



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.Com., B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - COMMERCE & CORP. SEC. & SOCIOLOGY

THIRD SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2015

EC 3206 - RURAL BANKING

Date : 12/11/2015
Time : 09:00-12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART - A

Answer any FIVE of the following; not exceeding 75 words each:

(5 x 4 = 20 marks)

1. Write a note on the structure of rural society.
2. What is meant by the term Cooperative?
3. State the concept of Rural Poverty.
4. How does agriculture provide employment opportunities to rural people?
5. What do you mean by rural indebtedness?
6. State the need and importance of Crop Insurance.
7. Write a short note on Microcredit.

PART – B

Answer any FOUR of the following; not exceeding 250 words each:

(4x10 =40 marks)

8. Give arguments for and against Institutional Credit Institutions.
9. Examine the impact of technological change on agriculture.
10. Explain the role of Cooperative in Rural Financing.
11. Discuss the contribution made by commercial banks towards financing rural sectors.
12. Recommend ways to eliminate defects in Cooperative Societies. Suggest remedial measures.
13. Explain the role of technology and professionalism towards agricultural growth.
14. “Money lenders still continue to dominate the rural sector”- Elaborate.

PART - C

Answer any TWO of the following, not exceeding 900 words:

(2x20 = 40 marks)

15. “Indian Agriculture is a gamble with monsoon”- Comment.
16. Evaluate the Rural Indebtedness in the context of Indian agriculture.
17. Explain in detail the various institutions involved in Rural Credit.
18. Give a detailed report on the working, organisation and functioning of Regional Rural Banks.

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