

B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - APRIL 2021**SEMESTER – 6: ECONOMICS (CORE COURSE)****COURSE: 15U6CRECO13–DEVELOPMENT ISSUES OF THE INDIAN ECONOMY**

(Common for Regular 2018 admission & Improvement 2017/Supplementary 2017/ 2016 /2015 admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A

Answer all questions in one or two sentences. Each question carries 1 mark

1. Peoples Planning
2. Food security
3. FEMA
4. Structural adjustment programme
5. Disinvestment in India
6. MRTP
7. Balance of Payment
8. Green Revolution
9. Objectives of land reforms
10. Importance of IT sector

(1 × 10 =10)

PART B

Answer any eight of the following in three or four sentences.

Each question carries 2 marks

11. Brief on the importance of agricultural sector in Indian economy.
12. What is the role of FDI?
13. Examine the fiscal crisis looming Kerala economy today.
14. How does cottage and small-scale industries help in economic development.
15. Discuss the New Agricultural Strategy
16. What are the push and pull factors leading to large scale gulf migration from Kerala?
17. Give an account of the various initiatives taken to improve agricultural marketing.
18. Comment on the changes in the export composition in Indian trade.
19. Write on the economic sector distribution of labour employment in India.
20. Examine the performance of insurance sector.

(2 × 8 =16)

PART C

Answer any five of the following in not more than one page.

Each question carries 5 marks.

21. Brief on the rationale for disinvestment and its progress in India.
22. Explore the causes for the failure of land reforms in India
23. Write on the industrial development during the plan period.
24. Explain the impact of gulf migration on Kerala economy

25. Discuss the merits and demerits of Green Revolution in India.
26. Write on the various aspects of Kerala Model of Development.
27. Deliberate on the extent of energy crisis that the economy faces today and brief on various initiatives to address this. (5 × 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer any two of the following in not exceeding four pages.

Each question carries 12 marks.

28. What are the causes and consequences of crisis in Kerala's agricultural sector?
29. Discuss the role and significance of IT sector in India as an emerging service industry. Also throw light on the problems of this development.
30. Critically examine the recent trade policies of India.
31. Examine the salient features of 1991 industrial policy. (12 × 2 = 24)
