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FINAL EXAMINATION-2017
GEOGRAPHY

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Time: 2hrs

Note: Attempt all questions.

Section A

- QI Fill in the blanks: [5]
- _____ is the world's second highest peak in the, _____ ranges.
 - A group of islands is called _____.
 - _____ in Meghalaya receives the highest rainfall in the world.
 - The _____ climate is ideally suited to growing citrus fruits.
 - _____ _____ is the primitive form of animal rearing by tribes.
 - The _____ deposits are found near _____ reserves and are therefore, helpful in setting up industries.
 - _____ is the largest producer of jute in the world.
 - In Punjab the fertile areas between the rivers are called _____.
- QII State whether the following statements are true or false. If false, then correct the statement and rewrite the same: [4]
- The Manchurian Plain is formed by River Amur.
 - The hot air over the land rises and creates an area of low pressure.
 - Siberia is sparsely populated as the climate is very cold.
 - The mountain goat is the most common domesticated animal in Tibet.
 - The cotton textile industries of India are one of the oldest industries.
 - Fish and aquatic life cannot survive in the Dead Sea.
- QIIIA With reference to Asia, name the following: [3]
- The Highest mountain peak
 - The largest country
 - The smallest country
 - The deepest sea
 - The deepest lake
 - The coldest place
- QIIIB With reference to India, name the following: [3]
- Any one important river of Punjab
 - Any one major wheat growing region in Punjab
 - The headquarters of the Indian Rubber Board
 - The leading wheat producing state in India.
 - Any two plantation crops in Kerala
- QIIIC Give the Geographical terms for the following: [2]
- The three-fold increase in the yield per hectare achieved in Punjab.
 - A crop grown in the winter months
 - The collection of latex from the rubber tree.
 - Another term for shifting agriculture in Indonesia

Section B[Map Work]

QIVA On the given physical map of Asia identify and mark the following: **[5]**

1. Rivers: Huang He, Brahmaputra
2. Sea: Aral Sea, Andaman sea
3. Strait: Bering Strait
4. Mountain: Hindukush
5. The Roof of the World
6. West Siberian plains
7. The country that is the main source of sugar in the world.
8. The country that is the largest producer of tin in the world.

QIVB Complete the following table. On the given political map of Asia mark and name the following: **[6]**

Country	Capital
1. Thailand	_____
2. _____	Katmandu
2. Iraq	_____
4. _____	Seoul
5. _____	Kabul
6. India	_____

Section C

QV Define the following terms: **[4]**

1. Inter montane Plateau [1]
2. Inland drainage [1]
3. Multiple Cropping [2]

QVI Differentiate between the following with specific references mentioned in the brackets:

[Any two points] **[8]**

1. Temperate Grassland and Cool Temperate Eastern Margin [Climate] [2]
2. Intensive Subsistence farming and Extensive Commercial Agriculture [Agriculture Techniques] [2]
3. Developing Countries and Developed Countries [Unique features] [2]
4. Tropical Monsoon forests and Equatorial forests [Animal] [2]

QVII Answer the following questions: **[15½]**

1. What role did the European colonial power play, in the utilization of resources in Asia? [2½]
2. Briefly explain how distance from the sea affects the climate of a place. [2]
3. Explain the significance of the river valleys of Asia. [3]
4. List the physical features of the Deccan Plateau of India. [3]
5. State any one advantage and one disadvantage of hydroelectric power? [2]
6. Why has the government of India taken measures to promote education amongst women? [3]

- QVIII Give Geographical reasons for the following: [11½]
1. Pamir is a Knot. [2]
 2. Arctic region is devoid of forest. [2]
 3. Shifting agriculture promotes deforestation. [3]
 4. Not much wildlife found in the Mediterranean climate region, [2½]
 5. Increased crime rate and terrorist attacks are a threat to world peace. [2]

QIXA For each of the following countries mentioned below, list **any two** industries that are well developed: [3]

Country	Well developed Industries
1.China	
2.India	
3.Japan	

QIXB Complete the following table by giving the geographical requirements and listing any two places where these crops are grown: [6]

Name of the Crop	Geographical requirement [Any two]	Any two places
1.Wheat		
2.Cotton		
3.Pulses		

QIXC With reference to the given picture answer the questions that follow: [4]



1. Identify the region [½]
2. What kind of natural vegetation is found here? [½]
3. Mention any two kinds of trees found here. [1]
4. Name any two animals found in this region. [1]
5. Describe the winter season in this region. [1]
