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**III Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – O.B.E. – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, November 2023
(2019 to 2022 Admissions)**

**COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE IN ECONOMICS
3C11 ECO : Agricultural Economics**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40



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

1. Agricultural Economics.
2. Cooperative Farming.
3. PDS.
4. Crop Insurance.
5. Define Green Revolution.
6. Administered Price.

(6×1=6)



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

7. Explain the emerging trend in agricultural technology.
8. What is meant by agricultural credit ?
9. Examine the importance of sustainable agriculture.
10. Give a short note on agricultural marketing in India.
11. Explain the impact of crop diversification.

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12. Briefly explain the problems and constraints in initiating organic farming.
13. Explain the importance of the study of agricultural economics.
14. Explain the objectives of agriculture price policy in India. **(6×2=12)**

PART – C

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

15. Discuss the role and importance of agricultural development in India.
16. Examine the role of extension services in agriculture.
17. Explain the nature and scope of agricultural economics.
18. Explain the reasons for low productivity in Indian Agriculture.
19. Discuss briefly the reforms in Indian agriculture after the introduction of NITI Aayog.
20. Explain the major issues of agriculture in Kerala. **(4×3=12)**

PART – D

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

21. What is agricultural finance ? Explain the structure of agricultural finance in India.
 22. Critically evaluate the land reforms in India.
 23. Explain the challenges and prospects of Indian agriculture since the liberalization and globalization of the economy.
 24. Explain the inter-linkage between agriculture and non-agriculture. **(2×5=10)**
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**III Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – Supplementary)
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(2017 – 2018 Admissions)
COMPLEMENTARY COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT
ECONOMICS**

3C07 ECO : History of Economic Thought – I

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

(Very Short Answer Type Questions) Answer **all** questions.

(4×1=4)

1. Define the Aristotelian concept of household management.
2. Explain mode of production in Marxian analysis.
3. Narrate the concept of laissez faire.
4. State the Ricardian notion of rent.

PART – B

(Short Answer Type Questions) Answer **any seven** questions.

(7×2=14)

5. Examine the Hebrew thought in usury.
6. Write a brief note on the economic interpretation of history in the Greek tradition.
7. Distinguish between the Aristotelian notion economics and chrematistics.
8. Write a brief note on the main ideas of two leading exponents of Mercantilism.
9. Briefly narrate the main economic ideas of JS Mill on wealth and income distribution.

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10. Jeremy Bentham is considered as pioneer of modern welfare economics. Comment.
11. Discuss the analysis of economic cycles by Sismondi.
12. Discuss the idea of Robert Owen on Self-sufficient communities.
13. Explain the labour theory of value of Karl Rodbertus.
14. Narrate the economic background that gave rise to the articulation of “right to work” by Louis Blanc.

PART – C

(Short Essay Type Questions) Answer **any four** questions.

(4×3=12)

15. Review briefly the theory of Say’s law of markets.
16. Compare and contrast the economic ideas of Plato and Aristotle.
17. Critically discuss the economic ideas of St. Thomas Aquinas.
18. Discuss critically the theory of absolute cost advantage.
19. Discuss the main economic ideas of Physiocrats.
20. Critically narrate the view of Pierre-Joseph Proudhon regarding property.

PART – D

(Essay Type Questions) Answer **any two** questions.

(2×5=10)

21. Critically explain Lenin’s theory of imperialism.
 22. Discuss critically the main economic ideas of mercantilism.
 23. Review the theory of value advanced by David Ricardo.
 24. Analyse critically the theory of economic development proposed by Adam Smith.
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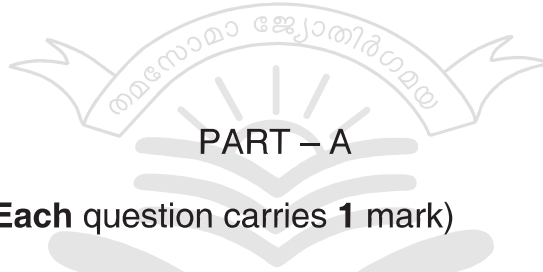
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**COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE IN ECONOMICS
3C07 ECO : History of Economic Thought – 1**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40



PART – A

Answer **all** questions. (**Each** question carries **1** mark)

1. Mercantilism
2. Physiocracy
3. Indivisible hand
4. Stationary state
5. St.Thomas Aquinas
6. Democratic socialism.



PART – B

Answer **any 6** questions. (**Each** question carries **2** marks)

7. Ricardo's theory of stationary state
8. Concepts of just cost and just price
9. Utilitarianism
10. Contributions of Rodbertus
11. Reciprocal demand theory

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12. Malthusian theory of Glut
13. Thomas Mun
14. Canon of Convenience.

PART – C

Answer **any 4** questions. (**Each** question carries **3** marks)

15. Physiocracy
16. Says law of market
17. Malthusian theory of population
18. Jeremy Bentham
19. Tableau Economique
20. Economic ideas of Mercantilism.

PART – D

Answer **any 2** questions. (**Each** question carries **5** marks)

21. State and explain the basic tenets of Marxian theory.
 22. Contributions of Adam Smith to economics.
 23. Examine the ancient and medieval economic thought.
 24. Examine the evolution of socialist economic thought.
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