

TDC Odd Semester Exam., 2020
held in July, 2021

ECONOMICS
(Honours)

(3rd Semester)

Course No. : ECOH-303

[Development of Indian Economy
(Since Independence)]—I

Full Marks : 50

Pass Marks : 17

Time : 2 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer **five** questions, selecting **one** from each Unit

UNIT—I

1. (a) What are the causes of rural-urban migration in India? Explain briefly. 5
- (b) Discuss the major economic consequences of migration in Indian economy. 5

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(Turn Over)

2. (a) Do you agree with the view that India is an over-populated country? Give arguments in support of your answer. 5
- (b) Discuss occupational distribution of population after Independence. 5

UNIT—II

3. (a) What is meant by structural changes in the Indian economy? 2
- (b) Explain the structural changes that occurred in India since 1991. 8
4. (a) Point out the major features of sectoral distribution of income in Assam economy. 6
- (b) What are the main causes of slow growth of State Domestic Income in Assam? 4

UNIT—III

5. (a) What is Green Revolution? 2
- (b) Discuss the impact of Green Revolution with respect to productivity and employment. 4+4=8

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6. (a) Mention any three major problems of rural credit in Assam. 3
- (b) Explain the role of institutional credit in agricultural sector development in Assam vis-à-vis India. 7

UNIT—IV

7. (a) Point out three causes of stagnation of the growth of industrial sector in India during Sixties. 3
- (b) Discuss the impact of New Industrial Policy on the economic development of India. 7
8. (a) What are the sources of industrial finance in India? 2
- (b) Write two problems of public sector industries. 2
- (c) What are the features of the MRTP Act? 3
- (d) State the main objectives of FEMA. Differentiate FEMA with FERA. 2+1=3

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UNIT—V

9. (a) Define disguised unemployment. Explain the nature of unemployment in India. 2+5=7
- (b) Write a short note on child labour in India. 3
10. (a) Define the following : 1×3=3
- (i) Absolute poverty
- (ii) Relative poverty
- (iii) Poverty line
- (b) Critically discuss various poverty alleviation programme adopted by the Government of Assam since the planning period. 7
