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First Degree Programme under CBCSS

ECONOMICS

Core Course XIV

EC 1644 – International Economics

(2013 – 14 Admissions)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – I

Attempt **all** questions. **Each** question carries **one** mark.

1. Optimum Tariff.
2. Comparative cost advantage.
3. Balance of Payment.
4. Opportunity cost.
5. WTO.
6. Dumping.
7. FII
8. MNCs
9. Free trade.
10. Exchange rate.

(10×1=10 Marks)

SECTION – II

Answer **any eight** questions **not** exceeding **one** paragraph. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

11. Explain Autarky.
12. What do you mean by devaluation ?

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13. Explain TRIPS.
14. Explain SEZ.
15. Write a note on paper gold.
16. What are the objectives of IBRD ?
17. Distinguish between BOP and BOT.
18. What do you mean by Ad valorem tariff ?
19. What is meant by infant industry argument ?
20. What do you mean by soft loan ?
21. Distinguish between tariff and quota.
22. Specify the significance of international trade.

(8×2=16 Marks)

SECTION – III

Answer **any six** questions, **not** exceeding **120** words. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

23. Distinguish between absolute cost advantage and comparative cost advantage principle.
24. State and examine the Marshall-Lerner Condition for devaluation.
25. Analyze the significance and dangerous of foreign capital.
26. Explain the main features of foreign trade policy 2009 – 14.
27. Illustrate the opportunity cost theory of International trade.
28. What are the causes of disequilibrium in Balance of Payment ?
29. Describe the various types of tariff.
30. Write a note on major WTO agreements.
31. Write a note on India and ADB.

(6×4=24 Marks)



SECTION – IV

Answer **any two** questions, **not** exceeding **four** pages. **Each** question carries **15** marks.

32. Analyze the flow of FDI to India. Examine the reasons for the moderate flow of FDI to India.

33. Discuss the comparative cost theory of international trade. List the criticisms levelled against comparative cost theory.

34. Show the price, protective, consumption, revenue and redistributive effect of a tariff with the help of partial equilibrium analysis.

35. Explain the growth and structure of India's foreign trade since 1991.

(2×15=30 Marks)

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