
	(iii)Man has to respond to the red signals and proceed to develop when nature		
	permits		
	Modifications.		
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	(iv)The free run/ reckless approachbadly affects the environment.		
	(vi)It has resulted in greenhouse effect/ depletion of ozone layer depletion/ global		
	warming/ receding glaciers/ degrading lands.	2,4	
	(vii)Any other relevant point	TB- 1	3X1=3
	Any three points to be analysed		
12	The examples where security and scarcity of water plays an important role for		
	the development of clustered settlements:		
	(i)In Bundelkhand Region of Central India. People prefer to live in compact rural		
	Settlements due to security reasons.		
	(ii)Compact rural settlements are also found in Nagaland due to security reasons.		
	(iii)In Rajasthan, scarcity of water has necessitated compact settlement for		
	maximum	33	1½ +
	Utilization of available water resources.	TB- 2	1½ =3
	(iv)Any other relevant example		
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13	The values that can help minimise the urban waste disposal in Metropolitan cities:		
	(i)Sense of awareness		
	(ii)Educating people		
	(iii)Cleanliness		
	(iv)collaboration		
	(v)Commitment		
	(vi)Cooperation		
	(vii)Regularity		
	(viii)responsibility		
	(ix)Any other relevant point		
	Any three points to be explained	138,	
	 Since it is a value based question, candidates' view may be given due 	139	
	consideration.	TB- 2	3X1=3
14	Extensive Commercial Grain Cultivation is practiced in the interior parts of semi-	15 2	3/1 3
	arid lands of mid-latitudes.		
	(1)		
	Features:		
	(i) The size of farm is very large.		
	(ii)Entire operations of cultivation from ploughing to harvesting is mechanized.		
	(iii)There is low yield per acre but high yield per person.		
	(iv)Wheat is the principal crop. Corn, oats, barley and rye are also grown.	37	
	(v)Any other relevant point.	TB- 1	1+4=5
	(4X1=4)	10 1	114-3
	> Any four points to be described		
15	Principal mode of transport are land, water and air. They are all complementary to		
10	oneanother:		
	(i)All modes of transport are used for inter regional and intra regional movement		
	of		
	goods and passengers.		
	(ii)International movement of goods is mainly handled by ocean freighters and is		

