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Eco-581-Core - 4 Credits- Public Economics

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Eco-585-Core - 4 Credits- Economics and Law

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Semester - I

ECO-501 Micro Economics -I (Core Course: 4 Credits)

Unit: 1

12 Lectures

Uses of Indifference Curve - Empirical Theory of Demand. Demand for Consumer Durables; Linear Expenditure Systems- Analysis of Uncertainty and uncertainty. Newman Morgenstern.

Unit: 2

12 Lectures

Production Function- Homogeneous Production Function: Cobb-Douglas Production Function; C.E.S. and V.B.S. Production Functions -derivation of cost function from the production function-Modern approach to the theory of costs-technical progress and techniques of production. Investment decisions and present value rule, some application of present value rule.

Unit: 3

12 Lectures

Welfare Economics: Pareto Optimum Conditions- Social Welfare Functions-compensation Principles- Arrow Impossibility Theorem, Amartya Sen on Arrow's Impossibility Theorem, Rawls, Concepts of Social Justice and Welfare Criterion -other obstacles of welfare maximization.

Unit: 4

12 Lectures

Partial and General Equilibrium; Existence, Uniqueness and Stability of Equilibrium- Concept of Excess Demand and Excess Price, Equilibrium in Lagged Market Model - Walrasian General Equilibrium, An Introduction to Input-Output Analysis

Reading List :-

Andrey Mas-Colell, Micro economic theory, Oxford University Press, USA

Blaug M., Economic Theory in Retrospect

Edwin Mansfield, Micro Economics, Gary Wynn Yohe.

Ferguson C.B. , Micro Economic Theory

Geoffrey A. JcWe, Philip J. Reny, Advanced Micro Economic Theory

Hall and Varian, Micro Economics

Henderson J.M. and Quandt R.E., Micro Economic Theory

Koutsoyiannis A., Modern Micro Economics, Macmillan

Townsend(ed) H. Readings in Price Theory

Semester - I

ECO-502 Macro Economics -I (Core Course: 4 Credits)

Unit-I

12 Lectures

Macroeconomic Variables, National Income Identities and National Income Accounting Growth Rates, Inflation, Deflator, Price Indices, Unemployment, Output Gap, Twin Deficits, Brief Review of System of National Accounts, Flow of Funds Accounts, Social Accounting Matrices.

Unit II: Micro Foundations of Macroeconomic Relationships

12 Lectures

Consumption Analysis, Permanent Income and Life Cycle Hypotheses, Consumption under Uncertainty, Savings in inter-temporal models, Investment Theories: Neo-Classical and Keynesian, Money Demand, and Money Supply Function, Money Multiplier.

Unit III: National Income Determination Models in Short Run and Long Run and Price Level

12 Lectures

IS-LM Analysis, Fiscal and Monetary Policy Multipliers, Phillips Curve, AS-AD Model, Neo-Classical Synthesis, Three Sector Model, Monetary and Fiscal Interaction.

Unit IV: Open Economy Macroeconomics

12 Lectures

Foreign Trade Multiplier, Open Economy Model; Internal & External Balances. Economic Policies Model, SWAN Model, IS-LM-BOP Model.

Reading List:

- Ackley, G. 1978), *Macroeconomics: Theory and Policy*, Macmillan, New York.
- C. Rangrajan and Dholakia: *Principles of Macroeconomics*
- Dipankar Dasgupta: *The Macroeconomy: A Textbook View* (1997) OUP.
- Dornbusch, R. and F. Stanley (1997), *Macroeconomics*, McGraw Hill, Inc., New York.
- G. Mankiw, *Macroeconomics*, McGraw Hill
- Lipsey Crystal: *Macroeconomics*
- Shapiro, E. (1996), *Macroeconomic Analysis*, Galgotia Publications, New Delhi.

Semester - I

ECO-503 Statistical Methods & Sampling (Core Course: 4 Credits)

Unit- I

12 Lectures

Correlation and Regression Analysis
Multiple and Partial Correlation & Regression
Theory of Attributes

Unit- II

12 Lectures

Elementary Probability Theory, Addition & Multiplication Theorems, Bayes Theorem, Concept of Random Variables, Mathematical Expectation.

Theoretical Probability Distributions- Binomial, Poisson, Normal Distributions (Without Proofs) and their Goodness of Fit.

Unit- III

12 Lectures

Sampling Theory: Population and Sample, Parameter and Statistic, Objectives of Sampling, Types of Sampling. Testing of Significance-Null & Alternative Hypotheses, Level of Significance, Confidence Level, Critical Region.

Sampling Distribution- Large Sample Tests, Distribution of Sample Mean and Sample Proportion, Chi-square Test.

Unit- IV

12 Lectures

Estimation-Point and Interval Estimates of Mean, Characteristics of Good Estimator, Standard Error of Estimates.

Type I and Type II Errors, Interpretation of P-Value, One-tailed and Two-tailed Tests.

Small Sample Tests, Testing of Hypothesis of Mean, Variance, Correlation Coefficient, Regression Coefficient etc. based on Z, t, Chi-square & F-tests.

Readings List:

Chou Y., Statistical Analysis.

Gupta S. C. and Kapoor V. K. : Fundamentals of Mathematical Statistics.

Gupta S. P. ; Statistical Methods.

Hogg R. V. and Graig A. T. : Introduction to Mathematical Statistics.

M. R. Spiegel; Theory and Problems of Statistics.

Nagar and Das; Basic Statistics.

WonneCoH and WonneCoH : Introductory Statistics for Business and Economics

Semester - I

ECO-504 Monetary Economics (Core Course: 4 Credits)

12 Lectures

Unit -I

Money Supply

Money: Concept and Functions

Money Supply: Concepts and Monetary Aggregates Theory of Money Supply; High Powered Money and Money Multiplier; Budget Deficits and Money Supply Determinants of Supply of Money; RBI Approach, Indian Financial System

Unit -II

Post-Keynesian Demand for Money

Demand for Money; Overview of Keynes's Liquidity Preference Approach

Concept of Neutrality of Money and Money Illusion

Pigou Effect and Patinkin's Real Balance Effect

Crisis in Keynesian Economics and the Revival of Monetarism- Theory of Demand - M. Friedman

Comparison of Keynesian and Monetarist Approach

Demand for Money in Underdeveloped Countries

12 Lectures

Unit -III

Development in the Theory of Demand for Money

Approaches of Baumol and Tobin, Turvey Approach.

Liquidity Approach - Reddiff Committee Report and Gurley-Shaw Thesis

Role of Technology in Monetary Development- Pestic and Siwek Approach

12 Lectures

Unit -IV

Theory of Inflation and Monetary Policy

Philips Curve and its Modifications: Tobin, Samuelson and Solow.

The Natural Rate of Unemployment and Stagflation, Adaptive Expectations and Rational Expectations - Expectation Augmented Approach: Friedman-Phelps and Lucas.

12 Lectures

Reading List :-

Ahuja, H. L. Macroeconomics (New)

Chakravarty, S.C. (1985), Report of the Committee to Review the Working of the Monetary System, Reserve Bank of India, Bombay.

- D'souza Errol, *Macroeconomics*: Person Publication, New Delhi.
- Friedman, M. (1957), *the Theory of Consumption Function*, Princeton University Press, Princeton.
- Gupta, Suraj B, *Monetary Planning for India*, Oxford University Press, Delhi.
- Gurley, J. and E.S. Shaw (1960), *Money in a Theory of Finance*, Brookings Institution, Washington.
- Gordon, R. and S. G. Harris (1998), *Macroeconomics*, Addison Wesley, Massachusetts.
- India - A Central Banker's Perspective*, UBSPD, New Delhi.
- Jha, R. (1999), *Contemporary Macroeconomic Theory and Policy*, New Age International (P) Ltd., New Delhi.
- Johnson, H. G. and Nobay A. R., *Issues in Monetary Economics*, Oxford University Press, Delhi.
- Keynes, J.M. (1936), *the General Theory of Employment, Interest and Money*, Macmillan, London.
- Mankiw, N.G. and D. Romer (Eds.), *New Keynesian Economics*, (2 Vols.), MIT Press, Cambridge.
- Mithani, D. M., *Money Banking and International Trade*.
- Paul, R. R., *Monetary Economics*.
- Patinkin, D. (1965), *Money, Interest and Prices*, Harper and Row, New York.
- Reddy, Y. V. (2000), *A Review of Monetary and Financial Sector Reforms in*
- Shapiro, E. , *Macroeconomic Analysis*, Galgotia Publications, New Delhi.
- Sheffrin, S. M. (1996), *Rational Expectations*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge.

Semester - I

ECO-505 International Economics (Core Course: 4 Credits)

Unit-I

12 Lectures

Critical Overview of Classical Trade Theories, Neo-Classical Theory of Trade.

Modern Theory of Trade: Heckscher-Ohlin Theorem, Factor Price

Equalization Theorem, Stolper-Samuelson and Rybczynski Theorem. New Theories of International Trade: Kravis Theory of Availability, Linder's Theory of Volume of Trade, and Posner's Imitation Gap Theory.

