

FIFTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2015

Core Course—Economics

EC 5B 08—INDIAN ECONOMY

(2013 Admissions)

Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

PART A

I Objective Type questions. Choose the correct answer:

1. As per the report of 2014, the HDI ranking of India is
(a) 134 (b) 135 (c) 129 (d) 124
2. The New Agricultural Policy was announced in
(a) 1996 (b) 1994 (c) 2000 (d) 2002
3. The largest sources of electricity in India
(a) Thermal (b) Hydro (c) Nuclear (d) Solar
4. According to 2011 census, the most densely populated state in India is
(a) West Bengal (b) Kerala (c) Bihar (d) Uttar Pradesh

II 5. The head quarters of WTO is

6. As per the Tendulkar Committee report, poverty ratio in 2009-10 is

7. The period of XII Five Year Plan is.....

8. How many industries are reserved for public sector in the New Industrial policy of 1991.

III True or False

9. Blue box subsidies include direct payments given to farmers in the form of deficiency payment.
10. FDI inflows in India helped to remove the regional imbalances of the country.
11. The Planning Commission estimate of poverty line is based on nutritional requirements.
12. The agricultural sector contributes more than fifty percent of National Income.

(1 x 3 3 weightage)

Turn over

PART B

III. Short answers questions. Answer **all** questions **.Each** question carries 1 weightage.

13. What do you meant by usual status unemployment?
14. Define sex ratio.
15. What is the difference between food security and food grain security in the Indian context?
16. Explain the classification of small scale industries by the MSMED Act of 2006.
17. What are the causes of strong industrial growth after 2002?
18. Explain the trends in India's export after the new economic reforms.
19. Write a note on MNCs in India.
20. Define unorganized sector.
21. What are the causes of low work participation rate in India?.

(1 x 9 = 9 weighta

PART C

IV Short Essay: Answer **any five** questions not exceeding 150 words each.

Each question carries **2** weightage.

22. Examine the role of human capital in the economic development of India.
23. Explain the recent trends in National income of India.
24. What are the silent features of New Agricultural Strategy of 1960s?
25. Discuss the industrial policy of India till 1991.
26. Explain the impact of WTO on Indian Agriculture
27. Examine the causes of unemployment in India.
28. What are the measures undertaken by the government to control balance of payment problem of 1990s.

100%

(2 x 5 = 10 weightage)

PART — D

V. Long essay: Answer **any two** questions. Each question carries 4 weightage.

29. Critically evaluate the New Industrial policy of India.
30. Examine the problem of inequality in India and suggest remedial measures to solve the problem
31. Explain the role of New Agricultural policy in the context of liberalization.