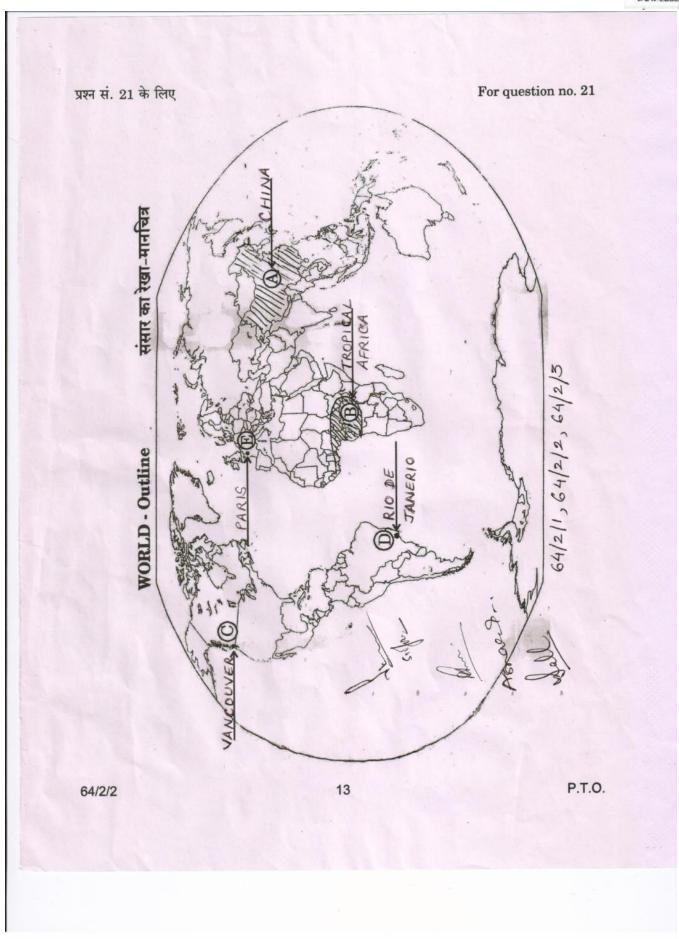
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	carried forward to the market/ place of destinationby roadways or railways.		
	(iii)Light weight/ delicate goods are transported through airways which takes		
	lesser		
	time as compared to the other modes of transport. Then roadways provides the		
	doorto door facility to deliver the product to its destination.		
	(iv)Waterways carry heavy/ bulky goods to their destinations only with the help of		
	the	65,66	
	land transport.	TB- 1	5X1=5
	(v)Mainly land transport acts as a feeder to the airways and the waterways.		
	(vi)Any other relevant point		
	> Any five points to be explained		
16	Main worker is a person who works for at least 183 days in a year, on the other		
	hand, a marginal worker works for less than 183 days in a year.		
	Occupational Categories:		
	(i)Cultivators: The people who possess the agricultural land and are engaged with cultivation activity.		
	(ii)Agricultural Labourers: People who are engaged with farm based activities/		
	cultivation to earn the wages.		
	(iii)Household Industrial Workers: People engaged with cottage industries,		
	generally		
	as house entity.	11	
	(iv)Other Workers: Workers in Non household industries/ trade/ commerce/	TB- 2	1+4=5
	constructionrepair and other services.	15 2	1.4 3
17	Push factors make the place of origin less attractive and compel the people to		
	migrate:		
	(i)Unemployment		
	(ii)Poor living conditions		
	(iii)Political turmoil		
	(iv)Unpleasant climate		
	(v)Frequent occurrence of natural disasters		
	(vi)Continual hitting of Epidemics		
	(vii)Socio-economic backwardness	11	
	(viii)Any other relevant point	TB- 1	5X1=5
	Explain any five factors with examples		
18	India's International Trade has undergone a sea change:		
	(i)The share of agriculture and allied products has declined whereas, share of		
	petroleum		
	and crude products has increased.		
	(ii)There is a decline in the export of traditional items such as tea, spices, coffee		
	etc.		
	Surge has been registered in floricultural products.		
	(iii)Textile sector could not compete with the export of the engineering goods.		
