



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - ECONOMICS

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2013

EC 2953 - SOCIAL ECONOMICS

Date : 07/05/2013
Time : 9:00 - 12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART-A

Answer any five in 75 words each

(5x 4 = 20)

1. What is meant by Economic equality?
2. Differentiate between social assurance and social insurance.
3. What is meant by MPI?
4. State and explain the statistical tool to measure inequality.
5. What is meant by Human capital ?
6. State the different types of economic crime.
7. Point out the basis of discrimination on market imperfection

PART- B

Answer any four in about 250 words each

(4 x 10= 40)

8. Explain the pre- requisites for economic growth.
9. Briefly explain the measurement and magnitude of unemployment problem in India
10. Write a short note on financial inclusion. Examine the Government initiative for financial inclusion.
11. Explain the various social welfare oriented programmes designed by the Government to protect the unorganized sector.
12. Explain the pros and cons of SEZ in India
13. Briefly highlight the acts passed by the government of India to protect consumers against business exploitation.
14. Highlight the causes for the growth of Black money.

PART-C

Answer any Two in about 900 words each

(2x 20= 40)

15. Critically examine the economic ideas of Karl Marx
16. Examine the process of inclusive growth in India
17. Examine the reasons for increase in migration in post liberalized period.
18. Describe the features of SHGs and examine the role of SHGs in women empowerment
