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End Semester Examination, December 2024
B.A. ((Hons/Hons with Research)- 3rd Semester
Economics of Growth & Development-I (HUES201)

Time: 2.5 hrs.

Max Marks: **50**

Note: ***All Questions are compulsory. Marks are indicated against each question.***

The first question will consist of 7 small questions covering the entire syllabus out of which student has to attempt 5 questions

PART-A

Q.1

- (a) What are the three core values of development? [CO-1] [L-2] **2**
- (b) What is the difference between economic growth and economic development? [CO-1] [L-2] **2**
- (c) What is the Happiness Index? [CO-1] [L-2] **2**
- (d) Knife-Edge Balance [CO-1] [L-2] **2**
- (e) Discuss Gender Gap [CO-1] [L-2] **2**
- (f) Briefly explain the Demographic Transition [CO-1] [L-2] **2**
- (g) Technical Progress [CO-1] [L-2] **2**

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PART-B

Q.2 Discuss the Physical Quality of Life Index (PQLI) and Human Development Index (HDI). How do they differ in their approach to measuring development? [CO-2] [L-3] **10**

OR

Discuss the Dual Model of Development with reference to Lewis Model of Unlimited Supply of Labour. How does this theory explain underdevelopment in certain economies?

[CO-2] [L-3] **10**

Q.3 Analyze Rostow's Stages of Growth theory. How does it explain the process of development in a country? [CO-3] [L-4] **10**

OR

Analyze the relationship between population growth and economic development using the Malthusian theory and its relevance in today's context. [CO-3] [L-4] **10**

Q.4 Discuss the challenges and opportunities posed by population growth in developing countries with a specific reference to India and China. [CO-4] [L-4] **10**

OR

Critically analyze the Harrod-Domar Growth Model to maintain the steady-state growth in an advanced economy. [CO- 4] [L-4] **10**

Q.5 Evaluate the contribution of human capital formation to economic development. Discuss the roles of education and health in fostering economic growth, and analyze their impact on productivity, innovation, and overall economic progress. [CO-4] [L-5] **10**

OR

Critically analyse the relationship between technical progress and economic growth. How do labor-intensive and capital-intensive techniques affect productivity in developing countries? [CO- 4] [L-5] **10**