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Fourth Semester M.S.W. Degree Examination, September 2019

SW 243B – DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

(2014 Admission onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. Answer should not exceed 50 words.

1. Economic growth
2. Human Development
3. Mixed economy
4. Developing economy
5. Liberalisation
6. Measurement of poverty
7. National population policy
8. Village Industries
9. Economic planning
10. Mechanisation of agriculture

(10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

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PART – B

Answer **any five** questions, Answer should not exceed 300 words.

11. What are the differences between economic growth and economic development? Why do we prefer development over growth?
12. India is a developing economy. Justify.
13. What are the causes of low productivity in agriculture in India?
14. Who are the victims of poverty? Why are they called victims?
15. Is mechanisation of agriculture is good for the sector? Justify your arguments with sufficient proofs.
16. What are the major problems caused by overpopulation?
17. What is meant by tertiary sector? What are its importance in Kerala's economic growth?
18. What are the problems of centralised planning in India?

(5 × 5 = 25 Marks)

PART – C

Answer **any two** questions, Answer should not exceed 1200 words.

19. Write an essay on the current economic scenario of India. Do you think that it is promising? Justify your arguments.
20. What is poverty? What are the different types of measurements of poverty? What are the factors that perpetuate poverty?
21. Industrial development is key for economic growth. Write an essay on small scale and cottage industries and their role in economic development.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

