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ECONOMICS

(Core)

Paper : C-11

(Indian Economy—I)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Answer the following as directed : 1×8=8

(a) Which of the following is a long-term objective of economic planning in India?

- (i) Self-reliance
- (ii) Economic growth
- (iii) Removal of poverty
- (iv) All of the above

(Choose the correct answer)

(2)

(b) On the eve of Independence, India was a net exporter of

- (i) industrial product
- (ii) capital goods
- (iii) primary products
- (iv) All of the above

(Choose the correct answer)

(c) What do you mean by import substitution?

(d) Human capital as a concept is better explained in terms of a process which enables

- (i) individuals of a country to accumulate more capital
- (ii) increasing knowledge and skill levels of people of the country
- (iii) accumulation of intangible assets
- (iv) Both (ii) and (iii)

(Choose the correct answer)

(e) Which of the following is not a part of poverty alleviation programmes in India?

- (i) Integrated Rural Development Programme
- (ii) Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana
- (iii) Make in India
- (iv) All of the above

(Choose the correct answer)

(3)

(f) Which of the following is not one of the Four Asian Tigers?

- (i) India
- (ii) Singapore
- (iii) Taiwan
- (iv) South Korea

(Choose the correct answer)

(g) Define Incidence of poverty.

(h) Which of the following is not a feature of globalization?

- (i) Removal of tariffs and quotas
- (ii) De-licensing
- (iii) Export promotion
- (iv) Foreign exchange reforms

(Choose the correct answer)

2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following (within 100 words each) : 4×4=16

- (a) Problem of capital formation in India
- (b) India's demographic dividend
- (c) Poverty in India
- (d) Poverty alleviation schemes in India
- (e) Employment generation schemes in India

3. (a) Describe briefly the state of the Indian economy on the eve of Independence. 14

Or

(b) Explain the positive impact of globalization. How does globalization affect regional balance and sustainability of India? Discuss. 8+6=14

4. (a) What is meant by density of population? Do you think that population growth contributes to economic development? Comment. 4+10=14

Or

(b) Discuss the major challenges that come in the way of progress of human development in India. How does HDI indicate human welfare? 9+5=14

5. (a) Explain the different types of unemployment in India. Elaborate the causes of unemployment in India. 8+6=14

Or

(b) What are the causes of income inequality in India? Discuss critically the government's policies and measures to reduce income inequalities. 6+8=14

6. (a) Write an explanatory note on India's development experience with leading Asian Economies. 14

Or

(b) Make a comparative assessment of India's development experience with World Economy.
