



**COOCH BEHAR PANCHANAN BARMA UNIVERSITY**  
B.A. Honours 4th Semester Examinations, 2023

**GEOGRAPHY**

**GEOGRAPHICAL THOUGHT**

**CORE-8**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

**SECTION-I**

**Answer any one question**

15×1 = 15

1. Differentiate between regional and systematic approaches in Geography. 15
2. The concept of Man-Environment relationship in geography has transformed over time —Discuss. 15
3. Critically assess the contribution of French Geographers in the development of Human Geography in mid-20<sup>th</sup> century.

**SECTION-II**

**Answer any one question**

10×1 = 10

4. Explain the concept of Determinism in Geography. 10
5. Discuss in brief the contribution of A. Humboldt in geography. 10
6. Discuss the role of Indian geographers in the development of Geography in medieval period. 10

**SECTION-III**

**Answer any one question**

5×1 = 5

7. Write a short note on Empiricism.
8. What do you understand by teleology?
9. Write the main objectives of Radical Geography.

SECTION-IV

10. Answer any *ten* questions from the following:

1×10 = 10

- (a) Who had developed 'Astrolabe'?
- (b) What is 'T-O Map'?
- (c) The name Pacific Ocean was given by \_\_\_\_\_.
- (d) Name a proponent of the idea of 'Materialism'.
- (e) Who is known as 'Father of Geography'?
- (f) Who wrote the book 'Principles of Geology'?
- (g) What is 'Probabilism'?
- (h) Who wrote the book '*Geographie Humaine*'?
- (i) What is meaning of the term '*Lebensraum*'?
- (j) Who was the first to discover elliptical orbits of planets?
- (k) What is Chronology?
- (l) Who is known as 'Grand Old man of British Geography'?
- (m) Who proposed the idea of '*sequent occupance*' in Agricultural Geography?
- (n) Who was head of the 'Great Triangulation Survey'?
- (o) Who had written the book titled '*Kitab-al-Hind*'?

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