	(iv)Foodgrain import was discontinued due to success of green revolution.		
	(v)Import of fertilizers continued due to high demand in India.	125-	
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	(vi)Import of machines and equipment, special steel, edible oil and chemicals	127	
	continued	TB- 2	5X1=5
	to be high.	15 2	JAI J
	(vii) Any other relevant point		
	> Any five points to be explained		
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19	Classification of mining:(½+ ½ =1)		
	(i)Surface Mining		
	(ii)Underground Mining		
	Differences:		
	(i) Surface mining is known as open cast mining whereas, underground mining is		
	known as shaft method.		
	(ii)Surface mining is the cheapest way of mining, contrary to the underground		
	which is		
	expensive.		
	(iii)The former occurs close to the surface whereas, in the latter method vertical		
	shafts		
	Have to be sunk, from where underground galleries radiate to reach the		
	minerals.		
	(iv)Overhead cost for equipment is relatively low in open cast, but for		
	underground	42	
	mining the equipment such as lifts, drills etc. used are expensive.	TB- 1	1+4=5
	(v)Open cast mining is less risky than the underground mining as it has more		
	possibility		
	of people becoming victim of poisonous gases, fire, floods etc.		
	(vi)Any other relevant point		
	> Any four points of difference to be explained		
	(4X1=4)		
20	Need of the conservation and management of water resource in India:		
	(i)The demand for the fresh water is increasing due to ever growing population,		
	but the		
	availability of fresh water has declined.		
	(ii)The over-use of ground water resources has led to decline in ground water		
	table in		
	some states like Rajasthan and Maharashtra.		
	(iii)The high yield variety of crops require more irrigation.		
	(iv)Water availability from sea/ocean, due to high cost of desalinization is		
	considered	64,65	
	neglible.	TB- 2	5X1=5
	(v)The available water is getting polluted due to domestic, agricultural and		
	industrial		
	Effluents.		
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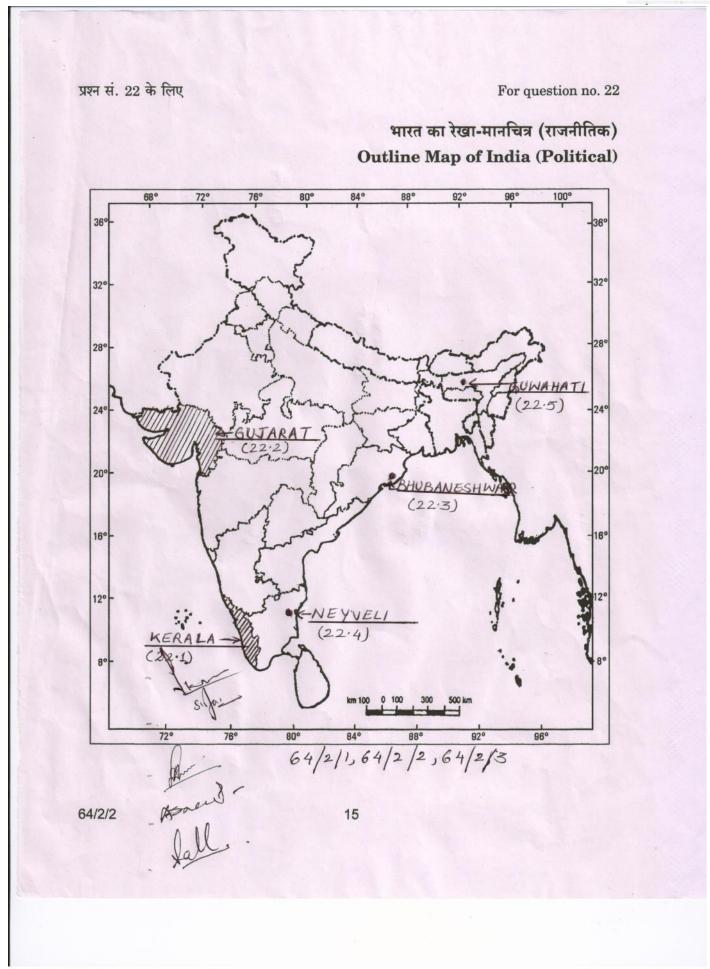


