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Semester	Course	Paper Code	Title of the Paper	credit	Total credits
S-1	Hard core - I	ECHT 101	Micro Economic Analysis-I	4	22
	Hard core - II	ECHT102	Macro Economic Analysis-I	4	
	Hard core- III	ECHT103	Mathematics for Economics	4	
	Hard core - IV	ECHT104	Economics of Growth & Development	4	
	Hard core- Elective	ECHT105	Economics of Social Sector and Environment	3	
	Soft Core	ECSC106	Economics for Competitive Examinations	3	
S-2	Hard core - I	ECHT207	Micro Economic Analysis-II	4	22
	Hard core - II	ECHT208	Macro Economic Analysis-II	4	
	Hard core - III	ECHT209	Statistics for Economics	4	
	Hard core - IV	ECHT210	International Trade and Finance	4	
	Hard core- Elective	ECHT211	Industrial Economics	3	
	Soft core	ECSC212	Economics of Education	3	
S-3	Hard core – I	ECHT313	Public Economics I	4	23
	Hard core - II	ECHT314	Basic Econometrics	4	
	Hard core - III	ECHT315	Financial Institutions and Markets	4	
	Hard core - IV	ECHT316	Economics of Infrastructure	4	
	Hard core - Elective	ECHT317	Computer Application in Economic Analysis	4	
	Soft core	ECSC 318	Demography	3	
S-4	Hard core – I	ECHT419	Public Economics II	4	23
	Hard core -II	ECHT 420	Indian Economic Development and Policy	4	
	Hard core- III	ECHT 421	Agricultural Economics	4	
	Hard core- IV	ECHT 422	Research Methodology In Economics	4	
	Hard core - Elective	ECHT423	Labour Economics	4	
	Soft Core	ECSC424	Economics of Gender and Development	3	
			Total credits		90

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M.A Economics

The Scheme of Examination

Question Paper Pattern for M.A Economics (2018-19)

 $\underline{SECTION} - \underline{A} (10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

Answer **ALL** Questions

Ten Multiple Choice Questions, Each with Three Choices

 $\underline{SECTION - B}$ (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

Five Questions either or type (Each questions with internal choice)

Choose questions without neglecting any unit

 $\underline{SECTION - C}$ (3 x 10 = 30 Marks)

Answer any three out of Five Questions

M.A & M.PHIL ECONOMICS

The Continuous Internal Assessment

The Continuous Internal Assessment will be made based on Continuous Internal Assessment Tests / Mid Semester Test and Seminars / Assignment.

The Evaluation for Internal Assessment will be:

Average of three best	Internal Assessment Tests	(3X 5) = 15 Marks
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Mid Semester Exam $1 \times 15 = 15 \text{ Marks}$

Seminar / Assignment $1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ Marks}$

Total 40Marks

MICRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS -I

UNIT I: RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN DEMAND ANALYSIS

Pragmatic approach and linear expenditure system, Consumer surplus, Inter-temporal consumption; Recent developments in demand; Elementary theory of prices formation- demand and supply equilibrium; Cobweb theorem; Lagged adjustment in inter- related markets.

UNIT II: THEORY OF PRODUCTION AND COSTS

Production function- short period and long period; Law of variable proportions and returns to scale; Isoquants- Least cost combination of inputs; Returns to factors; Economies of scale; Multi-product firms; Elasticity of substitution; Euler's theorem; Technical progress and production function; Cobb-Douglas, CES/VES production functions and their properties; Traditional and modern theories of costs.

UNIT III: PRICE AND OUTPUT DETERMINATION

Marginal analysis as an approach to price and output determination; Perfect competition-short run and long run equilibrium of the firm and industry, price and output determination, supply curve; Monopoly- short run and long run equilibrium, price discrimination, welfare aspects, monopoly control and regulation; Monopolistic competition- general and Chamberlin approaches to equilibrium, equilibrium of the firm and the group with product differentiation and selling costs, excess capacity under monopolistic and imperfect competition, criticisms of monopolistic competition;

UNIT IV: OLIGOPOLY

Oligopoly- non-collusive (Cournot, Bertrand, Edge worth, Chamberlin, Kinked demand curve and Stackelberg's solution) and collusive (cartels and mergers, price leadership and basing point price system) models; price and output determination under monophony and bilateral monopoly.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1. David M. Kreps, (1990), A Course in Microeconomics Theory Princeton University Press, Princeton.
- 2. A. Koutsoyannis, (1970), Modern Microeconomics, (2nd Edition), Macmillan
- 3. P.R.G. Layard and A.W. Walters (1978), Microeconomic Theory, McGraw Hill, New York.
- 4. G. Stigler (1996), Theory of Price, (4th Edition), Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- 5. H. Varian (2000), Microeconomic Analysis, W.W. North, New York.

- 1 W.J. Baumol (1982), Economic Theory and Operations Analysis, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- 2 H.A.G. Green (1971), Consumer Theory, Penguin, Harmondsworth.
- 3 J.M. Henderson and R.E. Quandt (1980), Microeconomic Theory: A Mathematical Approach, McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
- 4 J. Hirshleifer and A. Glazer (1997), Price Theory and Application, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.

S 1 PAPER CODE ECHT 102 MACRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS - I

UNIT I: NATIONAL INCOME AND ACCOUNTS

Circular flow of income in two, three and four-sector economy – Different forms of National Income Accounting – Social Accounting – Flow of funds accounting and Balance of payments accounting.

UNIT II: CONSUMPTION FUNCTION

Keynes' psychological law of consumption – implications of the law, short run and long run consumption function, income-consumption relationship – Absolute income, relative income, life cycle and permanent income hypotheses.

UNIT III: INVESTMENT FUNCTION

Determinants of Investment – Expected Profits and MEC – Multiplier, and Super Multiplier - accelerator, investment behavior – impact of inflation and influence of policy measures on investment.

UNIT IV: DEMAND FOR AND SUPPLY OF MONEY

Demand for money – Classical approaches – quantity theory approach – Fisher's equation – Cambridge quantity theory – Keynes liquidity preference approach – Aggregate demand for money – classical approach to supply of money, RBI's role in controlling supply of money.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 G. Ackley (1970), Macro Economics: Theory and policy, Macmillan.
- 2 W.A. Branson (1980), Macro Economic Theory and Policy, Harper & Row, New York.
- 3 R. Dorn Bush and F. Stanley (1990), Macro Economics, McGraw Hill, Hill York.
- 4 Joseph Aschheim, Ching-Yao Hsieh (1960), Macro Economics Income and Monetary Theory, A Bell and Howell company, Columbus Ohio.
- 5 Gregory Manki Macro Economics (2008), Harvard University Printed in India by Replika Press, New Delhi.
- 6 Dernburg, McDougall, Macro Economics, the measurement, analysis, and control of Aggregate Economic activity (1983) Asian Student Edition.
- 7 Fred R. Glahe, Macro of Economics Theory and Policy (1985), University of Colorado, Florida, USA.