12 Lectures

Unit-II

Intra-Industry Trade: The Neo-Heckscher-Ohlin Model, Neo-Chamberlin Model, Neo-Hotelling Model, and The Brander-Krugman Model. Measurement of Intra-Industry Trade (Grubel-Llyod Index, Bela Balassa

Index, etc), Strategic Trade Theory. Michael Porter's Theory of International Trade.

Unit-III

12 Lectures

Protection: Tariff and Non Tariff Barriers. Effective Rate of Protection. Trade Taxes and Welfare. Effects of Tariffs and Non-Tariff Barriers. Dumping, Subsidies, International Cartels, Technical Barriers, VERs, QERs, Standards, Health and Other Regulations. The Metzler Paradox. Currency and Commodity Swaps.

Unit-IV

12 Lectures

Overview of the Balance of Payments, Monetary Approach to Balance of Payments, Adjustment and Equilibrium in Balance of Payments, The Elasticity Approach, The Absorption Approach, International Capital Movements, Short term Flows, Private Capital Flows, Direct and Portfolio Investments. Foreign Exchange Markets and Exchange Rate, Spot and Forward Rates, Future and Options. Exchange Risks, Hedging and Speculation, Interest Arbitrage and Efficiency of Foreign Exchange Markets.

Reading List-

Bo Sodersten & Geoffrey Reed, International Economics, MacMillan Press Limited, Hampshire & London.

D. Salvatore, International Economics, New York, John Wiley.

Francis Cherunil, International Economics, Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Company Ltd., New Delhi.

H. G. Mannur, International Economics, Vikash Publishing House, New Delhi.

M. C. Vaish & Sudama Singh, International Economics, Oxford & IBH Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.

M. L. Jhingan, International Economics, Vrinda Publication, New Delhi.

Paul R. Krugman & Maurice Obstfeld, International Economics (Theory & Policy), Addison Wesley Longman, Pearson Education, Indian Branch, New Delhi.

Parthapratim Pal, International Trade and India, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.

P. Kenen, International Economics, Cambridge Publication, New Delhi.

Rana & Verma, International Economics, Vishal Publishing Co., Jalandhar, India.

S. Kindleberger, International Economics, Traveller Book Sell, New Delhi.

T. N. Srinivasan, Growth, Sustainability, and India's Economic Reforms, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.

W. W. Cordon, Theory of Protection.

Semester - II

ECO-506 Micro Economics-II (Core Course: 4 Credits)

Unit: I

12 Lectures

Alternative to Profit Maximization, Managerial Theory-Baumol, Marris, Williamson's model, Limit Price Theory-Bains, Labini, Modgiliani, Behavioristic Theory -Cyert, Moses Average Cost Pricing Principle-Shadow Prices and Their Uses.

Unit: II

12 Lectures

Factor Pricing: in Imperfect Competition: Collective Bargaining. Imperfections in Labour Market and Wage -Review of Keynesian and Loanable Fund Theory of Interest, Hicks Hansen Co-ordination. Theory of Profit: Shackle Approach, Mehta Approach.

Unit : III

12 Lectures

Intertemporal Choice and Markets with Asymmetric Information, the Information Problem. Asymmetric Information and the Market Failure, Measures to Solve the problem of Adverse Selection, Moral Hazard and Allocative Inefficiency, Principal Agent Problem, Bounded Rationality.

Unit: IV

12 Lectures

Theory of Games and Strategic Behavior. Cooperative and Non-cooperative Games,. The Prisoners Dilemma Oligopoly Theory. The Nash Equilibrium, Deuman- Morgenstern's Game Theory, Mixed Strategy, Strategic Moves, Entry Deterrence Iterated Elimination of Dominated Series, Two Persons Zero Sum Game.

Reading List :-

AndreyMas-Colell, Microeconomic Theory Oxford University Press, USA.

Blaug M, Economic Theory in Retrospect

Edwin Mansfield, Micro Economics by Gary wynn yohe.

Ferguson C.E., Micro Economic Theory

Geoffrey A. Jchle , Philip J. Reny, Advanced Micro economic theory

Hall and Varian, Micro Economics

Henderson J.M. and quandt R.E. Micro Economic Theory

Koutsoyiannis A. Mlodem Micro Econornics, Macmillan

Townsend(ed) H. Readings in Price Theory

Semester - II

ECO-507 Macro Economics-II (Core Course: 4 Credits)

Unit I: Trade Cycles and Long Run Stable Equilibrium 12 Lectures

Linkage of Time Series Analysis to Business Cycles, Types and Phases of Business Cycles Period and Amplitude of Cycles. Schumpeter Model, Theory of Multiplier-Accelerator Interaction, Short and Long Run Adjustments and Stabilization.

Unit II: New Classical Macroeconomics and Real Business Cycles 12 Lectures

Rational Expectation Equilibrium Models, Lucas Critique, Incomplete Information Models, Persistence of Output Fluctuations.

Unit III: New Keynesian Theories of Business Cycles and Unemployment 12 Lectures

Incomplete Nominal Adjustments, Real vs. Nominal Rigidities, Real Non-Walrasian Theories, Coordination Failures, The Efficiency Wage Model, Insider-Outsider Model, Hysteresis, Search and Matching Models, Applications to Open Economy

Unit IV: Macroeconomic Policy Issues 12 Lectures

Historical Development of Macro Economic Policies: Objectives, Targets, Indicators & Instruments of Macro Economic Policies.

(a) Fiscal Policy

(b) Monetary Policy

Activist Policy, Gradualism vs Shock Therapy, Rules vs Discretion, Dynamic Inconsistency Problem, Inflation Targeting, Seignorage, Barro-Ricardo and Blinder-Solow Hypothesis Lagged related Issues of Fiscal & Monetary Policy.

Reading List :-

David Romer, Advanced Macroeconomics, 2e McGraw Hill, 2001

Oliver J Blanchard and Stanley Fischer, Lectures on macroeconomics, Prentice Hall, New Delhi

Mankiw, N. G. and D. Romer (Eds.) (1991), New Keynesian Economics, (2 Vols.), MIT Press, Cambridge.

Semester - II

ECO-508 Public Finance (Core Course: 4 Credits)

Unit-I

14 Lectures

Role of Government in an Economy: The Allocation, Distribution and the Stabilization Functions; Private Goods, Public Goods, and Merit Goods; Market Failure Imperfections, Decreasing Costs, Externalities. Theory of Public Choice: Problems of Preference Revelation and Aggregation - Voting System, Political Economic Interactions, Pressure Groups & Interest Groups, Bureaucracy, Rent Seeking and Directly Unproductive Profit

Seeking (DUP) Activities, Nordhaus-the Political Business Cycle.

Public Expenditure: Meaning and Scope, Theories of Public Expenditure- Pigou's Ability to Pay Theory, Benefit Principle, Samuelson Theory, Adolph Wagner Hypothesis and Peacock Wiseman Hypothesis, Colin Clark.

Unit-II

10 Lectures

Taxation: Introduction, Concept of Equity in Taxation, Benefit Principle of Taxation; 1- Bowen Model & Lindahl Model, Samuelson's Optimal Allocation of Social and Private Wants.

Taxable Capacity: Conceptual Framework, Absolute and Relative Taxable Capacity, Factors Determining Taxable Capacity, Taxable Capacity & Ability to Pay.

Unit-III

10 Lectures

Fiscal Policy: Objectives and Instruments of Fiscal Policy, Built in Stabilizers, Compensatory Fiscal Policy, Functional Finance Approach, Budget Multiplier Fiscal Policy and Developing Countries.

Unit-IV

14 Lectures

Public Debt: Objectives & Importance of Public Debt, Classical Theory of Public Debt, Pay-as-you use & Pay-as-you go finance, Inter-generational Equity, Debt Burden & Future Generation, Shifting of Burden, Redemption of Public Debt, Debt Management and Monetary Policy.

Reading List :-

Atkinson A and J Stiglitz, Lectures in Public Economics, MC Graw Hill 1980.
Bailey, S.J Public Sector Economics, Macmillan (2004).

- Boadway R and Bruce (1984). Welfare Economics-Basil Black well Oxford
- Duff L. (1997), Government and Market, Orient Longman, New Delhi.
- D.C Muller, (1979), Public Choice. Cambridge University Press.
- Friedman A. (1986). Welfare Economics and Social Choice Theory Martins Nighoff, Boston.
- Harper and Row (1957). A Downs An Economic Theory of Democracy.
- J. E. Stiglitz, Economics of Public Sector, Norton (1986).
- Jha R, Modern Public Economics, Routledge, London (1999).
- Lekhi, R K., Public Finance, Kalyani Publishers, Ludhiana, Latest Edition.
- Lal S. N., Problem of Public Borrowing in India, Bombay.McGraw Hill Book Company, New York.
- Meier .G.M and Rauch,Leading Issues in economic development, UP (2000).
- Mishan E.J Introduction to Normative Economics, OUP (1986).
- Pogu T F and L.G Sgontz, Government and Economic Choice, an Introduction to Public Finance, Hengton Mul.Boston.
- Quick. J and R. Sapanick, Introduction to General Equilibrium theory and Welfare Economics, Mc Graw Hill, New York (1968).
- Richard A. Musgrave (1989), Public Finance in Theory and Practice
- R Goode Govt., Finance in Developing Countries, Tata McGraw Hill (1986).
- R Comes and T. Sandler, The Theory of Externalities Public Goods and Club Goods, Cambridge University Press-1986.
- Rosan S Harve, Public Finance, Irwin Publications in Economics, USA.
- Richard A. Musgrave Public Finance in Theory and Practice, McGraw Hill Book Company, New York(1989).
- Singh S K, Public Finance in Developed and Developing Countries, S. Chand and Company Ltd, New Delhi(1986).

