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VI Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, April 2023
(2019 & 2020 Admissions)

CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS
6B14ECO/DEV ECO : Public Economics

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Short answer type questions. Answer **all** questions. **Each** carries **one** mark.

1. What is Public Debt ?
2. What do you mean by Private Finance ?
3. Give a note on Income tax.
4. Define Fiscal Deficit.
5. Explain incidence of a tax.
6. Define Budget.

(6×1=6)

PART – B

Short essay type questions. Answer **any 6** questions. **Each** carries **two** marks.

7. Give a note on Internal and External Public Debt.
8. Explain the main components of Public Economics.
9. What do you mean by Deficit Budget ?
10. Briefly explain the characteristics of Private Goods.
11. Distinguish between Developmental Expenditure and Non Developmental Expenditure.
12. What do you mean by Progressive taxes and Proportional taxes ?
13. Explain the reasons for the growth of Public debt in a country.
14. What do you mean by Specific and Ad Valorem tax ? Give examples. (6×2=12)

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PART – C

Essay type. Answer **any 4** questions. **Each** carries **three** marks.

15. Point out the main classification of budgets.
16. Write a short essay on Wagner's Law.
17. Briefly explain the major highlights of the latest Union Budget.
18. Explain the main functions of Finance Commission.
19. Mention the main methods for the repayment of public debt.
20. Explain the specific features of Programme Budgeting.

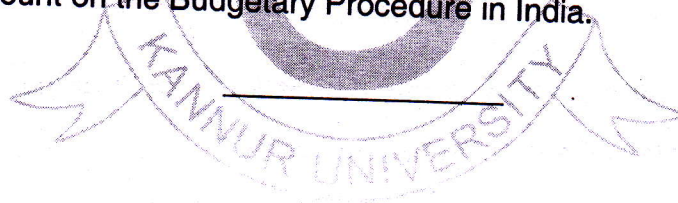
(4×3=12)

PART – D

Long essay type questions. Answer **any 2** questions. **Each** carries **five** marks.

21. Write an essay on the meaning and scope of Public Economics.
22. Explain the main canons of taxation.
23. Define tax. Give a detailed explanation about the main taxes in India.
24. Give an account on the Budgetary Procedure in India.

(2×5=10)



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PART – A

Answer **all** questions. **Each** carries **one** mark.

1. What is growth ?
2. What is tax ?
3. What is budget ?
4. Define public economics.
5. What is meant by private finance ?
6. What is public expenditure ?

(1×6=6)

PART – B

Answer **any six** questions. **Each** carries **two** marks.

7. What do you mean by externality ?
8. What is public good ?
9. Explain progressive tax.
10. Zero base budget.
11. Define administrative revenue of the government.
12. Explain revenue deficit.
13. What is cannon of benefit ?
14. What do you mean by tax evasion ?

(2×6=12)

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PART – C

Answer any four questions. Each carries three marks.

- 15. Explain developmental and non-developmental expenditure.
- 16. Describe impact and incidence of tax.
- 17. Explain the classification of public debt.
- 18. Explain the idea of performance budget.
- 19. What is primary deficit ?
- 20. Write a note on GST.

(3×4=12)

PART – D

Answer any two questions. Each carries five marks.

- 21. Explain Wagner's law of public expenditure.
- 22. What are the causes of increase in public expenditure in India ?
- 23. Write a note on finance commission and its functions.
- 24. Explain the cannons of public expenditure.

(5×2=10)
