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# TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2020 held in March, 2021

## **ECONOMICS**

(5th Semester)

Course No.: ECOHCC-501T

(Indian Economy-I)

Full Marks: 70
Pass Marks: 28

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

#### SECTION-A

- **1.** Answer any ten of the following questions:  $2\times10=20$ 
  - (a) What does economic development mean?
  - (b) What constitutes the primary sector in Indian economy?
  - (c) State any two features of national income in India.

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- (d) Write any two features of Indian agriculture at the time of Independence.
- (e) What does human development mean?
- (f) What is population explosion?
- (g) State two important sources of human capital.
- (h) Write any two causes of poor human capital in India.
- (i) What is disguised unemployment?
- (j) Write any two causes of educated unemployment in India.
- (k) Write any two causes of low female workforce participation in India.
- (l) Suggest any two measures to remove the problem of child labour in India.
- (m) Define the term 'poverty'.
- (n) What does 'below poverty line' mean?
- (o) Write any two causes of inequality of income of the people in India.
- (p) Suggest any two measures to reduce the inequality of income of the people in India.

- (q) What is balance of payments (BOPs)?
- (r) Write any two objectives of the New Economic Policy, 1991.
- (s) State any two reasons behind the adoption of the New Economic Policy, 1991 in India.
- (t) Write any two demerits of privatization in Indian economy.

### SECTION-B

Answer any five of the following questions: 10×5=50

- 2. Discuss the basic features of the Indian economy at Independence.
- 3. Explain the different constraints the Indian economy facing for its growth since Independence.
- 4. Discuss the important demographic features of India's population.
- 5. Suggest important measures to control the high rate of growth of population in India.
- **6.** Discuss the various causes of rural and urban unemployment in India.

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- **7.** Discuss very briefly important employment generation programmes undertaken by the Government of India to tackle unemployment problem in the country.
- 8. Discuss the various causes of poverty in India.
- 9. Write notes on NRLM and MGNREGA.
- 10. Discuss the features of the New Economic Reforms introduced in 1991 in India.
- 11. Discuss the arguments for and against the New Economic Reforms, 1991.

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