DHANAMANJURI UNIVERSITY

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GEOGRAPHY (Hons)

GEG-306 GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA

Full Mark: 100

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Give very short answers:

2x5 = 10

- a) Name the physiographic units into which India can be divided at the macro level.
- b) Differentiate between kharif crops and rabi crops.
- c) Where are "Mumbai High and "Sagar Samrat" located?
- d) Name the two rivers flowing through trough faults and have courses consequent to their general trend.
- e) Name the seasons in India.

2. Answer the questions briefly:

5x6 = 30

- a) State the differences between the west coast and the east coast of India.
- b) Which areas in India have very low density of population and why?
- c) What are the factors of low productivity of Indian agriculture?
- d) Give reasons why the coastal areas of India do not experience significant variation in temperature between summer and winter.
- e) State the dominant characteristics of Indian monsoon.

3. Answer any five (5) of the following:

12x5=60

- a) Explain how India can increase food production without expansion of net cropped area.
- b) Describe the factors affecting the distribution of population in India.
- c) Compare and contrast the geomorphological features of the Himalayan mountain with those of the Indian Plateau.
- d) Explain the factors responsible for the localization of cotton textile industries in Maharashtra and Gujarat.
- e) Divide North-East India into physiographic units and describe each of them with a sketch map.
- f) Discuss the role of transport in the economic development of Manipur.
- g) Describe the distribution and production of iron ore in India.
