

**BACHELOR OF COMMERCE [HONS]  
FOURTH SEMESTER [REPEAT]  
INDIAN ECONOMY  
BCM – 404**

**SET  
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**[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]**

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 mins.

**(Objective)**

Marks: 20

*Choose the correct answer from the following:*

**1 × 20 = 20**

1. Which of the following organization releases World Human development report?
  - a. World Bank
  - b. World economic Forum
  - c. UNDP
  - d. UNCTAD
2. Who introduced HDI?
  - a. Mahbub\_ul\_Haq
  - b. Amartya Sen
  - c. Abhijit Sen
  - d. None of the above
3. When was HDI introduced in India?
  - a. 1989
  - b. 1990
  - c. 1991
  - d. 1992
4. HDI is a \_
  - a. Composite index
  - b. Multi dimensional rating
  - c. An indicator
  - d. Both A and B are correct
5. Which of the following state of India introduced HDI report first?
  - a. Uttar Pradesh
  - b. Kerala
  - c. Madhya Pradesh
  - d. Assam
6. Which of the following country have Happiness Index?
  - a. Nepal
  - b. Bangladesh
  - c. Pakistan
  - d. Bhutan
7. Economic Development is \_
  - a. Rise in GDP
  - b. Rise in National income
  - c. Rise in Human development
  - d. All of the above
8. India is a \_
  - a. Developed economy
  - b. Developing economy
  - c. Poor economy
  - d. All of the above
9. Which of the following is not a feature of LDC's?
  - a. Very high Per capita income
  - b. High unemployment
  - c. High population growth
  - d. High poverty
10. Which of the following statement is true?
  - a. Kerala has high HDI & Bihar has low HDI
  - b. Kerala has highest unemployment
  - c. Bihar has highest literacy
  - d. All of the above

11. Main feature of the Indian economy during British time was\_
  - a. Agrarian
  - b. Small scale industry
  - c. Medium enterprises
  - d. All of the above
12. First main cash crop introduced by British in India was\_
  - a. Jute
  - b. Indigo
  - c. Poppy
  - d. Coffee
13. Who propounded drain theory?
  - a. LBG Tilak
  - b. Lala Lajpat Rai
  - c. Dadabhai Naoraji
  - d. Iswar Ch. Bidyasagar
14. Colonialism in India last for?
  - a. 100 years
  - b. 150 years
  - c. 200 years
  - d. 220 years
15. Under British rule India was a\_
  - a. Metropolitan
  - b. Colony
  - c. Both A and B
  - d. None of the above
16. Which of the following cash crop introduced during British time in North East India?
  - a. Tea
  - b. Rubber
  - c. Jute
  - d. All of the above
17. Who discovered the sea route from West Coast of Africa to India?
  - a. Columbus
  - b. British East India Company
  - c. Vasco Da Gama
  - d. Sir Walter Releigh
18. Who among the following influence British to come to India?
  - a. Portuguese
  - b. Americans
  - c. Dutch
  - d. French
19. When the East India Company was acquired a charter from the ruler of England?
  - a. 1600
  - b. 1602
  - c. 1603
  - d. 1605
20. Who was the ruler of England when East India Company got permission to trade in India?
  - a. Anne
  - b. Victoria
  - c. Queen Elizabeth I
  - d. George I

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**( Descriptive )**

Time : 2 Hr. 30 Mins.

Marks : 50

[ Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest ]

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| 1. What are the main objectives of economic planning in India?                                                                                          | 10       |
| 2. What are different state policies undertaken during British era that led to underdevelopment in India? Explain it.                                   | 10       |
| 3. What is sustainable development? How population growth has affected environmental resources? Explain some remedies.                                  | 2+5+3=10 |
| 4. Explain India's nature of underdevelopment during British rule.                                                                                      | 10       |
| 5. Define HDI. What was the logic behind formation of HDI? Explain the theoretical background of HDI.                                                   | 2+3+5=10 |
| 6. Explain the dimensions and indicators of HDI. How final HDI is derived?                                                                              | 7+3=10   |
| 7. Explain various land reform measures of India. Mention its merits and demerits.                                                                      | 8+2=10   |
| 8. What is economic development? What is the difference between economic development and growth? Mention certain characteristics of developing economy. | 2+3+5=10 |

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