Semester - II

ECO-509 Elements of Mathematical Economics & Econometrics

Unit- I

12 Lectures

Mathematical Operations on Matrices, Determinants, Minors, Cofactors and Inverse of Matrices, Solution of Simultaneous Equations using Inverse and Cramer's Rule; Matrices and their Applications in Economics.

Input -Output Analysis.

Graphical Approach to Linear Programming: Description of Simple Linear Programming Problems.

Unit- II

12 Lectures

Derivatives and its Application in Economics, Taxation Problems.

Partial Differentiation First Problems and Second order Derivatives, Total Differentiation.

Economic Applications of Partial Differentiation-Use of Lagrange Multiplier.

Homogenous Function. Euler's Theorem and its Application in Economics, Cobb-Douglas Production Function & its Properties, Leontief and CES Production Function. Elasticity of Substitution.

Unit- III

12 Lectures

Integral Calculus - Rules of Integration, Indefinite and Definite Integrals, Application of Integration in Finding Total Functions of Economic Variables from Marginal Functions - Consumer's and Producer's Surplus.

Simple Differential Equations & Its Application.

Unit-IV

12 Lectures

Elementary Treatment of Difference Equations & its Application in Economics.

Econometrics: Nature and its Relation to Statistics and Mathematical Economics. Importance and Uses of Econometrics; Methodology of Econometric Research; Simple Linear OLS Regression Model: Assumptions and Estimation of Simple Linear OLS.

Reading List :-

Allen, R.G.D: Mathematical Analysis For Economists.

Archibald, G. and Lipsey, R.G., Introduction to Mathematical Treatment of Economics.

Ailchison, J. and Brown, J.A.C.: The Log-normal Distribution.

Baumol, W.J., Economic Theory and Operations Analysis.

Beckerman, W., An Introduction to National Income Analysis.

Chiang, A.C., Fundamental Methods of Mathematical Economics.

Dorfman, R, Samuelson, P.A. and Solow, R, Linear Programming and Economic Analysis.

Edey and Peacock, National Income and Social Accounting.

Gujarati, D. N. (1995), Basic Econometrics (IInd Edition), New Delhi, McGraw-Hill.

Henderson, J.M. and Quandt, RE., Microeconomic Theory: A Mathematical Approach.

- Koutsoyiannis, A. (1997), Theory of Econometrics (IInd Edition), London, the Macmillan Press.
- Krishna, K. L., (1997), Econometric Applications in India, New Delhi, Oxford University Press.
- Kamenta, J. (1997), Elements of Econometrics, New York, University of Michigan Press.
- Lange, Oscar, Introduction to Econometrics.
- Mehta B. C. And Madnani G.M. K., Econometrics, Latest Edition.
- Mehta, B.c., Mathematical Economics: Microeconomic Models.
- Maddala, G.S. (Ed.) (1993), Econometrics Method and Applications, (2 vols.) U. K.; Alders Hot.
- Sen, A., On Inequality.
- Sen, A., Poverty: An Ordinal Approach to Measurement, Econometrica.
- Stone, R and Murray, c., Social Accounting and Economic Models.
- Yamane, T., Mathematics for Economists.

Semester - III

ECO-511 India's Economic Policy-I (Core Course: 4 Credits)

UNIT 1: Theory of Economic Policy

Pareto-Optimality

Market Failures

Causes of Market Failures

Role of State

Economic Policy- Instruments, Targets- Fixed and Flexible, Conflicts

Government Failures.

UNIT 2: Agricultural Policy in India

12 Lectures

An Overview of Agricultural Policy in India

New Agricultural Policy

Agricultural Price Policy of India

Public Distribution System in India

Food Security in India

UNIT 3: Industrial Policy of India

12 Lectures

An Overview of Industrial Policy in India New ,Industrial Policy

Public Sector in India Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises in India

Cottage Industry in India

UNIT 4: Environmental and Energy

12 Lectures

Environmental Issues in India

Development of Environmental Policy in India

Development of Energy Policy in India

Reading list

Acocella, Nicola, Economic Policy in the Age of Globalisation

Acharya, S.S. and Chaudhari, D.P., Indian Agricultural Policy at the Crossroads: Priorities and Agenda

Ahuja, Astha, Agricultural and Rural Development in India

Beder, Sharon, Environmental Principles and Policies: An Interdisciplinary Introduction

Chand, Ramesh, India's Agricultural Challenges: Reflection on Policy, Technology and Other Issues

Ghosh, Amitabh, The Great Derangement: Climate Change and the Unthinkable

Guha, Ramchandra, Environmentalism: Global History

Habib, Irfan, Man and Environment.

Hashim, H.R., Chalapati Rao, K.S., Ranganathan KV. and Murthy, M.R., (eds), India's Industrial Development and Globalisation.

Majumdar, N.A. and Kapila, Uma, Indian Agriculture in the New Millennium

Rangarajan, Mahesh, Environmental Issues in India

Rosencranz, Armin, Shyam, Divan, Noble and Martha, L., Environmental Law and Policy in India

Satyanarayana, J., The New Industrial Policy And Its Impact on India's Industrial Economy

Sen, A.K., On Ethics and Economics.

Swaminathan, M.S., Sustainable Agriculture: Towards Food Security

Swaminathan, M.S., An Evergreen Revolution

Tinbergen, J., Economic Policy, Principles and Design

Tinbergen, J., On the Theory of Economic Policy

Vyas, V.S., India's Agrarian Structure, Economic Policies and Sustainable Development

Semester - III

ECO-512 Growth Economics (Core Course: 4 Credits)

12 Lectures

Unit-I :

Economic Growth: Problem, General Solution, Growth Equilibrium: Existence, Uniqueness and Stability.

Approaches to Growth: Classical and New Classical Approaches, Structural and Institutional Approaches, Marxist/New Marxist Approaches

Dependency Theories: Historical Perspective/Experience of Development, Structural Change (Chenry).

12 Lectures

Unit-II:

Neo-Keynesian Models of Growth: N. Kaldor, L. Pasinetti and Mrs. Joan Robinson; Concept of Golden Age and Golden Rule of Accumulation.

Indian Plan Models- Mahalanobis, Tendulkar and Macroeconomic Consistency Model.

12 Lectures

Unit-III:

Technical Progress in Macro Production Function, Endogenous Growth Models: AK Model, Lucas Model of Human Capital, Romer Model of Endogenous Innovation, Theory of Convergence and Divergence: The Classical approach to Convergence Analysis, Introduction of Stochastic Model.

12 Lectures

Unit-IV`:

Solow-Swan Model, Introduction of Infinite Horizon Model, Basics of Overlapping-Generations (Diamond) Model, Mundell-Fleming Open Economy Model.

Reading List-

Adelman, I., Theories of Economic Growth and Development, Stanford University Press

Blanchard, O. and Fischer, S., Lectures on Macroeconomics, (1989)

Barro, Robert J. and Xavier Sala-i-Martin: Economic Growth, McGraw-Hill

H.G. Jones, An Introduction to Modern Theories of Economic Growth

Hahn F.H., Readings in Theory of Growth, Macmillan McGraw-Hill Book Company

J.K.Mehta, Economics of Growth, Asia Publishing House

- Jones C.I., Introduction to Economic Growth, W.W. Norton & Company, New York
- K.N.Kabra, Development Planning in India, Sage Publications, New Delhi
- Lucas, Robert, On the Mechanics of Economic Development, JPE (July 1988)
- Meier and Rauch, Leading Issues in Economic Development, OUP
- Romer, David, Advanced Macroeconomics, New York: McGraw-Hill,
- Ray, D., Development Economics, OUP.
- Romer, Paul, Endogenous Technological Change, Journal of Political Economy (Oct. 1990)
- Stiglitz J.E. & Uzawa H, Readings in Modern theory of Economic Growth, The M.I.T. Press
- Sen, A.K, Growth Economics, Penguin Books.
- Thirlwall, A.P., Growth and Development, ELBS

Semester - III

ECO-513 Financial Institutions & Markets (Core Course: 4 Credits)

UNIT-I

12 Lectures

Financial Intermediation and Financial Intermediaries
 The Structure and Functions of the Financial System
 Indicators of Financial Development, Criteria to Evaluate Assets: Risk and Financial Assets, Types of Risk, Risk Return Trade Off.
 Trend in Saving and Investment in India -Role of Financial Intermediaries.
 Financial System and Economic Development

UNIT -II

12 Lectures

Banking in India

Growth and Structure of Commercial Banks in India, Critical Evaluation of Performance, Reforms and Challenges. Credit Creation and its Control.
 Co-operative Banks: Performance and Policy.
 Development Banks - Role and Development
 Interest Rates in India -Status and Issues; Inflation in India - Status and Issues;
 RBI - Objectives, Functions and Monetary Policy. Recent Monetary policy and Prospects for Investment in India.
 Banking Development and Current Technological Innovations.
 International Practices and Banking System in India.
 Role & Working of IFCI, ICICI, IDBI, EXIM Bank SIDBI, SFC's.

