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**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 the Keynesian theory of interest.
2. Analyse Tobin's portfolio theory of demand for money.
3. Using IS-LM model analyse the market equilibrium both in money and commodity market.

**SECTION - B**

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

**(4x6=24)**

4. Explain Baumol's theory of demand for money.
5. Briefly explain Phillips curve analysis.
6. What do you mean by Foreign Trade Multiplier?
7. Explain Samuelson's business cycle model.
8. Explain money in utility function.
9. What is money? Explain its role in the modern economy.

**SECTION - C**

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

**(4x4=16)**

10. What do you mean by high powered money?
11. What is inflation? Explain its causes and consequences.
12. Explain Cobweb theory of business cycle.
13. Briefly explain Wicksell's monetary growth.
14. Write a note on bubbles and sunspots.
15. Write a note on yield curve.

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**ECONOMETRICS**

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**SECTION – A**

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

1. "Econometrics is a combination of economic theory, mathematical economics and statistics." Explain.
2. What is heteroscedasticity? How it is detected? Suggest remedial measures.
3. Define identification. How do you identify equations in simultaneous equation model? Illustrate with an example.

**SECTION – B**

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

4. If the PRF is given as  $Y = \beta_1 + \beta_2 X + u$ , derive ordinary least squares estimation for  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$
5. What is auto-correlation? Explain its causes.
6. What is multi-collinearity? Examine its causes and consequences.
7. Briefly explain the significance of dummy variable at slope and intercept level.
8. Evaluate the Almon approach to estimate distributed lag models.
9. 'OLS estimators are bias and inconsistent' in simultaneous equation model. Justify.

**SECTION – C**

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

10. Write a short note on Gauss-Markov theorem.
11. Give an account on Durbin-Watson's 'd' test.
12. Write a note on Granger-causality test.
13. Write in brief about dummy variable trap.
14. Distinguish between distributed lag model and auto regression model.
15. Explain Indirect Least Squares method.

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**RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

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**SECTION - A**

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

1. Define Research Methodology? What are the specific features of social science research as distinguished from natural and physical sciences?
2. Explain different methods of Sampling. Highlight their advantages and disadvantages.
3. Discuss different methods of primary data collection.

**SECTION - B**

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

4. Discuss various steps involved in research.
5. Explain the importance of review of literature in research.
6. Write a note on 'Questionnaire'.
7. What do you mean by Qualitative Research?
8. Explain 'Scaling Techniques'.
9. Explain the structure of a Research Report.

**SECTION - C**

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

10. What do you mean by extraneous variable?
11. What is 'theory'?
12. Explain Hypothesis.
13. Write a note on PRA and RRA techniques.
14. Distinguish between deductive and inductive methods.
15. Write a note on Bibliography.

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**DEVELOPMENT BANKING**

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SECTION - A

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

1. Examine the growth and structure of development banking institutions in India.
2. Explain the various types of Mutual Funds. What are the advantages of Mutual Funds?
3. Analyse the role of RBI in promoting financial inclusion.

**SECTION – B**

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

4. Explain the functions of NABARD.
5. Define forfeiting. What are the advantages of forfeiting?
6. Explain the types of leasing.
7. Discuss the various components of capital market.
8. Explain the role of commercial banks in rural credit.
9. Discuss the progress of Micro Finance in India.

**SECTION – C**

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

10. Write a note on SIDBI.
11. Explain the characteristics of Hire Purchasing.
12. What are the functions of SEBI?
13. Explain the problems of rural banking.
14. What is the role of credit cooperatives in rural credit?
15. Write a note on self-help-groups.

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**MONETARY ECONOMICS**

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**SECTION – A**

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

1. Define "Money". Explain money supply in an economy and RBI's role in monetary management.
2. Analyse the process of simultaneous equilibrium both in goods and money markets using IS-LM model.
3. Explain the contributions of Milton Friedman to the theory of demand for money.

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**SECTION – B**

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

4. Explain Tobin's approach to the demand for money.
5. Give a critical assessment of Wicksell's monetary growth model.
6. Explain Philips Curve Analysis.
7. Explain the concept of 'Money Multiplier'.
8. Explain Keynesian theory of interest rate.
9. Briefly explain Hicks theory of business cycle.

**SECTION – C**

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

10. Write a note on bubbles and subspots.
11. Give the meaning of cost push inflation.
12. What is Liquidity trap?
13. Explain the credit transmission mechanism in classical analysis.
14. Write a note on the term structure and the yield curve.
15. Briefly explain Schumpeter's Business Cycle Model.

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**ECONOMETRICS**

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**SECTION - A**

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

1. Define heteroscedasticity. State the reasons for its presence in a model. How do you test its presence in a model? Suggest measures to overcome from it.
2. Derive  $\hat{\beta}_1$  and  $\hat{\beta}_2$  by using Least Squares Method.
3. What do you mean by simultaneous equation model? Explain the methods to estimate simultaneous equation model.

**SECTION - B**

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

4. Describe the assumptions of CLRM.
5. Explain adaptive expectations model.
6. Explain the D-W test of auto correlation.
7. Define dummy variable. Specify econometric procedure to include the influence of both qualitative and quantitative variables with an example.
8. How do you model the effect of lag in econometrics? Explain with Koyck's approach.
9. What is identification? Explain the rank condition of identification.

