

# Unit 7 - Week 5: Growth and Inequality

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## Assignment 5

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.  
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

**Due on 2020-03-04, 23:59 IST.**

1) Regressive Transfers Principle is also known as?

1 point

- Anonymity Principle
- The Dalton Principle
- Relative Income Principle
- Population Principle

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
The Dalton Principle

2) The principle under which the relative incomes but not the absolute incomes matter in measuring the inequality is known as

1 point

- The Dalton Principle
- Relative Income Principle
- Population Principle
- Anonymity Principle

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Relative Income Principle

3) The curve which shows that economic inequality tends to increase at an initial stage of development and then decrease as the economy develops is known as

1 point

- Kuznets curve
- Lorenz curve
- Phillips curve
- Laffer curve

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Kuznets curve

4) What do you mean by regressive transfer?

1 point

- Transfer of income from the not richer individual to the not poorer individual.
- Transfer of income from the not poorer individual to the not richer individual.
- Transfer of income from people to government
- Transfer of income from government to people

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Transfer of income from the not richer individual to the not poorer individual.

5) Who among the following are the authors of the book Hunger and Public Action?

1 point

- Jean Dreze & Amartya Sen
- Jean Dreze & Reetika Khera
- Abhijit Banerjee & Esther Duflo
- Arvind Subramanian & Jagdish Bhagwati

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Jean Dreze & Amartya Sen

6) The strategy which promotes economic growth and takes the best possible advantage of the potentialities released by greater general affluence including an expansion of private incomes and improved basis for public support is called as

1 point

- Strategy of support-led security
- Strategy of growth-mediated security
- Strategy of Action-led security
- Strategy of Public-led security

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Strategy of growth-mediated security

7) Which among the following is an interconnection between strategy of growth-mediated security and strategy of support-led security?

1 point

- Not a question of activism versus disengagement of the State
- Not a simple formulation of Market versus State provisioning
- A strategy of growth-mediated security is not at all the same thing as the pursuit of economic growth
- All of the above

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
All of the above

8) According to Dreze and Sen, South Korean growth experience or South Korean miracle, has been achieved without any government intervention, True or False?

1 point

- True
- False

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
False

9) Lorenz curve is the graphical representation of

1 point

- Income and Population
- Poverty and Hunger
- Growth and Development
- Inequality and development

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Income and Population

10) What is the range of Gini coefficient?

1 point

- 0 to 1
- 1 to +1
- 0 to  $\infty$
- $-\infty$  to  $+\infty$

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
0 to 1