- 1. R. Jha (1986), Contemporary Macro Economic Theory and Policy, Willey Eastern Ltd., New Delhi.
- 2. United Nations, Year Book of National Account Statistics.
- 3. J.S. Duessenberry (1969), Income Savings and the Theory of Consumer Behavior, Harvard University Press.
- 4. M. Friedman (1957), the Theory of Consumption Function, Princeton University Press, Peninsula.
- 5. S.C. Chakravarty (1985), Report of the Committee to Review the Working the Monetary System, Reserve Bank of India, Bombay.

MATHEMATICS FOR ECONOMICS

UNIT I: DIFFERENTIATION AND INTEGRATION

Differential calculus- Rules of differentiation, Interpretation of Revenue, cost, demand and supply functions - elasticity's and their types - Integration - Rules of Integration - Definite integral - application to consumer's surplus and producer's surplus

UNIT II: PARTIAL DERIVATIVES

Partial differentiation- relation between AC and MC - Relation between AR , MR and elasticity-Maxima and minima of one variable - Maxima and minima of two variables - Constrained optimisation using Lagrange Multiplier method in (i) utility Maximisation, (ii) output Maximization, (iii) cost minimization.

UNIT III: MATRIX AND DETERMINANTS

Types of Matrices - Matrix operations - Determinants and properties - Rank of Matrix - Matrix inversion - Solution of Simultaneous Equations through matrix inversion - Cramer's Rule.

UNIT IV: INPUT AND OUTPUT ANALYSIS AND LINEAR PROGRAMMING

Input and output analysis - Solution for two industry model - Linear programming problems - Graphic method

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Geoff Renshaw (2009), Maths for Economics, Oxford University Press
- 2 A.C. Chiang (1986), Fundamental methods of Mathematical methods, McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
- 3 Taro Yamane (1975), Mathematics for economists, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- 4 D. Bose (2017), An introduction to Mathematical Economics, Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai

NOTE: Since the objective of this paper is to give problem solving training to students, all the questions in section B and section C should be problem solving. Questions in section A can be theory based or problem solving questions.

ECONOMICS OF GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

UNIT I: GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Growth and Development - Factors Affecting Economic Growth - Capital - Labour and Technology - Development and Under Development - Perpetuation of Under Development - Development Gap.

UNIT II: POVERTY

Absolute and Relative Poverty – Concept and Measurement of Poverty - Vicious Circle of Poverty – Inequality – Food Security – Problems of Growth Pattern – Population and Economic Growth.

UNIT III: THEORIES OF DEVELOPMENT I

Classical Theory of Development, Adam Smith, Ricardo, Malthus – Karal Marx - Growth Models of Harrods and Domar – Solow, Meade and John Robison.

UNIT IV: THEORIES OF DEVELOPMENT II

Big Bush Theory, Balanced Growth Theory, Theory of Unbalanced growth, Critical Minimum Effort Thesis – Models of Lewis, Ranis &Fei and Schumpeter.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 I. Adelman, (1961), Theories of Economic Growth and Development, Stanford University Press, Stanford.
- 2 B. Higgins (1959), Economic Development, W.W. Norton, New York.
- 3 G.M. Meier (1995), Leading Issues in Economic Development, (6th Edition), Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 4 M.P. Todaro (1996), Economic Development, (6th Edition), Longman, London.
- 5 A.P. Thirlwal (1999), Growth and Development, (6th Edition), Maemillan, U.K.
- 6 A.K. Sen (Ed) (1990), Growth Economics, Penguin, Harmondsworth.

- 1 S. Behrman and T.N. Srinivasan (1995), Handbook of Development Economics, Vol.3, Elsevie, Amsterdam.
- 2 M. Brown (1996), On the Theory and Measurement of Technical Change, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, Mass.
- 3 P. Dasgupta (1993), an Enquiry into Well-being and Destitution, Clarendon Press, Oxford.
- 4 S. Ghatak (1986), An Introduction to Development Economics, Allen and Unwin, London.
- 5 M. Gills, D.H. Perkins, M. Romer and D.R. Snodgrass (1992), Economics of Development, (3rd Edition), W.W. Norton, New York.
- 6 N. Gimmell (1987), Surveys in Development Economics, Blackwell, Oxford.
- 7 J. Hogenorn (1996), Economic Development, Addison, Wesley, New York.
- 8 S. Kahkonon and M. Olson (2000), A New Institutional Approach to Economic Development, Vistaar.

ECONOMICS OF SOCIAL SECTOR AND ENVIRONMENT

UNIT I: WELFARE ECONOMICS, SOCIAL SECTOR, AND ENVIRONMENT

Pareto optimality and competitive equilibrium; fundamental theorems of welfare economics, externalities and market inefficiency. Property rights and externalities. Pareto optimal provision of public goods—Lindahl's equilibrium.

UNIT II: THE THEORY OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Pigouvian taxes and subsidies, marketable pollution permits and mixed instruments (the charges and standard approach); Coase's bargaining solution and collective action; environment institutions and grass root movements; global environmental externalities and climatic change – tradable pollution permits and international carbon tax; trade and environment in WTO regime.

UNITIII: ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCE PROBLEMS IN INDIA

Mechanism for environment regulation in India; environmental laws and their implementation; policy instruments for controlling water and air pollution, and forestry policy; people's participation in the management of common and forest lands; social forestry – rationale and benefits- green economy-sustainable development.

UNIT IV:ECONOMICS OF EDUCATION

Education as an instrument for economic growth, human capital –human vs. physical capital, components of human capital, demand for education –private demand and social demand – determinants of demand; cost of education – benefit of education- financing of education –effects, benefits of education –direct and indirect benefits, private and social benefits.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Baumol, W.J (1992), the theory of environmental policy, Cambridge university press.
- 2 Berman, p., Health Sector Reforms in Developing Countries, Harvard series on population and international health.
- 3 Blaug, M., Introduction to Economics of Education, Penguin, London.
- 4 Klarman, H.E., the Economics of Health, Columbia University Press, New York.
- 5 Kolstad, Charles d (2000), environmental economics, oxford university press, New York

- 1 Sankar, u., Environmental Economics, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 2 Schultz, T.W., Investment in Human capital, free press, New York.

S1 SOFT CORE ELECTIVE ECSC 106

ECONOMICS FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS

UNIT I: FUNDAMENTALS OF MICRO ECONOMICS

Demand, determinants and law of demand - Supply, determinants and law of supply - Price mechanism - concept of elasticity - opportunity cost - law of variable proportion and returns to scale - different forms of market .

