

**2009**

**M.A/M.Sc.**

**3rd Semester Examination**

**ECONOMICS WITH RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

**PAPER—IX**

*Full Marks : 40*

*Time : 2 Hours*

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

*Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.*

**Spl. Paper—Agriculture Economic-I**

**Group—A**

- I. Answer any five of the following :** **2×5**
- (a) What do you mean by peasant economy?
  - (b) What is meant by technological change?
  - (c) Define institution.
  - (d) What is new home economics?
  - (e) What do you mean by relations of production?
  - (f) What is seltra superior technology?
  - (g) Define tenant.
  - (h) What is exploitation ratio?
  - (i) What is labour consumer balance?
  - (j) Define economic class.

*(Turn Over)*

### **Group—B**

Answer any *two* questions : 5×2

2. Discuss how U. Patanaik categorised the peasantry into mutually exclusive economic classes.
3. Write a note on types of uncertainty and peasants.
4. Discuss the forces behind technological change in developing countries.
5. Discuss briefly Chayanov's analysis of the labour consumer balance.

### **Group—C**

Answer any *two* questions : 10×2

6. Examine with reference to India, whether capitalist development has occurred in agriculture.
7. Discuss the different concepts used for the analysis of women in the peasant farm household.
8. Discuss the impact of technological change on the rural economy.
9. Define transaction costs. Discuss the relationship between efficiency improving institutional change and redistributive institutional change.