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ECOHCC-501T/458**

**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 : 2×10=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.

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- (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 : $10 \times 5 = 50$

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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