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**B.A DEGREE (CBCSS) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2015
SECOND SEMESTER-CORE (ECONOMICS)
ECO2DEE-DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS**

Time: 3Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

Part A

**Answer *all* the following questions in one sentence.
Each question carries 1 mark**

1. Division of labour
2. Capital –output ratio
3. What is Economic development?
4. Balanced growth
5. Disguised unemployment
6. Intellectual capital
7. Public good
8. What is Labour?
9. Low level equilibrium trap
10. Acid rain

(10*1=10 marks)

Part B

**Answer any *eight* of the following
Each question carries 2 marks.**

11. PQLI
12. Development gap
13. Explain Sen's Capability Approach
14. Explain the concept of Stationary state
15. Vicious circle of poverty
16. Dualism
17. Explain cost –benefit analysis
18. Dependency burden
19. Balanced growth strategy
20. Environmental valuation
21. Market failure
22. Environmental accounting

(8*2=16)

Part C(Short Essays)

**Answer any six of the following in not more than 200 words each.
Each question carries four marks**

23. Discuss the theory of demographic transition
24. Briefly explain the Malthusian theory of population
25. How do dependence models explain underdevelopment?
26. Explain HPI.
27. Discuss unbalanced growth strategy
28. Describe the tragedy of the commons.
29. Explain shocks and stimulants in the context of the critical minimum effort theory
30. Explain the concept of sustainable development.
31. Examine whether PCI is a good indicator of economic development.

(6*4=24)

Part D(Long Essays)

**Answer any two of the following in not more than 500 words each.
Each question carries 15 marks**

32. Discuss the global environmental issues
33. Discuss the main features of underdevelopment
34. Do you agree that rapid population growth is threatening the economic progress of developing nations? Explain
35. Explain the Lewis theory of development..

(2*15=30)