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**Quarterly Examination - 2017**  
**INDIAN ECONOMICS**  
**PART - A**

Time : 2.30 hrs.

Max. Marks : 90

**20 x 1 = 20****\* Answer all the questions.****\* Choose the correct answer**

1. The author of 'Arthasasthra' is  
a) Thiruvalluvar b) Kautilya c) Jawaharlal Nehru d) Mahatma Gandhi
2. The Mercantilists gave utmost importance to  
a) Agriculture b) Manufacturing industry c) Trade d) Imports
3. The physiocrats considered only the following as productive occupation.  
a) manufacturing industry b) agriculture c) service sector d) soldiers
4. The author of stages of growth theory is  
a) Malthus b) W.W. Rostow c) J.M. Keynes d) Adam Smith
5. Mention which is not a cause for population explosion  
a) High BR b) Social customs c) High DR d) Poverty
6. T.R. Malthus published his book "Essay on the Principles of Population" in  
a) 1896 b) 1776 c) 1857 d) 1798
7. Population increases in a .....ratio, as explained by Robert Malthus.  
a) Proportionate b) Geometric c) Arithmetic d) Progressive
8. ....refers to the rate of death occurring per thousand new born babies  
a) Natality b) Mortality c) infant mortality d) death rate
9. Basic needs like food, clothing and shelter are.....needs.  
a) physical b) social c) psychological d) cultural
10. The Planning Commission of India defined poverty on the basis of  
a) Income b) Consumption c) Calorie intake of food d) employment
11. Agriculture gives rise to.....unemployment.  
a) cyclical b) structural c) seasonal d) professional
12. The method of estimate of national income from the distribution side is called.....  
a) Product method b) Income method c) Expenditure method d) none of the above
13. The percapita income of an economy can be calculated by  
a) Dividing GDP by population b) Dividing GNP by population c) Multiplying GNP by population  
d) Dividing GNP by number of people employed
14. The difference between NNP and NDP is  
a) Depreciation b) Current transfers from rest of world. c) Indirect Tax. d) Net factor income from abroad
15. National income as commonly understand by every one refers to  
a) GNP b) NNP c) GDP d) NDP
16. The first census of population in India was taken in  
a) 1781 b) 2001 c) 1872 d) 1972
17. Who was the Prime Minister of India when the first five year plan was launched  
a) Jawaharlal Nehru b) Indira Gandhi c) Lalbahadur Shastri d) Mahatma Gandhi
18. The first country to introduce Five Year Plan was  
a) U.K. b) U.S.A. c) Former Soviet Russia d) France
19. Perspective plan covers a period of

- a) 5 years b) 10 years c) 20 to 25 years d) 15 years  
 20. There was plan holiday in India from  
 a) 1966 - 69 b) 1961 - 63 c) 1980 - 84 d) 2002 - 2004

**PART - B****Answer any seven in which Question No.30 is compulsory****7 x 2 = 14**

21. Write a short note on "Jubilee year".  
 22. Define 'Economic growth'.  
 23. Give two examples for preventive checkers.  
 24. Define : 'Birth rate'.  
 25. What is 'absolute poverty'?  
 26. Define unemployment.  
 27. What are the factors of production?  
 28. What is 'Net Domestic Product'?  
 29. What is a Rolling Plan?  
 30. What are the two main objectives of Fifth Five Year Plan?

**PART - C****Answer any seven question in which question 40 is compulsory.****7 x 3 = 21**

31. What is vicious circle of poverty?  
 32. Write a note on 'take-off stage'.  
 33. What are the factors determining population growth?  
 34. Write any three uses of population census.  
 35. Define : 'Poverty line'.  
 36. What are the other dimensions of poverty?  
 37. Write a note on 'Double counting'.  
 38. Draw the diagram of circular flow of two sectors economy.  
 39. What is Mahalanobis strategy?  
 40. What is the main problem of planning in under developed countries?

**PART - D****Answer all the questions****7 x 5 = 35**

41. Explain any five characteristics of underdeveloped countries. (OR)  
 Explain optimum theory of population.  
 42. Describe Rostow's stages of economic growth. (OR)  
 Explain the causes of population explosion.  
 43. Why is Keynes considered as the father of new economics? (OR)  
 What are the causes of poverty in India.  
 44. Explain Malthusian theory of population. (OR)  
 Briefly explain any five programs implemented to allivate poverty.  
 45. Distinguish between National income at current and constant prices. (OR)  
 What are the key objectives of the Tenth plan.  
 46. Explain the need for the study of national income. (OR)  
 What are the major objectives of Planning in India.  
 47. Describe the problems in calculating the National income. (OR)  
 Describe the various measures taken to solve unemployment problems in India.