



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ECONOMICS

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UEC 5602 – TAMIL NADU ECONOMY



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Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00 PM - 04:00 PM

SECTION A - K1 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions

(10 x 1 = 10)

1. Choose the best answer.

- What is the primary natural resource found in Neyveli?
(A) Limestone (B) Lignite (C) Bauxite (D) Iron ore
- Which cropping pattern involves growing two or more crops simultaneously on the same land?
(A) Monoculture (B) Intercropping (C) Crop rotation (D) Mixed cropping
- The city that is a major hub for the textile industry in Tamil Nadu is:
(A) Chennai (B) Coimbatore (C) Tirupur (D) Madurai
- The IT corridor in Tamil Nadu is primarily located in which city?
(A) Chennai (B) Coimbatore (C) Madurai (D) Tirunelveli
- The Tamil Nadu Green Tribunal was established in which year?
(A) 2010 (B) 2011 (C) 2012 (D) 2013

2. Match the following.

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| a) Gender Inequality Index | (i) Chennai |
| b) Uzhavar Santhai | (ii) Distribution of taxes |
| c) Detroit of Asia | (iii) 1999 |
| d) State Finance Commission | (iv) Improve educational outcomes |
| e) Naan Mudhalvan | (v) 2010 |

SECTION A - K2 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions

(10 x 1 = 10)

3. State TRUE or FALSE.

- Unemployment Rate is defined as the number of persons employed per 1000 persons in the labour force.
- Agmark is a quality certification mark on agricultural products in India.
- Kanchipuram silk sarees are typically made from mulberry silk.
- As per the 2011 Census, the Sex ratio in Tamil Nadu was 896 females per 1,000 males.
- In Tamil Nadu NTCP is implemented by the State Tobacco Control Cell since 2005.

4. Answer the following.

- Illustrate any four mineral resources of Tamil Nadu.
- Summarize the various cropping pattern in Tamil Nadu.
- Classify Micro, Small and Medium enterprises.
- Outline Chief Minister Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme.
- Expand the following acronym UYEGP and SGRY.

SECTION B - K3 (CO2)

Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each.

(2 x 10 = 20)

- Identify the indicators of HDI and inter-district variations in Tamil Nadu.
- Experiment the defects of agricultural marketing.
- Construct the role of Kanchipuram Silk industry.
- Choose the important service sector industries in Tamil Nadu.

SECTION C – K4 (CO3)	
Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each. (2 x 10 = 20)	
9.	Analyse the causes for farmers suicide in Tamil Nadu.
10.	Examine the structure and functions of MSME department of Tamil Nadu.
11.	Justify the recent Population Census in Tamil Nadu.
12.	Explain the role of Tourism in Tamil Nadu.
SECTION D – K5 (CO4)	
Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)	
13.	Elaborate the geographical features of Tamil Nadu.
14.	Explain the indicators of agricultural distress.
SECTION E – K6 (CO5)	
Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)	
15.	Elucidate the distributions of industrial clusters in Tamil Nadu.
16.	Analyze the Poverty Alleviation Programme in Tamil Nadu.
