

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2015 – 2016 and thereafter)
SUBJECT CODE: 15EC/MC/IE24
B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019
BRANCH IV - ECONOMICS
SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR CORE

PAPER : INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT - II

TIME : 3 HOURS.

MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

ANSWER ANY TEN QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS.

(10 x 2 = 20)

1. Expand FEMA and IDRA.
2. What is disinvestment?
3. What are the different types of roads in India?
4. List the different sources of electric power.
5. List and describe the different modes of transport.
6. What do you mean by social security?
7. Differentiate between absolute poverty and relative poverty.
8. List any four Poverty Alleviation Programmes started by the Government of India.
9. Differentiate between BOT and BOP.
10. Mention the main thrust area of New Foreign Trade policy 2015-2020.
11. What is Privatization?
12. What is the difference between FDI and FII?

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 400 WORDS.

(5 X 8 = 40)

13. How does industrialization help in the economic development of a country?
14. What are the main problems faced by small scale industries?
15. Development of Infrastructure has a high degree of spread effect and percolation effect. Explain.
16. Write a brief note on rural electrification in India.
17. What do you mean by poverty line? Give the percentage of population living below poverty line in India.
18. Analyse the nature of unemployment in India.
19. Highlight the main trends in India's direction of foreign trade.
20. Explain in brief objectives of New Foreign Trade Policy 2015-2020.

SECTION – C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS.

(2 X 20 = 40)

21. Explain in detail the main features of New Industrial Policy 1991. Has this new policy helped Indian Industries to be more competitive?
22. Discuss in detail various causes of power crisis in India. Suggest measures to tackle this problem.
23. Outline the various schemes to tackle the problem of poverty and unemployment in India.
24. What is Globalization? Explain its main features, advantages and disadvantages.
