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M.A. III Semester Degree Examination, April/May - 2023

ECONOMICS

Rural Economics

(CBCS)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Answer **any five** of the following questions with question No. **1** is **compulsory**. Each question carries **equal** marks.

1. What do you mean by Rural Economy ? Explain the Features and Importance of Rural Economy. 14
2. Critically examine the various Poverty Alleviation and Employment Generation Programmes in Indian Rural Economy. 14
3. Examine the role of NBFCs and Cooperatives in Rural Economy. 14
4. Explain the role of NABARD in financing agriculture. 14
5. Briefly elaborate the Infrastructure Programmes. 14
6. What do you mean by Rural Poverty ? Explain the Causes and Consequences of Rural Poverty. 14
7. What are the sources of Agriculture Finance ? Explain. 14
8. Write a short note on following concepts.5
 - (a) Concepts of AAY. 5
 - (b) Types of Agriculture. 4
 - (c) Problems of Khadi Industries.

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