

BECE-107/ EEC 07

Bachelor's Degree Programme (BDP)

ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: BECE-107/EEC 07

Title of Course: Industrial Development in India



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Dear Student,

As explained in the Programme Guide for BDP, you will have to do one assignment for the elective course in Economics BECE-107 and EEC 07. This is a Tutor Marked Assignment (TMA) and carries 100 marks.

It is important that you write answers to all the questions in your own words. The TMA is designed to enable you to answer different categories of questions. Here evaluation is made keeping in view your ability to present your answer in a systematic, precise, and coherent manner.

The assignment is divided into three sections. Remember that all questions are compulsory. Section A comprises two long answer questions of 20 marks each. Section B comprises four medium answer questions of 12 marks each while in Section C you have to answer two questions of 6 marks each.

Submission

Completed assignments should be submitted to the **Coordinator of your Study Centre** by:

For students appearing in December 2021 Term End Exam:	31.10.2021
For students appearing in June 2022 Term End Exam:	30.04.2022

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Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the questions.

A. Long Answer Questions

2 x 20 = 40

(word limit: 500 words for each question)

- 1) What is the nature and extent of disparity among states in industrial development? What are the major reasons for such disparities?
- 2) What is meant by globalisation? Briefly summarise the opportunities and challenges posed by globalisation to the Indian industrial sector.

B. Medium Answer Questions

4 x 12 = 48

(word limit: 250 words for each question)

- 3) Critically examine the role of MNCs in a developing economy such as India.
- 4) How do you define industrial sickness? What are the important causes of industrial sickness?
- 5) Discuss the nature of linkages between agriculture and industry.
- 6) Examine the impact of New Economic Policy 1991 on the Indian industrial sector.

C. Short Answer Questions

2 x 6 = 12

(word limit: 100 words for each question)

- 7) a) Explain the principal agent problem in the context of corporate governance.
b) Bring out the rationale for disinvestment in India.
- 8) Write short notes on the following:
 - (a) Core and Periphery Model
 - (b) Corporate Social Responsibility