# M.A. (ECONOMICS) PART-II SEMESTER-III PGECO 31: MACRO ECONOMIC ANALYSIS-I

#### **Course Outcomes:**

At the end of this course, a student shall be able to

- 1. Analyze the concepts of National Income.
- 2. Understand the importance of aggregate supply and demand.
- 3. Understand the application of IS-LM model.
- 4. Development of empirical analysis.

Total Credits: 4 Total Lectures: 60

#### 1. National Income

- 1.1 Gross Domestic Product, Gross National Product, Net Domestic Product
- 1.2 Nominal and Real domestic product, Price Indexes and GDP deflator.
- 1.3 Concept of disposable Income and Relationships between Income & consumption,
- 1.4 Saving, Investment, Government Expenditure, Taxes, Imports & Exports.
- 1.5 National Accounts Statistics-system of national income accounting.

# 2: Aggregate Supply & Aggregate Demand

- 2.1 Difference between Potential Output and Actual Output- Classical Approach
- 2.2 Determination of output and employment Effects of change in Aggregate Demand and Supply Curves Classical Approach
- 2.3 Keynesian approach, Determination of Equilibrium of Aggregate Demand and Supply
- 2.4 Keynesian approach-neutrality of money Multiplier Effect
- 2.5 Multiplier effect with inclusion of Government sector. (Automatic stabilizers, balanced budget multiplier)

#### 3. Brief structure of IS-LM Model

- 3.1 Derivation of IS curve and LM curve
- 3.2 Equilibrium in the Goods and Assets under fixed and flexible prices
- 3.3 Derivation of aggregate demand schedule Monetary and Fiscal policy- The transmission Mechanism-Liquidity Trap
- 3.4 Fiscal policy and crowding out effect, Optimum Policy mix with IS-LM model.

# 4. New Classical Macroeconomics & Open Economy Issues

- 4.1 Consumption and saving, Life cycle hypothesis, Permanent income hypothesis.
- 4.2 Investment spending, Marginal productivity of capital, Concept of accelerator and super Multiplier.
- 4.3 The Real Business cycle Theory
- 4.4 The Rational expectations Revolution New Classical Macroeconomics:

Perfect Information Rational Expectations

4.5 Open Economy IS-LM-BoP's, the Mundell-Fleming Model

#### **Suggested Reading:**

1. Glahe, Fred, R (1973), Macroeconomics: Theory and Policy, Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, Inc., New York.

- 2. Mckinen, G.E. (1978), Money, The Price Level and Interest Rates, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
- 3. Jha, R. (1991), Contemporary Macroeconomic Theory and Policy, Wiley Eastern Ltd., NewDelhi.Economics 81
- 4. Branson, W.A. (1989), Macroeconomic Theory and Policy, (3rd Edition), Harper and Row,New York.
- 5. Ackley, G., Macroeconomics: Theory and Policy, Macmillan, New York.
- 6. Agarwal Vanita Macroeconomics Theory and policy Person Publication, New Delhi.
- 7. D'souza Errol (2008) Macroeconomics: Person Publication, New Delhi.
- 8. National Accounts Statistics-NAS Measures, Concepts of National Accounts Statistics.
- 9. Heijdra, B.J. and V.P. Fredericck (2001), Foundations of Modern Macroeconomics, Oxford University Press, New Delhi
- 10. Lucas, R. (1981), Studies in Business Cycle Theory, M.I.T. Press, Cambridge, Masscechusetts.
- 11Romer, D.L. (1996), Advanced Macroeconomics, M.cGraw Hill Company Ltd., New York.
- 12. Shapiro, E. (1996), Macroeconomic Analysis, Galgotia Publications, New Delhi.
- 13. Surrey, M.J.C. (Ed.) (1976), Macroeconomic Themes, Oxford University Press, Oxford

# M.A. (ECONOMICS) PART-II SEMESTER-III PGECO 32: INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS-I

#### **Course Outcomes:**

At the end of this course, a student shall be able to

- 1. Understand the theories of international trade.
- 2. Analyze the concepts of terms of trade.
- 3. Analyze the trade policy
- 4. Develop the application of WTO agreement.

