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**B.A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OCTOBER 2017**SEMESTER –5: **ECONOMICS (CORE COURSE)**COURSE: **15U5CRECO09: INDIAN ECONOMY***(For Regular 2015 admission)*

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

**PART A**

Write notes on all questions in one or two sentences.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. Drain of Wealth
2. Demographic Dividend
3. Demonetisation
4. Sex ratio
5. Privatization
6. Renewable Energy
7. BRICS
8. Micro Finance
9. NITI Aayog
10. Hindu Growth Rate

(1 x 10 = 10)

**PART B**Write notes on **any eight** of the following in three or four sentences.

Each question carries 2 marks.

11. Objectives and strategies of planning.
12. Indian Handicrafts during the British period
13. What are factors causing urban migration?
14. Occupational distribution in India
15. Disinvestment of PSU's.
16. Initiatives for economic empowerment of women
17. Significance of microfinance
18. Deindustrialization or industrial sector crisis under the British rule
19. Black money
20. Energy crisis

(2 x 8 = 16)

**PART C**Answer **any five** of the following in not more than one page.

Each question carries five marks.

21. Explain Gender inequality
22. Discuss the rationale behind New Economic Reforms.

23. Elaborate the problem of poverty in India.
24. What you understand by Liberalization, Privatization and Globalization?
25. Explain the demographic features of India.
26. Explain the structure of Indian economy before the colonial period.
27. What is inclusive growth? Bring out government initiatives to achieve it. (5 x 5 = 25)

#### PART D

Answer **any two** of the following in not exceeding four pages.

Each question carries 12 marks.

28. Discuss the Economic consequences of British rule on India.
29. Explain the New Economic Reforms launched in India during early 1990s.
30. What is demographic dividend? What are the steps taken by the government to realize it?
31. Explain the importance of infrastructure. Elaborate the major infrastructure development programs launched in the country in recent years. (12 x 2 = 24)

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