

DISTANCE EDUCATION

B.B.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2011.

RURAL BANKING

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

PART A — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions about 200 words each.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Bring out the features of Indian Rural Economy.
2. What are the sources of Rural Finance in India?
3. Discuss the role of Commercial Banks in rural credit.
4. What do you mean by Rural Development programmes? Explain any two of them.
5. Explain the procedure for identification and formulation of a project.
6. Explain the features of Lead bank Scheme.
7. Discuss the importance of credit planning at the grass root level.
8. Explain the role of the NGOs in rural development.

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions about 400 words each.

All questions carry equal marks.

9. Discuss the requisites of a Good Rural Finance System.
 10. Describe the functions of Regional Rural Banks.
 11. Explain the concept and composition of priority sector advances.
 12. Discuss the various steps involved in appraising a Rural Development project.
 13. Discuss the role of District Industries Centre (DIC) in rural development.
 14. Examine the role of NABARD in rural development.
 15. Explain the structure and functions of the Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC).
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