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B.A DEGREE (CBCS) EXAMINATIONS, OCTOBER 2021

First Semester

Core Course - EC1CRT01 - PERSPECTIVES AND METHODOLOGY OF ECONOMICS

(Common to B.A Economics Model I, B.A Economics Model II Foreign Trade, B.A Economics Model II Insurance & B.A Corporate Economics Model III)

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. Crusades
- 2. Is economics a social science? Give reasons.
- 3. Inter disciplinary approach.
- 4. State Micro Economics.
- 5. Distinguish between method and methodology.
- 6. Define variables, give examples for economic variables.
- 7. Define marginal revenue.
- 8. Write a short note on concept of surplus value.
- 9. What is Liquidity preference?
- 10. Define research
- 11. Survey
- 12. State the difference between census method and sampling method.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Briefly explain the disciplines of natural science.



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- 14. What is economic theory? Explain its characteristics.
- 15. What are the role of assumptions in Economics?
- 16. Differentiate between partial and general equilibrium.
- 17. State the fundemental features of classicism.
- 18. Explain the economic ideas of Amartya Sen and J N Bhagwathi.
- 19. State the sources of secondary data.
- 20. What is a research report? Eplain the stages in writing research report.
- 21. What are the sources and role of hypothesis?

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. Explain the various disciplines that make social sciences.
- 23. Explain Static, Comparative Statics and Dynamic methods of analysis.
- 24. Examine the contributions of Adam Smith for the development of economic thought
- 25. Give an outline of classical economic thought.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

