

MA/ M.Sc. GEOGRAPHY
FIRST SEMESTER
GEOGRAPHICAL THOUGHTS
MGE – 102 [SPECIAL REPEAT]
[USE OMR FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

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Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

(Objective)

Time: 30 min.

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1X20=20

- Which of the following period is considered as the Golden Age of the Greeks?
 - 4th century B.C. to 1st Century B.C.
 - 5th century B.C. to 2nd century B.C.
 - 6th century B.C. to 3rd Century B.C.
 - 7th century B.C. to 4th century B.C.
- Who among the following gave a detailed description of the Indian monsoons?
 - Al-Biruni
 - Al-Idrisi
 - Al-Masudi
 - Al-Maqdisi
- Who among the following was a pioneer to prepare a world map to scale
 - Eratosthenes
 - Thales
 - Hipparchus
 - Anaximander
- Who among the following compiled the regional and historical geography of the world?
 - Strabo
 - Ptolemy
 - Posidonius
 - Polybius
- Match the list I (Name of scholars) with List II (Books) and choose the correct answer using the codes given below the lists:

| List I | List II |
|-----------------|------------------|
| A. Aristotle | I. Ges periodos |
| B. Eratosthenes | II. The Oceans |
| C. Hecataeus | III. Ekumene |
| D. Posidonius | IV Meteorologica |

A B C D

 - I IV III II
 - III I II IV
 - IV III I II
 - II I IV III
- Who among the following was the first scholar to lay the foundation of the dichotomy of systematic vs. regional geography?
 - Ritter
 - Humboldt
 - Varenius
 - Kant

7. The first approach adopted by the geographers to generalize the pattern of human occupations of the earth surface was
 - a. Possibilistic
 - b. Deterministic
 - c. Idealistic
 - d. Realistic
8. Who among the following is known as the founder of 'Human Geography'
 - a. Huntington
 - b. Ratzel
 - c. Vidal-de-Lablache
 - d. Mark Jafferson
9. Who among the following coined the term 'anthropogeography' and described it as the major field of study?
 - a. Semple
 - b. Ratzel
 - c. Jean Brunhes
 - d. Vidal-de-la-blache
10. The behavioural approach in geography was introduced in the
 - a. 1940s
 - b. 1950s
 - c. 1960s
 - d. 1970s
11. Which of the following is the first systematic description of the world?
 - a. Ges-periodos
 - b. Ekumene
 - c. Meteorologica
 - d. Erdkunde
12. Who among the following laid a strong foundation of humanism in geography?
 - a. Kirk and Tuan
 - b. Kirk and Wright
 - c. Tuan and Febrve
 - d. Tuan and Wright
13. Who among the following was the first geographer who made a major contribution to location theory in his study of central places in Southern Germany?
 - a. Von Thunen
 - b. Christaller
 - c. Alfred Weber
 - d. A. Ackerman
14. Who among the following is called the "Father of Political Geography"
 - a. Ratzel
 - b. Vidal-de-la- Blache
 - c. Mark Jafferson
 - d. Richtofen
15. Who among the following is credited with the introduction into the Greek world of a Babylonian instrument known as 'gnomon'?
 - a. Thales
 - b. Anaximander
 - c. Hipparchus
 - d. Eratosthenes
16. The founder of 'human ecology' was
 - a. C.O Sauer
 - b. Mark Jafferson
 - c. Lucian Fevrve
 - d. H.H Borrows
17. 'Influence of Geographic Environment' is written by
 - a. Semple
 - b. Hartshorne
 - c. Lord Boyd Orr
 - d. Huntington

18. Which of the following vedas mentions that the thickness of the atmosphere cannot be traversed by birds?

- a. Samveda
- b. Yajurveda
- c. Rigveda
- d. Atharvaveda

19. For the determination of latitudes and longitudes, who among the following invented an instrument known as 'astrolabe'?

- a. Anaximander
- b. Ptolemy
- c. Hipparchus
- d. Eratosthenes

20. The Syntaxis of Ptolemy popularly known as

- a. The Almagast
- b. Geographica
- c. The Outline of Geography
- d. General Geography

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. Discuss the contribution of Greek scholars in the development of Geographical Thought. 10
2. Discuss the ideographic and nomothetic approaches in the subject matter of Geography. 10
3. Describe the concept of Space, Place and environment in the subject matter of Geography. 10
4. Define culture. Discuss the concept of cultural landscape in the subject Geography. 10
5. Give a brief description on the Quantitative Revolution and Challenges in the paradigm of Geography. 10
6. Write a brief note on the concept of behavioral approach and radical approach in the evolution of critical geography. 10
7. Discuss briefly the concept of Radicalism and Humanism approaches in Geography. 10
8. Write a short notes: (any 2) 5×2=10
 - a. Cultural Landscape
 - b. Qualitative Paradigm
 - c. Post-modernism
 - d. Neo-environmentalism

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