

M. A. (Final) Examination, 2001

GEOGRAPHY

Paper — I

Environmental Geography

Time 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks 100

Attempt any **four** questions.
All questions carry equal marks.
Credit will be given to the answers supported
By maps and diagrams.

1. Keeping focus on Man and his Environment, define the scope and concepts of environmental geography.
2. Discuss the use and abuse of nature in contemporary India to explain Ecology.
3. "Environment and ecosystem are inter-related." Elaborate.
4. As part of ecological system, discuss either *Fresh Water Ecology* or *Terrestrial Ecology* in its varied manifestations.
5. Write short notes on any **two** of the following
 - (i) Principal Cycles
 - (ii) Ecological Pyramids
 - (iii) Global Environmental Regions
 - (iv) Environmental Management
6. Analyse the causes and impacts of environmental degradation, giving examples.
7. Provide an account of *Urban Environmental Degradation*, taking problems and pollution into consideration.
8. Write a critical essay on the 'Future of Your Region' from environmental point of view.