

URUMU DHANALAKSHMI COLLEGE, TIRUCHIRAPPALLI – 620 019
III B.A. ECONOMICS – CORE COURSE XIII – AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS (16ACCEC13)

Time: Three hours

Maximum marks: 75

Section – A (10 x 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL Questions

1. What is Agricultural Economics?
2. State the meaning of productivity.
3. What do you mean by land reforms?
4. Give the meaning of mechanization.
5. Write the definition of capital formation.
6. Define rural indebtedness.
7. What are regulated markets?
8. What is agricultural marketing?
9. Who is agricultural labour?
10. Mention any two features of agricultural labour.

Section – B (5 x 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL Questions choosing either a) or b

11a) State briefly the agriculture development during recent plan.

(Or)

b) Enumerate the causes for low productivity in Indian agriculture.

12a) Write a short notes on new agricultural strategy.

(Or)

b) State the suggestions for improvement in land reform measures.

13a) Assess the role of rural credit institutions.

(Or)

b) What are the sources of rural indebtedness?

14a) State the need for agricultural price policy.

(Or)

b) Analyse the role and functions of efficient marketing system.

15a) Summarise the problems faced by the agricultural labours.

(Or)

b) What are the causes of unemployment?

Section – C (3 x 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

16. Explain the role of agriculture in Indian economy.
17. What are the advantages and disadvantages of mechanization?
18. Enumerate the various sources of agricultural finance.
19. Discuss the working of regulated markets. Point out its limitations.
20. State the government measures undertaken to solve the problem of agricultural labours

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III B.A. ECONOMICS – CORE COURSE XIV – HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (16ACCEC14)

Time: Three hours

Maximum marks: 75

Section – A (10 x 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL Questions

1. What is human capital?
2. Define human resource management.
3. What is meant by education?
4. Write the definition of health.
5. State the definition of manpower audit.
6. Mention any two problems of human resource planning.
7. Give the meaning of women empowerment.
8. Who is women entrepreneur?
9. State the meaning of work participation rate.
10. What do you mean by human development index?

Section – B (5 x 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL Questions choosing either a) or b)

- 11a) Trace the evolution of concept of human capital.
(Or)
b) State the Becker's theory of human capital.
- 12a) How is social discrimination eliminated?
(Or)
b) Summarise the effects of brain drain.
- 13a) Why is human resource planning needed?
(Or)
b) Point out the objectives of Human resource planning.
- 14a) Enumerate the causes of gender disparities in education.
(Or)
b) What are the measures undertaken for the promotion of women entrepreneurship?
- 15a) State the recent trends in male and female work participation rate.
(Or)
b) Bring out the relationship between population and development.

Section – C (3 x 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

16. State and explain Schultz approach to human capital.
17. Assess the role of education in economic growth.
18. Enumerate the steps involved in human resource planning.
19. What is the role played by women in Indian economic development?
20. State the various components of human development index.

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III B.A. ECONOMICS – CORE COURSE XV – ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS (16ACCEC15)

Time: Three hours

Maximum marks: 75

Section – A (10 x 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL Questions

1. Define Environomics.
2. What is acid rain?
3. Give the meaning of Welfare Economics.
4. What do you mean by urbanization?
5. Define the term environmental education.
6. What is meant by environmental protection?
7. Write the definition of tangible cost.
8. Define social cost.
9. State the meaning of subsidies.
10. What is meant by environmental quality?

Section – B (5 x 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL Questions choosing either a) or b)

- 11a) Bring out the nexus between environment and economics.
(Or)
b) Write a note on Tragedy of commons.
- 12a) State the sources of noise pollution.
(Or)
b) 'Environment quality as public good' – Elucidate.
- 13a) Point out the objectives of environmental protection laws.
(Or)
b) Explain the rationale of environmental education in curriculum.
- 14a) State the functions of Pollution control boards.
(Or)
b) Explain the concept of limits to growth.
- 15a) List out the fiscal and direct control measures of pollution abatement.
(Or)
b) State the government investment programmes in pollution control.

Section – C (3 x 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

16. State and explain the approaches in Environomics.
17. 'Population menace and degradation of environment quality is a serious concern' – Elucidate.
18. Discuss environment issues in developed and developing countries.
19. Critically examine cost benefit analysis.
20. Analyse the role of government, voluntary and consumer organisation in pollution control.

