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# Fourth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, August 2022 First Degree Programme Under CBCSS

## **Economics**

Complementary Course VII

EC 1431: INDIAN ECONOMY SINCE INDEPENDENCE

(2015 - 2018 Admission)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

### SECTION - I

Answer in one or two sentences. Attempt all questions.

- 1. Poverty line
- Human Development Index
- 3. Density of Population
- 4. Green GNP
- GDP Deflator
- 6. Liberalization
- Disposable Income
- 8. Infant Mortality rate

- Green Accounting
- 10. Privatization

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### SECTION - II

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

- Explain the role of small scale industries in India.
- 12. Explain the importance of HYV seeds in agriculture.
- Briefly explain the major features of Indian Economy.
- 14. Distinguish between foreign direct investment and portfolio investment.
- 15. What are the difficulties of measuring National income in India?
- 16. Explain the different types of economic inequality.
- 17. What do you mean by food security?
- 18. Differentiate Absolute and Real Poverty.
- 19. Distinguish between potential and actual GNP.
- 20. Explain the role of multinational corporations in India.
- 21. Explain the role of Agriculture for economic development.
- 22. What are the causes of Poverty in India?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### SECTION - III

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

- 23. Write a note on Major poverty alleviation programs in India.
- 24. Explain the interdependence between Agriculture and Industry.
- Explain the present position of India in the international trade.
- 26 Discuss the major problems in the unorganized sector of Indian Economy.
- 27. What are the major sources of Agricultural finance?
- 28. What is mean by Green Revolution? Explain its major tenants.
- 29. Write a note on Globalization and Economic development.
- 30. Explain the demographic features of Indian economy.
- 31. What are the reasons for introducing New Economic policy in 1991?

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$ 

# SECTION - IV

Answer any two questions. No exceeding four pages. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 32. Briefly explain the population census of India 2011.
- 33. Explain the different methods of measuring national income in India. What are the precautions to be taken care of?
- 34. Explain the role of service sector in Indian economy.
- 35. Critically evaluate MGNREGA.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$