12 Lectures

UNIT -III

Financial Markets and Non-Banking Institutions

Role and Structure of Money Market Call Money Market. Treasury Bill Market, Commercial Bill Market, Government Securities Market.

Capital Market- Primary and Secondary Market in India (Introduction of its Structure and Functions).

Markets for Derivatives: Futures and Options, and Other Derivatives: Types, Uses and Pricing of Derivatives, Concept of Hedgers, Speculators, Arbitrageurs.

Non-Banking Financial Institutions: Nature, Significance, Types and Performance, Regulations in India. Functions of General & Life Insurance Company, Mutual Funds.

12 Lectures

UNIT-IV

Market Regulation

SEBI: Functions, Roles (it's Impact on the Working of Capital Market in India) and Challenges

Financial Instruments- Concepts and Development. Securites (Bond, Debenture, Equities) and Share Price Indices.

Globalisation and Financial Market- Role of FDI and FPI

Role of Financial Market in Indian Economic Development

Reading List :-

Bhole, L.M. (1999), Financial Institutions and Markets, Tata McGraw Hill Company Ltd., New Delhi.

Bharati Pathak (2009), The Indian Financial System: Pearson Education Publication New Delhi

Bhole, L.M. (2000), Indian Financial System, Chugh Publications, Allahabad.

Chandra, PChandra, P. (1997), Financial Markets, (4th Edition), Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi.

Gupta, S.B. (1983), Monetary Economics, S. Chand & Company, New Delhi.

Gupta, L.c. (Ed.) (1999), India's Financial Markets and Institutions, Society for Capital Research and Development, Delhi.

Hanson, J.A. and S. Kathuria (Eds.) (1999), India: A Financial Sector for the Twenty-first Century, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.

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Johnson, H.J. (1993), Financial Institutions and Markets, McGraw Hill, New York

- Khan, M.Y. (1996), Indian Financial System, Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi.
- Machiraju, M.R. (1999), Indian Financial Systems, Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi.
- Ohlson, J.A. (1987), The Theory of Financial Markets and Institution, North Holland, Amsterdam.
- Rangaranjan, C. (1999), Indian Economics: Essays on Money and Finance, UBS Publication, New Delhi.
- R.B.I. (1985), Report of The Committee to Review the Working of the Monetary system (Chakravarty Committee), Bombay.

Semester - IV

ECO-514 India's Economic Policy-II (Core Course: 4 Credits)

UNIT I: Monetary Policy

Role and Objectives in Developing Countries Instruments of Monetary Policy

Monetary Policy of India during Plans Post-1991

Monetary Policy and Inflation in India

Conduction of Monetary Policy in Recent years

UNIT 2: Commercial Policy

India's Balance of Payments during Plans

India's Foreign Trade Policy

Foreign Capital and India

Foreign Policy of India- FERA, FEMA

UNIT 3: India's Population Policy

Demographic Structure of India

Occupational Structure of India's Population

India's Population Policy

Census in India- Main Features of 2011 Census

UNIT 4: Environment and Energy

Poverty, Inequality and Unemployment.

Reading List:-

Amartya Sen, Development As Freedom, Oxford University Press

A K Sen, Growth Economics, Penguin Books

Amartya Sen, Collective Choice and Social Welfare on Economic Inequality, Oxford University Press

Amartya Sen, Employment, Technology and Development, Oxford University Press.

Amartya Sen: Poverty and Famine: An Essay on Entitlement and Deprivation, Oxford University Press
 Amartya Sen and Jean Dreze: India: Economic Development and Social Opportunity, Oxford University Press
 Amartya Sen, Resources, Values and Development Oxford University Press
 A.P. Thirlwall, Growth and Development, ELBS
 Benjamin Higgins, Economic Development, University Book Stall, New Delhi
 C.P. Kindleberger, Economic Development, Mc Graw Hill, New York
 UNDP, Human Development Report
 D Ray, Development Economics, Oxford University Press.
 Hollis Chenery & T.M.Srinivasan, Handbook of Development Economics, North Holland
 Meier and Rauch, Leading Issues in Economic Development, Oxford University Press
 M.P.Todaro and S.C.Smith, Economic Development, Pearson.
 Majumdar, Basu and Mitra (ed), Capital, Investment and Development, Essays in Memory of Sukhamoy Chakravarty, Oxford University Press
 N. Gimmel, Surveys in Development Economics, Blackwell Oxford.
 P. Dasgupta, In Inquiry into Well Being and Destitution, Oxford University Press
 S GJlatak, Introduction to Development Economics, Routledge.
 Y Hayami and Y Godo, Development Economics, From the Poverty to the Wealth of Nations (3rd Edition), Oxford University Press.

Semester - IV

ECO-515 Development Economics (Core Course: 4 Credits)

- 12 Lectures**
- Unit 1:**
 The Concept of Development: Traditional views to the New Economic View of Development, Underdevelopment as Coordination Failure (O-Ring Theory), Measuring Economic Development: Measures of Development Including HDI and Sen's Capabilities and Entitlement.
- 12 Lectures**
- Unit 2:**
 Resources and Development: Population, Education, Health, Gender, Poverty, Inequality, Unemployment, Urbanization, Rural- Urban Linkages (Agriculture- Industry relationship) & Migration - Theories and Empirical Evidence (Harris-Todaro Model), Environment.
- 12 Lectures**
- Unit 3:**
 Role of Internal Finance in Development: Domestic Financial Resources for Development, Microfinance - Theory, Issues & Empirical Evidence, Fiscal Policy and Economic Development.

Unit 4:

12 Lectures

Role of External Finance in Development: External Aid, FDI and MNCs Activity, Role of Trade and Technology in Development.

Institutions and Economic Development: Social Network as an Institution, Elementary Idea of Political Economy of Development.

Reading List :-

A.P.Thirlwall, Growth and Development, ELBS

Amartya Sen, Development As Freedom, Oxford University Press

A K Sen: Growth Economics, Penguin Books

Amartya Sen, Collective Choice and Social Welfare on Economic Inequality, Oxford University Press

Amartya Sen, Employment, Technology and Development, Oxford University Press
Amartya Sen: Poverty and Famine: An Eassy on Entitlement and Deprivation, Oxford University Press

Amartya Sen and Jean Dreze, India: Economic Development and Social Opportunity, Oxford University Press

Amartya Sen, Resources, Values and Development, Oxford University Press

Benjamin Higgins, Economic Development, University Book stall, New Delhi

c.P. Kindleberger, Economic Development, Mc Graw Hill, New York

D Ray, Development Economics, Oxford University Press.

Hollis Chenery & T. M. Srinivasan, Handbook of Development Economics, North Holland

Meier and Rauch, Leading Issues in Economic Development, Oxford University Press

M.P.Todaro and S.C.Smith, Economic Development, Pearson.

Majumdar Basu and Mitra (ed), Capital, Investment and Development, Essays in memory of Sukhamoy Chakravarty, Oxford University Press

N. Gimmel, Surveys in Development Economics, Blackwell Oxford.

P. Dasgupta, In Inquiry into Well Being and Destitution, Oxford University Press

S Ghatak, Introduction to Development Economics, Routledge.

UNDP, Human Development Report

Y Hayami and Y Godo, Development Economics, From the Poverty to the Wealth of Nations (3rd Edition), Oxford University Press

Elective Groups

Group-II (Agricultural & Industrial Economics)

ECO-561- Economics of Agriculture (Elective -4 Credits)

Unit I: Agriculture and Economic Development 12 Lectures

Nature and Scope of Agricultural Economics.

Role of Agriculture in a Developing Economy.

Traditional Agriculture and its Modernization.

Theories of Agricultural Development (Lewis, Ranis and Fie, Jorgensons, Hayyami and Ruttan and Others)

Unit II : Agricultural Production and Productivity 12 Lectures

Agricultural Production: Resource Use and Efficiency, Production Function Analysis in Agriculture, Factor Combination and Resource Substitution, Farm Size and Productivity Relationship Laws of Returns - Supply

Response of Individual Crops. Technical Change and Labour Absorption in Agriculture.

Unit III: Competitiveness of agriculture products and marketing 12 Lectures

Measurement of Efficiency and Competitiveness of Agricultural Products in International Markets;

Efficiency of Agricultural Markets in India; Form and Impact of

Government Intervention in the Markets and Its Effects on Efficiency;
Commodity Markets: Operation and Likely Impacts. Strategies for
Surviving in a Globalizing World.

