

(FOR THE CANDIDATES ADMITTED
DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 ONLY)

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N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI

END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS: DECEMBER-2022

COURSE NAME : B.A.-ECONOMICS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 70

SEMESTER: III

TIME: 3 HOURS

PART - III

ECONOMICS OF DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING

SECTION - A

(10X1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS.

(K1)

1. Which one among the below is not the component of Physical Quality Life Index _____.
a. infant mortality b. Life expectancy c. basic literacy d. unemployment rate
2. The total number of stages of economic growth distinguished by Rostow _____.
a. Two b. Five c. Three d. Four
3. Black money is also known as _____.
a. Near money b. Parallel money c. Unaccounted money d. legal tender money
4. _____ technique of planning in which resources are allocated in terms of money
a. Financial b. Indicative c. imperative d. physical
5. Suppose for an Economy investment is 32% (of GDP), and the economic growth corresponding to this level of investment is 8% what is the unit of capital to produce one unit of output?
a. 4 b. 3 c. 1 d. 8

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES (K2)

6. What is meant by Economic Development?
7. What do you understand by unbalanced growth?
8. What is money laundering?
9. What do you mean by indicative planning?
10. Define – Capital Formation.

SECTION – B (5 X 4 = 20 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. K3

- 11.a. Discuss in brief the ‘vicious circle’ of poverty as an important obstacle to economic development in Underdeveloped countries
(OR)
b. Explain briefly the non- economic factors determining economic development.
- 12 .a. Identify and explain the conditions for Take- off in Rostows’ stages of growth..
(OR)
b. How does Ragnar Nurkse Justified the need for balanced growth in underdeveloped countries? Explain.

(CONTD.....2)

13.a. Discuss the Factors responsible for generation of black money in an economy.

(OR)

b. Trace out the various committees' estimates of Black Money in India.

14.a. Outline the main functions of NITI Aayog.

(OR)

b. Enunciate the need for planning in an underdeveloped country.

15.a. What is the importance of capital formation? Explain.

(OR)

b. Explain the factors determining capital output ratio in brief.

SECTION - C (4 X 10 = 40 MARKS)

ANSWER ANY FOUR OUT OF SIX QUESTIONS (16th QUESTION IS COMPULSORY AND ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS FROM Qn. No : 17 to 21) (K4 or K5)

16. Describe the various General objectives of economic planning.

17. Discuss the economic factors responsible for promoting economic growth in underdeveloped countries

18. Analyse the Rodan's 'Big Bush' theory and evaluate the applicability of the theory to less developed countries.

19. Discuss briefly the impact of Black money on an economy.

20. Describe the different models of growth adopted in Indian five year plans.

21. Evaluate the various investment criteria in economic development.
