

( 2½ Hours )

(Total Marks : 75)

Note: (1) All questions are compulsory.

(2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q.1 (A) Fill in the blanks: (Any Eight)

(8)

- (a) \_\_\_\_\_ is the only state in India where no. of females is more than that of males.  
( Haryana ,Kerala , Tamilnadu )
- (b) \_\_\_\_\_ is a universal phenomenon.  
( Absolute Poverty, Rural Poverty, Relative Poverty)
- (c) MGNREGP aimed at providing \_\_\_\_\_ days of guaranteed wage employment.  
( 200, 150, 100 )
- (d) Among the metros, \_\_\_\_\_ city has the maximum urban population.  
( Chennai , Mumbai , Kolkata )
- (e) Green Revolution was introduced in the year \_\_\_\_\_. ( 1967 , 1956, 1966)
- (f) \_\_\_\_\_ is the price at which the government buys from the farmers.  
( Min support price, Procurement price , Issue price)
- (g) \_\_\_\_\_ is the apex organisation for rural finance.  
( Land Development Bank, NABARD, Regional Rural Bank )
- (h) Balance of Payment always \_\_\_\_\_. (Increases, Decreases, Balances )
- (i) WTO came into existence in \_\_\_\_\_. (1995, 1895, 1996 )
- (j) The Treasury bill is a \_\_\_\_\_ instrument.(Short term, medium term, long term )

(B) State whether the following statements are True or False: (Any seven)

(7)

- (a) Literacy rate is improving in India.
- (b) Land reforms have considerably reduced inequality in the rural area.
- (c) Rapid growth of population is cause of unemployment.
- (d) A high degree of urbanisation is an indicator of development.
- (e) Co-operative marketing system is best solution for problem of agricultural marketing.
- (f) NAP was introduced by government in June2000
- (g) FDI is better than portfolio investment.
- (h) In Indian money market interest rates are irrational.
- (i) SEBI is the leader of money market.
- (j) SLR is a selective credit control instrument of RBI.

- Q.2(a)** Outline the profile of India's population. (8)
- (b)** Explain various poverty alleviation programme undertaken by government. (7)

OR

- Q.2(a)** What are the causes of unemployment in India? (8)
- (b)** Discuss the instrumental sources of agricultural finance. (7)

- Q.3(a)** What are the problems faced by Small scale industries in India? (8)
- (b)** Explain nature and scope of service sector in India. (7)

OR

- Q.3(a)** Discuss the growth of industries in post reform period. (8)
- (b)** Explain the role played by public sector in Indian Economy. (7)

- Q.4(a)** Explain the trends in banking sector in India. (8)
- (b)** Examine the changes in composition of India's export since 1991. (7)

OR

- Q.4(a)** Discuss the role of MNCs in economic development. (8)
- (b)** Outline the important features of Indian money market. (7)

- Q.5 (a)** Write a note on monetary policy of RBI. (8)
- (b)** Evaluate the performance of SEBI. (7)

OR

- Q.5 Write a notes on (Any Three)** (15)

- (a) New Industrial Policy 1991
- (b) Problems of Agricultural Market
- (c) Technological changes in agriculture.
- (d) Disinvestment policy in India
- (e) Role of Capital market.