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FOURTH SEMESTER P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2023

(CCSS)

Economics

ECO 4E 05—POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT

(2019 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Multiple Choice Questions)*Answer all questions.**Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. Population census in India is conducted by :
 - (a) CSO and NSSO.
 - (b) Registrar General and Census commissioner of India.
 - (c) Ministry of Finance.
 - (d) Directorate of Economics and Statistics.
2. Decennial rate of growth of population in India based on 2011 census :
 - (a) 9.5.
 - (b) 21.45.
 - (c) 19.65
 - (d) 17.64.
3. In census data 2011, which of the following state holds the maximum rural population in India :
 - (a) Uttar Pradesh.
 - (b) Bihar.
 - (c) Madhya Pradesh.
 - (d) Andhra Pradesh.
4. National Family Planning Programme started in :
 - (a) 1950.
 - (b) 1951.
 - (c) 1952.
 - (d) 1955.
5. Which among the North-Eastern States of India has the highest literacy level as per 2011 Census ?
 - (a) Tripura.
 - (b) Mizoram.
 - (c) Meghalaya.
 - (d) Manipur.

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6. After China and India , which country is the third largest populated country :
- (a) Indonesia. (b) Brazil.
(c) Russia. (d) U.S.A.
7. Which year is known as the year of demographic divide ?
- (a) 1921. (b) 1920.
(c) 1919. (d) 1918.
8. The word Census is derived from which language :
- (a) Latin. (b) Greek.
(c) German. (d) Persian.
9. Which among the following countries has a better gender ratio than India ?
- (a) Bhutan. (b) Pakistan.
(c) China. (d) Afghanistan.
10. Next to Delhi, which is the most populated Union Territory in India ?
- (a) Chandigarh. (b) Puducherry.
(c) Daman and Diu. (d) Andaman and Nicobar.

(10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Part B (Very Short Answer Questions)

*Answer any **five** questions.*

Each question carries 2 marks.

*Answer in one **or** two sentences each.*

11. Explain the concept of demographic transition
12. What are the factors determining population growth ?
13. Explain the optimum theory of population
14. Explain the factors affecting mortality
15. What do you mean by population dividend ?
16. Distinguish between immigration and emigration.
17. Indicate the importance of census enumeration
18. What does the concept of optimum population convey ?

(5 × 2 = 10 marks)

Part C (Short Essay Questions)

*Answer any **eight** questions.*

Each question carries 5 marks.

19. Write a note on the aging of population.
20. What is population pyramid? Explain its importance.
21. Briefly explain the growth, structure and distribution of world population.
22. Explain the Malthusian theory of Population.
23. Discuss the types of migration.
24. What are the major phases of India's population growth rate?
25. Explain the trends of rural urban distribution of population in India.
26. Explain the measures of fertility rate.
27. Explain the factors effecting urbanization.
28. What are the determinants of sex ratio?
29. Briefly explain the gender and age structure of female population.
30. Write a short note on population policy 2000.

(8 × 5 = 40 marks)

Part D (Essay Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions.*

Each question carries 10 marks.

31. Make an assessment of the major demographic features of 2011 census in India.
32. Discuss the inter relationship between population, environment and health.
33. Explain the theories of internal migration and cost and benefits of internal migration and out migration.
34. Population growth as a factor of economic development - Comment your opinion.

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)