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**M.A. DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2015**  
**SECOND SEMESTER –CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS)**  
**ECO2IEIP-CORE- INDIAN ECONOMY: ISSUES AND POLICIES II**

**Time: Three Hours**

**Maximum Weight: 30**

**PART A**

**Short Answer Questions**

**I. Answer any *FIVE* Questions. Each question carries a weight of one.**

1. Kerala model of development
2. Missing Women
3. Poverty line
4. Gender inequality
5. FRBM Act
6. Fiscal deficit
7. Demographic dividend
8. Push factors

( 5 x 1 =5)

**PART B**

**Short Essay/Problems**

**II. Answer any *FIVE* questions. Each question carries a weight of two.**

9. Explain the various methods in poverty estimation.
10. What are the problems in Kerala's health sector?
11. Impact of migration on the economy of Kerala.
12. The basic problems involved in urbanization.
13. Examine the consequences of gender inequality.
14. What is parallel economy?
15. Explain the nature of rural unemployment.
16. What are the aspects of financial inclusion?

( 5 x 2 =10)

## **PART C**

### **Essay/Problems**

**III. Answer any *THREE* questions. Each question carries a weight of Five.**

17. Discuss the causes, nature and magnitude of unemployment in India. Explain the unemployment generation programmes of the government of India
18. Examine the magnitude, causes and implication of the fiscal deficit in Kerala since the early 90's.
19. Examine the IT policy of Kerala economy
- 20 Explain the population growth pattern of India and its implications on the Indian Economy.
21. Explain the structure and direction of India's foreign trade.
22. Explain the inflationary trends in India.

( 3 x 5 =15)