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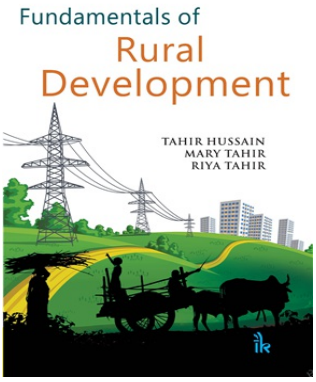

Fundamentals of Rural Development

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About the Book

Fundamentals of Rural Development is a concise yet thorough text which strives to impart a good comprehension of rural development (RD) in India. It presents the theories of RD, structure of rural economy, policy instruments, and strategies in poverty alleviation globally, planning issues and programs for implementation, institutional and organizational roles and involvement, and the overall management of rural development. In particular, it emphasizes the pivotal role of human resources as both a means and an end of development.

Salient Features

The chapters exudes all the important aspects and burning topics in RD like sustainability; Human Development Index (HDI) and Millennial Development Goals (MDG); participatory nature of policies; morality, health and hygiene issues; access to finance/credit; and schemes and policies.
Develops the concept of rural economy from ground up its essential elements, measures and metrics, and the overall current appraisal and management for betterment and uplifting of the rural economy.
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