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SIXTH SEMESTER BA DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025 (Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

ECONOMICS

GECO6B14T: ECONOMICS OF GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Time: 2 ½ Hours Maximum Marks: 80

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks. (Ceiling 25 marks)

- 1. Discuss SOC Investment.
- 2. State the concept of convergence.
- 3. Define International inequality.
- 4. State the concept of dualism.
- 5. Define GEM.
- 6. Comment on Golden age.
- 7. What do you mean by steady state growth?
- 8. What is environmental Kuznets curve?
- 9. Explain the per worker production function.
- 10. Comment on warranted growth rate.
- 11. Comment on Lorenz Curve.
- 12. What is Gini ratio?
- 13. Mention the pre-conditions of Takeoff.
- 14. Give an account on the multidimensional poverty index.
- 15. What is forward linkage?

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks. (Ceiling 35 marks)

- 16. What are the implications of global warming?
- 17. Discuss how depreciation ensures stability in Solow model.
- 18. Write a note on the importance of skill formation in endogenous growth.

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- 19. Why the age of high mass consumption in Rostow's Model is considered as a condition of consumer's sovereignty?
- 20. Explain the role indivisibilities in the theory of big push.
- 21. Briefly explain the implication of core values of economic development.
- 22. Discuss the implications of Kuznets inverted U hypothesis in the world Economy.
- 23. Explain the process of surplus generation in Fei- Ranis model.

SECTION C: Answer any two questions. Each carries ten marks.

- 24. Discuss the character of underdeveloped countries and how vicious circle of poverty increases the problems of under developed countries.
- 25. Compare Harrod and Domar models of Economic growth.
- 26. Differentiate between balanced and unbalanced growth as development strategies.
- 27. Discuss the relationship between environment and development in the framework of sustainable development.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$