Lesson plan of Economics Department for the session 2016-17, PART-I, PART-II & PART-III.

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Academic session	Part	Topic coverd	Number of lectures	Examination		
July 2016 to March 2017	Part-1 (Hons) Paper-IA Microeconomics-I	Unit6: Markets and Welfare 6.1Willingness to Pay and Consumer Surplus 6.2 Willingness to Sell and Producer Surplus 6.3 Market Efficiency and Deadweight Loss 6.4 Deadweight Loss of Taxation	2 2 2 2	June 2017		
		Unit7: Market failure, Externalities and Public Goods 7.1 Market Failure 7.2 Externalities and market inefficiency: 7.3 Public Goods and Common Resources: Pubic Good and the free rider problem. Common Resources and Tragedy of Commons. Examples of Public Goods and	3 3 4			

		Communic Dana	1	
		Common Resources.		
		Unit8: Conflicting and Complementary Roles of Market and Government	1	
	Paper-IB Macroeconomics-I	Unit1: Nature and Scope of Macroeconomics 1.1 Distinction between Macro economics and Microeconomics - Aggregation and Macroeconomics	2	
		1.2 Goals and Instruments of Macroeconomics 1.3 Supply and Demand in Macroeconomics. 1.4 Brief history and	2 2	
		Schools of Macroeconomics – Keynesian, Classical, New Keynesian and New Classical.	2	
July 2016 to March	Part-II (Hons)	Unit1: The Economy in		May 2017
2017	Paper-IIIB Macroeconomics	the Long Run 1.1 The classical analysis of the real sector-determination of employment, income and interest rate. 1.2 Job Loss, Job	4	
		finding and Natural Rate of Unemployment. 1.3 Money and Inflation - quantity theory of money, seigniorage and inflation tax, inflation	4	

and interest rates,	
Unit2: The Economy in the Short Run	
2.1 Simple Keynesian	
analysis of aggregate	
demand without and	
with the government	4
sector, multiplier.	
2.2 IS-LM, fiscal and	4
monetary policy	4
2.3 IS-LM and	
Aggregate Demand)	4
2.4 Aggregate supply –	
Sticky Wage Model	
and Imperfect	
Information Model,	5
Aggregate Supply and	
Phillips curve, Inflation	
and Unemployment	
trade off without and	
with rational	
expectations.	
2.5 Economy wide equilibrium with fiscal	
and monetary policy,	3
demand and supply	
shocks, wage price	
flexibility and rigidity	
(only definition),	
Keynesian aggregate	
supply and Classical	
Aggregate Supply	
Unit3: Foreign Trade	
and Exchange Rate	
3.1Economic Openness	3
with an emphasis on	3
Indian economy,	
balance of payments,	
BOP and the Central	
Bank, Financing	
Current Account	
Deficit.	
3.2 Exchange Rate Concepts,	
Determination of	2
Exchange Rate – fixed	
and flexible,	
Importance of Foreign	

		Currency Reserves with reference to India, Domestic Adjustment, BOP Crisis and Speculative Attack, Internal and External Balance under Fixed Rate, Advantages of Flexible exchange and Fixed Rates. 3.3 Foreign exchange market reform in India, relation of Devaluation with purchasing power parity and inflation, purchasing power parity principle. 3.4 IS- LM model without capital flows, Open economy with capital flows – the Mundell- Fleming Model	2	
Мас	PART-II (Gen) Paper IIB: croeconomics II	Unit4: Theories of Income and Employment 4.1 Concept of Classical Theory of Employment and output-Say's Law of markets. 4.2 Simple Keynesian theory of Income and Employment: Concept of Effective Demand.	4	
		Unit5:Prices and Inflation 5.1 Concept of price index –alternative price indices and measurements of inflation rate 5.2 Concept of Inflation, Deflation and Stagflation: Inflationary Gap - Distinction between Demand-pull and Cost-Push Inflation	3 3	

		5.3 Anti-Inflationary Monetary and Fiscal Policies -Effects of Inflation	3	
		Unit6: International Trade: 6.1Distinction between Internal and International Trade – exports and imports in	3	
		goods and services. 6.2 Basis of Trade: Concepts of absolute advantage and comparative	3	
July 2016 to March	PART-III			April 2017
2017	(Hons)	Unit3: The Standard		
	(Trade Model 3.1	4	
	Paper -VA	Production Possibilities and relative supply,	4	
	International -	relative prices and		
	Economics	demand, welfare		
		effects of changes in		
		terms of trade,		
		determining relative		
		prices. 3.2 Economic growth:		
		shift of RS curve,	4	
		growth and production		
		possibility frontier, RS		
		and terms of trade, International effects of		
		growth, International		
		transfers of income:		
		shifting RD curve,		
		Transfer problem,		
		effects of transfer on		
		terms of trade, Tariffs and export subsidies.		
		3.3 Offer curves:		
		Derivation,		
		International	4	
		Equilibrium.		
		Unit4:Trade Policy		
		4.1 Partial equilibrium analysis: Tariff- cost	4	
		and benefit, effective		
		rate of protection and		
		intermediate goods,		
		quota, tariff- quota		
		equivalence and		

