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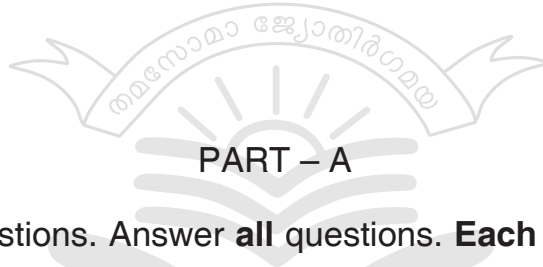
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**III Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, November 2023
(2019 to 2022 Admissions)
CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS
3B03ECO : Central Themes in Indian Economy**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40



(Short answer type questions. Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries **one** mark.)

1. Disguised unemployment.
2. NITI Aayog.
3. Emigration.
4. Globalization.
5. Women Empowerment.
6. Evergreen Revolution.

(6×1=6)



(Short essay type questions. Answer **any six** questions. **Each** question carries **two** marks.)

7. Explain impact of demonetization on Indian economy.
8. What is meant by industrial sickness ?
9. Examine the concept of work participation rate.
10. Give a short note on Decentralised planning.

P.T.O.



11. Write a short note on traditional industries.
12. What is PQLI ?
13. What are the major problems faced by the village and cottage industries of India ?
14. Discuss the role of foreign remittance on Kerala Economy. (6×2=12)

PART – C

(Essay type questions. Answer **any four** questions. **Each** question carries **three** marks.)

15. What are the major objectives of five year plans in India ?
16. Examine the major reasons for Industrial backwardness in Kerala.
17. Distinguish between Absolute and Relative Poverty.
18. Explain the reasons of economic inequalities in India.
19. Discuss briefly the structural changes of the Indian economy after Independence.
20. Explain the impact of WTO on Indian agricultural sectors in the economy of India. (4×3=12)

PART – D

(Long essay type questions. Answer **any two** questions. **Each** question carries **five** marks.)

21. Examine the major reason for huge unemployment in India.
 22. What are the major objectives of the New Industrial Policy of 1991 ?
 23. What is New Economic Policy ? What are the major components of NEP ?
 24. What are the current issues in education and health sector in Kerala ? (2×5=10)
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CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
3B04 ECO : International Economics**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

**PART – A
(Very Short Answer Questions)**

Answer **all** questions.

1. What do you mean by comparative advantage ?
2. What is meant by trade barrier ?
3. Define the concept balance of payment.
4. What do you mean by flexible exchange rate ?

(4×1=4)

**PART – B
(Short Answer Questions)**

Answer **any seven** questions.

5. Briefly explain the nature of international economics.
6. Explain the reasons for international trade.
7. What is meant by quota restrictions ?
8. What are the arguments in favour of protectionism ?
9. What is double-entry bookkeeping ?
10. Distinguish between a credit transaction and a debit transaction in balance of payment.
11. What are foreign exchange markets ?

P.T.O.



12. What is meant by a depreciation of the domestic currency ?
13. What is meant by Bretton Woods system ?
14. What do you mean by foreign portfolio investment ? How it is different from foreign direct investment ? (7×2=14)

PART – C
(Short Essay Questions)

Answer **any four** questions.

15. Explain Ricardo's comparative advantage theory of international trade.
16. Describe different types of tariffs.
17. What is meant by current account of balance of payment ? What are the different ways by which current account deficit can be corrected ?
18. Explain the purchasing power parity theory of exchange rate determination.
19. Explain the lending operations of IMF.
20. What are the functions of IBRD ? (4×3=12)

PART – D
(Essay Questions)

Answer **any two** Questions.

21. "Factor proportions and factor intensity provide the basis for export specialization." Comment.
 22. Explain the effects of tariff in a partial equilibrium system.
 23. Explain the mint parity theory of exchange rate determination.
 24. Make a critical evaluation of the working of IBRD. (2×5=10)
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**CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
3B04ECO/DEV ECO : International Economics**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Very short answer questions. Answer **all** questions.

1. Define dumping.
2. Explain indifference curve.
3. Importance of international economics.
4. What do you mean by BOP ?
5. Explain terms of trade.
6. Explain IMF.

(1×6=6)

PART – B

Short answer type questions. Answer **any 6** questions.

7. How trade acted as an engine of growth ?
8. What do you mean by optimum tariff ?
9. Explain opportunity cost theory.
10. Explain foreign exchange markets and its structures.
11. Explain international cartels.
12. Distinguish between fixed and flexible exchange rate.

P.T.O.



13. What are the main components of Balance of Payments ?

14. Define export subsidies.

(2×6=12)

PART – C

Short essay type questions. Answer **any 4** questions.

15. Critically evaluate the purchasing power parity theory.

16. Explain corrective measures of BOP disequilibrium.

17. Explain reciprocal demand theory.

18. Give a brief account of foreign portfolio investment.

19. Explain the empirical test of H-O theory.

20. Explain the comparative cost theory.

(3×4=12)

PART – D

Essay type questions. Answer **any 2** questions.

21. Explain theory of exchange rate determination.

22. Explain meaning, definition and causes of BOP disequilibrium and what are the corrective measures ?

23. Critically evaluate the Heckscher – Ohlin trade theory.

24. Describe the different types of non-tariff barriers and its impact on the trade. **(5×2=10)**



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CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
3B03ECO : Macro Economic Analysis – 1

Time : 3 Hours

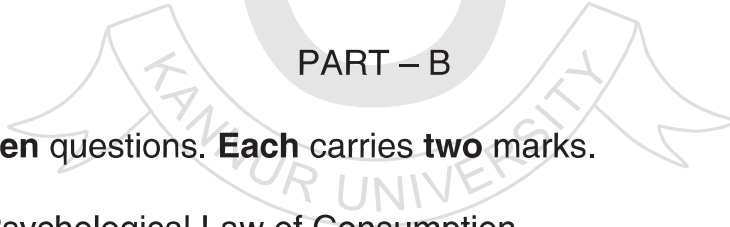
Max. Marks : 40



Answer **all** questions. **Each** carries **one** mark.

(4×1=4)

1. What is GNP Gap ?
2. Describe the Ratchet effect.
3. Define National Income.
4. What is Liquidity trap ?



Answer **any seven** questions. **Each** carries **two** marks.

(7×2=14)

5. Define the Psychological Law of Consumption.
6. What are the important macro economic variables ?
7. Discuss the significance of wage rigidity.
8. What are the implications of Say's law of market ?
9. Describe the Deflationary gap.
10. What is meant by accelerator ?

P.T.O.



11. Define the absolute income hypothesis.
12. What are the features of classical labour market ?
13. Describe the types of investment.
14. What are the components of effective demand ?

PART – C

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** carries **three** marks.

(4×3=12)

15. Explain the circular flow of income and expenditure.
16. What are the assumptions of the classical macro economics ? Explain.
17. Illustrate and explain the Keynesian Cross diagrams.
18. What are the main elements of Dusenbery's theory of consumption ? Discuss.
19. Examine the role of Government Expenditure.
20. Explain the relation between investment and interest in classical and Keynesian macro economic systems.

PART – D

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** carries **five** marks.

(2×5=10)

21. Give an account of development of Macro economics.
 22. Explain the meaning, major objectives and instruments of monetary policy.
 23. Critically analyse Permanent income hypothesis.
 24. Examine the relevance of Keynesian policy measures in the contemporary world.
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