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MCSCCE (Mains)

**Previous Year Paper
Geography Paper-II 2016**



Geography

Paper-II

Time Allowed: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 300

- Note:*
1. The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.
 2. Candidate should answer questions No. 1 and 5 which are compulsory and any **three** of the remaining questions, selecting at least **one** from each section.
 3. Illustrate your answer with suitable sketch maps and diagrams.

SECTION – A

1. On the outline map of India supplied to you, mark any **ten** of the following and also write the significant aspects of each of them in not more than **30** words in your answer booklet. 6×10=60
 - (a) Kosi River
 - (b) Black soils
 - (c) State with majority Malayalam speaking people
 - (d) Two streams of Arabian Sea monsoon winds
 - (e) Satpura range
 - (f) Areas with Amw type of climate based on Koppen's scheme
 - (g) Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant
 - (h) Bhuj
 - (i) Konkan
 - (j) Vishakhapatnam-Guntur industrial region
 - (k) Kandla
 - (l) Sriharikota

2. Compare the drainage system of the Himalayan and the Peninsular India. 60
3. Highlight the ecological implications of green revolution giving suitable examples. 60
4. Discuss the impact of communication technology on India's economy and society. 60

SECTION – B

5. Write short notes on any **three** of the following in not more than **200** words each: 20×3=60
 - (a) The Western Ghats
 - (b) India's foreign trade
 - (c) Metropolitan region
 - (d) Bhils in Rajasthan
6. Attempt a geographical account of rural settlements in the Himalayas. 60
7. Discuss the causes and consequences of environmental degradation in North-West India. 60
8. Explain the geographical basis of federalism in India. 60