Unit IV: Agriculture and the External Sector **12 Lectures**

International Trade in Agricultural commodities.

Commodity Agreements. Globalization of Indian Economy and Problems
and Prospects of Indian Agriculture.

Impact of World Trade Organization on Indian Agriculture.

Elective Groups

GROUP-II (Cultural & Industrial Economics)

ECO-562- Indian Agriculture: Institutions and Issues
(Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit I: India's Agricultural Development since Independence.

12 Lectures

Recent Trends in Agricultural Growth in India.

Inter-Regional Variations in Growth of Output and Productivity.

Cropping Pattern Shifts.

Agricultural Policy: Price, Subsidy and Taxation.

Role of Public Investment and Capital Formation in Indian Agriculture.

Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security.

**Unit II: Agricultural Finance and Credit Institutions: The Problems
of Rural Indebtedness.**

12 Lectures

Importance of Institutional and Non -Institutional Finance.

Commercial Banks, RRB'S, NABARD, RBI, SHG Linkage Programme.

Rural Infrastructure Development Fund, Cooperative Credit System.

Private Money Lenders. Defects of Money Lending System.

Regulation of Money Lending

Unit III: Agricultural Marketing: Introduction

12 Lectures

Definitions of Marketing Need for Efficient Marketing System.

Present System of Indian Agricultural Marketing.

Government Measures to Improve Indian Agricultural Marketing;

Unit IV: Major Issues in Indian Agriculture: Land Reforms and Land Policy. **12 Lectures**

Agricultural Taxation.
Under-Taxed Hypothesis in Indian Agriculture
Agricultural Prices and Price Policy.
Contract Farming; Issues in Agricultural Labour.
Crop Insurance in India.
WTO and Indian Agriculture.

Elective Groups

GROUP-II (Agricultural & Industrial Economics) **ECO-563- Rural Development (Elective - 4 Credits)**

Unit I: **12 Lectures**

Concept, Scope, Objectives and Importance of Rural Development
Aspects of Rural Development: Rural Infrastructure-Roads, Irrigation, Electricity, Housing, Sanitation Facilities, Communication Link, Education, Health and Family Welfare, HDI in rural India. Importance of IT in Rural India.

Rural Industrialization and Agro-based Industries, Development of Rural Entrepreneurship.

Unit II: **12 Lectures**

Problems of Rural Development; Rural Unemployment.

Magnitude of the Problems, Causes and Remedies, Status of Women and Gender bias. Women Empowerment.

Causes of Rural Migration and Solutions.

Rural Poverty, various measurements, Causes and Remedies. Problems of Inequality in Rural India.

Unit III: **12 Lectures**

Review of Rural Development Administration and Panchayati Raj Institutions.

The Panchayat Raj System, Functions of Panchayati Raj System, Sources of Income for Panchayat.

Importance of Peoples Participation, Role of Voluntary Agencies in Rural Development and Micro-Level Planning.

Unit IV:**12 Lectures**

Livestock Enterprises in India.

Fisheries, Sources, Fisheries Development Programme.

Animal Husbandry - Trends in Live Stock Population, Livestock Development Programmes.

Study of Floriculture and Horticulture of India and Its Potential in International Trade in the Future.

A Brief Outline of Experiences of Rural Development in BRICS Nations.

Elective Groups

GROUP-II (Agricultural & Industrial Economics)

ECO-564- Economics of Industry & Industrial Organization (Elective -4 Credits)

Unit I :**12 Lectures****Introduction**

Significance of Industrial Economics, Structure of Firms, Industrial Profile Private Sector, Public Sector, Large, Medium & Small Scale Industries, Village Industries; Role and Problems of Industries, Liberalisation, Deregulation and Disinvestment Policy, Impact of Globalization on Industries since 1990, Industrial Integration, Industrial Combinations - Causes, Mergers &

Amalgamations, Effects of Industrial Monopoly.

Unit 2 :**12 Lectures****Industrial Organization and Theories of Industrial Location and Investment Decisions:**

Concepts and Determinants of Market Structure, Market Conduct, and Market Performance - Interrelationships Among Structure, Conduct and Performance; Factors Influencing Location of Industries; Theories of Industrial Location; Weber, Sargent Florence; Industrial Imbalance, Causes and Measures, Herfindahl Index.

Methods of Evaluating Investment Expenditure - Social Cost Benefit

Analysis - Balancing Private and Social Returns - Assessment of Financial

Soundness -Sources of Finance- Ratio analysis-Sensitivity Analysis

Unit 3: Industrial Productivity & Efficiency and Problems of Selected Indian Industries **12 Lectures**

Productivity - Norms and Measurement, Factors Affecting Productivity and Capacity Utilization

Importance of Productivity in the Competitive Environment, Measures Required for Improving Productivity and Efficiency.

Unit 4: Industrial Finance **12 Lectures**

Meaning, Scope, Importance of Industrial Finance, Sources of Industrial Finance: Private, Public and Co-operative Sector -Shares, Debentures, Bonds,

Deposits, Loan etc. Methods of Disinvestment; Foreign Capital: Need for Foreign Capital, Governments Policy towards Foreign Capital. Direct Investment,

Foreign Institutional Investment, Euro Issues, GDR, ADR, External Commercial Borrowings.

Reading List :-

Alhuwalia I.J. (1985), Industrial Growth in India, Oxford University Press New Delhi .

Barthwal RR (1985), Industrial Economics, Wiley Eastern Ltd., New Delhi.

Cherunilam, F. (1994), Industrial Economics: Indian Perspective (3rd Edition), Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.

Desai, B. (1999), Industrial Economics in India (3rd Edition), Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.

Divine, P.J. and RM. Jones et. al.(1976), An Introduction to Industrial Economics, George, Allen and Unwin Ltd., London.

Government of India, Economic Survey (Annual).

Hay D. and D.J. Morris (1979) Industrial Economics Theory and Evidence, O U P, New Delhi.

Reserve Bank of India, Report on Currency and Finance (Annual)

Singh, A and A.N. Sandhu (1988) , Industrial Economics, Himalaya Publishing House, Bombay.

Elective Groups

GROUP-II (Agricultural & Industrial Economics)

ECO-565- Industry and Development (Elective -4 Credits)

Unit 1: Historical Development of Industry: 12 Lectures
Theoretical Perspectives of Role of Industry in Economic Development, Evolution of Industrialization, Industrial Development during the World War Era, Contribution of Industrial Development for Growth and Development Problems.

Unit 2: Globalization and Industrial Development 12 Lectures
Modern History of Industrial Development, Technological Change Innovation and Industrial Development of Selected Nations, USA, Germany, Japan, Korea, China and Other Emerging Regions, Contribution of Industrialisation in the MDGs, Industry and Environment. WTO and Industrial Development, Inter-Linkages between Agriculture, Industry and Service Sectors.

Unit 3: Indian Industrialization: Issues and Policies 12 Lectures
Various Models of Industrial Development in the Indian Economy Since Independence, Debate between Public and Private Sector Economy, Alternatives for Industrial Development, Changing Approach of Industrial Policies, Industrial Finance and Credit Mechanism, Problems and Challenges of India's Industrial Development, Regional and Sectoral Development of Indian Industries.

Unit 4. Industrial Relations, Industrial Disputes and Labour Problems 12 Lectures
Competition Commission of India and Regulation of Indian Industries, Industrial Disputes, Reasons and Remedies, Labour Unions and Labour Related Issues for Indian Industries, Social Security Measures for Industrial labour, Industrial sickness, Exit Policy, Legal Provisions and Government Policies.

Reading List:

Literature from Government of India, WTO, UNIDO, World Bank etc.

Elective Groups

GROUP-II (Agricultural & Industrial Economics)

ECO-566- Economics of Infrastructure & Transport (Elective -4 Credits)

Unit I: Introduction to Infrastructure Economics: **12 Lectures**
Infrastructure and Economic Development - Infrastructure as a Public Good; Social and Physical infrastructure; Special Characteristics of Public Utilities.

The Peak Load, Off Load Problem, Dual Principle Controversy; Economics of Scale of Joint Supply; Marginal Cost Pricing vs. Other Methods of Pricing in Public Utilities; Cross Subsidization, Free Prices, Equity and Efficiency.

Role of the State in Infrastructure Provision - Need for Regulation in Present Period - Public Private Partnership. Planning for Infrastructure: The Development of Social and Physical Infrastructure Planning; Planning at Aggregate and Disaggregate Levels: Integrating Infrastructure Planning with the Large Planning Framework Exercise Infrastructure Planning in India - Process, Implementation and Experience.

Unit II: Transport Economics: **12 Lectures**

Characteristics of Demand and Supply in Transport Sector - The Structure of Transport Costs. Models of Freight and Passenger Demand. Principles of Pricing. Special Problems of Individuals Modes of Transport; Inter-Modal Condition in the Indian Situation - Location of Economic Activities. Indian Railways: Its Economics, Government Policies and Problems. Road, Water and Air Transport: Significance and Growth, Problems and Policy Challenges, Privatization and Modernization Issues. Review of Selected Important Schemes of Rural and Urban Transportation in India.

