

2018

(CBCS)

(5th Semester)

ECONOMICS

FIFTH PAPER

(Indian Economy)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 25)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. At present, India is the ____ largest economy by Purchasing Power Parity (PPP) in the world.

(a) 2nd ()

(b) 3rd ()

(c) 4th ()

2. Forest coverage in India (2011) was

(a) 24.39% ()

(b) 23.12% ()

(c) 23.07% ()

3. India is regarded as a country of 'demographic dividend'. This is due to
- (a) its high population in the age group below 15 years ()
 - (b) its high population in the age group above 65 years ()
 - (c) its high population in the age group of 15-65 years ()
4. According to 2011 Census, sex ratio of India is
- (a) 933 ()
 - (b) 940 ()
 - (c) 942 ()
5. NITI Aayog was formed in the year
- (a) 2017 ()
 - (b) 2016 ()
 - (c) 2015 ()
6. The effective date of implementation of GST in India is
- (a) July 1st, 2017 ()
 - (b) July 1st, 2016 ()
 - (c) July 1st, 2018 ()
7. Green Revolution was introduced in
- (a) 1st Five-Year Plan ()
 - (b) 3rd Five-Year Plan ()
 - (c) 6th Five-Year Plan ()
8. Which of the following in respect of Indian agriculture is not correct?
- (a) India is the largest producer of coconut ()
 - (b) India is the largest producer of milk ()
 - (c) India is the largest producer of mango ()
9. NEDP in Mizoram was launched in
- (a) 2017 ()
 - (b) 2018 ()
 - (c) 2016 ()
10. Contribution of agriculture to GSDP in Mizoram in the year 2016-2017 according to Economic Survey of Mizoram 2017-2018 is
- (a) 31.72% ()
 - (b) 24.78% ()
 - (c) 16.05% ()

SECTION—B

(Marks : 15)

Write short notes on the following :

3×5=15

1. (a) Renewable and non-renewable resources in India

OR

- (b) Role of the State in the economy

2. (a) Sex composition in India

OR

- (b) Rural-Urban migration

3. (a) Disinvestment

OR

- (b) Objectives of planning

4. (a) Rural credit system in India

OR

- (b) Green Revolution

5. (a) Shifting cultivation in Mizoram

OR

- (b) New Economic Development Policy (NEDP)

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. (a) Is India a developing country? Give reasons for your answer. 2+8=10

OR

- (b) Define the term 'sustainable development'. Discuss some of the basic issues of sustainable development. 4+6=10

2. (a) Give an account on the growth and composition of national income in India. 10

OR

(b) "Overpopulation is the main hurdle for the economic development in India." Examine. 10

3. (a) Highlight the composition and role of National Institute for Transforming India (NITI) Aayog. 10

OR

(b) Give a brief note on New Economic Reforms introduced in India since 1991. 10

4. (a) Explain the problems of agricultural marketing in India. Suggest suitable measures to tackle the problem. 6+4=10

OR

(b) Define land reforms. What are the major land reform measures that have been taken in India? 2+8=10

5. (a) Discuss the basic features of Mizoram economy. 10

OR

(b) Write notes on any two of the following : 5×2=10

- (i) NLUP in Mizoram
- (ii) Main sources of revenue in Mizoram
- (iii) Issues of rural development
