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## University of Kerala

First Semester FYUGP Degree Examination, December 2025

Discipline Specific Core Course

### ECONOMICS

#### UK1DSCECO103 - Issues of Indian Economy

Academic Level: 100-199

2024-Admission onwards

Time: 2 Hours(120 Mins)

Max. Marks: 56

Part A.6 Marks:Time 5 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Remember(RE)/Understand(UN)) Objective Type.1 mark each,  
Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	Aatmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan is the mission started by the Government of India on .....  Options : A)30 th May 2019 B)13 th May 2019 C)13 th May 2020 D)30 th May 2020	RE	3
2	BOP is  Options : A)Difference between export and import of services B)Total of export and import of services C)Difference between export and import of goods D)Difference between export and import of goods and services.	RE	4
3	Blue revolution is based on  Options : A)a) Vegetables B)b) Fish C)c) Agriculture D)d) Horticulture	UN	2
4	How does the Green Revolution primarily influence Indian agriculture?  Options : A)By reducing global grain prices B)By increasing urban migration C)By expanding digital employment D)By improving yields through technology and HYV seeds	UN	2

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5	No More Nationalisation of bank is a recommendation of : a) Narasimham Committee I . b. Narasimham Committee II. c. Chelliah Committee Report. d. Malhotra Committee.	UN	3
6	Fiscal federalism in India involves  Options : A) Relations between central and state governments regarding finances B) Foreign trade policies C) Monetary policy decisions D) Industrial growth strategies	UN	2

**Part B.10 Marks.Time:20 Minutes (Cognitive Level:Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Two-three sentences.2 marks each.Answer all questions**

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
7	Why was the Green Revolution introduced in India?	UN	2
8	8.State any two objectives of the New Industrial Policy 1991	UN	2
9	Explain the issues related to unemployment in India	AP	2
10	How can rising public debt create challenges for the effectiveness of fiscal policy?	AP	3
11	Give any two challenges faced by public sector enterprises.	AP	4

**Part C.16 Marks.Time:35 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Apply(AP)/Analyse(AN))Short Answer.4 marks each, Answer all 4 questions,choosing among options \* within each question**

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
12	A)  If skill development measures do not align with the expanding working-age population, how can India's potential 'Demographic Dividend' convert into a demographic liability?  OR B)  Apply the features of the Green Revolution to explain how it transformed rural employment patterns in India.	AP	1, 2
13	A)	AP	4, 3

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
	<p>How would an increase in the RBI's repo rate affect borrowing and spending in the Indian economy?</p> <p>OR</p> <p>B)</p> <p>Explain the role of agricultural growth trends in improving rural livelihoods.</p>		
14	<p>A)</p> <p>Examine the direction and magnitude of India's external trade in the changing global economic order.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>B)</p> <p>Analyse the effectiveness of poverty alleviation programmes in India.</p>	AN	4, 1
15	<p>A)</p> <p>Examine how the Start-Up India initiative can promote entrepreneurship in India and what challenges it faces.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>B)</p> <p>Analyse any four benefits of PDS in ensuring food security in India</p>	AN	4, 3

**Part D.24 Marks. Time: 60 Minutes. (Cognitive Level :Analyse(AN)/Evaluate(EV)/Create(CR)) Long Answer 6 Marks each. Answer all 4 questions choosing among options \* within each question**

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
16	<p>A)</p> <p>"The service sector is the backbone of India's economic growth." analyse the significance of service sector in Indian economy.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>B)</p> <p>Analyse the main sustainable development challenges of India's service-led growth by examining environmental, social, and economic factors.</p>	AN	4, 3
17	<p>A)</p> <p>Evaluate India's position in the Human Development Index (HDI), discussing the underlying reasons for its current status. What policy measures are needed to reduce poverty and inequality in the country?</p> <p>OR</p> <p>B)</p> <p>Analyze the reasons for declining share of agriculture in India's GDP</p>	EV	1, 2

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
18	<p>A) Evaluate the emerging challenges in Fiscal Federalism in India and analyse the financial relationship between the Central and State governments.</p> <p>OR B) Assess the impact of banking sector reforms in India since the beginning of the twenty first century.</p>	EV	4, 3
19	<p>A) Create a model showing how rising public debt can impact economic growth over the next decade in India.</p> <p>OR B) Develop a strategic roadmap for the Indian industrial sector that utilizes the 'Make in India' and 'Atmanirbhar Bharat' initiatives to specifically solve the structural challenges faced by MSMEs</p>	CR	4, 2