Unit III: Energy, Electricity and Gas and Water Supply Economics

12 Lectures

Energy Economics'-Primacy of Energy in the Process of Economic Development.

Factors Determining Energy Demand. Effects of Energy Shortages.

Energy conservation. Renewable and Non-conventional Sources of Energy.

Pricing Issues in Energy, Electricity, Gas and Water Supply. Challenges in the Provision of Services by the Public and Private Sector.

Unit IV: Infrastructure Financing and Regulation: 12 Lectures

Conventional Methods of Financing Infrastructure - Scope for Private, Financing of Infrastructure - Reforms in Financing - Theory of Regulation, Deregulation and Privatization in Infrastructure. Approaches to Privatization of Infrastructure and Services and a Competition Policy- Evolution of Infrastructure Policy in India with Focus on Case Studies- Regarding Different Modes. Regulatory Bodies for Infrastructure.

Reading List :-

Boyle, G. . Renewable Energy 1996, Power for a Sustainable Future, Oxford University Press.

Indian Council of Social Sciences Research (ICSSR) (1976), Economics of Infrastructure, Vol. VI, New Delhi.

L N Dash (2008), Infrastructure Development and the Indian Economy, Regal Publications.

National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER) (1996), India Infrastructure Report; Policy Implications for Growth and Welfare, NCAER, New Delhi.

World Bank (1994): Infrastructure for Development, World Development Report, Washington D.C.

3 I Network: India Infrastructure Report, Delhi, OUP, Various Issues.

Elective Groups

GROUP-III (Development Economics)

ECO-571- Population Studies (Elective - 4 Credits)

UNIT -I: Theories of Populations- I 12 Lectures

An Overview of Pre- Malthusian and Malthusian Theory of Population..

Theory of Optimum Population

Biological Theories of Population: Thomas Doubleday's Diet Theory, Joe De Castro's Protein Consumption Theory, Michael Thomas Sadler's Destiny Theory, Pearl and Reed's Logistic Curve Theory and Corrado Ginniss Biological Population Theory.

UNIT -II: Theories of Population - II 14 Lectures

Social and Economic Theories of Population: Dumont's Theory of Social Capillarity, Karl Marx's Theory of Surplus Population, Leibenstein's Motivational Theory of Population Growth.

Demographic Transition Theory: Notestein, Blacker, Karl Sax, Landry, Cowgill, Coale and Hoover

Population and Economic Development: Enke's View, Meadows View, Julien Simmon View, Leibenstein Crittical Minimum Effort Theory.

Population and Environment

UNIT -III: Indian Population Analysis

10 Lectures

Indian Population: Composition, Structure, Pattern etc.

Determinants and Pattern of Fertility in India.

Determinants of Pattern of Mortality and Morbidity in India.

Age at Marriage in India

Population Policy in India with a Comparative Analysis of Some Developing Countries.

UNIT-IV: Migration And Urbanization

12 Lectures

Migration: Concepts, Measurement and Selectivity.

Theories of Migration : Everett Lee's Theory of Migration, Duncan's Theory, Standing's Theory of Materialism.

Models of Migration :, Lewis Model of Rural-Urban Migration, The Fei-Renis Model of Rural-Urban Migration, Harris- Todaro Model of Rural-Urban Migration.

Urbanization in India.

Urbanization and Civic Amenities.

Elective Groups

GROUP-III (Development Economics)

ECO-572-Demography (Elective- 4 Credits)

UNIT-I: Demography I

12 Lectures

Demography: Definitions, Concepts, Rates, Ratio & Proportions etc.

Fertility and Fecundity and its various Measurements:

CBR, ASFR, GFR, TFR, GRR, NRR, Cohort Rates and Coale Indices.

UNIT-II: Demography II

14 Lectures

Mortality and Morbidity and its various Measurements: CDR, IMR, NMR, MMR etc. Measures of Morbidity.

Life Table: Simple and Abridged Life Table and Construction of Life Table, Model Life-Table: U.N. Model Life Table and Coale – Demeny Model Life Tables.

UNIT-III: Nuptiality Analysis and Stabilization Model **12 Lectures**
Nuptiality Analysis: Concepts and Measurement.
Population Projections.

Age-Pyramid: Views of Thompson and Lewis.

Demographic Models: Stable and Stationary Population Model..

UNIT-IV: Demographic Data 10 Lectures

Sources of Demographic Data: Census, Sampling, Vital Registration
Methods, NFHS/SRS and DHS.

Food and Nutrition Position in India.

Quality of Data: Whipple's Index, Myers and Blended Index.

Trends of World Population: with special focus on SAARC & BRICS
Nations.

Reading List:

Becker, G. (1960) ,An Economic Analysis of Fertility in Demographic Change and Economic Change in Developed Countries (edited by National Bureau of Economic Research), Princeton University Press, Princeton.

Boserup, E. (1981) , Population and Technological Change. A Study of Long Term Trends Chicago, University of Chicago Press.

Chandna, R. C. (2008), A Geography of Population Concepts, Determinants and Patterns.

Bouge, D. J. (1971), Principles of Demography, John Wiley, New York.

Coale, A. and E. Hoover (1958), Population Growth and Economic Development in LowIncome Countries, A Case Study of India's Prospects, Princeton University Press, Princeton.

Cox, Peter R. (1979), Demography, Vikas Publishing House, New Delhi.

John R. Weeks (2002), Population: An Introduction to Concepts and Issues (7th Edition), Wadsworth Publishing Company, New York.

Shryock, n. S. et. al. (1976), The Methods and Materials of Demography, Academic Press, New York.

Srinivasan, K. (1998), Basic Demographic Techniques and Applications, Sage Publications, New Delhi.

Schultz, Theodore W. (1978), Investing in People; The Economics of Population Quality, Hindustan Publishing Corporation, India, Delhi.

Thompson, W. S. and Lewis, D.T. (1976), Population Problems, Tata McGraw Hills Publishing Co., New Delhi.

Elective Groups

GROUP- (Development Economics)

ECO-573 - Economics of Education and Health (Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit 1:

12 Lectures
Human Capital - Concept & Components, Historical Developments in the Human Capital Theory, Human Capital vs. Physical Capital, Human Capital and Human Development.

Definition and Scope of Economics of Education and Health, Education & Health as Consumption and Investment Goods, Education and Health as an Instrument of Economic Development, Eradication of Poverty, Unemployment and Inequality in Income Distribution, Education - Health as joint venture

Unit 2:

12 Lectures
Cost-Benefit Analysis in Education, Problems in the Measurement of Costs and Benefits in Education.

Demand and Supply of Education, Educational Planning in Developing Countries with Special Reference to India, Educational Planning and the Problem of Educated Unemployment and -Brain Drain, An Overview of Education Policies in India

Unit 3:

12 Lectures
The Concept and Determinants of Health Care, Health, Poverty and Malnutrition, Health Care System and Infrastructure in India, Institutional Issues in Health Care Delivery.

Demand and Supply of Health Care, Health Planning and Management in Developing Countries with Special Reference to India, Resource Mobilization and Utilization of Health Care in India, An Overview of Health Policies in India

Unit 4:

12 Lectures
Financing of Education and Health Programmes in India; Resource constraints, Expenditure on Health and Education during Post Reform Period, Pricing and Subsidies to Health and Education Sector, Inequalities in Health Care and Educational Attainment in India, A Brief Introduction of Surveys for Health and Education in India - DIES, NFHS

Implication of GATS for Education and Health Sector, Role of International Organizations- UNDP, WHO.

Reading List:

- Anthony J. Cuyler and Joseph P.(ed) (2000),Handbook of Health Economics, Newhouse, North-Holland, Elsevier Science.
- Blaug, Mark (1972) Introduction to Economics of Education. Penguin, London.
- Becker, G.S.(1974) Human Capital. 2nd Edn., NBER, New York
- Becker, Gray S. (1998), Human Capital and Poverty, Religion and Liberty Archive, Chicago, University of Chicago Press.
- Behrman, Jere R. (1990), Human Resource Led Development, Review of Issues and Development, New Delhi, India: ARTEP/ILO.
- Berman, P and M.E. Khan (1989), Paying for India's Health Care. Sage Publications, New Delhi.
- Cohn, E and T. Gaske (1989), Economics of Education, Pergamon Press, London.
- Carrin, G. and C. Politi (1997), Poverty and Health: An Overview of the Basic Linkages and Public Policy Measures, Health Economics Technical Briefing Note, Task Force on Health Economics, WHO, Geneva, 38 PP.
- Clewar, Ann, and David Perkins. 1998, Economics for Health Care Management. London: Prentice Hall.
- Education for Development
- Folland, Sherman, Allen Goodman, and Miron Stano. 2001. The Economics of Health and Health Care. New York: Macmillan, Third Edition.
- Klarman, H.E. (1965)~Economics of Health, Columbia University Press, New York.
- Panchamukhi, P.R.(1980), Economics of Health: A Trend Report, ICSSR Survey, Allied, New Delhi.
- Rice, Thomas. 1998,The Economics of Health Reconsidered. Chicago: Health Administration Press.
- Tilak. J.E.G.(1989), Economics of Inequality in Education, Sage, New Delhi.
- World Bank (1983), The World Development Report: Investing in Health, Oxford University Press, New York.

