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Sixth Semester

Economics — Core

INDIAN ECONOMY — II

(For those who joined in July 2017 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. Human capital is
 - (a) Process of accumulation of knowledge
 - (b) Accumulation of physical capital asset
 - (c) Growing population
 - (d) Accumulation of skill and capacity
2. Human capital theory is associated with
 - (a) Schultz (b) Ricardo
 - (c) Adam Smith (d) Keynes

3. Capital formation
 - (a) Facilitates capital widening
 - (b) Encourages introduction of new technology
 - (c) Affects the proficiency of labour
 - (d) All the above
4. Which is not a reason for low capital formation in India?
 - (a) High income
 - (b) Low saving ability
 - (c) Inflation
 - (d) Low investment channels
5. The sector which contributes the maximum to gross domestic product in India is
 - (a) Agriculture (b) Industry
 - (c) Services (d) None of the above
6. The reason for the growth of service sector in India is
 - (a) Growth of IT sector
 - (b) Development of markets
 - (c) Opening up of the economy
 - (d) All the above

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7. Emphasis to globalisation was given importance in the industrial policy of

- (a) 1948 (b) 1956
(c) 1980 (d) 1991

8. India gets maximum foreign investment from

- (a) America (b) Mauritius
(c) Japan (d) France

9. The illegal activities that can lead to black money generation

- (a) Corruption (b) Crime
(c) Smuggling (d) All the above

10. Demonetisation of Indian bank notes were announced on

- (a) September 8, 2015
(b) October 8, 2016
(c) November 8, 2016
(d) December 8, 2017

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PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) Define human capital and specify its characteristics.

Or

(b) Explain the types of human capital.

12. (a) Brief the concept 'Domestic capital formation'.

Or

(b) Why capital formation is low in India?

13. (a) Explain the sub-sector of service sector in India.

Or

(b) Briefly the importance of service sector in foreign trade.

14. (a) Explain the concept 'Globalisation'.

Or

(b) Analyse the growth of foreign investment flows in India.

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15. (a) Specify the causes for corruption.

Or

- (b) Write a note on cyber crime.

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Analyse the importance of human capital.

Or

- (b) What are the methods of improving the quality of human capital?

17. (a) Assess the role of capital formation in economic development.

Or

- (b) Narrate the factors influencing capital formation.

18. (a) Examine the performance of service sector in India.

Or

- (b) Discuss the role of information technology in service sector.

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19. (a) Analyse the impact of globalisation on Indian economy.

Or

- (b) Make an assessment of employment situation in India during the era of globalisation.

20. (a) Explain the causes and effects of black money.

Or

- (b) Discuss the impact of demonetisations on Indian economy.

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