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COMMERCE

(Generic Elective)

Paper : GE-404

(**Indian Economy**)

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) Who invented the Human Development Index?

(i) Paul Krugman

(ii) Jean Drèze

(iii) Amartya Sen

(iv) Mahbub ul Haq

(Choose the correct answer)

(2)

(b) Who is the main architect of Green Revolution in India?

(i) M. S. Swaminathan

(ii) P. C. Mahalanobis

(iii) Dadabhai Naoroji

(iv) Dr. Manmohan Singh

(Choose the correct answer)

(c) Planning Commission was set up in

(i) 2019

(ii) 1947

(iii) 1950

(iv) 1951

(Choose the correct answer)

(d) Write the full form of 'NITI' Aayog.

(e) Define absolute poverty.

(f) What is import substitution industrialization?

(g) Which of the following is not an indicator of PQLI?

(i) Basic literacy

(ii) Infant mortality

(iii) Life expectancy

(iv) Income per capita

(Choose the correct answer)

(3)

(h) The highest contribution to Indian National Income comes from

(i) primary sector

(ii) secondary sector

(iii) service sector

(iv) None of the above

(Choose the correct answer)

2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 4×4=16

(a) Human Development Index

(b) Occupational structure

(c) PDS and food security

(d) Incidence of poverty in India

(e) Small-scale industries

3. (a) Discuss the basic characteristics of an underdeveloped economy. What do you mean by the term 'development'? 9+3=12

Or

(b) Discuss the qualitative and quantitative methods of measuring economic development. 12

4. (a) Discuss the strategy of India's economic development in pre-reform period. 11

Or

(b) Discuss the salient features of economic reforms launched in 1991. 11

5. (a) Discuss the relationship between population growth and economic development. 11

Or

(b) Discuss the effect of land reforms on farm size and agricultural productivity in India. 11

6. (a) What do you mean by structural change? Discuss the structural changes in different phases of growth in India. 2+9=11

Or

(b) What is green revolution? Discuss the consequences of green revolution on productivity and growth. 2+9=11

7. (a) Discuss the role and performance of public sector in India. Why public sector reforms were initiated in 1991? 9+2=11

Or

(b) Discuss the structure of Balance of Payments in India. Analyze its performance. 6+5=11
