

UG 5th Semester Examination 2021

ECONOMICS (Honours)

Paper Code : DSE-1

[CBCS]

Full Marks: 32

Time: Two Hours

DSE-1A

Economics of Health And Education

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Group-A

Answer any four of the following questions:

2×4=8

1. What are the scopes of Health Economics?
2. What do you mean by Human capital?
3. What do you mean by Disability Adjusted Life Years (DALYs).
4. Define Morbidity Rate.
5. What is Public Private Partnership (PPP) in healthcare services?
6. Why market failure occurs in the education sector?

Group –B

Answer any four of the following questions:

4×4=16

7. Briefly discuss the role of a government in developing education sector of the country.
8. Make a note on the spillover effects in public health system.
9. Discuss briefly the concept of Burden of Diseases.
10. Discuss in brief the role of education in human development of a country.
11. Explain why the morbidity measurement is considered as a better health indicator than the mortality measurement of a country.

12. Do you think that externalities can arise in healthcare market? Justify your answer.
13. Distinguish between private and social returns in the context of education.
14. How does the Human capital accumulation can break the low level trap of an economy?

Group -C

Answer any one of the following questions:

8×1=8

15. Explain the causal inter-linkage between Health and Poverty of an economy.
16. Illustrate the Spill-over effect and intergenerational impact of education and health.

DSE-1B
Issues in Indian Economy

Full marks: 32

Time: Two hours

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Group- A

Answer any four questions.

2×4=8

1. What is minimum support price?
2. Define Non Performing Assets.
3. Define small scale industries.
4. What are intellectual property rights?
5. Why are the main purposes of Food Security Act?
6. Define fiscal deficit.

Group B

Answer any four questions.

4×4=16

7. Distinguish between formal and informal sectors with suitable examples.
8. Explain the reasons for the failure of Public Sector Undertaking in India.
9. Illustrate the compositions of the Indian banking system.
10. Explain the impacts of foreign investment in improving the performance of Indian industries.
11. What measures are taken to control inflationary problem in India?
12. What are the problems that the Indian small scale industries have faced in recent times?
13. Why is the industrial diversification strategy necessary for overall performance of Indian industries? Briefly explain.
14. How did the technological application in the agrarian sector make changes in the agricultural productivity in India? Explain.

Group- C

Answer any one question.

8×1=8

15. Discuss the agricultural and industrial performance in India during the WTO regime.
16. How fiscal policy instruments were used by the Government of Indian to promote economic growth in recent times?

DSE-1C
(Resource and Environmental Economics)

Full Marks: 32

Time: Two Hours

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Group-A

Answer any *four* questions.

2×4=8

1. What is pollution credit?
2. Define 'option value'?
3. What are the main purposes of Earth Summit?
4. What do you mean by sustainable development?
5. What are exhaustible resources?
6. Draw the Environmental Kuznets Curve.

Group-B

Answer any *four* questions.

4×4=16

7. Explain the adverse effects of externalities in the management of common property resources.
8. Discuss the characteristics of a public goods with example.
9. Explain how externalities result in inefficiencies in production.
10. How does 'willingness to pay' differ from 'willingness to accept'? Explain
11. Discuss Montreal Protocol in relation to the solutions of Trans-boundary environmental problem.
12. Discuss how Pigouvian tax can eliminate the pollution externality problem.
13. How environmental pollution lead to market failure? Explain.
14. Explain the economic impact of global warming.

Group-C

Answer any *one* question.

8×1=8

15. Discuss the importance of Sustainable Development in the context of environmental problems.
16. In the light of Coase Theorem describe how the allocations of property rights to both the polluter and receptor solve the environmental externality problem. Discuss.