Total Credits: 4 Total Lectures: 60

#### 1 - Overview of Classical and Modern Trade Theories

- 1.1 Ricardo and the concept of Comparative Cost Theory
- 1.2 Opportunity Cost –Heckscher Ohlin Theorem,
- 1.3 Verification of Physical Criterion and Price Criterion,
- 1.4 Leontief Paradox Factor Price Equalization and explanation with Edgeworth Box Diagram
- 1.5 New theories of Trade, Product Life Cycle and Technology Gap Models,
- 1.6 Preference similarity and Intra-Industry Trade,
- 1.7 Economies of Scale and Monopolistic Competition –
- 1.8 Krugman- Theory of Economic Geography
- 1.9 Neo-Heckscher Ohlin theorem

#### 2 - Terms of Trade

- 2.1 Concepts of Net Barter Terms of Trade,
- 2.2 Gross Barter Terms of Trade, Factors affecting Terms of Trade
- 2.3 Terms of Trade and Economic Development

## 3 – Trade Policy

- 3.1 Free Trade vs. Controlled Trade.
- 3.2 Tariffs and Non-Tariff Barriers on Trade,
- 3.3 Effects of Tariffs under Partial Equilibrium. (Price Effect, Terms of Trade

Effect, Competitive Effect, Income Effect, Revenue Effect)

3.4 Effects under General Equilibrium, Stolper – Samuelson Theorem

#### 4 GATT, WTO and world Trade

- 4.1 International Trade Agreements.
- 4.3 Dunkel Proposal.
- 4.3 WTO- Important Agreements under, Major developments since 1995, Expected effects on the Indian Economy.
- 4.4 Features of Global Trade Growth,
- 4.5 Composition of the Global Trade Growth,
- 4.6 Growth of trade in Services, Developing Countries and participation in Global Trade

## **Recommended books**

- 1. Paul R. Krugman & Maurice Obstfeld (2009) International Economics Theory and Policy. Pearson Education Publication New Delhi
- 2. James Gerber (2012) International Economics Pearson Publication. New Delhi
- 3. Chacholiades, M. (1990), International Trade: Theory and Policy, McGraw Hill, Kogakusha, Japan.
- 4. Kindleberger, C.P. International Economics, R.D. Irwin, Homewood.
- 5. Salvatore, D. (1997), International Economics, Prentice Hall, Upper Saddle River, N.J., New York.
- 6. Soderston, Bo (2005), International Economics, The Macmillan Press Ltd., London.

# M.A. (ECONOMICS) PART-II SEMESTER-III PGECO 33: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY-I

#### **Course Outcomes:**

At the end of this course, a student shall be able to

- 1. Develop the research approach in economics.
- 2. Understand the theory of research design.
- 3. Development of methods of data collection and its analysis.
- 4. Understand the information system and report writing.

Total Credits: 4 Total Lectures: 60

#### 1. Introduction to Research

- 1.1 Meaning and types of research
- 1.2 Social Science. Research- Meaning Objectives, Nature, importance, utility, Limitations and difficulties.
- 1.3 Stages involved in designing research.

# 2. Research Techniques

- 2.1 Data Collection Sources of Data
- 2.2 Primary Interviews, Questionnaire, Observation, Schedule.
- 2.3 Secondary Data Collection.
- 2.4 Case studies & Historical methods
- 2.5 Hypothesis Definition, Formulation and Role.
- 2.6 Sampling Technique Types of Samples, Size of Samples

## 3. Analysis of Data

- 3.1 Classification and Tabulation.
- 3.2 Graphs and Diagrams.
- 3.3 Measures of Central Tendencies. Mean, median mode
- 3.4 Dispersion. & Correlation.
- 3.5 Percentage. Bi-variate presentation.
- 3.6 Hypothesis Testing. Chi Square test.

#### 4. Information Systems & report writing

- 4.1 Information Systems and knowledge management.
- 4.2 Global Information Internet surfing, downloading, blogs, mails.
- 4.3 Computerized data processing- Excel, SPSS.
- 4.4 Stages of report writing.
- 4.5 Presentation Power Point

#### **BASIC READING LIST**

- 1. Wilkinson and Bhandarkar Methodology and Techniques of Social research Pauline, Young
- Scientific Social Surveys and Research
- 2. Goode and Hatt Methods in Social Surveys and Research

- 3. Krishnaswamy K.N. and Appa lyer Sivakumar (2009): Management Research Methodology, Pearson Education Publication,. N.Delhi .
- 4. Sharma Prasad and Satyanarayana (ed) Research Methods in Social Sciences
- 5. Moser and Kalton Survey Methods in Social Investigations
- 6. Sadhu and Singh Research Methodology in Social Sciences
- 7. Kurein C. T. A guide to research in Economics.
- 8. Devendra Thakur Research Methodology in Social Sciences
- 9. Basotia G.R. Sharma K.K.- Research Methodology.

