

**END OF AUGUST 2011 SEMESTER EXAM**

**DEPARTMENT: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**EXAM: PARTICIPATORY DEVELOPMENT TECHNIQUES/METHODOLOGIES (PRA)**

**CODE: DEV 415T**

**DATE: DURATION: 2HRS**

**TIME:**

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**Instructions**

**Question one is compulsory.**

**Answer any other two questions.**

Q1. (a) Discuss with examples **five** principles of Participatory Rural Appraisal (**10 marks)**

(b) Discuss the role of the **determinants** of rural development in fast tracking sustainable development in a community of your choice **(10 marks)**

Q2. (a) Examine with examples the place of the Gandhian philosophy of rural development in a rural community of your choice **(10 marks)**

 (b) Articulate with relevant examples the prerequisites to community participation in their own community development **(10 marks)**

Q3. ­­Discuss with examples the relevance of both social welfare and participatory development approaches in rural development (**20 marks)**

Q4. (a) Discuss with relevant examples **six** data collection tools used in Participatory Rural Appraisal techniques **(12 marks)**

(b) In reference to a specific rural community, apply **two** data analysis tools in priority setting and consensus building **(8 marks)**

Q5. (a) Examine the role of Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) in sustainable rural development **(10 marks)**

(b) Discuss the relevance of **three** general principles and **two** specific principles in rural development (10 marks)