

ECONOMICS
COURSE NO: ECO-501
INDIAN ECONOMY

Unit I – Structure of the Indian Economy

1. Basic Features
 - a) Characteristics
2. Natural Resources
 - a) Importance
 - b) Various Natural Resources of India
3. Population
 - a) Size of Population
 - b) Growth of Population
 - c) Sex – Composition
 - d) Rural – Urban Migration
 - e) Occupational Distribution
 - f) Population Policy

Unit II – Areas of Concern

1. Poverty and inequality
 - a) Causes of Poverty
 - b) Policy of Poverty Alleviation
 - c) Major initiatives or measures.
 - d) Failure to remove Poverty
2. Unemployment
 - a) Causes of Unemployment
 - b) Types of Unemployment
 - c) Policies to remove Unemployment
 - d) Structure of employment in India
3. Prices and inflation
 - a) Objective of price policy
 - b) Effects of rise in price
 - c) Causes of rise in price
 - d) Causes of inflation
 - e) Types of inflation
 - f) Measures to control inflation

Unit III – National income

1. National income
 - a) Methods of measuring national income
 - b) Difficulties in measuring national income
 - c) Methods to avoid double counting
 - d) Significance of national income
2. Measures for Growth Performance
 - a) Trends of national income
 - b) Composition
3. National Income by industrial origin and occupational structure.