

### UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A./B.Sc. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2023

## **DSE-P3-ECONOMICS (705 / 706)**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 60

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

# Choose any *one* paper from DSE-705 and DSE-706 The candidates should mention it clearly on the Answer Book.

#### **DSE-705**

#### TRIBAL ECONOMICS

#### **GROUP-A**

1.		Answer any <i>four</i> questions:	$3 \times 4 = 12$								
	(a)	What do you mean by shifting cultivation?	3								
	(b)	What is the percentage of tribal population in West Bengal as per 2011 census? Write names of some tribes found in West Bengal.	1+2								
	(c)	What is Liquor free movement?	3								
	(d)	Mention any three features of tribal demography in India.	3								
	(e)	What do you mean by National Rural Health Mission (NRHM)?	3								
	(f)	What do you mean by bonded labour?	3								
GROUP-B											
		Answer any four questions	$6 \times 4 = 24$								
2.		Write a note on health problems that are generally observed in tribal areas.	6								
3.		Write a note on economic activities of tribals in India.	6								
4.		Suggest some of the steps that can be adopted to improve nutritional standard of mother and child in tribal areas.	6								
5.		How forestry and tribal communities are related to each other?	6								
6.		Briefly highlight some of the important roles of NGOs in the development of tribes.	6								
7.		Briefly describe problems of displacement faced by tribal communities in India.	6								
GROUP-C											
		Answer any two questions	$12 \times 2 = 24$								
8.		What are the causes and consequences of land alienation in tribal societies of India?	6+6								
9.	(a)	Briefly describe initiatives undertaken by Govt. in promoting education in tribal societies?	10+2								
	(b)	What is MADA?									

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10.	(a)	Write a short note on tribal production system.	6+6
	(b)	How animal husbandry helps to promote tribal development?	
11.	,	Critically discuss the causes and consequences of indebtedness among tribals in India.	12
		DSE-706	
		TOPICS IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS	
		GROUP-A	
1.		Answer any <i>four</i> questions from the following:	$3 \times 4 = 12$
	(a)	Define Tariff. Describe the types of tariffs.	1+2
	` ′	State the principal methods for adjustment in adverse balance of payments.	3
	(c)	Distinguish between foreign direct investment and foreign portfolio investment.	3
	(d)	Differentiate between balance of trade and balance of payment.	3
	(e)	Explain two major functions of ASEAN.	3
	(f)	Distinguish between fixed and flexible exchange rates.	
		GROUP-B	
		Answer any four questions from the following	$6 \times 4 = 24$
2.		Explain the main functions of WTO.	6
3.		"Balance of payment always balances"— Explain.	6
4.		Discuss the impact of growing MNCs on domestic economy.	6
5.		How does the imposition of tariff affect income distribution of the concerned economies?	6
6.		Discuss the elasticity approach of BOP.	6
7.		What do you mean by SAFTA? Describe India's role in SAFTA.	2+4
		GROUP-C	
		Answer any two questions from the following	$12\times2=24$
8.	(a)	What do you mean by optimum tariff?	2+4+6
	(b)	Distinguish between spot and forward foreign exchange rates.	
	(c)	Write a note on purchasing power parity theory.	
9.		Critically discuss the absorption approach to the effects of devaluation on the BOP of a country.	12
10.	(a)	Define custom union.	2+10
	(b)	Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of custom union.	
11.		How does tariff affect the income distribution? Explain with the help of diagram.	12
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