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SRI LANKA INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION



**First Efficiency Bar Examination for the Officers in  
Sri Lanka Planning Service – 2018 (I)**

Time – 03 Hours

Economic Analysis and Statistics (10)

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Answer only five (05) questions at least two questions from one section.

**Part I**

01. Explain the concept of labour force, dependents, and employed community referring to the relevant data in Sri Lanka. (Marks 20)
02. Describe the factors of production in economics and discuss the factors affecting production capacity. (Marks 20)
03. Describe what is meant by “knowledge economy” and how it is important to Sri Lanka. (Marks 20)
04. Write Short Notes.
  - i. Inflation
  - ii. Quantity Theory of Money
  - iii. International Trade
  - iv. Benefit/ Cost Analysis

(Marks  
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**Part II**

05. Using relevant data compare the social development status of Sri Lanka with that of the SAARC countries. (Marks 20)
06. What are the fundamental characteristics of the data needed for effective planning? Explain with examples. (Marks 20)
07. Describe the poverty level in Sri Lanka referring to the most recent data. (Marks 20)
08. Describe the economic structure of Sri Lankan economy referring to the latest statistics. (Marks 20)

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