

Total No. of Printed Pages—4

**5 SEM TDC ECOH (CBCS) C 11**

**2 0 2 1**

( Held in January/February, 2022 )

**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 one)

( 2 )

- (b) Mention one reform undertaken in India to facilitate globalization.
- (c) According to the Census 2011, density of population in India is
- (i) 385 persons per sq. km
  - (ii) 382 persons per sq. km
  - (iii) 428 persons per sq. km
  - (iv) 832 persons per sq. km
- (Choose the correct one)
- (d) Mention one goal of the National Population Policy, 2000.
- (e) Name one type of unemployment prevalent in rural India.
- (f) What is relative poverty?
- (g) 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 one)
- (h) Name the East Asian Economy which accounts for the highest share of India's export.

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

- (a) Structural transformation of saving and investment
- (b) Demographic dividend
- (c) MGNREGA
- (d) Changing dimension of employment in India
- (e) Economic development of Singapore

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

*Or*

(b) Discuss critically the various development strategies adopted by the Government of India since Independence. 14

4. (a) (i) Describe briefly the characteristics of India's population as per the 2011 Census. 6

(ii) Discuss the role of population as a factor in economic development. 8

*Or*

(b) (i) What is Human Development? 2

- (ii) Discuss the method of calculation of the Human Development Index of UNDP with a hypothetical example. 8
- (iii) Give an idea of India's latest Human Development record in the global perspective. 4
5. (a) (i) What are the causes of income inequality in India? 6
- (ii) Discuss critically the government's policies and measures to reduce income inequalities. 8
- Or*
- (b) (i) How is poverty defined in India? 2
- (ii) Give an idea of the magnitude/ incidence of poverty in India. 5
- (iii) Are the government's measures to tackle poverty is adequate for the economy? Justify. 7
6. (a) Give a brief idea of India's economic interaction with the world economy. 14
- Or*
- (b) Make a comparative assessment of India's development experience with South Korea. 14

\*\*\*