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III B.A. ECONOMICS – MBE II: ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT (16AMBEEC2)

Time: Three hours

Maximum marks: 75

Section – A (10 x 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL Questions

1. Define the term entrepreneurship.
2. Give the meaning of achievement motivation.
3. What do you mean by MSMEs?
4. State the definition of micro finance.
5. Write the meaning of Industrial estate.
6. What is refinance?
7. Mention any two objectives of cost control.
8. Define skimming price.
9. What is project evaluation?
10. Give the meaning of safety margin.

Section – B (5 x 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL Questions choosing either a) or b)

- 11a) State the characteristics of successful entrepreneur.
(Or)
b) Mention any five types of entrepreneur.
- 12a) What are the problems faced by the women entrepreneur?
(Or)
b) How are self help groups formed?
- 13a) State the functions of National Small Industries Corporation.
(Or)
b) Point out the services rendered by District Industries Centres.
- 14a) What are the merits and demerits of full cost pricing?
(Or)
b) Why are pricing policies needed?
- 15a) How is break even point determined?
(Or)
b) What are the objectives of project evaluation?

Section – C (3 x 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

16. Discuss in detail the functions of entrepreneur.
17. Explain the significance of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises.
18. State and explain the functions and limitations of SIDCO.
19. Describe the methods of cost estimation.
20. What are the applications of Break even analysis? Point out its limitations.

III B.A. ECONOMICS – MBE III: ECONOMICS OF INSURANCE (16AMBEEC3)

Time: Three hours

Maximum marks: 75

Section – A (10 x 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL Questions

1. Define the term insurance.
2. Give the meaning of uberrimae fidei contract.
3. What do you mean by health insurance?
4. Define group insurance.
5. Define the term risk.
6. Write the definition of risk exposure.
7. Mention any two features of Insurance Act, 1938.
8. Who is consumer under COPRA, 1986?
9. Give the meaning of insurance market.
10. What is bankassurance?

Section – B (5 x 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL Questions choosing either a) or b)

11a) What are the features of insurance?

(Or)

b) How does insurance help economic development?

12a) State the nature of life insurance.

(Or)

b) What are the advantages of life insurance?

13a) Explain briefly risk management process.

(Or)

b) Explain how premium is computed.

14a) Point out the objectives of Life Insurance Corporation Act, 1956.

(Or)

b) Classify risk with suitable illustration.

15a) State the powers of IRDA.

(Or)

b) What are the issues concerning growth of insurance?

Section – C (3 x 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

16. Outline the fundamental principles of insurance.
17. State and explain group insurance plans.
18. Discuss how risk is evaluated. State the tools of risk.
19. Write an elaborate note on the growth of General insurance after nationalization.
20. Enumerate the steps involved in personal selling.

III B.A. ECONOMICS – GENDER STUDIES (UGGS)

Time: Three hours

Maximum marks: 75

Section – A (10 x 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL Questions

1. Define the term gender.
2. What is empowerment?
3. What does Gender studies deal with?
4. State the two outcomes of Beijing conference.
5. What is meant by domestic violence?
6. Give the meaning of sexual harassment.
7. Write the definition of women empowerment.
8. What is the slogan of International women year, 2019?
9. What are Self Help Groups?
10. Mention any two tasks of family court.

Section – B (5 x 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL Questions choosing either a) or b)

- 11a) Explain the concept and dimensions of feminism.
(Or)
b) Write a brief note on gender sensitivity.
- 12a) Distinguish between women's studies and gender studies.
(Or)
b) What are the UGC guidelines relating to Gender studies?
- 13a) State the forms of sexual harassment.
(Or)
b) Analyse the state policies involved in domestic violence.
- 14a) Enumerate the features of National Policy for empowerment of women.
(Or)
b) How does women development promote gender empowerment?
- 15a) Give an account of PNDT Act.
(Or)
b) What are the provisions relating to Maternity Benefit Act?

Section – C (3 x 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

16. State and explain the basic concepts associated with gender studies.
17. Discuss the scope and subject matter of gender studies.
18. What are the areas of gender discrimination? Explain.
19. Explain the initiatives undertaken for women development.
20. Discuss the powers and functions of National Commission for Women.