M.A. Examination- 2023 Semester-II Economics Paper: C-10 (Indian Economics)

Time: Three hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin

Answer any four questions

- 1. Explain the concept of premature deindustrialization. In what ways does the structural change in India's economy differ from the classical pattern? 4+6
- 2. Discuss briefly, the relationships between growth, structural change and employment generation in India over the past decade.
- 3. Critically discuss the fiscal reforms undertaken in India after 1990s.
- 4. Highlight the growth and contribution of the service sector in India. Explain the reasons for rapid growth of this sector in recent decades and comment on its impact on employment.

 4+4+2
- 5. Discuss briefly the trends and challenges of balance of payments in India in the post-reform period.
- 6. 'The Great Indian Poverty Debate is ending'. How far do you think the statement is true? Discuss briefly.
- 7. What is Inequality Adjusted Human Development Index (IHDI)? Examine the performance of South Asian countries in terms of IHDI, particularly focusing on India.

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8. Evaluate India's development experience during the last seven decades highlighting exclusionary nature of development.