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	nonequivalence, export subsidy, voluntary export restraint. 4.2 General Equilibrium Analysis: Distinction between small and large open economy, welfare effects of tariff in a small country, optimum tariff for large open economy, Metzler's paradox. 4.3 Tariff & Import Quotas in presence of monopoly.	3	
	Unit5: Accounting, Income Determination and Exchange Rates 5.1 Balance of payment accounts; national income accounting in an open economy; monetary account; 5.2 Determination of national Income, multiplier analysis, the transfer problem, introduction of foreign country and repercussion effect. 5.3 Fixed and Flexible Exchange rates:	3	
Paper -VB	Adjustments, Demand & Supply of foreign exchange, Effects of exchange rate changes on domestic prices and terms of trade, Marshall-Lerner condition, J-curve effect. Unit5: Government Budget and Policy 5.1 Government		

Public Finance	budget and its	6
Fublic Fillance	structure – Receipts	
	and expenditure -	
	concepts of current	
	and capital account,	
	balanced, surplus, and	
	deficit budgets,	
	concept of budget	
	deficit vs. fiscal deficit,	
	functional	
	classification of	
	budget. Concept of	
	Revenue Deficit.	
	The second of th	
	Unit6: Revenue	
	Resources	5
	6.1 Concept of tax,	
	types of tax – direct	
	tax and indirect tax,	
	canons of taxation,	
	subsidy, transfer policy	
	6.2 Principles of	4
	taxation -Ability to Pay	
	principle (brief	
	discussion), Benefit	
	Approach (Actual	
	Examples)	
	Unit7: Tax Structure	4
	7.1Effects of income	
	tax on work effort,	
	saving and risk bearing	
	(just brief ideas). 7.2 Excess burden of	3
	indirect taxes	3
	7.3 VAT, Goods and	
	Services Tax (pros and	
	cons).	
	7.4 Non-tax revenue	2
	resources-earnings	
	from public	
	undertakings, interest	
	on loans	
	Unit8: Distribution	3
	and Stabilization	
	8.1 Instruments for	3
	stabilization	
	8.2 Public Debt	
	internal and external.	3

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		8.3 Public Finance and		
		Public Choice		
		Unit4: Post Second		
		World War	3	
			3	
		Development Scenario		
		4.1 Global Change,		
		Welfare state and		
		mixed economy.		
		4.2 Post War global		
		institutions:	3	
		International		
		Monetary Fund, World		
		Bank, United Nations		
		Conference on Trade		
		and Development.	4	
		4.3 Trade and	,	
		Strategies of		
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		Development: Infant		
		industry, Import		
		substitution versus		
		export promotion in		
		less developed		
		countries. Illustrations		
		from South Asia, Latin		
		America and East Asia.		
		4.4 Foreign Finance,	4	
		Investment and		
		Development: Private		
		foreign direct		
		investment and		
		Multinational		
		Corporations, private		
		portfolio investment,		
		development		
		assistance debate.		
		assistance debate.		
		UnitE: Davalanment		
	Paper -VIA	Unit5: Development		
	Comparative	and		
	Development	underdevelopment as	2	
	Experience	historical processes	_	
		5.1 Dependency	2	
		Approach.	<u> </u>	
		5.2 Unequal exchange.		
		Unit6: Evolution of		
		New international	6	
		economic order	6	
1		6.1 Neo liberalism,		

Application of Economics to Managerial Issues Unit2:Duand Pro Unit3: Cuestion of Economics to Unit3: Cuestion of Economics to Unit4: Cuestion of Economics t	Demand, Cost Ofit Analysis Organizational Principal- Analysis & We Design Capital ing nventory ement Corporate ance
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			lectures	
July 2016 to March	Part 1 (Hons)			June 2017
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	Donor IA			
	Paper-IA Microeconomics I	Unit 1 The Economic		
	Wher occonomics 1	Way of Thinking		
		1.1 Normative	2	
		Economics and Positive Economics -		
		Methodology		
		1.2 Wants, Scarcity,		
		Competing Ends and Choice - Defining	2	
		Economics		
		1.3 Basic Economic	4	
		Questions, Microeconomics and	7	
		Macroeconomics		
		1.4 Principles of		
		Microeconomics	4	
		1.5 Interdependence and the Gains from	4	
		Trade		
		Unit 5- Utilitatarian		
		approach		
		5.1. From Cardinal to		
		Ordinal Approach.	1	
		5.2. Utility in Cardinal Approach – Utility and		
		choice, Total Utility	1	
		and Marginal utility,		
		5.3. Utility and choice -	2	
		maximization, marginal utility theory		
		of demand		
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	Paper-IB			
	MacroeconomicsI	Unit 4:Production and Growth		
		4.1 History of		
		Economic Growth and	2	
		Why Growth Matters.		
		4.2 Importance of productivity in growth.	2	
		Determinants of		
		productivity –		
		physical capital,		