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	Any five points to be mentioned	-	
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21	See the filled attached map for the answers		
	For thevisually impaired candidates:		
	(21.1) China		
	(21.2) High latitude zones of Northern Canada/ Northern Eurasia/ Southern Chile. Low		
	latitude		
	Zones such as Amazon basin/ Tropical Africa/ Northern fringe of Australia/ Interior		
	part		
	Of South East Asia.	ţ	5x1=5
	(21.3) Vancouver		
	(21.4) Cape town/ Durban/ Mombassa/ Suez/ any other (21.5) Perth/ Sydney/ Darwin/ any other		
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	For thevisually impaired candidates:		
	(22.1) Kerala		
	(22.2) Gujarat		
	(22.3) Bhubaneshwar		
	(22.4) Neyveli	ļ	5x1=5
	(22.5) Guwahati		











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2	The navigability of inland waterways depends on the width by stabilizing the river banks		
	and increasing depth by regular dredging. Building dams and barrages also regulates the	75,76	
	flow of water.	TB-1	1
3	The two sectors of Indian cotton textile industry:		
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	(ii) Unorganised Sector	TB-2	1/2+1/2=1
4	Crude birth rate is expressed as number of live births in a year per thousand of population. CBR= (Bi/P)x1000	11 TB 1	1
5	Tourism is travel undertaken for purposes of recreation rather than business.	60	
		TB- 1	1
6	Sugarcane is cultivated in sub-humid and humid climates of tropical areas.	51 TB-2	1
7	Male selective out-migration in rural areas puts extra pressure on women physically as well as		
	mentally. Migration of women for education or employment enhances their autonomy and role in economy. But it also increases their vulnerability.	21 TB2	1
8	Approach to development without damaging the environment:		
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	warming/ receding glaciers/ degrading lands.		
	(vii)Any other relevant point	2,4	274 2
	> Any three points to be analysed	TB- 1	3X1=3
9	Conservation of Minerals: (i) Increased use of alternative resources of energy which are inevhalistible.		
	(i)Increaseduse of alternative resources of energy which are inexhaustible (ii) In case of metallic minerals, use of scrap metals to be encouraged, especially for all those		
	which are deficient in India.		
	(iii) Use of substitutes for scarce metals may also reduce their consumption.		
	(iv) Export of strategic and scarce minerals must be reduced.		
	(v) Any other relevant point.	83 TD 2	2
10	> Any three points to be explained	TB 2	3
10	The examples where security and scarcity of water plays an important role for the development of clustered settlements:		



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	Utilization of available water resources.	33	1½ +
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	which is used for keeping animals to protect them from wild animals. (1+1=2)	10-1	112-3
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	(v)Houses made of mud, wood and thatch remain susceptible to damage due to heavy rains and floods		
	(vi) Unmetalled roads		
	(vii) Lack of modern network of communication		
	(viii) Any other relevant point	95	
	> Any three points to be explained	TB-1	3X1=3
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	(v)Commitment		
	(vi)Cooperation		
	(vii)Regularity		
	(viii)responsibility		
	(ix)Any other relevant point	138,	
	Any three points to be explained	139	
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14	Manufacturing: Manufacturing adds value to natural resources by transforming raw materials into valuable products.		
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	Characteristics of modern large scale manufacturing:		
	(i) Specialization of skills/ technology		
	(ii) Mechanization		
	(iii) Technological innovation		
	(iv) Organizational structure of stratification		
	(v)Uneven distribution	45,46	
	(vi)Any other relevant point	TB 1	1+4=5
	Any four points to be described		
15	Need of the conservation and management of water resource in India:		
	(i)The demand for the fresh water is increasing due to ever growing population, but		
	theavailability of fresh water has declined.		
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	some states like Rajasthan and Maharashtra.		
	(iii)The high yield variety of crops require more irrigation.		
	(iv)Water availability from sea/ ocean, due to high cost of desalinization is considered negligible.		
	(v)The available water is getting polluted due to domestic, agricultural and industrial		
	effluents.	65	
		TB- 2	EV1_E
	(vi)Any other relevant point.	IB-Z	5X1=5
	> Any five points to be mentioned		
16	Migration: Movement of people for the specific purpose from one place to another in the country or to a foreign country. (1)		
	Social consequences:		
	(i) Migrants act as agents of social change		
	(ii) The new ideas related to new technologies, family planning, girls education etc. get		
	diffused from urban to rural areas through them.		
	iii) Migration leads to inter-mixing of people from diverse culture.		
	iv) It has positive as well as negative consequences. (2)		
	Environmental consequences:		
	(i) Over crowding of people due to rural urban migration hasputpressure on existing social		
	and physical infrastructure in the urban areas.		
	(ii) It leads to unplanned growths of urban settlements.		
	(iii) It leads to slums and shanty colonies.		
	(iv) Due to over exploitation of natural resources, cities are facing acute problem of depletion		
	of ground water and pollution.		
	(v) It causes problem of disposal of sewage and management of solid wastes.		
	(vi)Any other relevant point (2)	20,21,	
	Any four (2+2) points to be explained	157	1+4=5

