

**MASTER OF ARTS  
(RURAL DEVELOPMENT)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2007**

**MRD-102 : RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
PROGRAMMES**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :**

- (i) Answer **all** the five questions.
  - (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
  - (iii) Answers to questions no. 1 and 2 should not exceed 800 words each.
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1. Discuss approaches adopted to achieve the goals of Poverty Alleviation Programme. 20

**OR**

Examine the progress of different components of Minimum Needs Programme. 20

2. Discuss the administrative and organizational aspects of IRDP. 20

**OR**

Discuss the inter-dependence of science, technology and rural development. 20

3. Answer any **two** of the following in about 400 words each :
- (i) Critically examine the programme of Reproductive and Child Health Services. 10
  - (ii) Discuss the role of SGSY Committee at Block level. 10
  - (iii) Explain briefly the objectives and strategies of National Mission for Elementary Education. 10
4. Write short notes on any **four** of the following in about 200 words each :
- (i) Basis, objectives and targets of Prime Minister's Rozgar Yojana (PMRY) 5
  - (ii) Impact of Rural Employment Generation Programme (REGP) 5
  - (iii) Performance of TRYSEM 5
  - (iv) Priorities of Employment Assurance Scheme (EAS) 5
  - (v) Role of Micro Finance as a part of Rashtriya Mahila Kosh (RMK) 5
  - (vi) Community empowerment as an objective of National Mission for Elementary Education 5
5. Write short notes on any **five** of the following in about 100 words each :
- (i) Role of Panchayati Raj Institutions in Rural Water Supply Scheme (RWS) 4
  - (ii) Total Sanitation Programme as a part of Sector Reform Programme. 4

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| (iii) Schemes under National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP)         | 4 |
| (iv) Role of the Public Distribution System (PDS)                       | 4 |
| (v) Community participation in Watershed Resource Development Programme | 4 |
| (vi) Concept of Social Forestry   | 4 |
| (vii) Identification of beneficiaries for Pradhan Mantri Rozgar Yojna   | 4 |
| (viii) Meaning of Rural Connectivity                                    | 4 |