

K.L.E. Society's
LINGARAJ COLLEGE, BELGAUM
(AUTONOMOUS)

B.A. - IV Semester

Geography

Paper: -Economic and Commercial Geography of World
(w.e.f. 2017-18 and onwards)

Teaching hours per week: 5 Hours

Maximum Marks	: 100 Marks
Semester End Examination	: 70 Marks
Internal Assessment	: 30 Marks

At the end of this course students will be able to:

1. Understand the concept of economic activity, and factors affecting location of economic activity.
2. Understand the important Agricultural produces that are produced in different parts of the World.
3. Know the distribution and production of Minerals in the World.
4. Understand the distribution and production of important industries in the World.
5. Examine efficiency and effectiveness of different types of Transportation in different parts of the World.
6. Understand the importance of International Trade for the development of the countries.

Sl.No.	Units	Hours
I	Introduction a. Definition, Nature and Scope of Economic Geography b. Approaches to Economic Geography c. Economic Regions of the World	8
II	Agriculture a. Systems of Agriculture: Shifting, Subsistence, Commercial and Plantation b. Concept of Agricultural Productivity and efficiency c. Cultivation, Distribution and Production of Rice, Wheat, Sugarcane Cotton, Tea and Coffee.	14
III	Manufacturing Industries a. Distribution and Production of Minerals; Iron ore , Manganese and	15

	Coal b. Distribution and production of: Iron and Steel, Aluminum, Cotton textile, Paper, Ship building and Automobile industries.	
IV	Transportation a. Land transportation: Roadways and Railways b. Ocean Transportation and Inland Waterways c. Airways: domestic and International.	10
V	Trade a. International trade: Flow of commodities, b. Trends of international trade	8
	Total	55

Suggested Readings:

- 1.M.R.Choudhary:Economic and CommercialGeography.
- 2.Jones and Darkenwald:Economic Geography.
- 3.T.A.H. HarsharnandJ.W.Alexander:Economic Geography.
- 4.Khanna andGupta:Economic& Commercial Geography
- 5.Cole.J:A Geography of the World' major regions, Routledg, London,1996
- 6.Cole.J.P:Latin-America-Economic and Social Geography

Kannada Medium Books:

- 1.S.S.Nanjannanavar:World Economic and Commercial Geography
- 2.P.Mallappa:World Economic and Commercial GeographyChetan Book House. Mysore.

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Practical Paper: -Interpretation of Topographical Maps

(With effect from 2017-18 and onwards)

Teaching hours per week: 5 Hours

Maximum Marks	: 100 Marks
Semester End Examination	: 70 Marks
Internal Assessment	: 30 Marks

At the end of this course students will be able to:

1. Understand the fundamentals of SOI Topographical Maps.
2. Develop the skills of understanding the marginal information of the SOI Topographical Maps.
3. Interpret the different topographies depicted in the SOI Topographical Maps.
4. Understand and analyze land use pattern given in the SOI Topographical Maps.
5. Acquire the skills to drawing the cross sections of any given Relief Feature in the SOI Topographical Maps.

Sl.No.	Units	Hours
I	<p style="text-align: center;">S.O.I. Topographical Maps</p> a. Indexing of S.O.I Topographical maps. b. Scales and colour convention used in S.O.I Topographical maps. c. Conventional Signs and Symbols used to represent physical and cultural features.	15
II	<p style="text-align: center;">Marginal information</p> a. Meaning and description of marginal information : Toposheet number, Area Covered, Year of Survey, Latitude and Longitudes, Magnetic Variation, Scale, Contour Interval, Index Map, Publication etc.	5
III	<p style="text-align: center;">Map Interpretation</p> Interpretation of S.O.I. Topographical Maps a. Overall interpretation – 1 Exercise b. Relief and Drainage - 2 Exercises c. Relief and Transport- 1 Exercise d. Transport and Settlements -2 Exercises e. Land-Use – 1 Exercises	20

IV	Profiles Drawing of Cross Sections and Calculation of vertical Exaggeration.	4
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Suggested Books:

1. R. L. Singh: Element of practical Geography
2. Gopal Sing: Practical Geography
3. Singh & Khanaujia: practical Geography
4. B. S. Negi: Practical Geography
5. R. P. Mishra & A. Ramesh: Fundamentals of Cartography
6. M. F. Karenavar & S. S. Nanjannavar: Practical Geography (Kannada)
7. K. R. Ramamurthy: Interpretation of Topographical Maps