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# **B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2018**

# SEMESTER - 6: ECONOMICS (CORE COURSE)

## COURSE: 15U6CRECO13 - DEVELOPMENT ISSUES OF THE INDIAN ECONOMY

(For Regular 2015 Admission)

Time : Three Hours Max Marks : 75

#### PART - A

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

- 1. Foreign Direct Investment
- 2. Food Security
- 3. Multinational Corporations
- 4. Industrial Policy
- 5. Green Revolution
- 6. Balance of Payment Crisis
- 7. Cottage Industry
- 8. Public Sector Enterprises
- 9. Foreign Portfolio Investment

10. Disinvestment  $(1 \times 10 = 10)$ 

## PART - B

Answer any eight of the following in three or four sentences. Each question carries two marks

- 11. New Agricultural Strategy
- 12. FEMA
- 13. Rural indebtedness in India
- 14. Importance of the service sector in India
- 15. Discuss cropping pattern of India
- 16. Agricultural marketing in India
- 17. New Economic Policy
- 18. Role of IT industry in India
- 19. Demographic features of Kerala economy
- 20. Peoples' planning in Kerala

 $(2 \times 8 = 16)$ 

## PART - C

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

- 21. Explain give an outline of the composition of India's foreign trade.
- 22. Balance of payment crisis of 1991 and economic reforms.

- 23. Elaborate the role of Micro and Small and Medium Enterprises (or SSIs) in the Indian economy.
- 24. Explain the impacts of gulf migration on Kerala economy.
- 25. Bring out the features of Industrial policy 1991.
- 26. Discuss the areas in which Kerala economy provides a role model to Indian economy.
- 27. Elaborate the major problems of Indian agriculture sector.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$ 

#### PART - D

Answer any two of the following in not exceeding four pages. Each question carries twelve marks.

- 28. Explain the public sector policy including disinvestment under the industrial policy of 1991.
- 29. Explain the major features of Kerala model of development.
- 30. Examine the salient features of new economic policy.
- 31. Discuss the role of agriculture sector in the Indian economy.

 $(12 \times 2 = 24)$ 

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