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**Third Semester B.Com. Degree Examination, January 2023**

**First Degree Programme under CBCSS**

**Elective Course :**

**Stream 2 – Co-operation**

**CO 1361.2 : PRINCIPLES OF CO-OPERATION**

**(2019 Admission Onwards)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – A

Answer **all** questions in **one** or **two** sentences. Each question carries **1** mark.

1. Why co-operative societies are termed as voluntary associations?
2. Write any two similarities between co-operation and socialism.
3. Write any two similarities between a cooperative society and a company.
4. What is cooperative commonwealth?
5. Who are called Rochdale Pioneers?
6. Write any two features of Chinese Industrial Cooperatives.
7. Write any two characteristics of marketing cooperative societies in USA.
8. What is "LUR BRAND"?

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9. Write any two problems of dairy co-operatives in Kerala.

10. What is co-operative marketing?

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

SECTION – B

Answer any **eight** questions in not exceeding one paragraph. Each question carries **2** marks.

11. How do operative societies ensure equity in its functioning?

12. What are the social roles of cooperative societies?

13. What are the educational advantages of cooperatives?

14. What are the features of communism?

15. Write any two differences between co-operation and communism.

16. What is International Co-operative Alliance (ICA)?

17. Write a note on Karve Committee.

18. What are the cooperative values?

19. How does a cooperatives ensure democratic management?

20. Which are the different types of co-operative education, as envisioned in co-operative principles?

21. How does a cooperative society ensure 'Open Membership'?

22. What is the significance of the Japanese Consumers' Cooperative Union?

23. Which are the types of cooperative farming societies?

24. What are the problems of agro processing co-operatives?

25. Which are the types of cooperative marketing societies in India?

26. What is NAFED?

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

## SECTION – C

Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries **4** marks.

27. What are the objectives of co-operation?
28. What are the economic significance of cooperative societies?
29. What are the advantages and disadvantages of capitalism?
30. What are the features of sole proprietorship?
31. What are the differences between partnership and co-operative society?
32. What were the Rochdale principles of co-operation?
33. Write a note on co-operative movement in Britain.
34. What are the characteristics co-operative movement in Denmark?
35. What are the advantages of a cooperative processing society?
36. What are the functions of Dairy Co-operatives?
37. Explain the different types of cooperative societies offering long term credit in Kerala.
38. What are the objectives of co-operative marketing societies in Kerala?

**(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)**

## SECTION – D

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

39. Explain the features of Co-Operatives.
40. Explain the features, merits and demerits of socialism.
41. Explain the co-operative principles approved by ICA in 1995.

42. Explain the co-operative movement and its characteristics in Germany.
43. Explain the structure and characteristics of cooperative credit societies in Kerala, offering short term and medium term credit.
44. Explain the nature and characteristics of different types of Industrial co-operatives in Kerala.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

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