

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86
(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2004 – 2005 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: EC/PE/GE34

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2007
BRANCH III – ECONOMICS
THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : ELECTIVES
PAPER : GENDER ECONOMICS
TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX.MARKS : 100

SECTION – A

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS. **(5 X 8 = 40)**

1. What is Gender? Define Gender Economics.
2. Examine the need to study Economics from a feminist perspective.
3. Explain Michele Pujol's critique of neo classical Economics.
4. Distinguish between WID, WAD and GAD
5. How does environmental degradation affect women?
6. Examine how patriarchal ideology has led to the suppression of women
7. What is meant by statistical purdah?

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS. **(3 X 20 = 60)**

8. "Anatomy is destiny" – Discuss
9. Explain how globalization has affected women in Third World Countries.
10. Discuss the status of women in India. Briefly outline the measures taken by the government to empower women.
11. Elucidate the Discrimination theories of Notburga Ott and Asa Rosen
12. Discuss the salient features of Marxist Feminism.

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