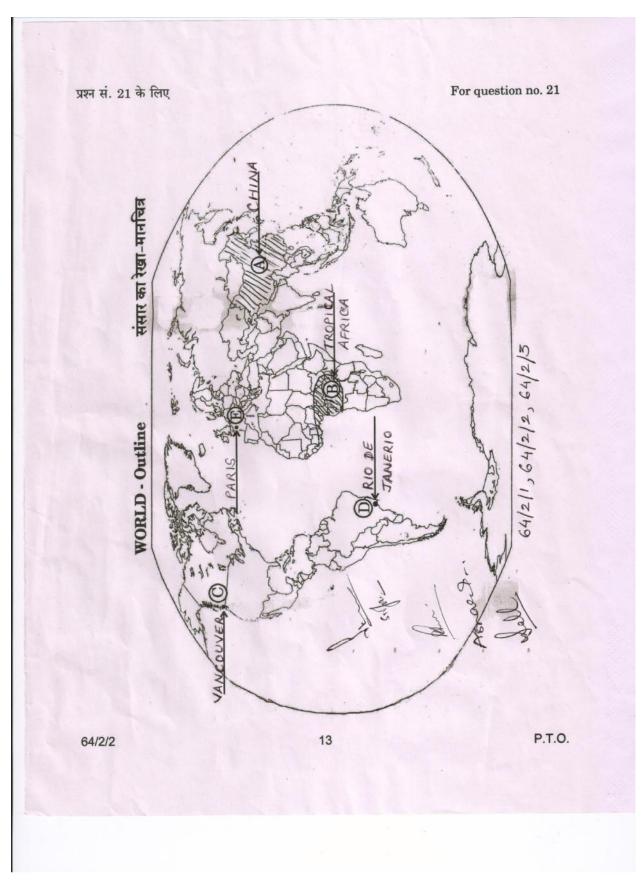


		TB- 2	
17	Pull factors make the place of destination seem more attractive than the place of origin:		
	(i)Better Job opportunities		
	(ii) Better living conditions		
	(iii) Peace		
	(iv) Stability		
	(v) Security of life and property		
	(vi) Pleasant climate		
	(vii) Any other relevant point	11,12	FV1 F
18	 Any five points to be explained. Classification of mining: (½+½=1) 	TB- 1	5X1=5
10	(i)Surface Mining		
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	(ii)Underground Mining		
1	<u>Differences:</u>		
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	as shaft method.		
	(ii)Surface mining is the cheapest way of mining, contrary to the underground which is		
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	Have to be sunk, from where underground galleries radiate to reach the minerals.		
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	mining the equipment such as lifts, drills etc. used are expensive.		
	(v)Open cast mining is less risky than the underground mining as it has more possibility		
	of people becoming victim of poisonous gases, fire, floods etc.		
		42	
	(vi) Any other relevant point ➤ Any four points of difference to be explained (4X1=4)	42 TB- 1	1+4=5
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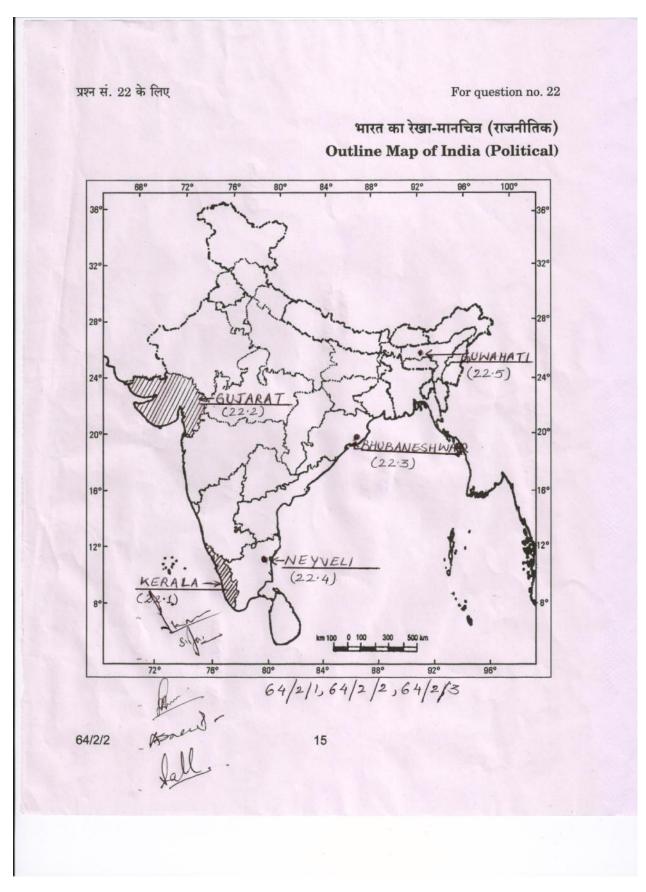