UNIT II: FUNDAMENTALS OF MACRO ECONOMICS

Central Problems of an economy – National Income – concepts and measurement - Aggregate demand and supply – Inflation – causes and consequences – Trade cycle and different phases – Exchange rate and Balance of payments

UNIT III: DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

Economic growth vs development – development Indicators – HDI – Poverty – Inequality – Unemployment - Strategy and objectives of India's Five Year Plans

UNIT IV: INDIAN ECONOMIC PROFILE

Nature and characteristics of Indian Economy- role of agriculture, industry and services – demographic profile - Features of economic reforms - liberalization, privatization and globalization - Monetary policy and fiscal policy: objectives and tools - functions of RBI

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Paul A Samuelson and William D Nordhaus, Economics, McGraw Hill
- 2 D N Dwivedi, Principles of Economics, Vickas Publishing
- 3 Indian Economy- Dutt and Sundharam
- 4 Indian Econmy Mishra and Puri

MICRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS-II

UNIT I: ALTERNATIVE THEORIES OF THE FIRM

Critical evaluation of marginal analysis; Baumol's sales revenue maximization model; Marris model of managerial enterprises; Full cost pricing rule; Bain's limit pricing theory and its recent developments, including Sylos-Labini's model; Behavioral model of the firm; Game theory models.

UNIT II: DISTRIBUTION

Neo-classical approach- Marginal productivity theory; Theory of distribution in imperfect product and factor markets; Determination of rent, wages, interest and profit.

UNIT III: GENERAL EQUILIBRIUM

Partial and general equilibrium, Walrasian excess demand and input-output approaches to general equilibrium, existence, stability and uniqueness of equilibrium and general equilibrium, coalitions and monopolies; Production without consumption- one sector model, homogeneous functions, income distribution, production without consumption- two sector model, relationship between relative commodity and factors prices (Stopler-Samuelson theorem), relationship between output mix and real factor prices, effects of changes in factor supply in closed economy (Rybozynske's theorem), production and consumption.

UNIT IV:ECONOMICS OF UNCERTAINTY

Individual behavior towards risk, expected utility and certainty equivalence approaches; Risk and risk aversion- the economics of insurance, optimal consumption under uncertainty, competitive firm under uncertainty, factor demand under price uncertainty.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Koutsoyannis, A. (1979), Modern Microeconomics, (2nd Edition), Macmillan Press, London.
- 2 Varian, H. (2000), Microeconomic Analysis, W.W. Norton, New York.

- 1 Baumol, W.j. (1982), Economic Theory and Operations analysis, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- 2 Henderson, J.M. and R.E. Quandt (1980), Microeconomic Theory: A Mathematical Approach, McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
- 3 Da Costa, G.C. (1980), Production, Prices and Distribution, Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
- 4 Health fields and Wibe (1987), An Introduction of Cost and Production Functions, MacMillan, London.
- 5 Archibald, G.C. (Ed.) (1971), Theory of the Firm, Penguin, Harmondsworth.
- 6 Bain, J. (1958), Barriers to New Competition, Harvard University Press, Harvard.
- 7 Bronfenbrenner, M. (1979), Income Distribution Theory, Macmillan, London.
- 8 Green, H. and V. Walsh (1975), Clssical and Neo-Classical Theories of General Equilibrium, Oxford University Press, London.
- 9 Hansen, B. (1970), A Survey of General Equilibrium Systems, McGraw Hill, New York.

MACRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS - II

UNIT I:THEORY OF INCOME AND EMPLOYMENT

Pre classical, classical, Neo- Classical and Keynesian Theory of Income and Employment – Keynesian Revolution – The IS-LM model.

UNIT II:POST-KEYNESIAN DEMAND FOR MONEY

Post-Keynesian demand for money – Post-Keynesian approaches to demand for money – Patinkin and Real Balance Effect – Approaches of Tobin – Milton Friedman and the modern quantity theory – Crisis in Keynesian economics and the revival of monetarism.

UNTI III:MACRO ECONOMICS IN AN OPEN ECONOMY

Fleming-Mundell model – Asset markets, expectations and exchange rates.

UNIT IV:INFLATION AND BUSINESS CYCLE THEORIES

Classical, Keynesian and Monetarist approach to inflation – Structuralism's theory of inflation; Phillip's curve; Natural rate of unemployment hypothesis – Tobin's modified Phillip's curve, Stagflation; policies to control inflation.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Ackley, G. (1980), Macro Economics: Theory and Policy, Macmillan.
- 2 Branson W.A. (1986), Macro Economic Theory and Policy, Harper & Row, New York.
- 3 Dorn Bush, R. and F. Stanley, (1996), Macro Economics, McGraw Hill, New York.
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- 1 J. M. Keynes (1936), the general theory of employment and money, Macmillan.
- 2 Levacic, R. and A. Rebman, (1990), Macro Economics: An Introduction to Keynesian and Neo-Classical Controversies.
- 3 Mankiw, N.G. and D. Romer (Ed), (1942), New Keynesian Economics.
- 4 Patinkin Don (1965), Money Interest and Prices, Harper and Row, New York.
- 5 Merin K. Lewin and Paul D Mizen, Monetary Economics, OUP, New York. 2000.

STATISTICS FOR ECONOMICS

UNIT I: CORRELATION ANALYSIS

Meaning, Assumptions and limitations of simple correlation analysis, Pearson's product moment and Spearman's rank correlation coefficient and their properties, coefficient of correlation and probable error, interpretation of correlation coefficient, coefficient of determination.

UNIT II:REGRESSION ANALYSIS

Concept of the least squares and the lines of regressions, standard error of estimates, partial and multiple correlation and regression (application only) - testing for correlation and regression coefficients.

UNIT III: PROBABILITY

Deterministic and non deterministic experiments, various types of events - classical and empirical definitions of probability, law of additions and multiplications, conditional probability and concept of interdependence, Bayer's theorem and its applications, elementary concept of random variables, Binomial, Poisson, and Normal distribution and their properties.

UNIT IV: SAMPLING METHODS

Basic concept of sampling- Random and non-Random sampling, stratified and purposive sampling, concept of an estimator and its sampling distribution, properties of an estimator, Formation of statistical hypothesis- Null and alternate, goodness of fit, confidence interval and level of significance, type I and type II errors, hypothesis testing based on Z, t, X² (Chi square) and F test.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Gupta. S.P. (2014), Statistical Methods, S. Chand and sons, New Delhi.
- 2 Croxton, Cowden and Klein (1971), Applied general statistics, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.

REFERENCES

- 1 Nagar, A.L. and R.K. Das (1993), Basic statistics, Oxford University press, New Delhi.
- 2 Miller, J. (1996), Statistics for advanced level, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge.

NOTE: More weightage should be give to problem solving questions while setting the question paper. Composition of theory and problem solving questions can be Theory 20% and Problem 80%.

INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND FINANCE

UNIT I: THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE

The pure theory of international trade, Modern theory – Theorem of factor price equalization – Hecksher Ohlin theory – Stopler – Samuelson Theorem – Kravis and Linder theory.Role of dynamic factors – Technology and factor endowments in explaining emergence of trade – Intra-industry trade and its impact on developing countries.

UNIT II: GAINS FROM TRADE AND THEORY OF INTERVENTIONS

Concepts of terms of trade their uses and limitations, Optimum tariff-Nominal and Effective Rate of Tariff. Economic effects of tariffs and quotas – on national income, output, employment income distribution and balance of payments. The political economy of non-tariff barriers.

