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B.Com. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2015

Third Semester

PRINCIPLES OF BUSINESS DECISION

(For UGC Sponsored B.Com. Taxation)

[2013 Admission onwards]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What is demand schedule?
- 2. How is elasticity classified?
- 3. What is macro economics?
- 4. What is decision making?
- 5. Give scarcity definition of economics.
- 6. What is incremental cost?
- 7. What is uncertainty?
- 8. What do you mean by technical decisions?
- 9. What is demand function?
- 10. What are durable goods?

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B (Brief Answer)

Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. What is an oligopoly market?
- 12. Distinguish between individual demand and market demand.
- 13. What is price leadership?
- 14. What are the objectives of short-term demand forecasting?
- Explain diminishing marginal utility.
- 16. What do you mean by diseconomies of scale?
- 17. What is cost-plus pricing?

- 18. Explain price skimming policy.
- 19. Point out the difference between Firm demand and Industry demand.
- 20. Explain the features of boom.
- 21. What do you mean by monetary policy?
- 22. What do you mean by related goods?

$(8 \times 2 = 16)$

Part C (Short Essay)

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

- 23. Define Decision-making. What are the steps in decision-making?
- 24. What is price discrimination? How is it possible?
- 25. What is isoquant? What are the properties of isoquants?
- 26. Briefly explain the various methods of demand forecasting for new products.
- 27. What do you mean by optimum combination of inputs? How is it determined?
- 28. What is a perfect competitive market? What are its features?
- 29. Explain changes in demand.
- 30. What are the objectives of managerial economics?
- 31. Explain the internal economies of large scale production.

$(6 \times 4 = 24)$

Part D (Long Essay)

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 32. Define Demand. What are the determinants of demand?
- 33. What is elasticity of demand? Explain the various elasticities of demand.
- 34. What do you mean by managerial economics? What are its uses and scope?
- 35. What is production function? Explain the Laws of production.

