



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - ECONOMICS

FOURTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2013

EC 4809 - INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND POLICY - II

Date : 27/04/2013
Time : 1:00 - 4:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Part – A

Answer any five questions not exceeding 75 words each:

(5 x 4 = 20)

1. List out the very important problems of Indian Economy.
2. Mention the various determinants of economic development.
3. Define poverty.
4. What are the non economic factors hindering economic development?
5. Give an account of 'human development index 2011.
6. Bring out the density and sex ratio of population census 2011.
7. State the importance of 'Rail Road Coordination in India.

Part – B

Answer any four questions in about 250 words each:

(4 x 10 = 40)

8. Bring out a brief resume of disinvestment for the development of infrastructure
9. Explain the various characteristic features of Indian Economy.
10. What are the features of Indian population and mention the national population policy of 2000.
11. Evaluate the performance of energy and power sector in India.
12. 'Civil aviation in our country is a failure' – Discuss.
13. Compare and contrast poverty in India with some developing countries of the world.
14. What are the steps taken by government of India to reduce inequalities of in the distribution of income and wealth.

Part – C

Answer any two questions in about 900 words each:

(2 x 20 = 40)

15. Critically examine the anti-poverty programmes in India since independence.
16. Discuss the various challenges faced by the Indian railways suggest remedies.
17. Bring out the significance of road and water transport in India.
18. Discuss the importance of Human development index and review the progress India has made since Independence.
