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INTERNAL ASSESSMENT ASSIGNMENT (IAA) BOOKLET
(MA ECONOMICS SEMESTER-3, SESSION : 2023-24)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Assignments should be prepared on A4 size (ruled on one side, plain on the other) sheets only.
2. Write on one side of the sheet only.
3. Only cardboard files (**with only tags/no clips**) shall be used.
4. The candidates shall fill complete details (**including own email id and personal mobile no.**) on the index page.
5. Enrolment card too should be attached before the index page.
6. The candidates shall put signatures on each page.
7. No cutting/overwriting on any part of the Page shall be accepted.
8. Assignments have to be **hand written** by the candidates **themselves**. **In case of more than one handwriting in one course or different handwritings in different courses etc. the assignments shall be considered as NOT SUBMITTED or ZERO MARKS shall be given. No request in this regard shall be entertained, once it is detected.**
9. There is no re-evaluation. So attempt all the assignments very carefully.
10. Assignments have to be submitted in the concerned section of the Directorate of Distance & Online Education from **13th to 23rd August, 2024 on working days, during working hours**.
11. No files shall be accepted after the last date.
12. Enrolment no. as well as course no. should be written carefully on the outer cover page as well as on the index page.
13. Only blue pen should be used. **DON'T USE RED PEN**, as it is used by the evaluators. No other colour (except highlighter to highlight the main points) shall be allowed. Pencil should be used for drawing neat and well labelled figures.
14. Candidates should read the instructions carefully before preparing the assignments.

Coordinator

NOTE: ATTEMPT BOTH THE ASSIGNMENTS IN ALL THE COURSES

TOTAL MARKS: 20 (IAA1=10 marks; In IAA2, each part is of 5 marks)

ECO 301 (International Economics)

IAA1. Discuss in detail the theory of opportunity cost.

Or

What are tariffs and their different types? Discuss in detail the theory of optimum tariffs. Also, discuss the concepts of nominal and effective tariffs.

IAA2.

- a) Write a note on law of reciprocal demand.
- b) Keeping in view the existence of imperfect competition, write a note on intra-industry trade. How is it different from inter-industry trade?

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ECO 302 (Theory of Economic Growth)

IAA1. Explain Harrod's model of economic growth.

Or

Show that stability of the Solow model is not affected if saving function of Ando-Modigliani is introduced.

IAA2.

- a) If the contribution of labour is given by $\alpha = 0.41$, and total factor productivity is 13.2%, calculate the rate of growth of output.
- b) What are the six stylized facts about the growth of advanced industrial economies as given by Prof. Kaldor?

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ECO 304 (Industrial Economics)

IAA1.

Graphically explain the equilibrium of a firm in Marris theory of the growth of firm. Also critically examine Downie's theory.

Or

What do you mean by Industrial efficiency? Explain the categories of project costs.

IAA2.

a) Suppose there are 6 firms in a market, share of their outputs in market are given as: 120,230,150,160,210 and 180 respectively. Find The Rosenbluth index and explain whether there is less or more concentration in market.

b) Define mergers. What are the major reasons (motives) for the emergence of mergers?

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ECO 309 (Agricultural Economics)

IAA1. Comment on the determinants of supply and demand of farm products.

Or

Explain in detail the role of Lewis theory of unlimited supply of labor in agricultural transformation.

IAA2.

a) Explain the role of agriculture in economic development.

b) Discuss the contribution of capital in agricultural development.

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ECO 311 (Economics of Infrastructure)

IAA1.

Explain the pricing for efficient allocation of resources with the help of exchange optimum and production optimum.

Or

Explain the concept of Shadow pricing. Discuss the UNIDO and Little & Mirrlees approaches of Cost Benefit analysis.

IAA2

a) Explain the relationship between transport cost and location of the Industry with emphasis on Weber's theory of location.

b) Explain the factors determining the demand for energy.