



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.Sc. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2022

ARDADSE06T-AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DSE3/4)

POPULATION STUDIES

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

1. Answer any **six** questions from the following: 5×6 = 30
 - (a) Explain the Sample Registration System as a source of population data.
 - (b) What do you understand by the term 'migration'? What are the different types of migration streams? 2+3
 - (c) What are the factors that affect spatial distribution of population in an area?
 - (d) Distinguish between immigration and emigration.
 - (e) Distinguish between fertility and morality.
 - (f) Why do temporal changes take place in population density in a region?
 - (g) What are the factors that affect fertility rate?
 - (h) What is Census? State its significance in India.
 - (i) Outline any two measures of fertility stating their respective advantages and disadvantages.

2. Answer any **one** question from the following: 10×1 = 10
 - (a) Explain, why people migrate from rural to urban areas in India giving suitable examples. 10
 - (b) What is meant by the term 'concentration of population'? How is it measured? 3+7

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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