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A.D.M.COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, NAGAPATTINAM

(AUTONOMOUS)

B.A (Economics) Degree Examination

V Semester –November– 2022

SBE II – RURAL ECONOMY

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Section –A

(10X2=20)

Answer **ALL** the Questions

1. State the meaning of rural economy.
2. Write any two features of rural economy.
3. What is meant by rural infrastructure?
4. Mention any two health indicators in India.
5. Define the term migration.
6. Tell the meaning of cottage industries.
7. What is meant by agricultural finance?
8. Mention any two sources of agricultural finance.
9. State the meaning of micro level planning.
10. Name any two rural development agencies in India.

Section -B

(5X5=25)

Answer **ALL** the Questions

11. a) Outline the important features of rural economy.

(Or)

b) Explain the different type of rural industries.

12. a) Assess the importance of rural education.

(Or)

b) List out the causes of lack of electricity in rural areas.

13. a) Briefly explain the impact of new agricultural strategy.

(Or)

b) Discuss the various types of agro-based industries.

14. a) Explain the problems of agricultural finance in India.

(Or)

b) List out the main objectives of NABARD in rural development.

15. a) Describe the micro level planning in rural development.

(Or)

b) Outline the role of district rural development agency.

Section -C

(3 X 10 = 30)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

16. Analyse the problems of rural economy.
17. Explain the role of transportation for rural development in India.
18. Discuss the Urban pull and rural push factors of migration.
19. Describe the importance of co-operatives in rural finance.
20. Examine the functions of planning for rural development in India.