

B.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2014**Sixth Semester****B.A. Economics****Core Course—MACRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Weight : 25

*Answers may be written either in English or in Malayalam.***Part A (Objective Type Questions)***Each Bunch of four questions carries weight 1.*I. 1 Consumption = f (current income). This relation has been proposed by :

- (a) Duessenberry. (b) Milton Freedman.
(c) J.M. Keynes. (d) Modigliani.

2 When current income temporarily rises above permanent income, the average propensity to consume :

- (a) Falls. (b) Rises.
(c) APC will not be affected. (d) First falls and later rises.

3 Induced consumption is related to :

- (a) Income. (b) Saving.
(c) Prices. (d) Population.

4 MPC is :

- (a) $\Delta C/\Delta Y$. (b) C/Y .
(c) $\Delta Y/\Delta C$. (d) $Y-S$.

II. 5 Upward shift in investment function occurs due to :

- (a) Improvement in Technology.
(b) Increase in Population.
(c) Favourable Government Policies.
(d) All the above.

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6 Investment is a function of :

- (a) Rate of Interest.
- (b) Level of Income.
- (c) Policy Environment.
- (d) All of these.

7 Acceleration Principle of Investment is Propounded by :

- (a) J.M. Keynes.
- (b) J.M. Clark.
- (c) J.R. Hicks.
- (d) F.A. Kahn.

8 In investment activity, the role of inventory is :

- (a) Production smoothening.
- (b) As a factor of production.
- (c) Stock-out avoidance.
- (d) All the above.

III. 9 A decrease in the reserve ratio leads to :

- (a) A decrease in money multiplier.
- (b) Increase in money multiplier.
- (c) Decrease in monetary base.
- (d) Increase in monetary base.

10 Baumol-Tobin model predicts that demand for money depends :

- (a) Positively on Expenditure.
- (b) Negatively on the interest rate.
- (c) Both (a) and (b).
- (d) None of these.

11 Money that has no intrinsic value is called :

- (a) Commodity money.
- (b) Fiat money.
- (c) Bank money.
- (d) Reserve money.

12 The sum of currency and bank reserve constitute :

- (a) Reserve ratio.
- (b) Money multiplier.
- (c) Monetary base.
- (d) Broad money.

IV. 13 Inflation resulting from shocks to aggregate supply is :

- (a) Demand pull inflation.
- (b) Cost-push inflation.
- (c) Hyper inflation.
- (d) Creeping inflation.

- 14 Hicks and Hansen developed :
- (a) Trade cycle. (b) Acceleration principle.
(c) IS—LM. (d) Liquidity trap.
- 15 Monetary theory of trade cycle was developed by :
- (a) Hawtrey. (b) Schumpeter.
(c) Samuelson. (d) Hicks.
- 16 ISLM model is a :
- (a) General equilibrium model. (b) Partial equilibrium model.
(c) Static model. (d) None of these.

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Part B (Short Answer Questions)

*Answer any five questions not exceeding 50 words each.
Each question carries 1 weight.*

- 17 Permanent income.
18 Marginal efficiency of capital.
19 Demand for money.
20 Phillips Curve.
21 Trade Cycle.
22 Crowding out.
23 LM curve.
24 Monetary policy.

(5 × 1 = 5)

Part C (Short Essays)

*Answer any four questions not exceeding 150 words each.
Each question carries 2 weight.*

- 25 Absolute income hypothesis.
26 Objective factors influencing consumption.
27 Investment function.
28 Dampeners on the accelerator.
29 Measures of money supply in India.
30 Explain Keynesian trade cycle.

(4 × 2 = 8)

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Part D (Long Essays)

*Answer any two questions not exceeding 450 words each.
Each question carries 4 weight.*

- 31 Explain the life cycle hypothesis.
- 32 Explain post Keynesian approaches to the demand for money.
- 33 Explain the suitability of Monetary and Fiscal Policies in the context of ISLM model.

(2 × 4 = 8)