

OPSC Civil Services Main Exam-2015

Geography

Paper-I

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 300

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidate should attempt Q. No.1 form Section- A and Q. No. 5 form Section-B which are compulsory and three of the remaining questions, selecting at least one from each Section.

Section-A

1. On the outline map of the world given to you, mark the location of any ten of the following. Also write in your answer script the most significant aspect of each of them in not more than 10 words. 60
 - a) Chesapeake Bay
 - b) Lake Superior
 - c) Great Barrier Reef
 - d) Ganges delta
 - e) Suez Canal
 - f) Manhattan
 - g) Prairie
 - h) Mount Etna
 - i) Caspian Sea
 - j) Dakota
 - k) Cape Agulhas
 - l) Greenland
2. Write a detailed account on Plate Tectonics with reference to the theories explained by various geomorphologists. 60
3. Distinguished the Koppens's and Thornthwaite's classification of World Climate with illustrations.
4. Define the various concept of environment. Analyze the Environmental and Management of System with suitable examples. 60

SECTION-B

5. Write notes in about 200 words each on any three of the following:
 - a) Von Thunen's theory of Agricultural Location
 - b) Human Development Indicators
 - c) Concept of Primate city and Rank Size Rule
 - d) Migration- its causes and Consequences
6. Define region. Write the methods of Regionalization and discuss regional imbalances and suggest suitable measures thereof. 60
7. Define sustainable development. Write the various planning for Sustainable Development and its impacts 60
8. Discuss the growth and distribution of World Population and its problems. Suggest suitable measures to mitigate such problems. 60
