

B.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S) EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2019
(2016 Admission Supplementary)
SEMESTER V - CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS)
EC5B08B - DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Part A**I. Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 marks****(6x1=6)**

1. Define economic growth.
2. Write Poverty Gap ratio.
3. What is stimulants?
4. Write the meaning of Cost-Benefit analysis.
5. Define Public good.
6. Define Environmental Economics.

Part B**II. Answer any Seven questions. Each question carries 2 marks****(7x2=14)**

7. Define the concept development gap.
8. Illustrate Lorenz curve .
9. Write different steps to calculate the Human Development Index.
10. State the role of capital in economic development
11. Explain the concept of reserve army of labour.
12. What do you mean by Social Overhead Capital?
13. Briefly write a note on factors affecting economic development.
14. What is Malthusian theory of population?
15. What is property rights?
16. Write a short note on global environmental issues

Part C**III. Answer any Five questions. Each question carries 6 marks****(5x6=30)**

17. Write a note on Sen's capabilities approach.
18. Discuss the important measures of inequality.
19. Explain the conditions essential for the process of Balanced growth strategy.
20. Examine Harvey Leibenstein's Critical minimum effort thesis.
21. Critically evaluate Malthusian theory of population.
22. Discuss the role of health in economic development.
23. Briefly explain environmental pollution prevention control Act .
24. Evaluate the concept of sustainable development.

Part D**IV. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks****(2x15=30)**

25. Explain the importance of the concept sustainable development in the present day world.
26. Discuss various criteria used in analysing cost and benefit of a project.
27. Critically analyse Leibenstein's theory of economic development.
28. What you mean by environmental economics?and explain the linkage between environment and economy.