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B. A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2017

SEMESTER VI - ECONOMICS

ECO6DIIIE – DEVELOPMENT ISSUES OF THE INDIAN ECONOMY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

PART A

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

1. Define Kisan Credit Card.
2. NABARD.
3. Define MNCs.
4. What is Disinvestment?
5. Describe Balance of Payment.
6. Define FDI.
7. What do you mean by composition of trade?
8. Define foreign exchange.
9. What is new generation banks?
10. Define Migration.

(10 x1=10)

PART B

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

11. What is ceiling on land holding?
12. What do you mean by the term 'cropping pattern'?
13. Describe the salient features of new industrial policy of 1991.
14. Explain MRTP Act.
15. Briefly explain India's trade policy.
16. Explain the need for foreign capital.
17. Define portfolio investment.
18. Briefly explain the composition of India's foreign trade.
19. Explain foreign investment inflows since 1991.
20. Explain Kerala Model of Development.
21. Briefly explain the trends of unemployment in Kerala.
22. Discuss the changes in Kerala's cropping pattern.

(8x2=16)

PART C

III. Answer any six of the following. Each question carries 4 marks.

23. Explain the problems of Indian agricultural marketing.
24. List out the factors causing rural indebtedness in India.
25. Explain the role of small scale industries in Indian economy.
26. Explain the problems of public sector enterprises.
27. Explain the growth and contribution of services sector in India.

28. Explain New Trade Policy since 1991.
29. Explain the performance of decentralized planning in Kerala.
30. Briefly explain the IT performance of Kerala.
31. Explain the economic impact of Gulf emigration on Kerala economy.

(6x4=24)

PART D

IV. Answer any two of the following. Each question carries 15 marks.

32. Critically evaluate the impact of Green Revolution on Indian agriculture.
33. Impact of economic reforms on Industrial Sector.
34. Explain the composition and direction of India's foreign trade.
35. Explain the causes and consequences of fiscal crisis in Kerala.

(2x15= 30)