

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86
(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2011 – 2012)

SUBJECT CODE: 11EC/AC/IE14

B.Com. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2011
COMMERCE
FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : ALLIED - CORE
PAPER : INDIAN ECONOMY
TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX.MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

I. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS:

(10 X 2 = 20)

1. Define an underdeveloped economy
2. State the objectives of XI Plan
3. Define Poverty
4. What is involuntary unemployment?
5. What is sex ratio?
6. What is agricultural price policy.
7. What is meant by procurement price?
8. What is the public sector?
9. What do you mean by liberalisation?
10. State the meaning of balance of payments

SECTION - B

II. ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS

(5 X 8 = 40)

11. Explain the National Population Policy 2000.
12. Explain the URP and MRP methods of measuring poverty.
13. Bring out the importance of small scale sector in economic development
14. Explain the tenancy reforms enacted in the Indian agricultural sector
15. Discuss the role of foreign trade in a developing economy
16. Explain the methods of calculating National Income.
17. Explain the following types of unemployment
 - a. Disguised Unemployment
 - b. Frictional Unemployment
 - c. Technological Unemployment
 - d. Cyclical Unemployment

SECTION - C

III. ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS (2 X 20 = 40)

18. "The Indian Economy is a developing economy" – Comment on this statement with relevant data on various characteristic features of developing countries.
19. Define Green Revolution. Explain the main features of Green Revolution and bring out its merits and demerits.
20. Bring out the causes for unemployment and examine the steps taken to solve the problems of unemployment.
21. Analyse the trends in population growth in India. Suggest suitable measures for controlling it.
