

4. (a) Write a note on the status of sex ratio in India. 5
 (b) Discuss the causes and consequences of declining sex ratio in India. 9

UNIT - III

5. How do you define women empowerment? Discuss the importance and challenges to women empowerment in India. 2+4+8=14
 6. What do you mean by gender mainstreaming. Write how gender budgeting is important. Give an overview of gender budgeting in India. 2+4+8=14

UNIT - IV

7. What do you mean by double burden of work? Explain 'the concept of gender segregation of labour within paid work and its consequences. 2+4+8=14
 8. Discuss the role of women in agriculture and its allied fields in the context of feminisation of agriculture. 14

UNIT - V

9. Give the meaning of gender inequality. Discuss the impact of gender inequality on Economic Growth in special reference to India. 2+12=14
 10. Write any two constitutional provisions in India for equal pay for equal work for both men and women. State and explain the causes of Feminisation of poverty. 4+10=14

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(Economics of Gender and Development)

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Pass Marks : 28

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*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions**(Answer any five, selecting one from each unit)*UNIT - I

1. (a) Explain the impact of patriarchy on the "Division of Work" and wage differential in similar work among genders. 6
 (b) How does patriarchy impact the role of women at the household level? Explain. 8
 2. (a) Analyze the socio-cultural and legal rights of women in Matriarchal Societies in India. 6
 (b) Write a short note on the constitutional laws in favour of protection of women rights in India. 8

UNIT - II

3. Discuss how reproductive axis is closely linked to nutritional status. 14

(Turn Over)