**SECTION - C**

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

10. How does Econometrics differ from Economics?
11. Explain the significance of error term in econometric analysis.
12. Write a short note on consequences of multicollinearity.
13. Briefly explain procedure of chow test for testing structural stability of a model.
14. Briefly explain Granger Causality test.
15. Give an account of indirect least squares.

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**RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

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**SECTION – A**

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

1. Define Research. Explain different types of Research.
2. Give an account of structure and general format of research report.
3. Describe different methods of primary data collection.

**SECTION – B**

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

4. Write a note on 'Research Design'.
5. Explain the Role of Review of literature in Research.
6. Distinguish between probability and non-probability sampling.
7. Discuss on different measurement scales.
8. Write a note on 'Qualitative Research'.
9. Explain meaning and importance of interpretation of results.

**SECTION – C**

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

10. Explain objectivity in research.
11. What is a case study?
12. Explain census method of data collection.
13. How far research in social sciences is different from physical and natural sciences?
14. What are the uses of charts and diagrams in research?
15. What is hypothesis and how they are formulated?

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**DEVELOPMENT BANKING**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 70

**SECTION – A**

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

1. Explain the evolution of development banking. Describe the growth and structure of development banking institutions in India.
2. Explain the significance of financial inclusion. What is the role of RBI and other banks in promoting financial inclusion?
3. What are the different types of leasing? Explain the procedure of lease evaluation from lesser and lessee's point of view.

**SECTION – B**

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

4. Explain the role of SEBI in regulating Indian Capital markets.
5. Describe the advantages of investing in mutual funds.
6. List the characteristics and advantages of forfaiting.
7. Explain the role of NHB in housing finance.
8. Briefly explain the nature of services of merchant bankers in India.
9. Describe the role of commercial banks in rural credit.

**SECTION – C**

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

10. Explain the functioning of SHGs.
11. List the problems of rural banking.
12. Write a note on factoring.
13. Explain the concept of universal banking.
14. Differentiate between capital market and money market.
15. Explain the role of depositories.

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**MONETARY ECONOMICS**

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**SECTION – A**

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

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1. Critically examine the IS-LM model.
2. Explain and illustrate the Tobin's portfolio theory.
3. Critically examine the Hickstan theory of trade cycle.

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**SECTION – B**

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

(4x6=24)

4. Describe RBI's approaches to money supply in India.
5. Explain the demand pull inflation.
6. Examine credit transmission mechanism in classical system.
7. Explain the Wicksell theory of interest rate.
8. Examine the relationship between inflation and unemployment with the help of Philips Curve.
9. Give an account on foreign trade multiplier.

**SECTION – C**

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

(4x4=16)

10. What is high powered money?
11. Write a note on liquidity trap.
12. Discuss the nature of relationship between interest rate and exchange rate.
13. Write a note on cost push inflation.
14. Give a note on Exogenous and Endogenous money.
15. Write a note on overlapping generators model.

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**ECONOMETRICS**

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**SECTION – A**

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

1. Critically examine the assumptions of classical Linear Regression Model.
2. Analyse KOYCK model to estimate distributed lag model.
3. Define simultaneous equation model. Evaluate the various methods to estimate the same.

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**SECTION – B**

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

4. Briefly explain the significance of error term.
5. Explain the nature and consequences of heteroscedasticity.
6. Define auto-correlation. Examine Durbin-Watson 'd' test for auto correlation.
7. What is dummy variable? How is it used in slope and intercept level?
8. Briefly explain the Almon approach.
9. Illustrate the rank condition for identification with an example.

**SECTION – C**

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

10. State the properties of OLS estimators.
11. Mention the consequences of multicollinearity.
12. Write a note on chow test.
13. Distinguish between autoregressive and distributed lag models.
14. What do you mean by simultaneous equation bias?
15. Write a note on two-stage least squares.

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**RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

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**SECTION – A**

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

1. Define Research. How social science research is different from natural science research?
2. Illustrate the steps in writing a research report.
3. What is sampling? Explain different types of sampling techniques.

**SECTION – B**

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

4. Distinguish between nominal scale and ratio scale.
5. Highlight the importance of theories in Research.
6. What is a case study? Explain.
7. Explain methods of primary data collection.
8. What is Qualitative Research?
9. What is a hypothesis? State different types of hypothesis.

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**SECTION – C**

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

10. Explain objectivity in research.
11. Write a note on 'Review of Literature'.
12. Briefly explain the importance of 'References' in Research Report.
13. Write a note on interpretation.
14. Distinguish between inductive and deductive methods.
15. What are the tests of sound measurement?

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**DEVELOPMENT BANKING**

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**SECTION – A**

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

1. Distinguish between development banking and commercial banking. Explain the role of development banks in the achievement of national objectives.
2. Explain the concept of mutual funds. What are various types of mutual fund schemes available in India?
3. Describe the role of RRBs in rural banking. What are the problems and issues in rural banking in India?

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

4. Explain the mechanism of factoring. List the functions of a factor.
5. Describe the contribution of Micro Finance Institutions for financial inclusion.
6. Analyse the role of commercial banks in rural credit.
7. Explain the types of leases. Explain the present legislative framework of leasing.
8. Examine the role of registrars, bankers, custodians and depositors in Indian Capital market.
9. Distinguish between money market and capital market.

**SECTION – C**

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

10. Distinguish between hire purchase and leasing.
11. List the functions of stock exchanges.
12. Explain the role of EXIM bank.
13. Write a note on Lead Bank scheme.
14. Explain the concept of universal banking.
15. Write a note on priority sector lending.

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