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Marking Scheme – Geography (Theory) [Foreign] Q.P. CODE 64/3/3

General Instructions:

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- **4.** If a question does not have parts, marks for it be awarded on the left hand side and encircled.
- **5.** If a candidate has attempted an extra question, answer of the question deserving more marks should be retained and the other answer scored out.
- **6.** The following Textbooks can be referred to for detailed answers. Page number of the concerned book is given on the right side of the answer of each question.

Textbook I (TB-1) Fundamentals of Human Geography, published by NCERT. Textbook II (TB-2) India: People and Economy, published by NCERT.

7. A full scale of Marks 0-100 has to be used. Please do not hesitate to award full marks if the answer deserves it. Marks should not be deducted for bad handwriting and spelling mistakes.

Specific Instructions:

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- 3. All the Head Examiner/ Examiners are instructed that while evaluating the answer scripts, if the answer is found to be totally incorrect then (x) should be marked on the incorrect answer and awarded '0' marks.



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MARKING SCHEME GEOGRAPHY- 029 (FOREIGN) 64/2/2

Q.NO	EXPECTED ANSWER/ VALUE POINTS	PG.NO.	MARKS
1	The Age-Sex pyramid of a population refers to the no of females and males in different age groups.	18 TB 1	1
2	The navigability of inland waterways depends on the width by stabilizing the river banks		
	and increasing depth by regular dredging. Building dams and barrages also regulates the	75,76	
	flow of water.	TB-1	1
3	The two sectors of Indian cotton textile industry:		
	(i) Organised Sector	93	
	(ii) Unorganised Sector	TB-2	1/2+1/2=1
4	Crude birth rate is expressed as number of live births in a year per thousand of population. CBR= (Bi/P)x1000	11 TB 1	1
5	Tourism is travel undertaken for purposes of recreation rather than business.	60	
		TB- 1	1
6	Sugarcane is cultivated in sub-humid and humid climates of tropical areas.	51 TB-2	1
7	Male selective out-migration in rural areas puts extra pressure on women physically as well as		
	mentally. Migration of women for education or employment enhances their autonomy and role in economy. But it also increases their vulnerability.	21 TB2	1
8	Approach to development without damaging the environment:		
	(i)Human beings were able to develop technology after they developed better understanding of natural laws.		
	(ii)Obeying nature is extremely important to develop technology and technology		
	loosens the shackles of environment on human beings.		
	(iii)Man has to respond to the red signals and proceed to develop when nature permits Modifications.		
	(iv)The free run/ reckless approach badly affects the environment.		
	(vi)It has resulted in greenhouse effect/ depletion of ozone layer/ global		
	warming/ receding glaciers/ degrading lands.		
	(vii)Any other relevant point	2,4	274 2
	> Any three points to be analysed	TB- 1	3X1=3
9	Conservation of Minerals: (i) Increased use of alternative resources of energy which are inevhalistible.		
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	which are deficient in India.		
	(iii) Use of substitutes for scarce metals may also reduce their consumption.		
	(iv) Export of strategic and scarce minerals must be reduced.		
	(v) Any other relevant point.	83 TD 2	2
10	> Any three points to be explained	TB 2	3
10	The examples where security and scarcity of water plays an important role for the development of clustered settlements:		



