

2025

(CBCS)

(5th Semester)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

SEVENTH PAPER

(Economic Administration)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. Economic administration mainly refers to

- (a) laissez-faire system ()
- (b) government intervention ()
- (c) private enterprises ()
- (d) non-interference ()

2. Globalisation is associated with

- (a) internalisation ()
- (b) nationalisation ()
- (c) regionalism ()
- (d) localisation ()

3. NITI Aayog was setup

- (a) by an act of Parliament ()
- (b) by a provision in the Constitution ()
- (c) by special statue ()
- (d) by a resolution of the Union Cabinet ()

4. Which Article of the Indian Constitution provides for the creation of the District Planning Committee?
- (a) Article 243Y () (b) Article 243ZD ()
- (c) Article 243ZC () (d) Article 243ZB ()
5. Which of the following is called as statutory body?
- (a) The Finance Commission of India ()
- (b) The Planning Commission of India ()
- (c) The Public Corporation ()
- (d) The NITI Aayog ()
6. The second Industrial Policy Resolution was adopted in the year
- (a) 1948 () (b) 1950 ()
- (c) 1957 () (d) 1956 ()
7. When the estimated revenues fall short of the estimated expenditure, it is called
- (a) deficit budget () (b) surplus budget ()
- (c) balanced budget () (d) long-term budget ()
8. "Statements of facts relating to money or things having money value" is known as
- (a) banking () (b) budget ()
- (c) accounts () (d) audit ()
9. PPP involves a contract between
- (a) a public sector authority and a private party ()
- (b) a government department and government company ()
- (c) a public corporation and government company ()
- (d) a private company and a private business firm ()
10. The slow progress of cooperative movement in India is mainly due to
- (a) chronic unemployment ()
- (b) decentralisation of power ()
- (c) political instability ()
- (d) defective management and leadership ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWERS)

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following questions in about 50 words :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

- 1. Mention the importance of Economic Administration.**

OR

- 2. What is meant by Liberalization?**

UNIT—II

- 3. Write three functions of District Planning Committee.**

OR

- 4. What is the composition of National Development Council?**

UNIT—III

- 5. What is meant by public corporation?**

OR

- 6. Write three features of Industrial Policy Resolution of 1956.**

UNIT—IV

- 7. What is meant by Budget?**

OR

- 8. What is meant by Accounts?**

UNIT—V

- 9. What is Zamindari system?**

OR

- 10. State the importance of Cooperative Movement.**

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Discuss the meaning and scope of Economic Administration.

OR

2. Explain the role of the Government in economic development.

UNIT—II

3. Discuss the meaning and significance of Planning.

OR

4. Write a note on State Planning Board.

UNIT—III

5. What are the main characteristics of departmental undertaking? Discuss its merits and demerits.

OR

6. Describe the main features of Industrial Policy Resolution of 1948.

UNIT—IV

7. Discuss the meaning and features of Audit.

OR

8. Discuss the powers and functions of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

UNIT—V

9. Discuss the concept and objective of Land Reforms in India.

OR

10. Write a note on Public-Private Partnership in economic development.

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