Elective Groups

GROUP-III (Development Economics)

ECO-574- Social Sector and Development Issues (Elective- 4 Credits)

Unit 1:

12 Lectures

Alternative Concepts of Economic Development: Income-Based Approach and Capability-Based Approach, Measurement Issues for Development Human Development Index, Physical Quality of Life Index, Human

Poverty Index, Gender Development Index, Multidimensional Poverty Index, Multidimensional Measures of Well Being, Development Experiences of Less Developed Countries in the Recent Past.

Social Sector - Concept and Issues, Role of Social Sector in Economic Development

Unit 2:

12 Lectures

Poverty, Inequality and Income Distribution - Conceptual, Measurement & Identification Issues, Functional Effects & Issues (Kuznet's Inverted U-Hypothesis), Inequality as Constraint to Growth, Poverty and Under-Nutrition, Poverty as Capability Deprivation

Planning & Strategies to Eradication of Poverty, Inequality in Income Distribution for Developing Economies with Special Reference to India, An Overview of Poverty Eradication Policies in India.

Unit 3:

12 Lectures

Unemployment and Migration - Concept, Measurement & Types, Linkages Between Unemployment and Poverty, Migration - Problem or Solution, Rural - Urban Wage Gap, Labour Market Discrimination, Informal Sector - Determinants of its Size, Linkage with Rest of Economy.

Planning & Strategies to Eradicate Unemployment for Developing Economies with Special Reference to India, An overview of Unemployment Eradication Policies in India.

Unit 4:

12 Lectures

Social Infrastructure and Development - Concept & Identification Issues, Social Infrastructure Development in India - Health, Education, Drinking Water, Sanitation, Housing, Food Security, Social Security Schemes and Policies in India, Crime and Violence as an Obstacle in the Path of Development

Reading List:-

A Banerjee, R. Benabou and D. Mookherjee (ed), Understanding Poverty, OUP

Amit Bhaduri: Employment and Development, OUP

Basu, Majumdar and Mitra (ed), Capital, Investment and Development,

Essays in memory of Sukhamoy Chakravarty, OUP

D Lal, The Poverty of Development Economics, OUP

Francise Stewart, Technology and Under-development

G Meier, Leading Issues in Economic Development (2nd, 3rd and 4th Editions),

OUP.

Ha-Joon Chang: Rethinking Development Economics, Anthem Press

Kaushik Basu, Analytical Development Economics, The Less Developed Economy Revisited, OUP

Kaushik Basu, The Less Developed Economy, A Critique of Contemporary Theory, OUP

Meier and Rauch, Leading Issues in Economic Development (8th Editions), OUP

P.Dasgupta, In Inquiry into Well Being and Destitution, OUP

P Svendberg, Poverty and Undernutrition, OUP

R Skarstein, Development Theory- A Guide to Some Unfashionable Perspectives, OUP.

R T Gill, Economic Development: Past and Present (3rd Edition), Prentice Hall of India.

Sen Amartya, Employment, Technology and Development, OUP

Sen Amartya, Development as Freedom, OUP

Seri Amartya, Poverty and Famine, Essay on Entitlement, OUP.

S. Mehrotra and E. Delamonica, Eliminating Human Poverty, Orient Longman.

T Addison, D. Hulme and R. Kanbur (ed): Poverty Dynamics, Interdisciplinary Perspective, OUP

Elective Groups

GROUP-III (Development Economics)

ECO-575- Gender Economics (Elective 4 Credits)

Unit- I: Basics of Gender Studies

12 Lectures

Importance and Concepts of Women Studies, Economic Basis and Functioning of Patriarchy in Developed and LDCs, Particularly India; Gender bias in the Theories of Value, Distribution and Population.

Demography of Female Population: Age Structure, Mortality Rates, and Sex Ratio- Causes of Declining Sex Ratios and Fertility Rates, Women and their Access to Nutrition, Health, Education and Social Community Resources.

Unit- II: Work & Decision- Making

12 Lectures

Concept of Women's Work, Valuation of Productive and Unproductive Work, Visible and Invisible Work, Paid and Unpaid Work, Economically Productive and Socially Productive Work, Female contribution to National Income. Factors Affecting Decision Making by Women, Property Rights,

Access to and Control over Economic Resources, Assets. Power of Decision Making at Household & Community Level, Economic Status of Women with Reference to Work- Participation, Income, Health and Education.

Unit- III: Women, Labour Market & Technology

12 Lectures

Factors Affecting Female Entry in Labour Market, Supply and Demand for Female Labour. Female Work Participation in Agriculture, Non-Agriculture Rural Activities, Informal Sector, Cottage and Small- Scale Industries, Organized Industry and Services Sector. Wage Differential and their Determinants in Female Activities.

Impact of Technological Development and Modernization on Women's Work Participation - Agriculture, Non- Agriculture Rural Activities, Small and Cottage Industries, Formal and Informal Sectors. Role of New Technology for Women Empowerment-Call Centres, BPO, KPO, Telemarketing etc.

Unit IV: Gender Planning and Social Security

12 Lectures

Gender and Development Indices, Mainstreaming Gender into Development Policies, Gender- Planning Techniques, Gender Budgeting, Gender Sensitive Governance.

Social Security of Women: Entitlements, Access to Credit and Insurance Markets. Role of Voluntary Organizations & Self Help Groups in Providing Social Security, Schemes for Safety Net for Women in India, Affirmative Action for Women and Improvement in their Economic and Social Status.

Reading List :-

- Ahmed, I. (Ed.) (1985), *Technology and Rural Women: Conceptual and Empirical Issues*, George Allen & Unwin, London.
- Agnihotri, S. B. (2000), *Sex ratio in Indian Population: A Fresh Exploration*, Sage Publications, New Delhi.
- Amsden, A. H. (Ed.) (1980), *The Economics of Women and Work*, Penguin, Harmondsworth.
- Boserup E. (1970), *Women's Role in Economic Development*, George Allen and Unwin, London.
- Buvinic M. and M.A. Lycette (1989), *Women, Poverty and Development in the Third World*, in Lewis J.P. (Ed.), *Strengthening the Poor: What Have We Learnt*, OECD.
- Dantwala, M. L., H. Sethi and P. Visaria (1998), *Social Change Through Voluntary Action*, Sage Publication, New Delhi.

Elective Groups

GROUP- V (Quantitative Economics)

ECO-591- Advanced Econometrics (Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit-I

12 Lectures

Theory of Estimation: Different Methods of Estimation, Characteristics of Estimators in Both Small and Large Sampling; Gauss Markov Theorem, Confidence Interval and Confidence Limits of Parameter Estimates of OLS and Generalized OLS Linear Regression Model, Explanation of R^2 and Adjusted R^2 .

Unit-II

14 Lectures

Econometric Problems in Regression Analysis

- A. Autocorrelation: Nature, Identification, Consequences and Remedial Steps for Autocorrelation Problems.
- B. Heteroscedasticity: Nature, Identification, Consequences and Remedial Steps for Heteroscedasticity Problems.
- C. Multicollinearity: Nature, Identification, Consequences and Remedial Steps.
- D. Micronumerosity: Identification and Multicollinearity.

Unit-III

12 Lectures

- A. Specification of Errors; Errors of Measurement; Dummy Variables and Regressions using Dummy Variables.
- B. Lag in Economic Relationship: Estimation of Single Regression Equation with Lags & Distributed Lag Models.

Unit-IV

Probit Models, Logit Models, Tobit Models & ARCH Models.

Reading List :-

Baltagi, R. H., Econometrics.

Chow, G.C., Econometrics.

Dhrymes, P.J., Econometrics Statistical Foundations and Applications.

Dongherty, C., Introduction to Econometrics.

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Theil, H., Principles of Econometrics.

Elective Groups

GROUP- V (Quantitative Economics)

ECO-592- Time Series Analysis & Computer Application (Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit-I

12 Lectures

Time Series Econometrics: Pooling of Time Series and Cross Sectional Data: Panel Data, Difference Between Time Series Analysis and Time Series Econometrics. Tests of Stationarity of Time Series, Unit Root Test, Tests of Causality; Transforming Non-Stationary Time Series Cointegration; Regression of a Unit Root Time Series on Another Unit Root Time Series; Some Economic Application.

Unit-II

14 Lectures

Simultaneous Equation Model: Problems of Estimation of Parameters of Simultaneous Equation Model. Identification Problems: Rank and Order Condition for Identification, Indirect Least Squares Method of Estimation.

Instrumental Variables, Two Stage Least Squares Methods of Estimation, Three Stage Least Squares Methods of Estimation.