	(i)In Bundelkhand Region of Central India. People prefer to live in compact rural		
	Settlements due to security reasons.		
	(ii)Compact rural settlements are also found in Nagaland due to security reasons.		
	(iii)In Rajasthan, scarcity of water has necessitated compact settlement for maximum		
	Utilization of available water resources.	33	1½ +
	(iv)Any other relevant example	TB- 2	1½ =3
11	(11.1) Rourkela in Odisha ($\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$)		
	(11.2) (i) Koel, (ii) Brahamani/ Sankh (½ + ½ =1)	89,90	
	(11.3) The Hirakud project supplies electricity (1)	TB- 2	3X1=3
	FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES:		
	Major factors responsible for the development of Bhilai Steel Plant:		
	(i)Proximity to raw material		
	(ii)Coal comes from Korba and kargali		
	(iii)Water comes from Tendula dam		
	(iv)Power is supplied from Korba Thermal Power Station		
	(v)It lies on the Kolkata-Mumbai railway route		
	(vi)Bulk of steel produced is fed to Hindustan Shipyard at Vishakhapatnam	90	
	(vii) Any other relevant point	TB- 2	3X1=3
	> Any three points to be explained		
12	(12.1) Rural settlements patterns:		
	(A) Linear Pattern		
	(B) Circular Pattern (½+½+1)		
	(12.2) Features:		
	Linear Pattern: Houses are located along the road/railway line/river/ river/ canal/ edge		
	of a valley/ along a levee.	93,94	
	Circular Pattern: Circular villages develop along lakes/ tanks/ around an open area	TB-1	1+2=3
	which is used for keeping animals to protect them from wild animals. (1+1=2)	151	1.2 3
	FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES:		
	Major problems of rural settlements in developing countries:		
	(i) Supply of water is inadequate		
	(ii) Water borne diseases such as Cholera and Jaundice are common		
	(iii) Problem of toilets and garbage disposal causes health problems		
	(iv) Frequent droughts and floods		
	(v)Houses made of mud, wood and thatch remain susceptible to damage due to heavy		
	rains and floods		
	(vi) Unmetalled roads		
	(vii) Lack of modern network of communication		
	(viii) Any other relevant point	95	
	> Any three points to be explained	TB-1	3X1=3
13	The values that can help minimise the urban waste disposal in Metropolitan cities:		
13	(i)Sense of awareness		
	(ii)Educating people		
	(iii)Cleanliness		



