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B.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

Fourth Semester

Economics (Model I)

Core Course—PUBLIC ECONOMICS

(2013—2016 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Part A (Definition Type Questions)

Answer all the following questions in one sentence.

Each question carries 1 mark.

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| 1. Private Finance. | 2. Indirect Tax. |
| 3. Budget. | 4. Public Expenditure. |
| 5. Fiscal Federalism. | 6. Debt Redemption. |
| 7. Fine. | 8. Public good. |
| 9. Wealth tax. | 10. Voluntary debt. |

(10 × 1 = 10)

Part B (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any eight of the following questions in a paragraph each.

(Not exceeding 100 words).

Each question carries 2 marks.

11. Distinguish between Revenue budget and Capital budget.
12. Explain burden of Internal debt ?
13. Discuss the importance of public debt management ?
14. Mention the key issues under Fiscal federalism.
15. Examine the incidence of taxation ?
16. Explain fiscal policy ?

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17. Discuss the scope of public economics.
18. What are the non-tax revenue collected by the government ?
19. What are the functions of finance commission ?
20. What are the features of urban panchayati raj institution ?
21. Explain basic economic activities of the economy ?
22. Mention the nature of public debt in India.

(8 × 2 = 16)

Part C (Short Essays)

Answer any six of the following questions in one and a half pages each.

(Not exceeding 150 words).

Each question carries 4 marks.

23. Explain Laffer curve ?
24. Examine canon of taxation.
25. Explain Ability to pay theory of taxation ?
26. Explain the pattern of public expenditure in India ?
27. Differentiate between public and private finance ?
28. How finance commission transfer resources among the states ?
29. Explain the types of public debt ?
30. Explain the nature of fiscal federalism in India ?
31. Explain Effects of taxation ?

(6 × 4 = 24)

Part D (Long Essays)

Answer any two of the following questions.

(Not exceeding four pages each)

Each question carries 15 marks.

32. Explain principle of maximum social advantage in public economics ?
33. Role of budget in the development of economy ?
34. Explain the relationship of state finance commission and panchayati raj institutions ?
35. How burden of public debt effects the functions of government ?

(2 × 15 = 30)

