

PAPER-IV (B) (4729 B)

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMY

M.M:75 INTERNAL:25

- UNIT (A) Growth and Development – Concept and Nature.
- UNIT (B) Agriculture – Mode of Production in Agriculture, Green Revolution, land tenure system, Agrarian relations and agrarian reforms with reference to Rajasthan, Agricultural labour- Concept, Categories, Number and Problems, Measures for improvement.
- UNIT (C) New Dimensions of Rural Economy – Dairy Development, Animal husbandry, Water, Agriculture Irrigation Management Practices and Co-operatives.
- UNIT (D) Rural Indebtedness –Role of Credit Institutions in Rural India and Problems of Rural Credit. Agricultural Marketing and Prices, Rural Electrification, Small Scale and Cottage Industries and their role in the Development of Rural Economy. Problems and Measures of Development. Role of NGO's in Rural Development.
- UNIT (E) Review of Rural Development policies and programmes –
IRDP (Integrated Rural Development Programmes), DRDA (District Rural Development Agency), Concept and Coverage, Role of State Administration, Block Level planning, Priority sector lending, Lead bank scheme progress and Achievement.

Books Recommended:

- Peter Robe(ed) : Rural India.
- A Ghosh : A New Book at Indian Economics.
- J.N. Barmenda(ed) : Indian Agricultural Development since Independence.
- P.C. Agrawal : Green Revolution and Agricultural Labour.
- V.K.R.V. Rao(ed) : Agricultural Labour in India.
- Thorner : Agrarian Problems in India.
- Malvia : Land Tenure in India

- B.L.Paliwal : Rural Development and Rural Electrification.
- Brahamananda (ed) : The Development process of the Indian Economy.
- Patel and Others(ed) : Rural Economics
- Andre Bateille : Studies in Agrarian Social Structure.
- P.C. Joshi : Land Reforms in India
- M. Haswell : Economic Development in India.
- G.Myrdal : Asian Drama Vol III
- Govt. of India : Ninth Five Year Plan.
- Reports : Rural Development and Panchayati Rajasthan.