# M.A. (ECONOMICS) PART-II SEMESTER-III PGECO 34: ECONOMICS OF GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT-I

#### **Course Outcomes:**

At the end of this course, a student shall be able to

- 1. Understand the difference between growth and development.
- 2. Analyze the problem of poverty.
- 3. Understand the theories of development and growth.
- 4. Analyze the importance of population in economic development.

Total Credits: 4 Total Lectures: 60

# 1. Development and Underdevelopment: An Overview

- 1.1 Concepts of growth and Development
- 1.2 Problems in defining economic development
- 1.3 Characteristics of LDCs structural view of underdevelopment
- 1.4 The world distribution of income and Development gap
- 1.5 Per capita income as an index of development
- 1.6 Difficulties of measurement and comparability in the calculation of per capita according to exchange rate and PPP
- 1.7 Alternative measures of development gap HDI

# 2 Poverty and inequality

- 2.1 Defining poverty and problems of measurement
- 2.2 Income distribution Income inequality, measurements of inequality, understanding inequality in developed and underdeveloped worlds
- 2.3 Impact of inequality on the process of development.
- 2.4 Contemporary debater on poverty in India

# **3 Theories of Economic Growth and Development:**

- 3.1 The Harrod-Domar growth model and its application to LCD's
- 3.2 Solow model of economic growth
- 3.3 The Cobb Douglas Production Function
- 3.4 Marx Schumpeter Gerschenkron surplus labour
- 3.5 Big push (Rosenstein–Rodan) –
- 3.6 Balanced growth: (Nurkse) & unbalanced growth (Hirschman)
- 3.7 The process of cumulative causation (Myrdal)
- 3.8 The Centre and periphery hypothesis the dependency school

# 4. Population growth and economic development

- 4.1 Population—the theory of demographic transition
- 4.2 Age structures of population and Sex ratio
- 4.3 Migration Rural and Urban migrations
- 4.4 The Harris Todaro Model
- 4.5 Problems of urbanization Employment markets formal, informal

# 4.6 Formal and informal employments – wage rates

# **Suggested reading:**

- 1. Behrman, S. and T.N. Srinivasan (1995), Handbook of Development Economics, Vol. 3, Elsevier, Amsterdam.
- 2. Thirwal, A.P. (1999), (6th Edition), Growth and Development, Macmillan, U.K.
- 3. Brown, M. (1966), On the Theory and Measurement of Technical Change, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, Mass.
- 4. Chenery, H. and T.N. Srinivasan (Eds.) (1989), Handbook of Development Economics, Vols.1 & 2, Elsevier, Amsterdam.
- 5. Dasgupta, P. (1993), An Enquiry into Well-being and Destitution, Clarendon Press, Oxford.
- 6. Gillis, M., D.H. Perkins, M. Romer and D.R. Snodgrass (1992), Economics of Development, (3rd Edition), W.W. Norton, New York.
- 7. Kindleberger, C.P. (1977), Economic Development, (3rd Edition), McGraw Hill, New York. Economics
- 8. Meier, G.M. (1995), Leading Issues in Economic Development, (6<sup>th</sup> Edition), Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 9. Todaro, M.P. (1996), (6th Edition), Economic Development, Longman, London.
- 10. Meier G.M. leading Issues in Development Economics

# M.A. (ECONOMICS) PART-II SEMESTER-III PGECO 35 : DEMOGRAPHY-I

#### **Course Outcomes:**

At the end of this course, a student shall be able to

- 1. Understand the holistic view of demography.
- 2. Understand the population theories and the dynamics of population change.
- 3. Development of the quantitative and the qualitative aspects and characteristics of the population through various demographic techniques.
- 4. Exposes the rationale, need and evaluation of population policy.

