

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ECONOMICS

FIFTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2013

EC 5400 - SOCIAL ECONOMICS

Date : 10/05/2013

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time : 1:00 - 4:00

PART-A

Answer any five questions in about 75 words each.

5 x 4 = 20

1. Define social economics.
2. How is BPL measured?
3. Define corruption.
4. Distinguish between social cost and social benefit
5. Who is a beggar?
6. What is meant by consumerism
7. List two steps to control terrorism

PART-B

Answer any four of the following each answer not exceeding 250 words each.

4 x 10 = 40

8. Discuss the various types of unemployment
9. Compare the social principles of Gandhi and Karl Marx
10. Analyze the causes for the current energy crisis in Tamil Nadu. Suggest some remedial measures
11. Explain the concepts of equality.
12. Explain the role of National Health Insurance Scheme in India
13. Explain the factors responsible for generation of black money?
14. What is meant by Human Development Index? Explain the indicators used in measuring HDI.

PART-C

Answer any two of the following not exceeding 900 words each.

2 x 20 = 40

15. Analyze the causes of crimes. Suggest measures to prevent the same
16. Define poverty. How is poverty measured? Is poverty declining in India? Suggest measures to eradication poverty.
17. What is social banking? Explain the importance of social banking
18. Discuss the role of education in the process of development of a society.
