

**INTERNAL ASSIGNMENT QUESTIONS  
M.A. ECONOMICS PREVIOUS**

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **Paper – I : MICRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS**

#### **SECTION – A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Exceptions to the Law of demand
2. Marginal Rate of Technical Substitution
3. Characteristics of monopolistic Competition
4. Bilateral Monopoly
5. Social Welfare function

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Explain Revealed Preference Theory
2. Discuss Marginal productivity theory of distribution

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **Paper – II : MACRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS**

#### **SECTION – A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Consumption Function
2. Marginal Efficiency of Capital (MEC)
3. Quantity theory of Money
4. IS – LM Curve
5. Open Market Operations

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Bring out the difference between Absolute Income hypothesis and Relative Income hypothesis.
2. Define business cycles and explain different phases of business cycles.

## INTERNAL ASSIGNMENT-2016-2017

Course: ECONOMICS (M.A. Previous)

Paper: III

Title: Quantitative Methods

Year: I / II / III

### Section-A

UNIT-I: Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)  $5 \times 2 = 10$

1. What is a linear function? Define
2. What is a quadratic function?
3. What is a cubic function?
4. What is Partial Derivative?
5. Explain the maxima and minima

### Section-B

UNIT-II: Answer the following questions (each question carries five marks)  $2 \times 5 = 10$

1.  $A = \begin{vmatrix} 10 & 4 \\ 8 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$  find the value of determinant A?

2. Solve the following system of equation using Cramer's rule?

Define simple arithmetic mean and explain its merits and demerits.

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **Paper – IV: PUBLIC ECONOMICS**

#### **SECTION – A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Normative approach
2. Stabilization Policy
3. Incidence of Taxation
4. Customs Duties
5. Zero based budgets

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. What is Public expenditure ? Discuss the different bases of Public classification of expenditure.
2. What are the improvements necessary in the financial relations between the Centres and States.

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **Paper – V : INTERNATIONAL TRADE & FINANCE**

#### **SECTION - A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Rybezynski. (Rybezynski) Theorem.
2. Distinguish between Tariff and Quota.
3. Distinguish between BOT and BOP
4. SAARC
5. WTO

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Critically explain about factor endowment Theory Trade.
2. Briefly explain about Trade reforms and Trade polices in India.

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **PAPER I: ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECTOR AND ENVIRONMENT**

#### **SECTION - A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Boulding's Spaceship earth
2. Command and Control Regime
3. Physical capital and Human capital
4. Cost Benefit analysis
5. Scope of economics of Health.

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Explain Hardins tragedy of commons and schumacher's small is beautiful.
2. Discuss the need for Educational Planning in a developing economy such as India.

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **PAPER II: ECONOMICS OF GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT**

#### **SECTION - A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Economic growth and Economic Progress .
2. Warranted growth rate
3. Import substitution policy.
4. Shadow pricing
5. PQLI

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Prebisch – singer hypothesis
2. Export Led growth.

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **PAPER III: INDIAN ECONOMIC POLICY**

#### **SECTION - A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Balanced Regional Development
2. Physical Quality Life Index and Human Development Index
3. Overview of Planned Economy in India.
4. Financial sector Reforms
5. Multinational corporations in India.

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Explain the salient features of 1991 Industrial Policy.
2. Explain the importance of Foreign Trade Policy in India.

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## **INTERNAL ASSESSMENT**

### **PAPER - IV: AGRICULTURE ECONOMICS**

#### **SECTION - A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. What is Agricultural Economics ? Write the scope of the subject.
2. Rural Infrastructure in India.
3. Marketted and Marketable surplus.
4. Cobb-web theories
5. Food Security

#### **SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Explain the Land Reforms in India? Suggest the suitable measures for the implementation of Land Reforms.
2. Write the impact of WTO on Indian Agriculture.

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**PAPER - V: INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS**

**SECTION - A**

**UNIT – I : Answer the following short questions (each question carries two marks)**

**5x2=10**

1. Distinguish between Industry and Firm.
2. Enlist the determinants of Industrial location.
3. Describe the merits of Downie Model over Penrose Model.
4. Write about the types of Economics of scale.
5. What is productivity ? Explain its types.

**SECTION – B**

**UNIT – II : Answer the following questions (each question carries Five marks)**

**2x5=10**

1. Discuss the model given by Gerschenkron. (Great Spurt theory)
2. Define Market Structure ? Explain its features in detail.

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