

JL – 10/14

Economics

Paper – II

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 200

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Answer any five questions.

1. Explain Multi-dimensional Poverty Index. How far is it different from Human Development Index ? Discuss with reference to measurement of human development and deprivation in India. 40
2. Examine the Age structure of population in India and its demographic dividend (as per 2011 Census). Bring out the challenges of Indian Ageing Population. 40
3. Describe the policy of financial inclusion in supply of agriculture credit to Indian farmers. Discuss the role of rural co-operatives in financial inclusion during 2003-04 to 2010-2011 period. 40

4. Assess the performance of Information Technology (IT) and IT-enabled industry in India during 10th and 11th five year plan. 40
5. Critically examine Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) flow in India since 1991. Bring out its advantages and disadvantages. 40
6. Discuss the main features of New Foreign Trade Policy (2009-14) of Govt. of India. How far it has stimulated the growth of Indian trade share in Global Trade ? 40
7. Bring out the initiation and outcome of the Govt's National Health Mission with reference to ASHA Scheme. 40
8. Explain the salient features of Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999. How far is it a major departure from Foreign Exchange Regulation Act (FERA) ? 40

