

# B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REGULAR / IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE EXAMINATIONS, OCTOBER 2024

## **Third Semester**

# Core Course - EC3CRT04 - ECONOMICS OF GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Common to B.A Economics Model I, B.A Economics Model II Foreign Trade & B.A Economics Model II Insurance

2017 Admission Onwards

### CAF57FED

Time: 3 Hours

Instructions to Private candidates only: This question paper contains two sections. Answer SECTION I questions in the answer-book provided. SECTION II, Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under SECTION II

### Part A

Answer any **ten** questions. Each question carries **2** marks.

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- 1. Define Economic Development.
- 2. Define poverty.
- 3. Define Lorenz Curve.
- 4. What do you mean by development gap?
- 5. What according to Leibenstein is a shock and a stimulant?
- 6. What do you mean by Quasi-bottleneck?
- 7. What is Dualism?
- 8. Define Organic composition of Capital.
- 9. What is free trade?
- 10. What is manpower planning?
- 11. Missing women.
- 12. Ageing population.

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Max. Marks: 80

(10×2=20)

#### Part B

#### Answer any six questions.

### Each question carries 5 marks.

### 13. Define PQLI.

- 14. Explain the concept of entiltlement put forward by Amartya Sen.
- 15. What is Multi Diamentional Poverty Index?
- 16. Write a brief note on Bigpush theory.
- 17. Distingush between forward and backward linkages.
- 18. What is the role of capital in economic development?
- 19. Explain the merits and demerits of Capital intensive technique of producrtion.
- 20. What is the possition of women in labour force?
- 21. Explain the concept of demographic dividend.

(6×5=30)

#### Part C

# Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

- 22. Discuss the concept of "Quality of Life".
- 23. Explain the major approaches to economic development.
- 24. What is cumilative causation?
- 25. Explain optimum theory of population.

(2×15=30)