



বিদ্যাসাগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়  
**VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY**

**Question Paper**

**B.Sc. Honours Examination 2021**

(Under CBCS Pattern)

**Semester - V**

**Subject: GEOGRAPHY**

**Paper : C 11-T & P**

**(Field Work and Research Methodology)**

**Full Marks : 60 (Theory - 40 + Practical - 20)**

**Time : 3 Hours**

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

**THEORY (Marks : 40)**

**Group-A**

- A. Answer *any three* questions from the following : 12×3=36
1. Write a detailed note on common ethical issues in research. Explain the selection procedure of study area with suitable example of Geographical research? 5+7
  2. Write the importance of Transects and Quadrats in urban Geography and Regional planning at present day? Give example.
  3. Discuss the significance of literature review in Geographical research. What is meant by Research Design? 8+4

4. Explain the significance of questionnaire and survey schedule as the tools for data collection. Mention their advantages and disadvantages. 5+7
5. What are the differences between probability and non-probability sampling techniques? What do you mean by Footnotes and Bibliography? 7+5
6. Mention the advantages and disadvantages of non-participant field techniques? What is pilot survey? 10+2

**Group-B**

B. Answer *any two* questions from the following : 2×2=4

1. What is a research problem?
2. What is Random Sampling?
3. What do you mean by FGD?
4. What do you mean by Checklist?

**PRACTICAL (Marks : 20)**

A. Answer *any one* question from the following : 15×1=15

1. Elaborate the methodologies to conduct virtual data collection in this Covid-19 pandemic period.
2. Prepare a survey schedule for collecting primary data on any one Environmental/Social Problem identified by you in your locality (at least 15 questions)

B. Answer *any one* question from the following : 5×1=5

1. Discuss the merits and demerits of open ended questionnaire schedule.
  1. Make a comparison between bibliography and reference.
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