	human capital, natural resources and technological knowledge. 4.3 Economic Growth and Public Policy	4
Paper-II-A Statistics for Economics	Unit1: Data Presentation Data - Classification and presentation, Population and Sample, Collection of Data - Variable and Attribute. Frequency distribution - Diagrammatic representation of frequency distribution.	5
	Unit2: Central Tendency 2.1 Arithmetic Mean, Median and Mode (for both grouped and ungrouped data), Comparison of Mean, Median and Mode, Geometric and	5
	Harmonic Mean, Composite Mean. 2.2 Application: Index Numbers: their concept as weighted averages, Problems in the Construction of Index Numbers, Chain Index, Cost of Living Index Number (different formulae)	4
	2.3 Wholesale Price Index and Cost of Living Index in India, Uses of Index Numbers.	2
	Unit3: Dispersion 3.1 Range, Mean Deviation Quartile Deviation and	2

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	Standard Deviation, Measures of Relative Dispersion, Curve of Concentration. 3.2 Measurement of Economic Inequality: Gini Coefficient and Lorenz Curve	2	
	Kurtosis Central and non central moments, different measures of skewness and kurtosis	2	
Paper-IIB Mathematics for Economics	Unit7: Differential Equations 7.1 Linear first-order differential equation 7.2 Linear second order differential equation with real equal and unequal roots and complex roots	4	
ART 1 (Gen) IB Macroeconomics I	Unit4: Government sector 4.1 Transactions of the Government sector - Budget – receipts and expenditures –revenue account and capital account 4.2 Principles of Taxation: Direct and Indirect Taxation – Regressive, Progressive and Proportional Taxation 4.3 Public Debt-Internal & external – purpose and implications	3	
ART-II (Hons)	Unit1: Consumer Theory 1.1 Assumptions on		May 2017
	ART 1 (Gen) IB Macroeconomics I	Measures of Relative Dispersion, Curve of Concentration. 3.2 Measurement of Economic Inequality: Gini Coefficient and Lorenz Curve Unit4: Skewness and Kurtosis Central and non central moments, different measures of skewness and kurtosis Unit7: Differential Equations 7.1 Linear first-order differential equation 7.2 Linear second order differential equation with real equal and unequal roots and complex roots ART 1 (Gen) IB Macroeconomics I Unit4: Government sector 4.1 Transactions of the Government sector - Budget – receipts and expenditures – revenue account and capital account 4.2 Principles of Taxation: Direct and Indirect Taxation – Regressive, Progressive, Progressive and Proportional Taxation 4.3 Public Debt- Internal & external – purpose and implications ART-II (Hons) Unit1: Consumer Theory	Measures of Relative Dispersion, Curve of Concentration. 3.2 Measurement of Economic Inequality: Gini Coefficient and Lorenz Curve Unit4: Skewness and Kurtosis Central and non central moments, different measures of skewness and kurtosis Unit7: Differential Equations 7.1 Linear first-order differential equation 7.2 Linear second order differential equal and unequal roots and complex roots ART 1 (Gen) IB Macroeconomics I Unit4: Government sector 4.1 Transactions of the Government sector - Budget – receipts and expenditures – revenue account and capital account 4.2 Principles of Taxation: Direct and Indirect Taxation – Regressive, Progressive, Progressive and Proportional Taxation 4.3 Public Debt- Internal & external – purpose and implications ART-II (Hons) Unit1: Consumer Theory

		preference ordering,	9
		indifference curve,	
		marginal rate of	
		substitution and	
	Paper-IIIA	convexity of IC, budget	
	Microeconomics	constraint, consumers'	
		equilibrium – interior	
		and corner, Derivation	
		of Demand Curves	
		from ICs, composite	
		good convention.	
		Application: Cash	
		subsidy versus subsidy	
		in kind.	
		1.2 Income and price	
		consumption curves	8
		Price effect -	
		substitution effect	
		(Hicks and Slutsky),	
		inferior goods and	
		Giffen goods, income	
		effect, ordinary and	
		compensated demand curves	
		1.3 Inter-temporal choice (saving and	2
		borrowing	2
		DOLLOWING	
		Unit3: Market	
		Structure	
		3.1 Organization,	
		Firms and Profit	
		Maximization.	3
		3.2 Marginal Revenue,	
		Marginal Cost and	1
		Profit Maximization.	
		3.3 Perfect	
		competition-	4
		3.4 Efficiency of	
		competitive	
		equilibrium	
			4
		Unit6: Economic	
	Paper-IIIB	Growth	
	Macroeconomics	6.1 Solow model,	
		Golden Rule of capital,	6
		impact of changes in	
i l		saving propensity,	

