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**M. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - APRIL 2025**

**SEMESTER 2 : ECONOMICS**

**COURSE : 24P2ECOT08 : INDIAN ECONOMY: ISSUES AND POLICIES - II**

*(For Regular - 2024 Admission)*

Time : Three Hours

Max. Weights: 30

**PART A**

**Answer any 8 questions**

**Weight: 1**

1. Maternal mortality rate (U)
  2. Make in India (R)
  3. Write a short note on cropping pattern in Kerala (U)
  4. What is meant by exchange rate? (U)
  5. List out the causes of industrial backwardness in Kerala (U)
  6. What is Monetary Policy Committee (MPC)? (U)
  7. What are the various forms of unemployment in Kerala? (U)
  8. What is meant by a self help group? Give examples (U)
  9. Comment on the extent and distribution of poverty in India (U)
  10. Chronic Unemployment (R)
- (1 x 8 = 8)**

**PART B**

**Answer any 6 questions**

**Weights: 2**

11. Evaluate the fiscal policy of India. What are the recent fiscal policy reforms? (E)
  12. Discuss the significance of tourism development in Kerala (An)
  13. How is poverty a relative concept? (U)
  14. Write a note on the present status of Indian Capital Market. (An)
  15. Explain how has trade liberalization impacted agriculture in Kerala (An)
  16. Labour welfare as an objective is commendable. But what are the obstacles that stand in the way of achieving it? (An)
  17. Discuss the major causes of poverty in India. (An)
  18. Discuss the history of co-operative movement in India? (I)
- (2 x 6 = 12)**

**PART C**

**Answer any 2 questions**

**Weights: 5**

19. Outline the major financial sector reforms introduced in India since 1991. (An)
20. Discuss the growth pattern of population in India since 1950 and its implications on development. (U)
21. Critically evaluate the various measures of poverty in India. List out major poverty alleviation programmes. (E)

22. Write a note on the energy sector in Kerala. Explain the main causes of power crisis. Give an account of the new power policy of the state.

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**(5 x 2 = 10)**

OBE: Questions to Course Outcome Mapping

CO	Course Outcome Description	CL	Questions	Total Wt.
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Cognitive Level (CL): Cr - CREATE; E - EVALUATE; An - ANALYZE; A - APPLY; U - UNDERSTAND; R - REMEMBER;