UNIT III: BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Meaning - concepts; Equilibrium and Disequilibrium of Balance of Payments; The process of adjustment under gold standard - fixed exchange rate and flexible exchange rate and their relative merits and demerits. Critical review of monetary approaches to theory of balance of payments adjustment.

UNIT IV: THE THEORY OF REGIONAL TRADE BLOCKS

Effects of customs union and free trade areas – SAARC / SAPTA, ASEAN and EU; Regionalism multilateralism and WTO – Determinants of international reserves, conditionality clause of IMF, Reforms of International Monetary System.Short term capital movements and Global Economic Crisis – International trade and multilateral institutions – GATT / WTO (TRIPS, GATS, TRIMS) UNCTAD, IMF, WB and ADB.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Kindleberger, C.P. (1973), International Economics, R D Irwin Homewood.
- 2 Bhagavati, J, (Ed.) (1981), International Trade Selected Readings, Cambridge University Press, Massachusetts.
- 3 Krugman, P.R. and Obstfield (1994). International Economics Theory and Policy & Review, Foresman.
- 4 Wefred, J Ether (1995), Modern International Economics, W.W North & Company, New York
- 5 Francis Cherunilam, "International Economics"

INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS

UNIT I: INDUSTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Industry and economic development; Industry and sectoral linkages; Industrial classification of industries- Public, Private, Joint and cooperative sectors; MNCs and their role; Industrial competition and monopoly; Corporate governance.

UNITII: PRICING OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS

Industrial pricing and market structure; Pricing in India. Location of Industries – Theories of location; Diversification; Integration and merger of industrial Units; Dispersion and problem of regional imbalance.

UNIT III: INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTIVITY

Concept and measurement of productivity – Productivity-; Industrial sickness; Industrial financing – equity, and other components of finance banking, institutional and non-institutional finance- types of Institutional finance- IFCI, IDBI, SFC, SIDC, etc - Globalization and Indian Industry; International Competitiveness of Indian Industry; Privatization and issues relating to Disinvestment policy.

UNIT IV: INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN INDIA.

Industrial structure at the time of Independence; Industrial policy - New industrial policy and Economic Reforms –International competitiveness of Indian industry- privatization and issue relating to Disinvestment policy - Special economic zones.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Barthwal, R.R. (1992), Industrial Economics: An Introductory Text Book, Wiley Eastern Ltd., New Delhi.
- 2 Cherunilam, F. (1994), Industrial Economics: Indian Perspective (3rd Edition), Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- 3 Desai, B. (1999), Industrial Economy in India (3rd Edition), Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- 4 Kuchhal, S.C. (1980) Industrial Economy of India (5th Edition), Chaitanya Publishing House, Allahabad.
- 5 Singh, A. and A.N. Sadhu (1988), Industrial Economics, Himalaya Publishing House, Bombay.

- 1 bAhuwalia, I.J. (1995), Industrial Growth in India, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 2 Brahmananda, P.R. and V.R. Panchamukhi (Eds.) (1987), The Development Process of the Indian Economy, Himalaya Publishing House, Bombay.
- 3 Clarkson, K.W. and R. Miller (1985), Industrial Organization: Theory, Evidence and Public Policy, McGraw Hill, Kogakusha, Tokyo.
- 4 Devine, P.J, Et. Al (1978), An Introduction to Industrial Economics, (3rd Edition), George Allen and Unwin, London.
- 5 Government of India, Economic Survey (Annual), New Delhi.
- 6 Government of India, Ninth Five Year Plan (1997-2000), Vols. I & II, Planing Commission, New Delhi.

S2 PAPER CODE ECSC 212

ECONOMICS OF EDUCATION

UNIT I:Education and human capital formation

Concept of human capital – human capital and economics growth - measures of human capital – limitations of human capital approach. Education as an economics good. Consumption and investment aspects of education - private and social benefit of education – contribution of education to economic development – the methods of Schultz and education and human values.

UNIT II:Demand for supply of educational facilities

Education and productivity – private and social demand for education – investment in education – rate of return analysis – private and social rates of return – limitations of rate of return approach – rate of return and earnings distribution – equity aspects. Components of educational supply – private and public facilities – pattern of organization and operation of education industry – organization and operation of different limitations of production analysis.

UNIT III: Financing of education and Man Power planning

Private resources in education and their limitations – rationale behind public involvement in education – forms of public financing subsidization, secondary, and post-secondary education in India – trends and issues – the new education policy. Importance of educational and manpower planning in development and less- development countries – the operation of markets for unskilled and skilled labour – approach to educational and manpower planning cost benefit approach – O.E.C.D. Approach – M.R.P. Approach – educational planning in E.D.C'S – educational planning in India.

UNIT IV: Migration and on- the- Job Training

Migration and human capital formation – labour market and migration in India – on – the- job training and skill formation.

REFERENCES:

- 1. Mark Blaig, (2000), Economics of education
- 2. K. Venkatasubramanina, (1998), Education and Economic

Development of Tamilnadu

- 3. G.S.Parnes, Planning education for economic social development.
- 4. Cohn, (2005), Economic of Education.
- 5. Tilak (2006), Economics of Inequality in Education
- 6. SudhaV.Rao (2003), Education and Rural Development.

PUBLIC ECONOMICS I

UNIT I: GOVERNMENT AND FINANCE

Nature and scope of public finance - Rationale for government intervention - Musgrave three function of government - types of government intervention - production versus provision -regulation of markets - sources of public revenue - deficit financing - monetarist versus Keynesian views - pattern of deficit financing - public debt management and implication for growth, inflation and interest rate.

UNIT II: PUBLIC CHOICE

Market failure –Imperfection, decreasing costs, externalities, public goods-Samuelson theory of public goods - Theory of second best- Need for Public Sector. Private and Public mechanism for allocating resources; Problems for allocating resources; Problems of preference revelation and aggregation of preferences; Voting system; Arrow's impossibility Theorem.

UNIT III: TAXATION

Theory of Incidence and effects of Taxation; Impact of Taxation-Direct Vs Indirect taxes-Benefit and ability to pay approaches-Theory of Optimal Taxation - Excess burden of taxes- Principle ofmaximum social advantage - taxable capacity - shifting and incidence - types of taxes -characteristics of good tax system.

UNIT IV: PUBLIC EXPENDITIURE

Theories of public expenditure -Wagner 's Law of increasing state activities; Wiseman-Peacock hypothesis; Pure theory of public expenditure; Samuelson theory of public goods- basics of cost benefit analysis. Structural and growth of public expenditure in India; Criteria for public investment; Social cost-benefit analysis.

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- 1 Atkinson, A.B. and J.E. Stiglitz (1980), Lectures on Public Economics, Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
- 2 Auerbach, A.J. and M. Feidstem (Eds) (1985), Handbook of Public Economics, Vol I, North Hollan, Amsterdam.
- 3 Buchanan, J.M. (1970), The Public Finance, Richard D. Irwin, Homewod.
- 4 Jha, R. (1998), Modern Public Economics, Rout ledge, London.
- 5 Musgrave, R.A. (1959), the Theory of Public Finance, McGraw Hill, Kogakhusa, Tokyo.
- 6 Musgrave, R.A. and P.B. Mustrage (1976), Public finance in Theory and Practice, McGraw Hill Kogakusha, Tokyo.

