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Fifth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, December 2019 First Degree Programme Under CBCSS

Economics

Core Course VII

EC 1542 - MACRO ECONOMICS II

(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART - A

Answer all questions in one word to maximum of two sentences. Each question carries 1 mark.

- Psychological law of consumption function
- 2. Permanent income
- 3. Ratchet effect
- Inventory investment
- Money illusion _
- 6. Fisher effect
- Inflationary gap

- 8. Net present value
- Marginal propensity to consume
- 10. Crowding out effect

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

PART - B

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

- 11. Write a note on objective factors influencing consumption.
- 12. What is marginal efficiency of capital? Explain its determinants.
- 13. Keynes effect
- 14. What is Liquidity trap?
- 15. Explain the accelerator theory of investment.
- 16. Explain the H theory of money supply.
- 17. What are the instruments of fiscal policy?
- 18. Explain Kuznet's consumption puzzle.
- 19. What are the RBI measures of money supply?
- 20. What are the basic functions of money?
- 21. Is monetary policy effective in the situation of liquidity trap?
- 22. State the quantity theory of money.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$

PART - C

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

- 23. Describe briefly the absolute income hypothesis. What are the main propositions of this hypothesis?
- 24. Explain briefly the concept of money multiplier.
- 25. Dampeners on accelerator.
- 26. Describe the demand-pull inflation.
- 27. State important propositions of monetarism.
- 28. Explain inflation and its causes. How do economists classify inflation?
- 29. Geometrically derive the IS curve.
- 30. Describe various anti-inflationary measures.
- 31. How does the Phillips curve explain the trade off between unemployment and inflation?

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$

PART - D

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

- 32. Give the central idea of Hawtrey's trade cycle theory.
- 33. How does Relative Income Hypothesis explain consumption behaviour of households?
- 34. Explain the objectives and instruments of monetary policy.
- 35. Critically evaluate Keynesian liquidity preference theory of demand for money.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$