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Fifth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, December 2021

First Degree Programme Under CBCSS

Economics

Core Course IX

EC 1544 - INDIAN ECONOMY

(2018 Admission)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

SECTION - A

Very short answer type questions. One word to maximum of **2** sentences. Answer **all** questions. Each question carries **1** mark.

- 1. Per capita income
- Mixed economy
- Structural Adjustment Programme
- 4. Cropping pattern
- Special Economic Zone
- Rolling plan
- Liberalisation
- Human Development Index

- 9. Organic farming
- 10. Knowledge economy.

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

SECTION - B

Short answer type questions. (Not to exceed **one** paragraph). Answer any **eight** questions. Each question carries **2** marks.

- 11. What is the meaning of an underdeveloped economy?
- 12. Define sex ratio.
- 13. Examine the causes of unemployment.
- 14. Write down the difference between organised and unorganised sector?
- 15. What is MUDRA scheme explain.
- 16. Give a brief account of National Population Policy 2000.
- 17. What is the main purpose of public private partnership?
- 18. How does infrastructure contribute to economic development?
- 19. Define Green Revolution.
- 20. Examine the major reasons for industrial sickness.
- 21. Explain the objectives and importance of planning in India.
- 22. What are India's main exports?
- 23. Give a brief note on physical quality of life index.
- 24. Write a short note on National Manufacturing Policy.

- .25. What is a second generation economic reforms in India?
- 26. Explain the difference between birth rate and death rate.

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

SECTION - C

Short essay questions. (Not to exceed **120** words). Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries **4** marks.

- 27. Explain the inter dependence between agriculture and industry.
- 28. Explain the reasons of urbanisation.
- 29. Identify the major demographic features of India.
- 30. Give a brief account on iron and steel industry.
- 31. Briefly explain the causes and remedies to the problem of rural indebtedness.
- 32. Write down the concept of financial liberalization and its impact on economic growth.
- 33. Explain how does import substitution can protect domestic industry?
- 34. Assess the effects of New Agriculture Strategy in India.
- 35. Analyze the performance of service sector in Indian economy.
- 36. Explain the objectives of economic planning for agriculture sector.
- 37. Briefly explain the features of New Foreign Trade Policy.
- 38. Why FDI is important for developing countries? Explain.

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

SECTION - D

Long essay questions. Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 39. Write down the objectives of land reforms. Explain the major land reforms measures introduced in India.
- 40. Evaluate the structural changes in Indian economy since 1991.
- 41. How do we define poverty? Explain anti-poverty measures adopted by Government of India.
- 42. Write down the main reasons for the introduction of economic reforms and its impacts on Indian economy.
- 43. Discuss the various rural development schemes in India.
- 44. Analyze the trends in industrial development in the pre and post liberalization period in India.

 (2 × 15 = 30 Marks)