

(h) Who is the chief exponent of the doctrine of unbalanced growth?

2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 4×4=16

(a) Structural changes in the development process

(b) Composition of national income in India

(c) Types of unemployment

(d) Sources of economic growth

(e) Difference between balanced and unbalanced growth strategies

3. (a) Explain the meaning of economic development. Also discuss how the study of development economics helps us to understand the nature and causes of poverty in low-income countries. 4+7=11

Or

(b) Discuss critically per capita income as an index of development. Also discuss how Human Development Index (HDI) is a better index of development as compared to per capita income. 6+5=11

4. (a) Discuss briefly the causes and features of underdevelopment. 11

Or

(b) Discuss the basic features of Indian economy as a developing economy. 11

5. (a) Define poverty. What are the causes of poverty in India? Discuss the initiatives of the Government of India to tackle poverty. Also discuss why the steps adopted by the Government of India to tackle poverty have failed to achieve the desired result. 1+3+4+4=12