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MEDS-009

**M. A. IN EXTENSION AND
DEVELOPMENT STUDIES (MAEDS)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2023

**MEDS-009 : DEVELOPMENT IN INDIA–PRE- AND
POST-LIBERALIZATION PERIOD**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

***Note :** Answer any **five** questions. All questions
carry **equal** marks.*

1. What are important reasons of migration from rural to urban areas ? How have urban slums become a major challenge in urban areas ? 10+10
2. Explain social sector development initiatives taken during the pre-liberalization and post-liberalization period. 20
3. What are the various development programmes undertaken for SCs in India ? Explain how far they have been benefitted by these programmes. 20

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4. Discuss the various programmes under rural housing, drinking water and sanitation in India. 20
5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10+10
 - (a) Role of cooperatives in rural development
 - (b) Rural Industrialization
 - (c) Self-Employment Programmes
6. Discuss the causes that led to economic drain in pre-independence India. Explain the economic drain theory. 20
7. Discuss the importance of agriculture in economic development of India. 20
8. What do you mean by development ? Why do we need self-reliance and balanced regional development ? Explain. 20