



B.A. (Semester – V) Examination, October/November 2016
ECONOMICS (Paper – V)
Contemporary Indian Economy – I
(New Syllabus w.e.f 2012-2013 Onwards)

Duration : 2 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- Instructions :** 1) **All** questions are **compulsory**. However **internal** choice **available**.
2) Answer sub-questions in question 1 and question 2 in **not** more than **100** words **each**.
3) Answer question 3 to question 6 in **not** more than **400** words **each**.
4) Figures to the **right** indicate **maximum** marks assigned the questions/sub questions.
5) Paper carries maximum of **80** marks.

1. Answer **any four** of the following : (4×4=16)

- Explain any four differences between economic growth and economic development.
- Discuss four limitations of Mahalanobis model of development adopted by India in 1956.
- Describe the physical quality of life index.
- Give any four arguments in favour of Structural Adjustment Programme of 1991.
- Explain the concepts : poverty, poverty line, absolute poverty and relative poverty.
- Enumerate four reasons for the increasing share of tertiary sector in India's Gross Domestic Product.

2. Answer **any four** of the following : (4×4=16)

- Discuss any four causes of high birth rate in India.
- Describe any four reasons for steady decline of people in Goa engaged in agriculture as their main occupation.
- Explain the trends in the literacy rate in India.



- d) Write a short note on health sector in Goa.
- e) What is life expectancy ? Outline its trends in India since independence.
- f) Explain any four importance of mining in Goa.

3. A) Explain the inter-relationship between poverty, unemployment and inequality of income.

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OR

- B) Elucidate the income indices as an indicator of economic development.

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4. A) Explain the impact of planned development on the composition and growth of India's Gross Domestic Product before the Structural Adjustment Programme of 1991.

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OR

- B) Describe the changes witnessed in sector-wise composition in India's Gross Domestic Product since independence.

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5. A) Discuss the objectives and limitations of National Population Policy of 2000.

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OR

- B) Elaborate on the structural distribution of population in India with reference to age composition, sex ratio and density of population.

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6. A) Describe the growth of banking in Goa.

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OR

- B) What is the importance of tourism in Goa ? Explain the problems posed by tourism in Goa.

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