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S.K.University – Anantapuramu
M.A. RURAL DEVELOPMENT Second Year

Paper VI – NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

Max Marks : 25

Section – A

Answer any ONE of the following in minimum 40 lines 1 x 5 = 5

- 1) Give an account of the problems of soil erosion and land degradation in India.
- 2) Write a note on carrying capacity of soils.

Section – B

Answer any TWO of the following in minimum 60 lines 2 x 10 = 20

- 3) Examine the trends in land use pattern in India.
- 4) Explain the need for sustainable use of Common Property Resources.
- 5) Analysis the challenges in the use of water resources.
- 6) Discuss the strategies for sustainable use of water for irrigation in India.

Paper VII – HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT

Max Marks : 25

Section – A

Answer any ONE of the following in minimum 40 lines 1 x 5 = 5

- 1) Give an account of the concept of Human Resource Development.
- 2) Write a note on the significance of Human Development Index.

Section – B

Answer any TWO of the following in minimum 60 lines 2 x 10 = 20

- 3) Discuss the efforts and achievements in Human Capital Formation in India.
- 4) Explain the Components and measurement of HDI.
- 5) Analyse the factors influencing the HDI.
- 6) Discuss the role of FTCs and KVKs in promoting HRD in agriculture.

Paper VIII – RURAL CREDIT AND MARKETING

Max Marks : 25

Section – A

Answer any ONE of the following in minimum 40 lines 1 x 5 = 5

- 1) Explain the causes and consequences of rural indebtedness.
- 2) Discuss the concept of Micro Finance.

Section – B

Answer any TWO of the following in minimum 60 lines 2 x 10 = 20

- 3) Discuss the nature and significance of rural credit in India.
- 4) Explain the role of RBI and NABARD in rural credit.
- 5) Examine the role of Micro finance in poverty reduction and women empowerment.
- 6) Explain the process of self – help promotion and the precautions to be taken while forming SHGs.

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Paper IX – RURAL DEVELOPMENT PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT

Max Marks : 25

Section – A

Answer any ONE of the following in minimum 40 lines 1 x 5 = 5

- 1) Explain the importance of planning for rural development in India.
- 2) Discuss the components of the Project Cycle.

Section – B

Answer any TWO of the following in minimum 60 lines 2 x 10 = 20

- 3) Discuss the ZOPP and PCM methods for project planning.
- 4) Explain the steps in Project Identification.
- 5) Describe the procedure for formation of NGOs in India.
- 6) Examine the role of NGOs in rural development in India.

← **Paper X – PROJECT WORK**

Max Marks : 25

Section – A

Answer any ONE of the following in minimum 40 lines 1 x 5 = 5

- 1) Explain the concept of research design.
- 2) Discuss the importance of formulation of Hypothesis.

Section – B

Answer any TWO of the following in minimum 60 lines 2 x 10 = 20

- 3) Discuss the tools for data collection.
- 4) Explain the different types of Sampling.
- 5) Describe the steps in the formulation of a research problem.
- 6) Examine the different sources of data for social research.