Total Credits: 4 Total Lectures: 60

# 1. Demography

- 1.1 Demography: Nature and Scope
- 1.2 Development of population studies in India- relationship with other disciplines
- 1.3 Sample surveys dual report system
- 1.4 World population growth and distribution
- 1.5 Population growth in developed and developing countries

#### 2. Population theories

- 2.1 Malthusian theory
- 2.2 Classical and Neo-classical schools of thought -
- 2.3 Optimum population theory
- 2.4 Biological theories.
- 2.5. Theory of demographic transition

#### 3. Population structure and characteristics

- 3.1 Census- growth rate and population Sex ratio in India factors affecting sex ratio , age structure
- 3.2 Meaning and measures of Mortality infant mortality child mortality causes of death.
- 3.3 Fertility Meaning factors affecting fertility social and cultural factors
- 3.4 Proximate determinants of fertility measures of fertility (GFR ASFR TFR GRR NRR Child-woman ratio) Methods of contraception levels and trends in fertility in India factors related to high fertility in India fertility differentials in India
- 3.5 Migration, Meaning differentials in migration internal migration in India.

## 4. Population distribution

4.1 Population distribution by geographic areas - measures - density of population - factors affecting population distribution -world population distribution - population distribution in India - urban-rural distribution of population - measures of urbanization - levels and trends of urbanization in India

- 4.2 Labour force Meaning economically active population measures of labour force participation trends and levels of labour-force participation in India
- 4.3 India's Population Policy National Population policy 2000

## Suggested reading:

- Bhende, Asha A. and Tara Kanitkar (2013) Principles of Population Studies, Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai
- National Family Health Survey-1 (1992-93), -11 (1998-99), -111 (20042005), ( reports for India and different states of India) Government of India and International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai
- Davis K. (1968), Population of India and Pakistan, Russell and Russell, New York
- Family Welfare Programme in India, Year Book 2012, Government of India, New Delhi
- National Population Policy 2000, Government of India, New Delhi
- Agarwala S.N. (1972), India's Population Problem, Tata McGraw-Hill Co., Bombay.
- Bose, A. (1996), India's Basic Demographic Statistics, B.R. Publishing Corporation, New Delhi
- Bogue, D.J. (1971), Principles of Demography, John Wiley, New York
- Chenery H. and T.N. Srinivasan (Eds.) (1989), Hand Book of Development Economics, Vol.1 & 2 Elsevier, Amsterdam.
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- Simon, J.L. (1992), Population and Development in Poor Countries, Princeton University Press. Srinivasan, K. (1998), Basic Demographic Techniques and Applications, Sage, New Delhi
- Srinivasan, K. and A. Shariff (1998), India: Towards Population and Demographic Goals, Oxford University Press, New Delhi
- Different publications based on Census of India 2011 published by Census Commissioner and Registrar General of India, New Delhi
- United Nations (1973) Determinants and Consequences of Population Trends Vol. I, New York

# M.A. (ECONOMICS) PART-II SEMESTER-III PGSEC 31: CONSUMER PROTECTION

#### **Course Outcomes:**

At the end of this course, a student shall be able to

- 1. Acquaint with consumer and consumer movement.
- 2. Understand the consumer rights and duties.
- 3. Analyze the laws relating to consumer.

Total Credits: 2 Total Lectures: 30

#### **Unit- I: Consumer and Consumer Movement**

1.1 Consumer

Meaning, Concept, Definition, Features

- 1.2 Three Dimensional Concept of Consumer.
  - a) Consumer as a King
  - b) Consumer as a King-pin of Democracy
  - c) Consumer as a Capital
- 1.3 Rights and Responsibilities of Consumers
- 1.4 Consumer Movement

Meaning, Importance, Objectives and Role

1.5 Consumer Education

Meaning, Objectives, Methods and Techniques of Consumer Education

1.6 Problems of Consumer-Individual and Collective Problems

### **Unit-II: Consumer Protection Act,1986**

- 2.1 Background, Need, Scope and Features
- 2.2 Consumer Protection Councils-Composition Role of
  - a. District Consumer Protection Council
  - b. State Consumer Protection Council
  - c. National Consumer Protection Council
- 2.3 Methods of Filing Complaints.
- 2.4 Machinery for Redressal Composition

Working of -

- a)District Consumer Redressal Forum
- b)State Consumer Redressal Forum
- c)National Consumer Redressal Forum

#### **Recommended Books**;

- 1. Consumer Grievance Redressal under CPA- Deepa Sharma
- 2. Consumer Protection Act in India- Niraj Kumar
- 3. Consumer Protection Act in India V.K. Agarwal