

2026

(FYUGP)

(6th Semester)

ECONOMICS

(MAJOR)

Paper : EC6. CC12

(Development Economics—I)

Full Marks : 75

Pass Marks : 40%

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions.

Answer **one** question from each Unit.

UNIT—I

1. What are economic development and underdevelopment? Explain the factors affecting economic growth. 5+10=15
2. What role do industry and infrastructure play in driving economic development? 15

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UNIT—II

3. Critically examine Karl Marx's theory of economic development. 15
4. Explain Malthus' theory of economic development. 15

UNIT—III

5. Discuss the Solow Model of economic growth. 15
6. Critically explain Joan Robinson's Model of economic growth. 15

UNIT—IV

7. Discuss the Rostow stages of economic growth. 15
8. Explain balanced and unbalanced growth. 15

UNIT—V

9. What is investment criterion? How is it used to evaluate projects in LDCs? 3+12=15
10. Explain the choice of technique in least developed countries. 15