

**MASTER OF ARTS (DEVELOPMENT
STUDIES)/P. G. DIPLOMA IN
DEVELOPMENT STUDIES
(MADVS/PGDDVS)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2024

**MDV-103 : ISSUES AND CHALLENGES OF
DEVELOPMENT**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) Answer any **five** questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Define economic inequality. Explain various dynamics and causes of inequality. 5+15
2. Explain critically Malthusian and Neo-Malthusian theories of population. 20
3. Why is infrastructure development needed ?
How to measure infrastructure development ?

10+10

4. What is gender empowerment ? Explain a few critical areas of gender empowerment and development. 5+15
5. Discuss key components of health care. Describe important indicators of health care development. 10+10
6. Explain different aspects of sustainable energy. What are important issues and challenges of energy development ? 10+10
7. What is Governance ? Discuss various features and measures of governance. 5+15
8. Write short notes on the following : 10+10
 - (a) E-Governance
 - (b) Inclusive Development

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