Maximum Likelihood Estimation Method: Full Information Method, Partial Information Method.

Unit-III

10 Lectures

Basic of Computer and Languages, MS-Excel, SPSS, e-views.

Unit-IV

12 Lectures

Methods for Estimation of Demand, Supply, Production, Consumption and Cost Functions based on Computer Application.

References:

Computer language and operating systems.

Enders, Time series Econometrics

Gujarati, D. N. (1995), Basic Econometrics (IInd Edition), New Delhi, McGraw Hill.

Henderson, J.M. and Quandt, R.E., Microeconomic Theory: A Mathematical Approach.

Intrilligator, M.D., Econometric Methods, Techniques and Applications.

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- Johnston, J., *Econometric Methods*.
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- Manual book on SPSS for computer applications.
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- Nachane, Dilip M.; *Econometrics*.
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Elective Groups

GROUP-V (Quantitative Economics)

ECO-593- Financial Econometrics (Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit-I

12 Lectures

Basic Financial Terms, Concepts and Their Evaluation: Financial Securities- Zero Coupon Bond, Fixed Interest, Index Linked Securities etc.; The Time Value of Money; Nominal Vs. Real Interest, Deflationary Conditions; Accumulating Factors, Force of Interest, Compound Interest Functions; Time Series Econometrics and Time Series Analysis and Their Application.

Stationary Time Series Model: Autocorrelation and Partial Autocorrelation, Auto Regressive and Moving Average Models, Conditions for Stationary and Invertible Process, Box-Jenkins Approach, Forecasting, Permanent Versus Temporary Abruption, Simple Exponential Smoothing and Choice of Parameter, Seasonal Models with Trend, Seasonal Decomposition; Test of Causality- G.C. Test.

Unit-II

Non-stationary Time Series and Volatility: Integrated Process and Random Walk, Engle Granger Method and Johansen Test, Error Correction Model, Vector Auto Regressive Model, Impulse Response Function, Variance Decomposition, Forecasting; Volatility Clustering, Leverage Effect, ARCH Model, GARCH Model and its Various Extension, Multivariate GARCH Modeling, Forecasting.

14 Lectures

Annuities and Equation of Value: Discounting and Accumulation: Discrete and Continuous Cash Flows; Level Annuities, Deferred and Increasing/Decreasing Annuities, Equation of Value and Yield on Transaction, Probability of Cash Flows, Higher Discount, Loan Schedules; Consumer Credit: Flat Rate and APRs.

Unit-III

Capital Budgeting Techniques and Compound Interest Problems: Introduction to Financial Statement, Assessing Financial Performance, Net Present Value, Internal Rate of Return, Payback Period; Projects with Different Lives; Money and Time Weighed Rate of Return; Fixed Interest Securities, Uncertain Income Securities, Equities, Valuing a loan with Allowance for Capital Gains and indexation.

10 Lectures

Unit-IV

Arbitrage, Forward Contracts, and Term Structure of Interest: Rationale for no Arbitrage Assumption; Forward Contracts, Calculating the Forward Price for a Security with known dividend yield; Hedging, Fixed Cash Income; Discrete Time and Continuous Time Rates; Continuous Time Spot Rates and Forward Rates; Instantaneous Forward Rates; Term Structure of Interest Rates; Yield Curve; Yields to Maturity; Convexity and Immunization; Interest Rate Risk. Government Bills: Corporate Debt, Debentures, Unsecured Loan Stocks, Eurobonds, Certificates of Deposit, Convertibles, Property, Derivatives, Future, Range of Futures, Clearing House, Margin, Bond Futures, Short Interest Futures, Stock Index Futures etc.

12 Lectures

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Coelli, T., D.S. Prasada Rao, and G. E. Battese, *An Introduction to Efficiency and Productivity Analysis*, Kluwer Academic Publishers, 1997.

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Elective Groups

GROUP-V (Quantitative Economics)

ECO-594- Linear Economics (Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit-I

12 Lectures

Linear Economics: Meaning and Constraints of Linear Economics, Importance of Linear Economics.

Tools of Linear Economics:

- A. Determinants: Types of Determinants, Minor, Co-factors and Other Operations of Determinants.
- B. Matrices: Types of Matrices, Other Operations of Matrices Namely Addition, Substraction, Multiplication, and Division, Transpose, Rank and Inverse of Matrices.

Unit-II

12 Lectures

Linear Simultaneous Equation System; Conversion of Linear Simultaneous Equation into Matrix Form; Solution of Linear Simultaneous Equation System via Determinants and Matrix Method; Linear Supply Model, Linear Cost Model, Linear Saving Model, Linear Investment Model and Linear Inventory Model etc. based on more than one Explanatory Variables.

Problems of Simultaneous Equations Model:

- (a) Related to Identification
- (b) Related to Estimation
- (c) Structural Models; Reduced form Model & Recursive Models, Difference their Conversions

Unit-III

10 Lectures

Input-Output Model: Basic Features and Types, Open and Closed Static Input-Output Model for Three and More than Three Sectors, Open and Closed Dynamic Input-Output Model for Two and Three Sectors.

Unit-IV

14 Lectures

General Linear Programming Problems and Its Matrix Conversion, Simplex Method, Degeneracy Surplus and Slack Variables and Their Use in Solving Linear Programming Problems, Interpretation of Input-Output Model, Hawkins-Simon Conditions, Samuelson's Substitution Theorem.

Game Theory: Meaning and Types, Pay-off Matrix of 'M x M', Saddle Point. Solution and Linear Programming Equivalence to Game Theory.

Applications of Game Theory for Domestic & Global Economic Problems.

Reading List :-

Allen, R.G.D, Mathematical Analysis for Economists.

Archibald, G. and Lipsey, R.G., Introduction to Mathematical Treatment of Economics.

A. Dixit, Optimization in Economic Theory, OUP, (1995).

A First Course in Optimization, Sundaram, OUP, 1996.

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Basic Linear Algebra - T. S. Blyth and E. F. Robertson; Springer.

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Mathematical Programming, F. S. Hillier and G. J. Liberman (available in the Departmental Library)

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Elective Groups

GROUP-V (Quantitative Economics)

ECO-595- Applied Econometrics (Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit-I

Estimation of P Keynesian Aggregate Consumption Function. 12 Lectures
Estimation of Alternative Consumption Function: Duesenbury, Kuznets,
Hanson, Milton Freidman and Life Cycle

Unit-II

Estimation of Demand and Supply Function. 12 Lectures
Estimation of Demand Investment Function- Micro and Macro.
Estimation of Aggregate Saving Function.

Unit-III

Estimation of Simultaneous Equation Models. 12 Lectures
Particularly Supply/Demand Models and IS-LM Model.
Estimation of Aggregate;
Tax Function
Import Function and
c- Export Function

Unit-IV

Estimation of Production Function 12 Lectures
Short-run and Long-run Production Function
Cobb-Douglas Production Function and CES Production Function.

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- Baltagi, B.H., Econometrics.
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Elective Groups

GROUP-V (Quantitative Economics)

ECO-596- Operations Research (Elective - 4 Credits)

Unit-I

12 Lectures

Concept and Operational Definitions, Phases of O.R., Models and Modelling in O.R., O.R. Techniques, Relevance of O.R. in Business Decisions, Uses and Limitations of O.R.; Linear Programming: Problem Formulation, Graphical Solution, Simplex Method, Duality Concept, Post-Optimality Analysis, Transportation Model.

Unit-II

12 Lectures

Project Management: Comparison of PERT/CPM, Assumption of PERT/CPM, Algorithms of PERT/CPM Techniques, Network Analysis, Fundamental of Network Model, Three-estimate Approach of PERT, Resource Levelling and Time-cost Trade-off Analysis, Project Control, GERT, LOB.

Inventory Control Model: Deterministic Inventory Control Models. Simulation Techniques: Operational Definitions, The Nature of Simulation; Systems, Models and Simulation; Motivation, Limitations and Pitfalls; Monte-Carlo Simulation Technique.

Unit-III

12 Lectures

Decision Theory: Basic Structure and Components of Decision, Decision Criteria, Decision Tree.

Game Theory: Theory of Two-person, Zero-sum-Game; Mixed Strategies, Theory of Two-person, Non-zero-sum-game, Solution Method of Game.

Queueing Theory: Basic Characteristics, Queueing Models: M1M11System, MIMIC System, M/EK/1 System.

Sequencing Models: Classification, Assumptions, Sequencing Problems: Jobs through Two Machines, n Jobs through Three Machines, Two Jobs through M-Machines, n Jobs through M-Machines.

Unit-IV

12 Lectures

Replacement, Maintenance, and Reliability Problems.

Information Theory: Entropy- A Measure of Uncertainty.

Integer Programming: Cutting Plane Algorithm, Branch and Bound Algorithm.

Non-Linear Programming: Khun-Tucker Conditions, Quadratic Programming.

Reading List:

Ackoff, Russell L., and Maurice W. Sasieni, *Fundamental of Operations Research*, New York,)968.

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