

BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY, COIMBATORE-641 046

B.A. ECONOMICS (CBCS PATTERN)

(For the students admitted during the academic year 2015-2016 and onwards)

SCHEME OF EXAMINATIONS

Part	Study Components / Course Title	Inst. Hours/ Week	Examination				Credit
			Duration	CIA \$	Uni. Exam	Total	

Semester I							
I	Language-I	6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English-I	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	CORE I – MICRO ECONOMICS – 1	5	3	20	55	75	3
III	CORE II – Agricultural Economics	5	3	20	55	75	3
III	ALLIED PAPER I HISTORY OF INDIA FROM 1600 TO1857 AD /POLITICAL SCIENCE/ Tourism	6	3	25	75	100	4
IV	Environmental Studies #	2	3	-	50	50	2
Semester II							
I	Language-II	6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English-II	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	CORE III – MICRO ECONOMICS – II	5	3	25	75	100	4
III	CORE IV – INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS	5	3	25	75	100	4
III	ALLIED PAPER II HISTORY OF INDIA FROM 1858 TO 1964 //POLITICAL SCIENCE/Demography	6	3	25	75	100	4
IV	Value Education – Human Rights #	2	3	-	50	50	2
Semester III							
I	Language-III	6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English-III	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core V – MACRO ECONOMICS	4	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core VI – STATISTICAL METHODS	4	3	25	75	100	4
III	Allied : III - POLITICAL SCIENCE /Constitutional History of India 1773 to 1892/ BUSINESS MANAGEMENT FOR ECONOMICS	5	3	25	75	100	4
IV	Skill based Subject 1 FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3	3	20	55	75	3
IV	Tamil@ / Advanced Tamil# (OR) Non-major elective - I (Yoga for Human Excellence)# / Women's Rights#/ Constitution India #	2	3	50	50	50	2
Semester IV							
I	Language-IV	6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English-IV	6	3	25	75	100	4
II	Core VII – ECONOMICS OF DEVELOPMENT & PLANNING	4	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core VIII – MATHEMATICAL ECONOMICS	4	3	25	75	100	4

III	Allied : IV COMPUTER APPLICATIONS IN ECONOMICS / POLITICAL SCIENCE / Constitutional History of India 1892 to 1950	5	3	25	75	100	4
IV	Skill based Subject 2 TRADE DOCUMENTATION	3	3	20	55	75	3
IV	Tamil @ /Advanced Tamil # (OR) Non-major elective -II (General Awareness #)	2	3	50		50	2
Semester V							
III	Core IX – MONETARY ECONOMICS	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core X – INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND POLICIES	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core XI – INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core XII – ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT	5	3	25	75	100	4
III	Elective –I	4	3	25	75	100	4
IV	Skill based Subject 3 COMPUTER SYSTEM - I – THEORY	2	3	10	40	50	2
IV	Skill based Subject 3 COMPUTER SYSTEM - I - PRACTICAL	1	3	10	15	25	1
Semester VI							
III	Core XIII – FISCAL ECONOMICS	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core XIV - HISTORY OF ECONOMIC DOCTRINE	6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core XV – ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS	5	3	25	75	100	4
III	Elective –II	5	3	25	75	100	4
III	Elective –III	5	3	25	75	100	4
IV	Skill based Subject 4 COMPUTER SYSTEM – II – THEORY	2	3	10	40	50	2
IV	Skill based Subject 4 COMPUTER SYSTEM – II - PRACTICAL	1	3	10	15	25	1
V	Extension Activities @	-	-	50	-	50	2
Total						3500	140

\$ Includes 25/40% continuous internal assessment marks for theory and practical papers respectively.

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List of Elective papers (Colleges can choose any one of the paper as electives)		
Elective – I	A	Investment Policies and Programme – I
	B	Auditing
	C	FOREIGN TRADE PRACTICE & PROCEDURE
Elective – II	A	Investment Policies and Programme – II
	B	Capital Market Intermediaries
	C	Journalism
Elective – III	A	An Introduction to Insurance
	B	ACCOUNTANCY FOR ECONOMICS
	C	Financial Markets

- Notes:**
- 1. In semester V, Part IV, Skilled Based Subject Paper – III – Computer System–I, the practical classes and examinations to be conducted from Unit IV only.**
 - 2. In semester VI, Part IV, Skilled Based Subject Paper – IV – Computer System–II, the practical classes and examinations to be conducted from Unit III only.**

I YEAR – I SEMESTER
CORE II - AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS

SUBJECT DESCRIPTION

The course is designed to familiarize the students the policy issues that are relevant to Indian agricultural economics and enable them to analyze the issues, using basic micro economic concepts.

