

2024

(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. Which one of the following is an important feature of developing economy?

- (a) High per capita income ()
- (b) Highly developed industry ()
- (c) Heavy population pressure ()
- (d) Employment opportunity ()

2. Liberalization means

- (a) people's participation ()
- (b) tightening of policies ()
- (c) de-regulation of policies ()
- (d) equal ownership ()

3. The concept of 'planning' implies

- (a) execution of public policy ()
- (b) process of monitoring and evaluation ()
- (c) preparation of financial sanction ()
- (d) deciding in advance what is to be done ()

4. Who among the following is the Chairman of the State Planning Board?
- (a) The Finance Minister ()
 - (b) The Chief Secretary ()
 - (c) The Governor ()
 - (d) The Chief Minister ()
5. The Industrial Policy, 1948 ushered India in the system of
- (a) capitalist economy ()
 - (b) socialist economy ()
 - (c) liberalized economy ()
 - (d) mixed economy ()
6. The government and a private firm can run business jointly under
- (a) statutory corporation ()
 - (b) departmental undertaking ()
 - (c) government company ()
 - (d) public trust ()
7. Which of the following Departments is responsible for the preparation of Union Budget?
- (a) Department of Economic Affairs ()
 - (b) Department of Revenue ()
 - (c) Department of Expenditure ()
 - (d) Department of Financial Services ()
8. Zamindari system was started by
- (a) William Bentinck ()
 - (b) Lord Minto ()
 - (c) Lord Cornwallis ()
 - (d) Robert Clive ()
9. The Green Revolution mainly refers to
- (a) insurgency ()
 - (b) agricultural revolution ()
 - (c) industrial revolution ()
 - (d) information and communication technology ()
10. Audit means
- (a) thorough inspection of the books of accounts ()
 - (b) statement of financial expenditure ()
 - (c) a fixed period on a stock exchange ()
 - (d) keeping a systematic record of financial transaction ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWERS)

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. What is meant by economic development?

OR

2. What is meant by privatization?

UNIT—II

3. Define planning.

OR

4. Write any three functions of erstwhile Planning Commission of India.

UNIT—III

5. What is meant by government company?

OR

6. Discuss any three objectives of Industrial Policy Resolution of 1991.

UNIT—IV

7. Mention three functions of Union Ministry of Finance.

OR

8. What do you understand by accounts?

UNIT—V

9. What is meant by public-private partnership in economic development?

OR

10. State any three weaknesses of Cooperative Movement in India.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Discuss the meaning and importance of economic administration.

OR

2. Write a note on New Economic Policy.

UNIT—II

3. Write the composition and functions of NITI Aayog.

OR

4. Write a note on District Planning Committee in India.

UNIT—III

5. Discuss the important features of Industrial Policy Resolution of 1956.

OR

6. Describe the impact of New Economic Policy on PSUs in India.

UNIT—IV

7. Define budget. Discuss the various types of budget.

3+7=10

OR

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

UNIT—V

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

OR

10. Write a note on Cooperative Movement in India.
