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Discipline Specific Elective

COMMERCE

UK3DSECOM201 - Conceptual Framework of Co-operation

Academic Level: 200-299

2024 Admission

Time: 2 Hours(120 Mins) **Max. Marks: 56**

Part A.6 Marks:Time 5 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Remember(RE)/Understand(UN)) Objective Type.1 mark each, Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	Primary objective of Capitalism is Options : A)Welfare of workers B)Equitable distribution C)Maximization of profit D)Public welfare	RE	1
2	The First Co-operative Societies Act in India was passed in the year Options : A)1885 B)1892 C)1904 D)1919	RE	4
3	Co. operative week celebrated from Options : A)November ,14 to 20 B)July,14 to 20 C)January, 20 to 26 D)June,10 to14	UN	1
4	Choose the key principle of Cooperation Options : A)Profit maximization for shareholders B)Democratic Control C)Government control D)Centralized decision-making	UN	3
5	Select the cooperative extension activity Options : A)Financial assistance programme B)Community outreach and education initiatives C)Legal arbitration mechanisms D)Technical audit processes	UN	2

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
6	Identify the name of the economic system where the means of production are owned and operated by the Government or the State. Options : A)Capitalism B)Socialism C)Feudalism D)Corporatism	UN	2

Part B.10 Marks.Time:20 Minutes (Cognitive Level:Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Two-three sentences.2 marks each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
7	Examine the ethical aspects of Cooperation	UN	1
8	Differentiate between PACS and Central Cooperative Banks.	UN	4
9	Name any two strategies to enhance member participation	AP	5
10	Illustrate the major problem that motivated the British Government to introduce co-operative legislation in India	AP	5
11	Identify the concept of “Cooperative Values” in a real-life situation to form a Cooperative Society	AP	1

Part C.16 Marks.Time:35 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Apply(AP)/Analyse(AN))Short Answer.4 marks each, Answer all 4 questions,choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
12	A) Make a comparative analysis of co operation and mixed economic system OR B) XYZ Cooperative Bank aims to enhance financial inclusion in its operational areas by improving access, availability, and usage of financial services for its members. Design a strategic plan to achieve this goal, focusing on the dimensions of financial inclusion	AP	2, 5
13	A) Analyse how cooperatives contribute to economic empowerment in rural India. OR B)	AP	4, 1

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
	Explain the Rochdale principles and their relevance to modern cooperatives		
14	A) Differentiate between co-operative societies and Joint stock companies. OR B) Examine the different types of training programs provided to various stakeholders in a cooperative institution	AN	2, 2
15	A) Describe the evolution of the Cooperative Movement in Kerala. OR B) Trace evolution and development of the Rochdale Pioneers Cooperative Society	AN	4, 1

Part D.24 Marks.Time: 60 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Analyse(AN)/Evaluate(EV)/Create(CR)) Long Answer 6 Marks each.Answer all 4 questions choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
16	A) Analyse the role of ICA in shaping the principles of cooperation OR B) Describe the structure of credit co-operatives in Kerala.	AN	1, 4
17	A) Evaluate the role of the International Co-operative Alliance (ICA) in strengthening the cooperative movement worldwide. OR B) Explain the structure of of co-operative education and training in India.	EV	3, 3
18	A) Evaluate the role of dairy cooperatives in promoting social welfare and Rural Development in Kerala	EV	4, 2

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
	OR B) Appraise the role of cooperation in promoting community welfare compared to socialism		
19	A) Evaluate strategies to enhance member participation in cooperative societies OR B) Develop a chart showing the structure of short term and long term co-operative credit institutions in Kerala	CR	3, 4