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## GEOGRAPHY — HONOURS

Paper: CC-14

(Hazard Management)

Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

### Category - A

Answer any five questions (each within 50 words).

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- 1. What do you mean by hazard continuum?
- 2. What is meant by risk and vulnerability?
- 3. What is meant by landfall in cyclones?
- 4. Identify the causes of landslides in the Himalayan region.
- 5. Define flash flood.
- 6. What is a fire triangle?
- 7. What is soil creep?

#### Category - B

Answer any four questions (each within 150 words).

5×4

- 8. Discuss the importance of vulnerability assessment in hazard preparedness.
- 9. Differentiate hazards from disaster with suitable examples.
- 10. State the factors for the development of tropical cyclones.
- 11. What are the causes of land subsidence?
- 12. Enumerate the factors responsible for landslides.
- 13. Discuss the geospatial techniques adopted for hazard management.

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## Category - C

Answer any two questions (each within 500 words).

10×2

- 14. Discuss with examples the different types of hazard responses highlighting the techniques of resilience and capacity building in hazard management.
- 15. Explain the common causes of major fires in urban areas with a note on fire risk reduction and control.
- 16. Classify and explain the earthquake prone regions of India with a note on NDMA guidelines for their mangement.
- 17. Classify bio-hazards and discuss their consequences with examples.