



K22P 1321

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III Semester M.A. Degree (CBSS – Reg./Sup./Imp.)
Examination, October 2022
(2019 Admission Onwards)
DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
ECO3C11 : Economics of Growth and Development – I

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries **half** mark :

(8×½=4)

1. Which of the following is not a part of the Human Development Index ?
 - a) Infant mortality
 - b) Life expectancy
 - c) Educational attainment
 - d) GDP Per Capita
2. The concept of PQLI was developed by
 - a) Morris. D. Morris
 - b) U. N. O.
 - c) UNDP
 - d) Oxford Poverty and Human Development
3. Take off stage in an economy means
 - a) Steady growth begins
 - b) Economy is stagnant
 - c) Economy is about to collapse
 - d) All controls are removed
4. Critical minimum effort theory was designed by which of the following given economist ?
 - a) H. Leibenstein
 - b) Rosentein Rodan
 - c) W. W. Rostow
 - d) None of the above
5. The book growth theory an exposition is written by
 - a) Thomas Piketty
 - b) Milton Fried man
 - c) Paul Krugman
 - d) R. M. Solow

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6. The word development report 2015 is entitled as
- a) Development as freedom
 - b) Mind society and behaviour
 - c) Risk and opportunity
 - d) None of these
7. What is the full form of IMF ?
- a) International Monetary Fund
 - b) International Money Fund
 - c) International Mutual Fund
 - d) None of the above
8. Solows model of long run growth is a major improvement over
- a) Joan Robinson
 - b) Harrod Domar
 - c) J. K. Meade
 - d) J. A. Shumpeter

PART – B

(Very Short answers)

Answer **any eight** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks. No answer should exceed **one** page : **(8×2=16)**

9. What is the meaning of Human Development Index ?
10. What is meant by vicious circle of poverty ?
11. What is labour augmenting ?
12. Give the meaning of actual growth rate.
13. Define unbalanced growth.
14. What is foreign trade ?
15. Write the formula to find PQLI.
16. What is technical dualism ?
17. What is low level equilibrium trap ?
18. What is positive-sum incentives ?
19. What is GW stands for ?



PART – C
(Short answers)

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** question carries **5** marks. No answer should exceed **two and half** pages : (4×5=20)

20. Critically examine the relevance of Fei and Ranis model.
21. Write a short note on three kinds of indivisibilities.
22. Write a note on disguised unemployment as saving potential in India.
23. Critically examine Harvey Leibenstein critical minimum effort thesis.
24. Distinguish between forward and backward linkage.
25. Briefly explain the Rostows five stages of economic growth.

PART – D
(Essay)

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** question carries **10** marks. No answer should exceed **six** pages: (2×10=20)

26. Write a note on the following :
 - i) Balance among different sectors.
 - ii) Advantages of balanced growth.
 - iii) Basic elements of balanced growth.
 - iv) Limitations of balanced growth.
 27. Give a critical appraisal of big push theory.
 28. What is foreign capital ? What are its types ?
 29. Explain the Lewis theory of unlimited supply of labour.
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