- 1 Buchanan, J.M. (1968), The Demand and Supply of Public Goods, R. and McNally, Chicago.
- 2 Fried Man, A. (1986), Welfare Economics and Social Choice Theory, Martins Nijhoff, Boston.
- 3 Peacock, A. and D.J. Robertson (Eds) (1963) Public Expenditure: Appraisal and Control, Oliver and Boyd, Edinburgh.
- 4 Buchanan, J.M. (1958), Public Principles of Public Debt, A Defence and Restatement,
- R. (1986), Government Finance in Developing Countries, TMH, New Delhi
- 5 Jha. R. (1998), Modern Public Economics, Routledge, London.
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BASIC ECONOMETRICS

UNIT I: Introduction

Definition and scope of econometrics – Goals of Econometrics – Division of econometrics – Methodology of Econometrics Research - The nature and sources of data for econometric analysis.

UNIT II: Simple Liner Regression Model

Simple Liner Regression Model - Ordinary least square method - Assumptions of OLS – Estimation of elasticities from regression line – Interpretation of regression equation

UNIT III: Multiple Regression Analysis

The three variable model: Notation and assumptions - Testing the overall significance of a regression model - R^2 and Adjusted R^2 - Hypothesis testing about individual Regression coefficients - Testing the equality of two regression coefficients- Interpretation of Multiple regression result

UNIT IV: Relaxing the assumptions of the classical linear regression model Multicollinearity, Heteroscedasticity and Autocorrelation: Nature, Consequences, Detection and Remedial Measures.

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FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND MARKETS

UNIT I: NATURE AND ROLE OF FINANCIAL SYSTEM

Money and finance – Financial intermediation and financial intermediaries – The structure of the financial system – Functions of the financial sector – Equilibrium in Financial Markets – Financial System and Economic Development – Criteria to evaluate assets: Risk and financial assets, types of risk, return on assets, Risk – Return trade off – Valuation of Securities.

UNIT II: THE CENTRAL BANK, COMMERCIAL BANK AND MONETARY POLICY

Functions of Central Bank – The aims and objectives of the monetary policy – Instruments of monetary policy – Effectiveness of monetary policy – Credit creation and its control; Profitability and efficiency of banks; Development banks – role and functions; Investment banking and merchant banking; Financial sector reforms in India – Private and Foreign Banks in India.

UNIT III: FINANCIAL MARKETS

Role and structure of money market and capital market – Call money market. Treasury bill market, Commercial bill market including commercial paper and certificate of deposits, Discount market – Government securities market – Markets for derivatives: futures and options, and other derivatives: types, uses and pricing of derivatives – Primary and secondary market for securities; SEBI: its impact on the working of capital market in India; IRDA and its role financial markets.

UNIT IV: INTERNATIONAL FINANCIALMARKETS

Nature, Organization and participants – Exchange rates – devaluation, and depreciation – Working of floating exchange rates since 1973 – Risk hedging and futures in exchange rates – Reforms in International monetary system for developing countries – Lending operation of World Bank and its affiliates.

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ECONOMICS OF INFRASTRUCTURE

UNIT I: EDUCATION AND HEALTH

Education and Economic Growth. Approaches to Educational Planning, Social Demand. Rate of Return and Manpower Balance Approaches. The Case for Universal, Free, Primary Education; Structure of higher education and problems of its financing in India; Human Resources and Human Capital Development of Health – poverty, malnutrition, illiteracy and lack of information; Economic dimensions of health care – Demand and supply of health care; Financing of health care and resource constraints; Inequalities in health – class and gender perspectives; Institutional issues in health care delivery.

UNIT II: ENERGY ECONOMICS

Primacy of Energy in the Process of Economic Development. Factors Determining Demand for Energy; Effects of Energy Shortages. Energy Conservation. Renewable and Non-convention Sources of Energy. Energy. Energy Modeling. The Search for an Optimal Energy Policy in the Indian Context.

UNIT III: TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS ECONOMICS

The structure of Transport Costs and Location of Economic Activities. Determinants of Demand for Transport. Principle of Pricing. Special Problems of Individuals Modes of Transport; Inter-modal condition in the Indian Situation. Rate-making in Telephone Utilities. Principles of Decreasing Costs in Telephone Industry. Characteristics of Postal Services. Criteria for Fixation of Postal Rates. Measurement of Standards of Service in Telephone and Postal Utilities.

UNIT IV: SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE

Organization and Financing of Supply of Social Services. Private vs. Public Sector Financing; Recent debate about the fixation of price of social services. Development of social services in the successive India Plans.

TEXT BOOKS

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COMPUTER APPLICATIONS IN ECONOMIC ANALYSIS

UNIT I: Introduction to Word Processing and Internet

Working with word document: Creating and editing text. Tables: Inserting, filling and formatting a table; Mail Merge: including linking with Database; Printing documents. Meaning and scope of the Internet; Creating, sending and receiving e-mails. Browsing and downloading, familiarity with online database and reports of RBI, NSSO, Census Operations

UNIT II: Introduction to Microsoft Excel

Introduction to Microsoft Excel: Creation of worksheets; Data entry, formatting, sorting and validation, Importing and exporting of data files, what if analysis, Uses of mathematical, financial and statistical function, Graphical and diagrammatical representation of data,

UNIT III: Introduction to SPSS

Introduction to SPSS; Data View and Variable View, Compute Variable, Select Cases, Split File, Sorting Data, Record Variables, Importing Data. Descriptive statistics: Frequency Distribution, Cross tabulation, Measure of central tendency and Measure of Dispersion.

UNIT III: Data Analysis using SPSS

Correlation analysis, Simple and Multiple Regression Analysis, Testing of hypothesis related with comparing means and association of attributes, One way ANOVA

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NOTE

Examination pattern (Internal: 40 Marks and External: Practical Examination for 60 Marks (Practical - 40 Marks, Viva-10 Marks and Work Book- 10 Marks))

Teaching arrangement need to be made in the computer Lab.

DEMOGRAPHY

UNIT I: POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT

Meaning and scope of demography; components of population growth and their inter-dependence; Measures of population change; Structure, distribution and sources of population data; Theories of population – Malthus, Optimum theory of population; Theory of demographic transition.

UNIT II: STRUCTURE OF POPULATION

Population trends, population explosion – Population growth and distribution in India; Pattern of age and sex structure - Demographic effects of sex and age structure – problems of aging. Social implications.

UNIT III: FERTILITY, NUPTIALITY, MORTALITY AND MIGRATION

Importance of study of fertility – Total fertility rate, Gross reproduction rate and net reproduction rate; Levels and trends of fertility in India. Factors affecting fertility – Nuptiality – Concept and analysis of marital status, Mortality – infant mortality- factors affecting it- Life table – Construction and uses; Concepts of stable population; Methods of population projection- migration and its impact on population growth.

