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Second Semester

Core Course-MICRO ECONOMICS-II

(For B.A. Corporate Economics)

[2013 to 2016 Admissions]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Answers may be written either in English or in Malayalam.

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Free entry.
- 3. Monopoly.
- 5. Dumping.
- 7. Subsistence wage.
- 9. Rent.

- 2. Marginal revenue.
- 4. Time element.
- 6. Price rigidity.
- 8. Nominal profit.
- 10. Loanable fund.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B (Brief Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Public sector.
- 12. Relationship between AR and MR in perfect competition.
- 13. Consumers as the King.
- 14. Taxes as regulation of monopoly.
- 15. Group equilibrium.
- 16. The origin of marginal productivity theory.
- 17. Quasi rent.
- 18. Purchasing power of money.
- 19. Money wage.
- 20. Trade Union.
- 21. Demand for Labour.
- 22. Liquidity preference.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

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Part C (Descriptive/Short Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 23. Short period price under perfect competition.
- 24. Effects of price discrimination.
- 25. The Bertrand model of duopoly.
- 26. Advertisement and Oligopoly.
- 27. Differentiate between rent and price.
- 28. Supply of loanable funds.
- 29. The kinked demand curve.
- 30. Superiority of liquidity preference theory over loanable fund theory.
- 31. Explain IS curve.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24)$

Part D (Long Essays)

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

- 32. Explain the pricing policy of public sector.
- 33. Explain Marshallian theory of rent.
- 34. Explain loanable fund theory of interest.
- 35. Explain innovation theory of wages.

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