	(iv)collaboration		
	, , ,		
	(v)Commitment		
	(vi)Cooperation		
	(vii)Regularity		
	(viii)responsibility		
	(ix)Any other relevant point	138,	
	Any three points to be explained	139	
	Since it is a value based question, candidates' view may be given due consideration.	TB- 2	3X1=3
14	Manufacturing: Manufacturing adds value to natural resources by transforming raw materials into valuable products.		
	Characteristics of modern large scale manufacturing:		
	(i) Specialization of skills/ technology		
	(ii) Mechanization		
	(iii) Technological innovation		
	(iv) Organizational structure of stratification		
	(v)Uneven distribution	45,46	
	(vi)Any other relevant point	TB 1	1+4=5
	Any four points to be described		
15	Need of the conservation and management of water resource in India:		
	(i)The demand for the fresh water is increasing due to ever growing population, but		
	theavailability of fresh water has declined.		
	(ii)The over-use of ground water resources has led to decline in ground water table in		
	some states like Rajasthan and Maharashtra.		
	(iii)The high yield variety of crops require more irrigation.		
	(iv)Water availability from sea/ ocean, due to high cost of desalinization is considered negligible.		
	(v)The available water is getting polluted due to domestic, agricultural and industrial		
	effluents.	65	
	(vi)Any other relevant point.	TB- 2	5X1=5
	, , ,	10-2	271-2
	> Any five points to be mentioned		
16	Migration: Movement of people for the specific purpose from one place to another in the country or to a foreign country. (1)		
	Social consequences:		
	(i) Migrants act as agents of social change		
	(ii) The new ideas related to new technologies, family planning, girls education etc. get		
	diffused from urban to rural areas through them.		
	iii) Migration leads to inter-mixing of people from diverse culture.		
	iv) It has positive as well as negative consequences. (2)		
	Environmental consequences:		
	(i) Over crowding of people due to rural urban migration hasputpressure on existing social		
	and physical infrastructure in the urban areas.		
	(ii) It leads to unplanned growths of urban settlements.		
	(iii) It leads to slums and shanty colonies.		
	(iv) Due to over exploitation of natural resources, cities are facing acute problem of depletion		
	of ground water and pollution.		
	(v) It causes problem of disposal of sewage and management of solid wastes.		
	(vi)Any other relevant point (2)	20,21,	
	Any four (2+2) points to be explained	157	1+4=5



		TB- 2	
17	Pull factors make the place of destination seem more attractive than the place of origin:		
	(i)Better Job opportunities		
	(ii) Better living conditions		
	(iii) Peace		
	(iv) Stability		
	(v) Security of life and property		
	(vi) Pleasant climate		
	(vii) Any other relevant point	11,12	FV1 F
18	 Any five points to be explained. Classification of mining: (½+½=1) 	TB- 1	5X1=5
10	(i)Surface Mining		
1			
	(ii)Underground Mining		
1	<u>Differences:</u>		
	(i) Surface mining is known as open cast mining whereas, underground mining is known		
	as shaft method.		
	(ii)Surface mining is the cheapest way of mining, contrary to the underground which is		
	expensive.		
	(iii)The former occurs close to the surface whereas, in the latter method vertical shafts		
	Have to be sunk, from where underground galleries radiate to reach the minerals.		
	(iv)Overhead cost for equipment is relatively low in open cast, but for underground		
	mining the equipment such as lifts, drills etc. used are expensive.		
	(v)Open cast mining is less risky than the underground mining as it has more possibility		
	of people becoming victim of poisonous gases, fire, floods etc.		
		42	
	(vi) Any other relevant point ➤ Any four points of difference to be explained (4X1=4)	42 TB- 1	1+4=5
19	India's International Trade has undergone a sea change:	10 1	114-3
19			
	(i)The share of agriculture and allied products has declined whereas, share of petroleum		
	and crude products has increased.		
	(ii)There is a decline in the export of traditional items such as tea, spices, coffee etc.		
	Surge has been registered in floricultural products.		
	(iii)Textile sector could not compete with the export of the engineering goods.		
	(iv)Foodgrain import was discontinued due to success of green revolution.		
	(v)Import of fertilizers continued due to high demand in India.		
	(vi)Import of machines and equipment, special steel, edible oil and chemicals continued	425	
	to be high.	125-	
	(vii) Any other relevant point	127 TD 2	EV4 E
	> Any five points to be explained	TB- 2	5X1=5
20	Principal mode of transport are land, water and air. They are all complementary to one		
	another:		
	(i)All modes of transport are used for inter regional and intra regional movement of		
	goods and passengers.		
	(ii)International movement of goods is mainly handled by ocean freighters and is		
	carried forward to the market/ place of destination by roadways or railways.		
	(iii)Light weight/ delicate goods are transported through airways which takes lesser		
	time as compared to the other modes of transport. Then roadways provides the		
	door to door facility to deliver the product to its destination.		



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