

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86**  
**(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2015 – 2016 and thereafter)**

**SUBJECT CODE: 15EC/MC/DT34**

**B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2017**  
**BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS**  
**THIRD SEMESTER**

**COURSE : MAJOR – CORE**  
**PAPER : DEVELOPMENT THEORY**  
**TIME : 3 HOURS**

**MAX. MARKS: 100**

**SECTION – A**

**ANSWER ANY TEN QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS**  
**(10x2=20)**

1. Write a note on the financial institutions in the context of Development.
2. What are the problems in the development context.
3. What is 'Below the Poverty line' – Discuss.
4. Justify the 'age of high mass consumption' in development process.
5. Explain briefly the importance of growth in capital stock to achieve Development.
6. What are the systemic problems in Agriculture production and productivity.
7. Examine the significance of capital output ratio in growth models.
8. What is poverty trap.
9. What are forward linkages.
10. What are the potential gains from extended trade pattern.
11. What is economic dualism.
12. How is migration is a positive correlate to development.

**SECTION – B**

**ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 400 WORDS**  
**(5x8=40)**

13. Explain the Indices to Development.
14. Examine the social dimensions to poverty.
15. What is the significance of Rostow's stages economic growth model.
16. What is the significance of land ownership pattern for agriculture development.
17. Examine complimentary, coordination and compatibility in economic system.
18. Examine the balanced growth configuration of Nurske as compatible to come out of poverty state.
19. Explain factors influencing the choice of Techniques in Economics.
20. What are the requirements to balance Rural-urban migration.

**SECTION – C**

**ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS** **(2x20=40)**

21. Explain how development can be achieved with Surplus labour using Lewi's and Fei Ranis contribution.
22. Discuss the role of agriculture in economic development.
23. Explain the contentious of Neo-classical framework and Kaldor in the context of growth and income and output issues.
24. Examine the social dimensions to poverty and inequality in less Developed countries – Suggest measures to overcome poverty issues.

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