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# **Second Semester**

# Core Course - EC2CRT03 - MICRO ECONOMICS -II

(Common for B A Economics Model II Foreign Trade, B A Economics Model II Insurance ) 2017 ADMISSION ONWARDS

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

#### Part A

### Answer any ten questions.

# Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. Define natural monopoly.
- 2. What is the condition of break even analysis?
- 3. Sintex water tanks were priced very high in the beginning. But gradually they lowered the price. What is the price strategy?
- 4. What is meant by product differentiation?
- 5. What do you mean by the wastes under monopolistic competition?
- 6. Define monopsony.
- 7. Define functional distribution.
- 8. Define wage.
- 9. How did david Ricardo define rent?
- 10. Why does quasi rent disappear in the long run?
- 11. Define interest.
- 12. What is the shape of the demand curve at the liquidity trap?

(10×2=20)

#### Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.







- 13. Why does normal profit exist in perfect competitive market in the long run?
- 14. Examine the full cost pricing strategy.
- 15. Examine the salient features of oligopoly.
- 16. Why is oligopoly prices rigid according to Paul M Sweezy?
- 17. Briefly explain the wage fund theory of wages.
- 18. How do trade unions causes trouble in the economy?
- 19. What are the theories of profits?
- 20. What is the contribution of Hawley to the theory of profit?
- 21. What are the components of the supply and demand for loanable funds?

(6×5=30)

#### Part C

# Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

- 22. Examine the full cost pricing strategy.
- 23. Explain the marginal productivity theory of distribution.
- 24. Briefly explain the dynamic and innovation theory of profit.
- 25. Assess the contributions of JM Keynes to the theory of interest.

(2×15=30)