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ANTHROPOLOGY— Paper IX
(Human Ecology— Socio-Cultural Dimensions)

(Admissions of 2004 and onwards)

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 45

*(Write your Roll No. on the top immediately
on receipt of this question paper.)*

Attempt any five questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss the dynamics of cultural adaptation among the hunting-gathering communities. Discuss any example of your choice. 9
2. Discuss the manner in which the concept of 'environment' is treated by different traditions of ecological anthropology. 9
3. Discuss the theories of state formation in different environmental conditions. Does irrigation precede the state formation? Comment. 9
4. Discuss the theory of cultural materialism as propounded by Marvin Harris. 9

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5. Critically examine the contributions of Roy Rappaport to eco-system approach. 9
6. Critically examine Julian Steward's contribution to cultural ecology. 9
7. What is eco-feminism? Critically examine the theoretical issues on nature-culture debate. 9
8. Elucidate the implications of Chipko movement for restoration of community ecology in the Himalayas. 9
9. Write short notes on any *two* of the following:
 - (a) Shifting cultivation
 - (b) Multilineal evolution
 - (c) Fishing economy
 - (d) Age-Area hypothesis. 9