TDC Even Semester Exam., 2019

GEOGRAPHY

(Honours)

(4th Semester)

Course No. : GEOH–402

(Urban Geography)

Full Marks : 35

Pass Marks : 12

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer **five** questions, taking **one** from each Unit

UNIT—I

1. *(a)* Define urban geography. 2

(b) Explain its scope. 5

2. Discuss the urbanization process in Medieval India. 7

UNIT—II

3. *(a)* What do you understand by hierarchy of towns and cities? 3

(b) Is there a rank-size relationship in the arrangement? 4

4. *(a)* What is urban economy? 3

(b) Differentiate between basic and non-basic activities of a town. 4

UNIT—III

5. Discuss the urbanization process in India since post-Independence. 7

6. Urbanization is a boon or bane? Discuss. 7

UNIT—IV

7. What are the harmful impacts of slums on society? 7

8. *(a)* Who are the urban poor? 3

(b) Why are they considered poorer than their rural counterparts? 4

UNIT—V

9. *(a)* Which type of pollution according to you is the most hazardous to urban life? 1

(b) Elucidate it with examples. 6

10. "Urban crime is on the rise." Comment. 7

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