UNIT IV: POPULATION POLICY IN INDIA

Population policy in India and women empowerment; nutrition and child health policies; Population and strategies for human development of different social groups; recent population policy.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Agarwala S.N. (1972), India's Population Problem, Tata McGraw-Hill co., Bombay.
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S 4 PAPER CODE ECHT 419 PUBLIC ECONOMICS II

UNIT I : TRENDS AND PATTERN OF PUBLIC REVENUE

India's public revenue – taxes of union, state and local Governments – trends in tax revenue— Tax/GDP – tax and distributive justice – direct versus indirect taxes – tax reforms - rate and Procedure rationalization – VAT in union and state taxes – GST – its implication.

UNIT II : TREND AND PATTERN OF PUBLIC EXPENDITURE

India's public expenditure – trend in union, state and local Government's public expenditure Public expenditure/GDP – change in the composition of public expenditure – developmental Versus non developmental – plan versus non plan – revenue versus capital – economic and functional classification of public expenditure – implications.

UNIT III : PUBLIC DEBT

Classical view of public debt - sources of public debt in India- Burden of public debt in India -Debt management - trends and composition of public debt in India. Constitutional basis for budgeting - process of passing finance and appropriation bills in the parliament/assembly - CAG and PAC - FRBM - deficit, public debt and monetary management.

UNIT IV: REFORMS IN INDIAN FISCAL SYSTEM

Latest commentary on India's fiscal policy – tax reforms, expenditure pruning, constitutional Constraints on deficit - fiscal and monetary policy nexus. Role of Finance Commission in filling vertical and horizontal fiscal imbalance – plan transfers and discretionary transfers – latest finance commission report of the union and state governments.Rationale for decentralization – economic, administrative and political – assignment of taxes and expenditure between various tiers of a federal government – rationale and role of local governments.

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INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND POLICY

UNIT I: FEATURES OF INDIAN ECONOMY

Characteristics of Indian Economy – Sustainable development – Indicators development – PQLI; Human Development Index (HDI), Gender Development Index (GDI) – Deprivation rate – Human Resource Development Objective and strategy of planning; Failures and achievements of plans Demographic features of India's Population; Rural – Urban migration; Urbanization and civic amenities; Poverty and Inequality.

UNIT II: RESOURCESBASE AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Energy; Social infrastructure – education and health; Environment; Regional imbalance, Issues and policies in financing infrastructure development.

UNIT III: THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

Institutional Structure – land reforms in India; Technological changes in agriculture – Agricultural Policy – input subsidy – Terms of trade between agriculture and industry.

UNIT IV: THE INDUSTRIAL SECTOR

Public Sector enterprises and their performance – Problem of sick units in India – Small, Medium and Large Scale Industries – Privatization and disinvestments debate – Economic Reforms – Industrial Policy.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Ahluwalia, I.J. and I.M.D. Little (Eds) (1999), India's Economic Reforms and Development (Essays in honor of Manmohan Singh), Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
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AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS

UNIT I: DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Role and importance of agriculture in Economic Development: linkages between the agriculture sector and the non – agriculture sector, changing nature of linkages; Agricultural resources in India: land utilization and cropping pattern; Irrigation in India; Command area development and flood control; Trends in agricultural growth and agricultural productivity; Pattern of Agricultural development: regional variation.

UNIT II: AGRARIAN RELATIONS AND LAND REFORMS IN INDIA

Agrarian Relations: historical evolution and land reforms program me during 1950s and 1960s; Land Reforms: program me and performance during 1970s and after.

UNIT III: TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE IN AGRICULTURE

Technology in agriculture: traditional techniques, HYV Seeds – fertilizers, water, technology (Green Revolution); Sustainable agriculture; Emerging trends in agricultural technology; Dry land farming, use of bio-technology techniques.

UNIT IV: STATE AND AGRICULTURE

Agricultural finance in India: Importance; types of requirements; sources: non-institutional and institutional: existing rural credit delivery system (multi-agency approach); Agricultural marketing in India: markets and marketing functions, channels of distribution of various commodities; regulated markets and warehousing; Role of cooperatives in Agriculture. Agricultural Planning in India: decentralized planning and indicative planning: Incentives in agriculture: price and non-price incentive input subsidies; Agricultural Price Policy (APP): nature of demand and supply of agricultural products: Need for state intervention; objectives of App; instruments and evaluation; Food security in India and Public distribution system.

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RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN ECONOMICS

UNIT I: The Approach to Research Problem and Hypotheses

Research Methodology: An introduction – Meaning, Objectives, Types and Significance of Social Science Research – Economic Research – Criteria of Good Research – Typology and Research Design –Research Problem – Identifying the Research Problem in Economics-Formulating Objectives of the Study-Concept of Hypothesis – Role and Formulation of Hypothesis – Testing of Hypothesis and Verification of Hypothesis

UNIT II: Research Methods

Historical Method-Scientific Method-Stages of Scientific Method-Limitations of Scientific Method-Logic and Scientific Method-Deductive and Inductive Method – Hypothetic Deductive Method – Case Study Method – Observation Method – Scaling Techniques

UNIT III: Survey Methods and Data Collection

Census And Sample Survey – Relative Utility-Organization and Planning of Survey – Steps in Sampling Design – Sample Size and its Determination- Sampling Methods and Techniques – Sampling And Non Sampling Error - Collection of Primary Data – Schedule and questionnaire – principle underlying the construction of questionnaire

UNIT IV: Interpretation and Report Writing

Use of Statistics in Economic Research - Structure of Research Thesis - Interpretation and Report Writing – steps – bibliography - quality of a good research report

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LABOUR ECONOMICS

UNIT I: LABOUR MARKET

Nature and characteristics of labour markets in developing countries, like India – Demand for labour in relation size and pattern of investment and choice of technologies – Supply of labour in relation to growth of labour force – Mobility of labour.

UNIT II: WAGE DETERMINATION

Classical and Neo – Classical theories of wages – Modern theories of wages – Concept of minimum wage – Wage policy – Discrimination in labour markets – Woman labour and child labour in India.

UNIT III: POVERY AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Poverty and unemployment in developing countries – Concept type's measurements – Causes for unemployment and remedies – Public sector and employment – Employment policy in Five Year Plans and its evaluation.

UNIT IV: INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Trade Unions – Evolution, objectives and functions – Collective bargaining – Causes of industrial disputes – Methods of prevention and settlements – Labour legislations in India.

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ECONOMICS OF GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT.

UNIT I: INTRODUCTION

Importance and concept of women studies- women in Patriarchal and Matriarchal Societies and Structures Age structure, mortality Rates and Sex Ratio- Causes of declining sex ratios and fertility rates in India- Theories and Measurement of Fertility- Impact of female Fertility and mortality on India.

UNIT II: ROLE OF WOMEN IN DECISION MAKING AND WORK

Power of decision making at household, class and community level. Property Rights. Access to and control over economic resources and assests, Status of women in work participation rate, income level.

