

Answer on Question #40017 – Economics – Other

Assignment

Examine the sectoral disparities in India. Critically evaluate the various steps taken by the Government of India towards regional disparities.

Solution

In India, sectoral and regional imbalances have always been a source of great social and psychological tensions. Fruits of economic boom have never been equally shared by all the regions and their people throughout India. It has given rise to new tensions – social, economic and political. It poses a danger to the integrity and stability of the whole society. It is difficult task for the government of India to take-up lead in reconciling regional interests with national unity.

There is a wide gap between region to region/province to province. There are pockets of poverty amidst plenty within each province/state. Dry and hilly areas as well as those with tribal populations are still far below the national average. It has widened the gap between the prosperous and backward states and created a wide gap between the rich and poor within a region.