

SYLLABUS & PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Economics

(Honours)

(Choice Based Credit System)

(Effective from the Academic Session 2017-2018)

Second Semester

MAHARAJA BIR BIKRAM UNIVERSITY
AGARTALA, TRIPURA: 799004

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Structure of Proposed CBCS Syllabus BA/BSc/B.Com Honours

| Semester | Core Course (14) Honours | Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2) | Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2) | Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) (4) | Generic Elective (GE) (4) |
|----------|--------------------------------|---|---|---|--|
| 1 | C1 C2 | AECC1: Environmental Science | | | GE1 (Paper-I of selected subject other than Hons subject) |
| 2 | C3 C4 | AECC2 : (English/MIL (Communication) | | | GE2 (Paper-II of selected subject other than Hons subject) |
| 3 | C5 C6 C7 | | SEC1 | | GE3 (Paper-III of selected subject other than Hons subject) |
| 4 | C8 C9 C10 | | SEC2 | | GE4 (Paper-IV of selected subject other than Hons subject) |
| 5 | C11 C12 | | | DSE1 DSE2 | |
| 6 | C13 C14 | | | DSE3 DSE4 | |

Semester-II
Core Course – Paper- III
PRINCIPLES OF MACRO ECONOMICS-II

TOTAL MARKS – 100
(End semester- 80, Internal- 20)

- **UNIT-I (National Income Analysis):**
Open & Close Economy; Concepts of Depreciation, Factor Cost (FC) and Market Price (MP); Different Derivatives of NI (GNP, GDP, NNP, NDP, PI & DPI); Methods of Measurements of National Income: Aggregation of Output, Income and Expenditure; National Income Identity; Problem of Double Counting & Value Added Method; Problems of Measuring NI in an Underdeveloped Economy, GDP and Economic Welfare, Concepts of GDP Deflator and CPI.
- **UNIT-II (Theory of Consumption):**
Consumption Function; Aggregate Consumption (Concepts & Determinants); MPC & MPS; APC & APS; Keynesian Psychological Law of Consumption; Relative Income, Permanent Income & Life Cycle Hypotheses; Non Proportional Short Run Consumption Function ($MPC < APC$) & Long Run Proportional Consumption Function ($MPC = APC$).
- **UNIT-III (Theory of Investment):**
Investment (Autonomous & Induced) and Its Determinants Supply Price, Periodical Returns from Investment and Rate of Discount; Derivation and Determinants of MEC; MEI and Its Distinction from MEC; Concepts of Multiplier & Accelerator; Acceleration Principle.
- **UNIT-IV (Savings, Effective Demand & Simple Keynesian Model):**
Savings Function: Concept & Determinants; Effective Demand & Its Components; Concepts of Injection, Withdrawal and Circular Flow of National Income; Macro Economic Models & Its Significance; Simple Keynesian Model of Income Determination With / Without Government Sector; Introduction of International Trade; Government Expenditure & Autonomous Investment Multipliers; Super Multiplier.

Suggested Readings:

- Lipsey & Chrystal, *Principles of Economics*, Oxford University Press
- Montosh Chakraborty, *Samastik Arthaniti*, Dhakeswary Library, Dhaka.
- H.L. Ahuja, *Advanced Economic Theory*, S.Chand & Company Ltd.
- Sampat Mukherjee & Debesh Mukherjee, *Samakalin Arthavidya*, N. C. Book Agency (P) Ltd.
- M.L. Jhingan, *MacroEconomic Theory*, Vrinda Publications Pvt. Ltd.
- Mankiw N., Gregory. *Principles of Economics*, Thomson.
- D. Dasgupta, *The Macroeconomy*, Oxford University Press.
- Joydeb Sarkhel, *Macroeconomic Theory*, Book Syndicate Pvt. Ltd.
- Anil Kr. Basak, *Arthanitik Samasya Byastigata O Samastigata*
- Sampat Mukharjee, *Analytical Macroeconomics*, New Central Book Agency (P) Ltd.

Semester-II
Core Course – Paper- IV
STATISTICS FOR ECONOMICS-I

TOTAL MARKS – 100
(End semester- 80, Internal- 20)

- **UNIT-I (Collection & Presentation of Data):**
Quantitative & Qualitative Data; Primary & Secondary Data; Attribute & Variable; Methods of Collection, Tabulation and Presentation of Data; Univariate Frequency Distribution (Simple & Cumulative); Line Diagram, Bar Diagram, Histogram, Pie Chart, Frequency Curve and Polygon, Cumulative Frequency Curve and Ogive.
- **UNIT-II (Measures of Central Tendency):**
Mean, Median and Mode (Simple & Weighted); Formulae, Properties, Advantages and Disadvantages of & Relation between AM, GM and HM; Relation between Mean, Median and Mode for Asymmetric Distribution; Concept of Quartiles; Problems & Solutions.
- **UNIT-III (Dispersion):**
Distinction between Central Tendency & Dispersion; Range, Quartile Deviation, Mean Deviation, Standard Deviation & Variance, Formulae, Properties, Advantages and Disadvantages; Comparison of Different Measures of Dispersion, Relative Measures of Dispersion (Coefficients of Variation, Mean Deviation & Quartile Deviation); Problems & Solutions.
- **UNIT-IV (Moments, Skewness and Kurtosis):**
Concept of Moments, Odd & Even Order Moments, Raw Moments, Central Moments & Their Relation, Beta & Gamma Coefficients, Measures of Skewness & Kurtosis, Problems & Solutions.

Suggested Readings:

- N.G. Das, *Statistical Methods (Vol-I & II)*, Tata MacGraw- Hill.
- S.C. Gupta and V.K. Kapoor, *Fundamentals of Mathematical Statistics*, Sultan Chand & Sons, Delhi.
- Goon A. M, Gupta M. K. and Dasgupta, B. *Fundamentals of Statistics*, The World Press Pvt. Ltd.
- Gupta, S.C., *Fundamentals of Statistics*, Himalaya Publishing House, Delhi
- Nagar & Das, *Basic Statistics*, Oxford University Press.
- Kenney and Keeping, *Mathematical Statistics, Parts- I&II*, Chapman & Hall Ltd.
- Croxton, Cowden and Klein, *Applied General Statistics*, Prentice Hall, Inc.
- John E. Freund, *Mathematical Statistics with Application*, Irwin Miller & Marylees Miller (Authors), Prentice-Hall, Inc.
- R.G. Hogg and A.T. Craig, *Introduction to Mathematical Statistics*, Prentice Hall
- Ashok Kr. Mukherjee & Shaktipada Nanda, *Banijyik Ganit O Parisankhyan*.
- Joydeb Sarkhel & Santosh Kr. Datta, *Rashibigyaner Bhumika*, Book Syndicate Pvt. Ltd.