OBJECTIVES

1. Mate the students to understand the Indian Agriculture
2. To equip the students with the knowledge regarding the relationship between Agricultural economy and India economy.

UNIT I: Definition and scope of Agriculture Economics – Agriculture in a growing Economy – Role of Agriculture in Economic development of a Nation. Interdependence between agriculture and industry-Agricultural development under the 5 year plans.

UNIT II: Productivity in Indian Agriculture, Measuring Agriculture Productivity, Farm size, Cropping Pattern –Agricultural Labour and Wages – women in Agriculture, wage discrimination. Green Revolution- Problems of small and marginal farmers.

UNIT III: Size of land holdings- Tenancy systems and Land Reforms – Supply of Inputs : Irrigation, Power, Seed and Fertilizer – Pricing of Inputs — Agricultural price policy in India – objectives of price policy, Food security in India, PDS– Crop Insurance.

UNIT IV: Agricultural Credit in India - Institutional agencies supplying Agricultural credit: Role of National Bank For Agriculture And Rural Development [NABARD], Co-operatives, Commercial Banks, and Regional Rural Banks.

UNIT V: Agricultural Markets- Definition and Scope – Types of Agricultural markets – co-operative marketing and regulated markets - New Agricultural policy – World Trade Organization (WTO) and Indian Agriculture. Impact of Globalization in Indian agriculture.

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1. Ruddar Dutt and K.P.M Sundaram, 2014, Indian Economy, S.Chand&Co Ltd, New Delhi.
2. S.K.Mishra & V.K.Puri, 2011, Indian Economy, Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
3. A.N. Agarwal, 2007, Indian Economy Problems of Development and Planning.
4. C.S.Prasad, 2006, Sixty Years of Indian Agriculture.
5. P.Mala, 2014, Agricultural Economics, Dominant Publishers, New Delhi.

I YEAR – II SEMESTER
ALLIED PAPER – II - DEMOGRAPHY

SUBJECT DESCRIPTION

This course is designed to make the students aware of the importance of population in economic development and the various theories that explain the growth of population in a country.

OBJECTIVES

1. Make the students to understand about the demography.
2. To equip the students with the knowledge regarding the relationship between Demography and Economic Development.

Unit I: Population and Development- Meaning and scope of demography; components of population growth and their interdependence; Measures of population change; Structure, distribution and sources of population data; Theories of population – Malthus, Optimum theory of population; theory of demographic transition –Population and development.

Unit II: Population trends in the twentieth century; Population explosion –Determinants of age and sex structure; Demographic effects of sex and age structure, economic and social implications; Age pyramids and projections.

Unit III: Fertility, Nuptiality and Mortality-Importance of study of fertility – Factors affecting fertility – Socio-economic factors. Nuptiality – Concept and analysis of marital status, single mean age at marriage. Mortality – Death rates, crude and age-specific; Mortality at birth and infant mortality rate.

Unit IV: Migration and Urbanization-Concept and types – Temporary, internal and international; International migration –Its effect on population growth and pattern; Factors affecting migration; Urbanization – Growth and distribution of rural-urban population in developed and developing countries. Urbanization in India.

Unit V: Population Policy in India-Evolution of population policy in India – The shift in policy from population control to family welfare, to women empowerment; Family planning strategies and their outcomes..

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1. Agarwala, S. N. (1972), *India's Population Problem*, Tata McGraw Hill Co., Bombay.
2. Bose, A. (1996), *India's Basic Demographic Statistics*, B. R. Publishing Corporation, New Delhi.
3. Bogue, D. J. (1971), *Principles of Demography*, John Wiley, New York.
4. Choubey, P. K. (2000), *Population Policy in India*, Kanishka Publications, New Delhi.
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6. Gulati, S. C. (1988), *Fertility in India: An Econometric Study of a Metropolis*, Sage, New Delhi.
