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Second Semester M.A. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Reg./Supple./Imp.)
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ECONOMICS /DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS/APPLIED ECONOMICS
MAACO02C10/MADCO02C10/MAECO02C10 : Indian Economy –
Development Issues with Special Reference to Kerala

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

SECTION – I

Short Answer Questions (Any 5).

(5×3=15)

1. What do you mean by demographic dividend ?
2. How far has Indira Avas Yojana succeeded in solving housing problems in India ?
3. What is disguised unemployment ?
4. What are the components of the PM Awas Yojana ?
5. Briefly point out the E-Governance initiatives in Kerala.
6. What is the role of microfinance in women empowerment ?

SECTION – II

Short Essay Questions (Any 3).

(3×6=18)

7. Briefly discuss the demographic profile of India.
8. What are the different inequality measures ? Point out advantages and disadvantages of different inequality measures.

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9. Elaborate reasons for the industrial sickness in Kerala Economy.
10. Critically evaluate the status of educated unemployment in context of young generation migration from Kerala during recent time.
11. What are the problems of Kerala Model of Economic Development ?

SECTION – III

Essay Questions (Any 3).

(3×9=27)

12. What do you mean by poverty ? How far has multi-dimensional poverty been reduced by the various poverty eradication programmes in India ?
13. What is NPP ? Evaluate success and failure of population policy in India.
14. Critically evaluate structural changes in Kerala.
15. Discuss the problems and prospects of service sector in India.
16. Examine the impacts of WTO on Kerala Economy.