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**B. A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2023**  
**(2015, 2016 and 2017 Admissions Supplementary)**  
**SEMESTER VI - CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS)**  
**EC6B13B - DEVELOPMENT ISSUES OF THE INDIAN ECONOMY**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Maximum Marks : 80**

**Part A**

**I. Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark**

**(6x1=6)**

1. What is land productivity?
2. Define small scale industry.
3. What is disinvestment?
4. Define the concept structural change.
5. What is current account?
6. What are cash crops?

**Part B**

**II. Answer any Seven questions. Each question carries 2 marks**

**(7x2=14)**

7. Explain futures trading in agriculture.
8. Comment on ToT of primary commodities.
9. What is management -employee buyouts?
10. What are the major industrial policies adopted in India ?
11. What is BPO ?
12. What is capital account convertibility?
13. Comment on role played by foreign trade.
14. What is Kerala's approach to human development?
15. Comment on PCI of Kerala.
16. What is Panchayathi Raj Institution?

**Part C**

**III. Answer any Five questions. Each question carries 6 marks**

**(5x6=30)**

17. Which are the three main types of Land tenure systems in British India?
18. Discuss the role played by agriculture in Indian Economy.
19. Distinguish between FERA and FEMA .
20. What are the criticisms against the disinvestment policy in India ?
21. List out the segments of service sector which have grown rapidly?
22. Analyse nature and trends in India's foreign trade.
23. Discuss the age group distribution of population of Kerala
24. Examine fiscal deficit situation in Kerala.

**Part D**

**IV. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks**

**(2x15=30)**

25. Discuss nature and trends in agricultural production and productivity. What affects growth potential of agriculture?
26. Explain the role of cottage and small scale sector in Indian Economy.
27. Explain the structural changes and economic growth in India .
28. Examine the structure of Panchayathi Raj institutions. How successful is decentralised planning in Kerala?