

**H.N.G.UNIVERSITY PATAN**  
**S.Y.B.A. Semester : 3 ECONOMICS**  
**Core Compulsory. 206 (Main)**  
**Indian Economy -1**

**Objective: The main objective of the paper is to make the students familiar with the main problems and characteristic of different sectors of Indian economy.**

Unit.1 India as a developing Economy, its main characteristics. Human development Index of India. Changing structure of Indian economy, decreasing share of primary sector and increasing share of tertiary sector.

Unit. 2

Population

Principle of demographic transition, size and trends of population in India.(birth rate, mortality rate, growth rate, rural- urban population, literacy rate and life expectancy) Causes of population explosion and its effects on Indian economy, National population policy.

Unit. 3

Problems of poverty and unemployment

Meaning and nature of poverty (absolute and relative poverty), estimates of poverty in India. Causes and remedies of poverty. Meaning and types of unemployment estimates of unemployment in India, Causes and remedies of unemployment.

Unit. 4

National Resources in India

Importance of Natural resources in economic development. Land, Forest, Water and Mineral (coal, ferrous and non ferrous metals and other minerals).

Basic Reading:-

1. Indian Economy, Dutt and Sundram.
2. Indian Economy, Mishra and Puri
3. Indian Economy, Tandan and Tandan
4. ભારતીય અર્થતંત્ર, નીરવ પ્રકાશન,
5. ભારતીય અર્થતંત્ર, નીરવ પ્રકાશન,
6. ભારતીય અર્થતંત્ર, પોપ્પુલર પ્રકાશન, સુરત.