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(2019 Admission Onwards)
ECONOMICS/APPLIED ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
ECO2C07 : Development Issues of Indian Economy
(With Special Reference to Kerala) – II

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

PART – A

Objective Type Questions. Write **all eight** questions. **Each** question carries $\frac{1}{2}$ marks :

- The main sources of National Income in India is
 A) Service sector B) Agriculture
 C) Industrial sector D) Trade sector
- Where is the Headquarters of world steel Association located ?
 A) Hague B) New York
 C) Beijing D) Brussels
- As per the CSO classification, which of the following does not come under industrial sector ?
 A) Electricity B) Gas and water supply
 C) Transport and communication D) Manufacturing
- The Exclusive Economic Zone is _____ NM from coastal base line.
 A) 180 NM B) 200 NM
 C) 220 NM D) 250 NM
- The highest number of international migrations is originated from
 A) Mexico B) India
 C) China D) Bangladesh

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- In India those farmers are called Marginal Farmers who hold land up to
 A) 1 Hectare B) 2 Hectare
 C) 4 Hectare D) 5 Hectare
- Which sector is the largest employment producing private industry ?
 A) Manufacturing sector B) IT sector
 C) Pharmaceutical industry D) None of the above
- The decentralisation system was recommended by
 A) C. Rajagopalachari B) J. B. Kripalan
 C) Balwant Rai Mehta D) Ashok Mehta

(8×½=4)

PART – B

Write **any 8** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks :

- Explain briefly the purpose of SAARC.
- What is FDI ?
- What is Immigration ?
- Explain the concept Green Revolution.
- What do you mean by SEZ ?
- Expand BRICS and list out its objectives.
- Write a brief description on the food security issues in India.
- Write a note on GM crop.
- Critically evaluate the relationship between industrial growth and environment.
- What do you mean by sustainable Farming ?
- List out the objectives of decentralisation.

(8×2=16)

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PART – C

Write **any four** questions. **Each** question carries **5** marks :

- Explain the trends in production, productivity and cropping pattern in agriculture.
- What are the salient features of New Agricultural Policy ?
- Explain the role of infrastructure and transport, communication services on Indian economic growth.
- How BOP position determines the status of economic development ?
- Explain fiscal management in Kerala.
- Explain the role of tourism industry on Kerala Economy.

(4×5=20)

PART – D

Write **any 2** questions. **Each** question carries **10** marks :

- Critically evaluate the growth of public investment in infrastructural developments.
- Evaluate the growth of industrial development in Kerala.
- Explain the impact of WTO on Indian agricultural sector.
- Explain the role of New Agricultural Policy in the context of liberalisation. (2×10=20)