

B. A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2017
(Supplementary – 2014 Admission)
SEMESTER II – CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS)
ECO2DEE - DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

PART A

I. Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark

1. Define Vicious circle of poverty
2. Backward Linkage
3. Stimulants
4. Tragedy of commons
5. What is Ecosystem?
6. Define economic growth
7. What is capital?
8. Define 'entitlements'
9. Define Innovation
10. Explain the concept of Intellectual capital

(10x1=10)

PART B

II. Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

11. Property rights to environment problem
12. Development path
13. Balanced growth
14. What are the stages of growth?
15. Dualism
16. Externalities
17. Global warming
18. Define Real National Income
19. Define development gap
20. Discuss the 'centre-periphery' relations.
21. Explain the characteristics of labour.
22. Population Explosion.

(8x2=16)

PART C

III. Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks

23. Explain low level equilibrium trap
24. Analyse the Big push theory of Rodan
25. What are the causes for environmental degradation?

26. Explain sustainable development
27. Discuss the advantages of population growth on economic development
28. Write a note on good governance
29. What is technical progress?
30. Explain the market friendly approaches to development
31. Differentiate PGR and IGR.

(6x4=24)

PART D

IV. Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

32. Explain Leibenstein's Critical minimum effort theory
33. Discuss the material balance model
34. Explain the characteristics of underdeveloped countries.
35. Elucidate the concept of human resource development.

(2x15=30)