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I Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS) (OBE) (Reg./Sup./Imp.)  
Examination, November 2020  
(2019 Admn. Onwards)  
Complementary Elective Course in Economics  
1C09ECO : POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. **Each** carries **one** mark.

1. What is meant by population studies ?
2. Define crude birth rate.
3. What is life expectancy ?
4. Define urbanisation.
5. What do you mean by Quasi-stationary population ?
6. What is age structure of population ?

(6×1=6)

PART – B

Answer **any six** questions. **Each** carries **two** marks.

7. State the importance of population studies.
8. What are the characteristics of population structure ?
9. What do you mean by general fertility rate ?
10. Explain Age specific mortality rate.
11. Explain the determinants of migration.
12. Explain the consequences of urbanisation.
13. What do you mean by demographic dividend ?
14. What do you mean by distribution of population ?

(6×2=12)

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PART - C

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** carries **three** marks.

15. Explain Ravensteins laws of migration.
16. Discuss the scope of population studies.
17. Explain Malthusian theory of population.
18. What do you mean by migration ? Explain the push and pull factors of migration.
19. Explain population projection techniques.
20. Explain optimum theory of population. (4×3=12)

PART - D

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** carries **five** marks.

21. What do you mean by mortality ? Explain the different measures of mortality.
22. Explain theory of demographic transition.
23. Briefly explain the theories of migration.
24. Explain the National population policy in 2000. (2×5=10)