

Duration: 3 hrs

Marks: 100

N.B: (1) All questions are compulsory.

(2) Each question carries 20 Marks.

1. Attempt **any two** of the following:- 20
 - (a) Explain the change in economic growth trajectory between pre-war and inter-war periods in India.
 - (b) Explain how globalisation affected the pattern of trade in colonial India.
 - (c) Describe the pattern of public finance during the colonial period.

2. Attempt **any two** of the following:- 20
 - (a) Describe the trends in agricultural production and income in India.
 - (b) Explain the nature of land and labour markets in India.
 - (c) Why did the village commons and pastures disappear? What was its impact?

3. Attempt **any two** of the following:- 20
 - (a) What are the factors contributing to the growth of the handloom weaving industry?
 - (b) Discuss the nature of labour and capital existing in small scale industries.
 - (c) Explain the informal and formal systems of business organisation in large scale industries.

4. Attempt **any two** of the following:- 20
 - (a) Discuss the development of railways in colonial India.
 - (b) How did the government decide policies? Describe the trade policy.
 - (c) Describe the fiscal policy in colonial India.

5. Write notes on **any two** of the following:- 20
 - (a) Saving and Investment in colonial India
 - (b) Agriculture in Deccan Plateau and Western India
 - (c) Stages of Industrialisation in colonial India
 - (d) Development of Road, Inland Waterways and Ports
