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St Aloysius College (Autonomous)
Mangaluru
Semester III – P.G. Examination – M.A. ECONOMICS
February - 2022
MONETARY ECONOMICS

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

SECTION - A

Answer any **TWO** questions of the following:

(2x15=30)

1. Explain Tobin's portfolio theory.
2. Examine IS- LM analysis of market equilibrium.
3. Critically analyse Cobweb model of business cycle.

SECTION – B

Answer any **FOUR** questions of the following:

(4x6=24)

4. Explain the role of money in utility function model.
5. Briefly explain various determinants of money supply.
6. Explain Keynes Liquidity Preference theory.
7. Briefly explain Wicksell's monetary growth theory.
8. Explain the Philips curve analysis of inflation and unemployment.
9. Examine Samuelson model of business cycle.

SECTION – C

Answer any **FOUR** questions of the following:

(4x4=16)

10. Distinguish between money and near money.
11. Write a note on money multiplier.
12. Explain Baumol's square root rule.
13. Write a note on the concept of real and nominal interest rate.
14. Explain Acceleration hypothesis.
15. Briefly explain Hicksian model.

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ECONOMETRICS

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SECTION - A

Answer any TWO questions of the following:

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1. Critically examine the assumptions of CLRM.
2. Define heteroscedasticity? Why it is present in the model? What are its consequences? How would you detect it?
3. Define under, exact and over identification. Examine the order and rank conditions of identification with example.

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(4x6=24)

SECTION - B

Answer any FOUR questions of the following:

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4. How would you differentiate econometrics from economic theory and mathematical economics? Discuss.
5. "OLS estimators are Best Linear Unbiased Estimators" Justify.
6. Briefly explain the Koyck approach.
7. What is dummy variable? Analyse its role in econometric analysis.
8. Define dynamic econometric model. Discuss the Almon's approach to estimate autoregressive models.
9. Briefly explain simultaneous equations model.

SECTION - C

Answer any FOUR questions of the following:

(4x4=16)

10. What is co-efficient of determination?
11. Write a brief note on remedial measures of multicollinearity.
12. How would you detect autocorrelation using DW test?
13. Briefly explain the significance of error term.
14. Write a note on Chow test.
15. Write a note on indirect least squares method (ILS).

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HEALTH ECONOMICS

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SECTION - A

Answer any TWO questions of the following:

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1. Analyse the economic issues in Health sector.
2. Define Health economics and discuss the rationale for public investment in health.
3. How the monopoly markets for health reduced consumer surplus and increase producer surplus?

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SECTION - B

Answer any FOUR questions of the following:

(4x6=24)

4. What are the determinants of health?
5. Explain health related Millennium Development Goals.
6. Analyse the nutritional challenges to health and development.
7. Explain various government schemes of Public Health in India.
8. Write a note on 'General Health Insurance'.
9. Explain the emerging models of health care.

SECTION - C

Answer any FOUR questions of the following:

(4x4=16)

10. Write a note on 'mortality' and 'morbidity'.
11. Explain food security measures in India.
12. What are the determinants of demand for health care?
13. Briefly explain the causes and consequences of malnutrition.
14. What is social insurance?
15. Write a note on gender discrimination in health.

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LABOUR ECONOMICS

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SECTION - A

Answer any **TWO** questions of the following: (2x15=30)

1. "Immigrants enrich and strengthen the fabric of an economy". Elucidate.
2. Explain the various factors leading to the demand and supply of child labour in India.
3. Explain the implicit contract theory. What are its limitations?

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SECTION - B

Answer any **FOUR** questions of the following: (4x6=24)

4. Briefly explain the marginal productivity theory of wages.
5. Briefly discuss wage determination under monopsony market.
6. Explain how capital shortage leads to unemployment.
7. Explain the role of education in the labour market.
8. What are the advantages and disadvantages of minimum wage legislation?
9. Does the policy of employment subsidy affect the labour market?

SECTION - C

Answer any **FOUR** questions of the following: (4x4=16)

10. Briefly explain peculiarities of labour.
11. Briefly explain the concept of net present value in relation to the labour market.
12. Write a short note on fair wage.
13. Write a note on collective bargaining.
14. Write a short note on effectiveness of training programmes at workplace.
15. What are the various remedial measures of industrial absenteeism?