

6th SEMESTER
GENERIC ELECTIVE COURSE
GG620G: GEOGRAPHY: INDIAN GEOGRAPHY

Theory (4 Credits)

CREDITS: 4+2

Max. MARKS: 60+30

Credit-I

1. Geo-Environmental Framework of India
2. Himalayas
3. Gangetic Plain
4. Deccan plateau

Credit-II

1. Climate of India
2. Monsoons
3. Western Disturbances
4. Retreating Monsoons

Credit-III

1. Natural Vegetation
2. Forest Resources of India
3. Biodiversity of India
4. Bio-geographic Zones of India

Credit-IV

1. Population Distribution & Dynamics
2. Racial and Ethnic Composition-
3. Population explosion and related problems
4. Urbanization and emerging trends

Tutorials (2 Credits)

Credit-V

1. Mineral Resource of India
2. Iron ore distribution and production
3. Coal distribution and production
4. Petroleum distribution and production

Credit-VI

1. Iron and steel industry growth and distribution
2. Cotton textile industry growth and distribution
3. Sugar industry growth and distribution
4. Major industrial regions of India

Suggested Readings:

Chandra Vijay Purty., Geography of India, ABD Publishers.
D. R Khullar., India; A Contemporary Geography- Kalyani Publications New Delhi 2010.
Drew, F. K., The territories of India, Kashmir State. Standard Press London, 1979.
Gazetteer of Kashmir and Ladakh, 1890.
Lawrence, S.W., The Valley of Kashmir, Oxford University Press, 1895.
Majid Hussain, Geography of India, 2nd Ed. Tata McGraw Hill, 2011.
Majid Hussain, Systematic Geography of Jammu and Kashmir, Rawat Publications, 2000.
Qazi, S.A., Geography of India with special reference to J&K State, APH Publishing Co. 2000.
R. L. Singh., India- A Regional Geography, National Geographical Society of India, 2003.
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