

**M.A. (FINAL) ECONOMICS
EXAMINATION, 2005-2006**

Core Papers

Paper V : Indian Economic Policy

Paper VI : Economics of Growth And Development

Paper VII : International Trade and Finance

Paper VIII : Economics of Social Sector and Environment.

Optional Papers

Any one of the following :

XA - Industrial Economics

Or

XB - Econometrics

Or

XC - Demography

Or

XD - Computer Application In Economic Analysis

Or

X-E - Dissertation.

**M.A. (FINAL) ECONOMICS
Compulsory Paper**

Paper-V

INDIAN ECONOMIC POLICY

Unit I

Approaches to economic development and its measurement -sustainable development; Role of State, market and other institutions; Indicators of development -PQLI, , Human Development Index (HDI), gender development indices. Broad demographic features of Indian population.; Rural-urban migration; Urbanization and civic amenities; Poverty and Inequality.

Unit II

Objectives and strategy of planning; Failures and achievements of Plans; Developing grass-root organizations for development -Panchayats, NGOs and pressure groups. Energy; Social infrastructure - education and health; Issues and Policies in financing infrastructural Development : Regional imbalance.

Unit III

Institutional Structure -land reforms in India; Technological change in agriculture -pricing of agricultural inputs and output; Terms of trade between

agriculture and industry; Agricultural finance policy; Agricultural Marketing and Warehousing; Issues in food security -policies for sustainable agriculture; Industrial policy; Privatisation and disinvestment debate; Growth and pattern of industrialisation; Small-scale sector; Exit policy -issues in labour market reforms.

Unit IV

Fiscal Policy in India - Problems relating to fiscal policy; Fiscal sector reforms in India. Financial sector reforms; Review of monetary policy of RBI; Money and capital markets; Working of SEBI in India.

Unit V

Structure and direction of foreign trade; Balance of payments; Issues in export-import policy and FEMA; Exchange rate policy; Foreign capital and MNCs in India; Globalisation of Indian economy; W.T.O .and its impact on the different sectors of the economy.

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