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First Degree Programme Under CBCSS
Economics
Core Course – IX
EC 1544 – INDIAN ECONOMY
(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – I

Answer in **one** or **two** sentences. Attempt **all** questions.

1. Urbanization.
2. Density of population.
3. Structural Adjustment Programme.
4. Unemployment.
5. Food security.
6. Tenancy reforms.
7. HYVP.
8. Inequality.
9. Human capital.
10. Decentralized planning.

(10×1=10 Marks)

SECTION – II

Answer **any eight** questions **not** exceeding **one** paragraph. **Each** question carries **two** marks.

11. What do you mean by an under-developed economy ?
12. Explain the term Demographic Transition.
13. Define worker-participation ratio.
14. Distinguish between absolute and relative poverty.

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15. Write a short note on the role of PSUs on Indian economy.
16. What is meant by second generation reform ?
17. How poverty is measured ?
18. Distinguish between FDI and FII.
19. Give a brief account of major commercial crops of India.
20. What is the importance of economic planning ?
21. Explain the importance of MUDRA Bank.
22. State the important objectives of 12th plan. **(8×2=16 Marks)**

SECTION – III

Answer **any six** questions **not** exceeding **120** words. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

23. Give a brief account of the theory of demographic transition.
24. What are the basic characteristics of Indian economy ?
25. How can we solve the energy problems in India ?
26. Write down the importance of foreign direct investment in developing countries.
27. Explain the main sources of agricultural credit in India.
28. 'India is emerging as a service sector economy' – comment.
29. Briefly explain the role of agriculture in Indian economy.
30. Discuss the major causes of industrial sickness in India.
31. Explain the role of small scale industries in India. **(6×4 =24 Marks)**

SECTION – IV

Answer **any two** questions, **not** exceeding **four** pages. **Each** question carries **15** marks

32. Explain important components of New Agriculture Strategy and its impact on Indian economy.
33. What were the major reasons behind the introduction of economic reforms ? Discuss the major economic reforms introduced in Indian economy since 1991.
34. Evaluate the effects of population growth on economic development in India.
35. Critically examine the objectives and achievements of economic planning in India. **(2×15=30 Marks)**