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VI Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS – Reg./Supple./Improv.) Examination, May 2015
CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
6B14 ECO : Informatics in Economics
(2011 and Earlier Admn.)

Time : 2 Hours.   Total Weightage : 20

Instruction : *Answer may be written either in* **English** *or in* **Malayalam**.

PART – A

Objective type questions (in bunch of **two**).
Choose the correct answer.   **(Weightage 1)**

1. Which of the following is not an output device ?
   a) Printer   b) Monitor   c) Hard drive   d) Speaker

2. A device using Real-Time Operating System
   a) Video games   b) Cell phones   c) Notebooks   d) Toys

3. A kilobyte stores how many number of bytes ?
   a) 1000   b) 1024   c) 1048   d) 100

4. The control unit of a computer
   a) ALU   b) Memory unit   c) LAN   d) All the above

5. An online journal is a _____   **(Weightage 1)**
   a) Podcast   b) Blog   c) Wiki   d) IM chat

6. Which of the following is harmful for the computer ?
   a) Virus   b) Cookies   c) Spyware   d) All the above

7. The most common type of personal computer
   a) Work station   b) Lap top   c) Desk top   d) Mainframe

8. Which one of the following is an OS ?
   a) UNIX   b) COMMAND   c) JAVA   d) Visual Basic

PART – B

Short answer questions. Answer **any 6** questions of the following **not** exceeding **50** words **each**. **Each** question carries **1** weightage.

9.   Define 'Hardware'.

10. What is CPU ?

11. Explain any two input devices.

12. Define Plagiarism.

13. What do you mean by E-waste ?

14. What is the use of mail merger ?

15. Define 'SPSS'.

16. What is E-learning ?   **(Weightage 1×6)**

PART – C

Short Essay : Answer **any 5** questions **not** exceeding **150** words **each**. **Each** question carries **2** weightage.

17. Explain downloading and uploading.

18. What are the benefits of internet ?

19. Differentiate RAM and ROM.

20. Briefly distinguish the client-server relationship.

21. What do you mean by digital divide ?

22. Explain the functioning of SPSS.   **(Weightage 2.)**

PART – D

Long Essay : Answer **any 1** question **not** exceeding **450** words. **Each** question carries **4** weightage.

23. Explain the features and functions of MS Word, Excel and Power point.

24. What are the issues relating to cyber ethics and cyber crime ?   **(Weightage 4×1)**

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