UNIT III: WOMEN AND LABOUR MARKETS

Factors affecting labour markets-Supply and Demand for female labour in developed and developing countries- female work participation- Gender inequity in labour market and Trade Union participation- Impact of technological and modernization on Women's work.

UNIT IV: SOCIAL SECURITY, GENDER PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT POLICIES

Social security for women- Legislations for women India. Gender development Indices- GDI and GEM- Women Development programmes in India- Self Groups-Micro finance- Gender Budgeting-MDGs for women.

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OTHER SOFT CORE PAPERS

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HEALTH ECONOMICS

UNIT I: Health for Development

The Role of Economics in Health sector - Health - a major component of Social Welfare-recent economic theory of investment in man.

UNIT II: Demand for and Supply of Health and Medical Care

Demand for Health – The Production of Health – Measures of health Status – Determinants of Health Status – The Demand for Medical Care as an investment – Factors influencing Demand – Measure demand - Nature of Supply of Health Care services – Health Production Function – Pricing of Health Care Services.

UNIT III: Issues in Economics of Health

Health care sector - Nature of Demand and Supply in Health Economics -- Input and Output in Health Industry – Difficulties in the Application of Economic Concept in health sector - Cost and Benefit Analysis in Health Economics.

UNIT IV: Health Care Policy and Health Planning in India

Objectives of Health Care Policy –Short term and Long term objectives-Complementarity of short term and Long term objectives –Components of Health Care System- Need and Demand –Impact of Health and Health Services on Health – Environmental Factors and Health- Health Services in Pre- Independent India – Health Planning in India since independence – Health Programmes Under Five Year Plans-An appraisal of Health Planning.

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SOFT CORE PAPER II DEVELOPMENT OF ECONOMIC IDEAS

UNIT I: Early and Classical Period

Economic thought of Plato and Aristotle – Doctrines of Just cost and Just price-Mercantilism: main characteristics; Thomas Mun - Physiocracy: natural order, primary of agriculture, social classes, tableau Economique, taxation, Turgot – Economic ideas of Petty, Locke and Hume. Adam Smith – division of labour, theory of value, capital accumulation, distribution, views on trade, economic progress; David Ricardo – value, theory of rent, distribution, ideas on economic development and international trade; Thomas R. Malthus – theory of population, theory of gluts; German romantics and socialists – Sismondi, Karl Marx – dynamics of social change, theory of value, surplus value, profit, and crisis of capitalism; Economic ideas of J.B. Say, J.S. Mill; Historical School – Senior, List.

UNIT II: Marginalists

The precursors of marginalism – Cournot, Thunen, Gossen – The marginalis revolution: Jevons, Walras and Menger – Bohm-Bawark, Wicksell and Fisher: the rate of interest – Wicksteed and Weiser: Distribution – Marshall as a great synthesizer: role of time in price determination, economic methods, ideas on consumer's surplus, elasticities, prime and supplementary costs, representative firm, external and internal economies, quasi-rent, organization as a factor of production, nature of profits; Pigou: Welfare economics; Schumpeter: role of entrepreneur and innovations.

UNIT III: Keynesian Ideas

The aggregate economy, Liquidity Preference Theory and Liquidity trap, Marginal Efficiency of Capital and Marginal Efficiency of Investment, Wage rigidities, underemployment equilibrium, role of fiscal policy: deficit spending and public works, multiplier principle, cyclical behaviour of the economy, uncertainty and role of expectations, impetus to economic molelling.

UNIT IV: Indian Economic Thought

Early economic ideas: Kautilya, valluvar; Moden economic ideas: Naoroji, Ranade, R.C. Dutt and M.N. Roy; Economic ideas of Gandhi: Village, Swadeshi, place of machine and labour, cottage industries, trusteeship; Early approaches to planning (The national planning committee); Gadgil: co-operation as a way of life and strategy of development, J.K Mehta: Witlessness.

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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

UNIT I: Introduction

Intellectual property rights. Definitions of IP right's, meaning features and importance of IP rights

UNIT II: Development of IP RIGHTS

Development of IP rights Deferent concept of IP right's. Patents, Copy Rights, Designs, Trade Marks, Trade Secrets and Geographical Indications.

UNIT III: WIPO and WTO

Difference between WIPO and WTO Structure of WIPO- Structure of WTO- Agreements in WTO Mechanism to settle trade disputes

UNIT IV: IP Administration in India

IP administration in India Difference between Indian patent Act & TRIPS.IP Legislations and policies in India.

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ECONOMICS AND LAW

UNIT I: INTRODUCTION

Economic Analysis of Law - Legal reasoning, Market efficiency; Market failure; Coase theorem and related ideas, welfare economics; Compensation principles; Social welfare function; Maximization problem; Economic approach to law.

UNIT II: LAW OF BUSINESS ORGANISATIONS

Acts Structure of firm-Kinds of Corporations, Corporate vest, Capital, Shares, Debentures, Insider's trading, Anti Trust, RBI, IRDA, MRTP, COMPETI ON COMMISSION, SEBI, Economics of mergers, Amalgamations and takeovers – Consumer Protection, Consumer Courts and Protection – RTI and Food Security Act.

UNIT III: MACRO ECONOMICS AND LAW

Law and distribution of income and wealth; Inequality; Contract theory of Distributive justice; Economic and Social costs of poverty; Taxation and efficiency; Personal and corporate taxation; Progressive principle; Economics of federalism; Freedom of Inter-state trade and commerce; Law relating to economic offences corruption and human rights.

UNIT IV: INTERNATIONAL ASPECTS

GATT/WTO – TRIPS AND TRIMS; export –import policy; Custom duties; MNCs and Direct Foreign Investment – FEMA.

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SYLLABUS UNDER CBCS PATTERN FROM THE YEAR 2018-19

M.Phil Economics

COURSE STRUCTURE

First Semester

Paper – I MECHT-11	CREI	OIT			
Research Methodology in Economics Internal: 40 Exte	ernal: 60 Total: 100	6			
Paper – II 100 MECHT-12					
Recent Advances in Economic Theory and Policy Internal: 40 External: 60Total: 100					
Paper - III MECHT – 13					
Area Paper (Internal) Internal: 100 Total	1: 100	6			
Second Semester					
Dissertation - MECHD – 21 Internal: 50 External: 100 Total: 150					
Viva-Voce - MECHV – 22 External: 50Total: 50		3			
	Grand Total: 500	36			

M.PHIL ECONOMICS

THE SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

Question Paper Pattern for M.PHIL Economics (2018-19)

SECTION -A $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

Answer ALLQuestions.

 $\underline{SECTION - B}$ (5 x 4 = 20 Marks)

Five questions either or type (Each questions with internal choice)

Choose questions without neglecting any unit

 $\underline{SECTION - C}$ (3 x 10 = 30 Marks)

Answer Any Three out of five Questions.

