

**2025**  
**SRMUJ**  
**4<sup>th</sup> Semester Examination**  
**M.Sc.**  
**Geography**  
**GEO-401**  
**Geography of India**

**Full Marks: 40**

**Time: 2 Hours**

**The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.**

**Group-A**

**1. Answer any four of the following questions: 2×4**

- a) What are the main objectives of “operation barga”?
- b) What is the adverse impacts of green revolution in india?
- c) Highlight the role of eco-tourism in the development of the Purulia district.
- d) What is joint Forest Management? Give examples?
- e) Mention the characteristics of Rarh Bengal?
- f) Mention the major indicators used to measure regional inequality.

**Group-B**

**2. Answer any four of the following questions: 8×4**

- a) Describe the key features of the States Reorganization Act, 1956. What was the basis of the formation of Telangana in 2014? 6+2
- b) Evaluate the effectiveness of Joint Forest Management programs in conserving forests and improving the welfare of forest communities in India.
- c) Explain the mechanisms of evolution of Ganga Delta.
- d) Briefly describe the growth and development of industries in India since independence.
- e) Explain how the Green Revolution contributed to the emergence of regional inequalities in India.
- f) Analyze the socio-environmental impacts of construction of large dams in India. Give suitable examples.