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**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL**

B.A. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2022

**GE2-P2-SOCIOLOGY**

**POPULATION AND SOCIETY**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

**GROUP-A**

**Answer any two of the following questions**

12×2 = 24

1. What is Social Demography? Discuss the Scope and Subject-matter of Demography. 4+8 = 12
2. Critically analyse the Malthusian theory of Population. 12
3. What is Fertility? Explain how the changing fertility rates have affected countries like India. 4+8 = 12
4. Discuss the various Population Policies undertaken in India, during the post-independence era. 12

**GROUP-B**

**Answer any four of the following questions**

6×4 = 24

5. Discuss the Marxist theory of population. 6
6. Define Mortality. Discuss the causes of high mortality. 2+4 = 6
7. Write a note on Post-Malthusian perspective of population. 6
8. Discuss the National Population Policy 2000 in detail. 6
9. Elaborate the Optimum Population Theory. 6
10. Explain the factors affecting fertility rate in India. 6

**GROUP-C**

11. Explain / Define any **four** of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Demography
- (b) Mortality Rate
- (c) Neo-Natal
- (d) Morbidity
- (e) Sex Ratio
- (f) Population Explosion.

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