M.Phil Syllabus

S 1 PAPER CODE MECHT - 11 RESEARCH METHODOLOGHY IN ECONOMICS

UNIT I: The Approach to Research Problem and Hypotheses

Research Methodology: An introduction – Meaning, Objectives, Types and Significance of Social Science Research – Economic Research – Criteria of Good Research – Typology and Research Design –Research Problem – Identifying the Research Problem in Economics-Formulating Objectives of the Study-Concept of Hypothesis – Role and Formulation of Hypothesis- Testing of Hypothesis and Verification of Hypothesis

UNIT III: Survey Methods and Data Collection

Census and Sample Survey – Relative Utility-Organization and Planning of Survey – Steps in Sampling Design – Sample Size and its Determination- Sampling Methods and Techniques – Collection of Primary Data – Use of Questionnaire and Schedule –Principle underlying the construction of questionnaire - Personal Interview Vs. Mailed Collection – Sampling And Non Sampling Error. Data Base of Indian Economy – CSO – RBI –CMIE – Census – NSSO -Agricultural Census - Economic Survey – National Family Health Survey – Indiastat - International Database – World Bank – WHO - U.N.O, etc.

UNIT III: Data Analysis Using SPSS

Introduction to SPSS: Data View and Variable View, Compute Variable, Select Cases, Split File, Sorting Data, Record Variables, Importing Data. Descriptive statistics: Frequency Distribution, Cross tabulation, Measure of central tendency and Measure of Dispersion. Inferential Statistics: Correlation analysis, Simple and Multiple Regression Analysis, Testing of hypothesis related with comparing means and association of attributes and ANOVA

UNIT IV: Report Writing and Research Ethics

Types of reports – Different steps in writing report -Research report format - Documentation: Footnotes and endnotes – Bibliography/references –Review of Literature - Ethics in Research

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- 6. V J Gupta, Statistical analysis with excel,
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RECENT ADVANCES IN ECONOMIC THEORY AND POLICY

UNIT I: CONTEMPORARY ECONOMIC POLICIES IN INDIA

A brief review on Economic reforms before NEP – Liberalization policy, 1991 and after, sector wise analysis, such as Industrial and Financial sectors, Infrastructure, Information Technology, Trade and Agriculture.

UNIT II: DEVELOPMENT AND GROWTH THEORY

Growth Accounting: Total factor productivity and Economic Growth. Externalities and Growth: Lucas Model "New growth theory": Romer Model Inter-temporal choices: (Ramsey theorem), Theories on livelihood strategies up Vs Trickle up Vs Trickle down.

UNIT III: FEMINIST ECONOMIC THEORY

The Methodological assumptions of feminist economics: "Conjunctive economics" and gender. Andocentric bias in neoclassical assumptions. Conceptualizing women's well being: Sen.'s capability Paradigm; Nussbaum's "basic capabilities" approach.

UNIT IV: POST-KEYNESIAN ECONOMICS

Review of Hicks, Hansen, and Patinkin Synthesis of Keynesian model. Monetarism, Portfolio theory and theory of financial markets, Disequilibrium in economic theory: Adjustment by price or quantity, Neo-classical macroeconomics, rational expectations and public policy Neo-Keynesians.

- 1 R. Levacic and Rebmann: Macro Economics, Second Ed.ELBS, Macmillan 1984.
- 2 ArjoKlamer (Ed.): The New Classical Macro Economics: Conversations with New Classical Economics and their opponents.
- 3 Vijay Joshi, India's Economic Reforms, 1991-2000 OUP, New Delhi. 1997.
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- 5 BimalJalan, India's Economic Crisis, Oxford University Press 1992.
- 6 C. Rangarajan, Indian Economy, UBS Publishers and Distributors Ltd., New Delhi 1998.
- 7 India Development Report, Vol I and II, Indira Gandhi Institute for Development and Research, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 8 Friedman, Lee (1985): Micro Economic Policy Analysis. New York: McGraw Hill. (For Unit II).
- 9 Helpman, Elhaman (2005): The Mystery of Economic Growth Cambridge, Massachusetts: Harvard University Press (For Unit II).
- 10 Nussbaum, Martha (2000): Women and Human Development: The Capabilities Approach. New Delhi: Keeli for Women. (For Unit II).
- 11 Sen, Amartya (1984): Resources, Values and Development. New Delhi: Oxford University Press (For Unit I).

S 2 PAPER IV SOFT CORE ELECTIVE CODE MESC - 21

WELFARE ECONOMICS

UNIT I: BENTHAMITE WELFARE ECONOMICS

Benthamite Approach to Aggregate Welfare; Optimum Resource Allocation and Welfare Maximization, Assumption of Uniform Income – Utility Function of Individuals; Question of Income Distribution; Issue of Interpersonal Comparisons of Utility;

UNIT II: MARSHALLIAN WELFARE ECONOMICS

Marshallian Welfare Economics; Consumer's Surplus; Measurement of Consumer's Surplus – Difficulties involved, Criticism; Principle of Compensating Variation; Hick's Four Consumer's Surpluses; Concept of Consumer's Surplus; Consumer's Surplus and Tax-Bounty Analysis.

UNIT III: PARETIAN WELFARE ECONOMICS

Pareto optimality - optimum exchange conditions, The production optimum, The consumption optimum; Concept of contract curve; Top level optimum; Infinite number of non-comparable optima vs. unique social optimum; Compensation criteria – Contributions of Barone, Kaldor, Kaldor and Hicks; The Scitovsky double criterion; Concept of community indifference map, Samuelson's utility possibility curve; Value judgments and welfare economics; Bergson's social welfare function, Arrow's possibility theorem.

UNIT IV: SOME RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

Divergence between private and social costs; Problems of non-market interdependence; Externalities of production and consumption; External economies and diseconomies; Problem of public goods; Pigovian welfare economics; Second-best optima; Marginal cost pricing; Cost-benefit analysis; Interdependent utilities; Attempts to develop dynamic welfare analysis.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1 Arrow, K.J. (1951), Social Choice and Individual Values, Yale University Press, New Haven,
- 2 Baumol, W.J. (1965), Welfare Economics and the Theory of the State (Second Edition), Longmans, London.
- 3 Baumol, W.J. (Ed.) (2000), Welfare Economics, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd., U.K.
- 4 Broadway, R.W. and N. Bruce (1984), Welfare Economics, Basil Blackwell, Oxford.
- 5 Duesenberry, J.S. (1949), Income, Saving and the Theory of Consumer Behavior, Harvard University Press, Cambridge, Mass.
- 6 Feldman, A.M. (1980), Welfare Economics and Social Choice Theory, MartinusNijhoff, Boston.
- 7 Graaff J, de V. (1957), Theoretical Welfare Economics, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge.

- 1 Bishop, R.L. (1943), Consumer's Surplus and Cardinal Utility, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Vol.57.
- 2 Boulding, K.E. (1945), The Concept of Economic Surplus, American Economic Review, Vol. 35.
- 3 Hicks, J.R. (1939), Value and Capital: An Inquiry into Some Fundamental Principles of Economic Theory, Clarendon Press, Oxford.
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