

Semester I

Course: GGUT-113 :Principles of Economic Geography

No. of Credits: 04 No. of Periods: 60

Topic No.	Topic	Sub topics	No. of Periods
1	Introduction to Economic Geography	i. Definition, nature and scope ii. Approaches :traditional and modern iii. Recent trends in Economic Geography	06
2	Economic Activities	i. Definition and classification of economic activities ii. Factors of location of economic activities: physical, social, economic and technical iii. Location of economic activities: Weber's and Von Thunen's model	10
3	Resources	i. Definition and classification of resources ii. Significance of natural and human resources in economic development iii. Importance of non-conventional energy resources for sustainable development	08
4	Economic Development	i. Definition and concept of economic development ii. Measures of economic development iii. Classification of countries on the basis of economic development Rostow's iv. and Myrdal's model	08
5	Transport and Communication	i. Various modes of transport ii. Geographical factors and transportation iii. Various means of communication iv. Role of transport and communication in economy	06
6	Trade	i. Definition and types of trade ii. Factors affecting on international trade iii. Problems and prospects of international trade with reference to India E-commerce iv.	06
7	Economic Development in India	i. Pre-and post-independence economic development in India Green ii. revolution in India iii. Need of new green revolution in India iv. Regional disparities in India v. Impact of globalization and privatization on economic development	06

8	Contemporary Issues	i. Regional disparities in Maharashtra ii. Role of IT industry in economic development in Maharashtra iii. A case study of one local agro-based industry: Economic analysis, problems and prospects (Sugar factory/ winery/ agro-tourist center etc.)	10
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