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**SY-237**

**SECOND YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY  
MODEL EXAMINATION, FEBRUARY 2023**

Part – III

Time : 2 Hours

**GEOGRAPHY**

Cool-off time : 15 Minutes

Maximum : 60 Scores

(Map Accompanied)

**General Instructions to Candidates :**

- There is a 'Cool-off time' of 15 minutes in addition to the writing time.
- Use the 'Cool-off time' to get familiar with questions and to plan your answers.
- Read questions carefully before answering.
- Read the instructions carefully.
- Malayalam version of the questions is also provided.

**വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കുള്ള പൊതുനിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ :**

- നിർദ്ദിഷ്ട സമയത്തിന് പുറമെ 15 മിനിറ്റ് 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കും.
- 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ പരിചയപ്പെടാനും ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ ആസൂത്രണം ചെയ്യാനും ഉപയോഗിക്കുക.
- ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ എഴുതുന്നതിന് മുമ്പ് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ മുഴുവനും ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ മലയാളത്തിലും നല്കിയിട്ടുണ്ട്.



## SECTION-A

Answer any eight questions from 1 to 10. Each carries 2 scores.

(8 × 2 = 16)

1. Differentiate between Crude Birth Rate and Crude Death Rate.
2. List any two problems associated with Rural Settlements in developing countries.
3. (a) What is population growth ?  
(b) How is natural growth of population analysed ?
4. Define Transhumance. Give an example.
5. Name any two Nuclear Power Plants in India.
6. Make a comparison between Bilateral trade and Multi-lateral trade.
7. Mention any two advantages of Non-conventional energy sources.
8. How do Emigration differ from Immigration ?
9. On the basis of the output or product, industries are classified into two. Identify them.
10. Identify the types of ports on the basis of location.

## SECTION-B

Answer any eight questions from 11 to 20. Each carries 3 scores.

(8 × 3 = 24)

11. Mention any three advantages of road transport.
12. India has to take quick steps to adopt effective measures for water conservation. Give reason.
13. List out any three features of plantation agriculture.
14. How are Indian Towns classified on the basis of their evolution ? Give suitable examples.
15. Suggest any three measures for sustainable development in India.
16. Who introduced 'Neo-determinism' ? Briefly explain this concept.
17. Prepare a short note on the three ways to measure the transport distance.
18. Find out three basic differences between Rural and Urban settlements in India.
19. The Northern Atlantic Sea Route is also known as 'Big Trunk Route'. Comment on it.
20. Discuss the features of Surface Mining.

## SECTION-C

Answer any five questions from 21 to 27. Each carries 4 scores.

(5 × 4 = 20)

21. Give an account of the importance of National Highways in India.
  22. Identify the four pillars of human development. Explain any one of them.
  23. Differentiate the last two phases of population growth in India, during the period from 1951 to till present.
  24. Describe any four factors influencing location of industries.
  25. Identify any four problems faced by Indian agriculture. Explain any one of them.
  26. Mention the geographical factors influencing the distribution of population. Write a note on any one of them.
  27. Identify and mark the following geo information on the given outline map of India :
    - (a) An important Lignite mine in Tamil Nadu.
    - (b) A field based oil refinery in Assam.
    - (c) The biggest port of the country.
    - (d) The southernmost international airport in India.
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