

**SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY**  
**Programme: BCOM**  
**Semester: V**  
**Syllabus with effect from : JUNE 2013**

<b>Paper Code:</b> UB05SCOM01	<b>Total Credit: 3</b>
<b>Title Of Paper:</b> Rural Life and Culture	

Unit	Description in detail	Weighting (%)
<b>1</b>	<b>Rural Economy and Demographic Profile</b> Meaning and concept of rural economy in India Demographic Profile: Class, Age, Gender, Fertility, Mortality, Literacy etc.	<b>25 %</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Rural Culture and Tribes In India</b> Religion and Festivals in Rural India Tribes in India Tribal Population, Literacy, Health Tribal Development under the Five Year Plan	<b>25 %</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Occupational Structure- Farm</b> Occupational Structure and Pattern of Rural Economy Farm Based and allied activities	<b>25 %</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Rural Governance</b> Panchayati Raj System- Evolution, Structure, Role in Rural Development Issue and Challenges of PRIs Panchayat Empowerment and Accountability	<b>25 %</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books**

- Rural Economy and Society – Towards Development: GopalLal Jain
- The Indian Economy Environment and Policy : I.C.Dhingra
- Indian Economy : A.N.Agrawal
- Various (Current) issues of Kurukshetra, Publication division, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, GOI

