

Survey of Research in Economics on North East India 1970-1990

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ABOUT THE BOOK

Economics being an important branch of social science has been a very popular subject among the students and researchers, as almost all the universities have post-graduate departments of Economics. This subject is also being taught at under graduate and higher secondary school level.

The specificities of the northeastern region of India, due to particular location and historical and sociopolitical background have affected a lot, the development of institutions and regional economies. For this reason the nature of the economy of northeast is significantly different in many ways from the regional economies of the rest of India. This has attracted the attention of a large number of social scientists to study the various aspects of these economies from time to time. Attempts have been made to identify the region-specific economic problems and sort out the issues involved in defining the problems.

This book attempts to review the literature in economics during the last twenty years (1970-1990), having bearing on North-East. This exercise is based on more than 300 research publications in Journals, edited volumes, books and Ph.D. dissertations. For the sake of convenience and from the utility point of view research literature is classified and arranged according to ten standard branches of Economics in chronological order in this survey.

The book should be useful to all those interested in the subject; particularly research scholars, teachers and students of Economics.