	6.3 Social dimensions		
	Index.		
	gap ratio, Income gap ratio, Human Poverty		
	count ratio, Poverty		
	measures – Head		
	Poverty line, Poverty		
	respect to income,		
	deprivation with		
	and absolute	4	
	6.2 Poverty, relative		
	Inverted U hypothesis.		
	coefficient, Kuznet's		
	variation, Gini-	3	
	Coefficient of		
	Lorenz Curve, Range,		
	inequality measures,		
	of inequality,		
	poverty 6.1 Meaning		
	Inequality and		
	Unit6:Development,		
theory	Development		
theory	Unit4: Population and	3	
Paper-IVA Developme	economic t development		
Damas IVA	Unit3:Factors in	3	
	(introduction).		
	Growth Theory	3	
	6.2 Endogenous		
	and Solow residual.		
	Growth accounting		
	population growth and technological progress.		

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		-India's per capita		
		income – relative		
		position relation to		
		developed and		
		underdeveloped		
		economies		
		1.2 Features and		
		Causes of	4	
		Underdevelopment of		
		the Indian Economy		
			4	
		Unit2: NI Trends		
		National Income of		
		India: Trend,		
		Estimation and		
		Distribution.	4	
		Unit3: Demography		
		3.1 The trends and		
		pattern of population	4	
		growth –age		
		distribution –		
		demographic rates and		
		population projection		
		3.2 The nature of		
		population problem in	4	
		India and government		
		policies related to		
		population Unit4:		
		Unit4:Dualism		
		Dualism, in the Indian	4	
		Economy: Poverty		
		Line-Poverty		
		Eradication		
		Programmes in India.		
July 2016 to March		Unit1: Introduction to		April 2017
2017		public economics		
	PART-III(Hons)	1.1 The nature, scope	2	
	•	and significance of		
	Paper- VB	public economics		
	Public Finance	Unit2: Forms and		
		Functions of		
		Government		
		2.1 Different forms of		
		government – unitary	3	
		and federal. Tiers of		
		government in the		
		federal form- Central,		
		State, Local		
		(Introductory		
		discussion with		
		examples).		

	2.2 Functions of	
	Government -	3
	Economic functions -	
	allocation, distribution	
	and stabilization.	
	2.3 Regulatory	2
	functions of the	
	Government and its	
	economic significance	
	Unit3: Federal Finance	
	3.1 Federal Finance:	
	Different layers of the	
	government, Inter	3
	governmental	3
	transfer—horizontal	
	vs. vertical equity	
	3.2 Grants—merits and	
	demerits of various	
		4
	types of grants—	
	unconditional vs.	
	conditional grants, tied	
	grants, matching	
	grants.	
	Unit4: Public Goods	
	and Public Sector	
	4.1 Concept of public	
	goods—characteristics	3
	of public goods,	
	national vs. local	
	public goods,	
	determination of	
	provision of public	
	good	
	4.2 Externality,	3
	concept of social	
	versus private costs	
	and benefits, merit	
	goods, club goods.	
	4.3 Provision versus	3
	production of public	
	goods. Market failure	
	and public provision.	
	Pricing of public good	
Paper -VIA		
Comparative	Unit1: International	
Development	comparisons of	
Experience	development	
	1.1 Differences in	2
	initial conditions of	
	development of less	
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	developed countries and present day developed countries. 1.2 Nature of development gap prevailing at present between developed and less developed countries	2	
	Unit2: Genesis of capitalism 2.1 Different types of social organization, feudalism, precapitalist societies other than feudalism, capitalism in the West, 2.2 Industrial revolution in Great Britain - Causes – Why Great Britain became the pioneer? – Characteristics - Effects	4	
	Unit3: Industrialization Experiences in Early Part of 20th Century. 3.1 The Great Debate in Soviet Union on the assignment of priority on development of heavy industry in the process of planned economic development. 3.2. The Great Depression of the 1930's and recovery – Experiences of USA and Great Britain	3	
	Unit1: Economic		

 Paper- VIIIA Indian Economic History	condition in India on the eve of British rule	3
	Unit2: Aspects of Economic Policies under in British India 2.1 Land policy 2.2 Policy of Discriminating Protection 2.3 Early Industrial Development and Managing Agency System 2.4 Currency and monetary policy 2.5 Infrastructure and Transport	2 5 4
PART-III(Gen) Paper- IVB International Economics & Statistics (Group-B)	Unit1: Data — Classification and presentation, Population and Sample, Collection of Data - Variable and Attribute, Frequency Distribution — Diagrammatic representation of frequency distribution — Cumulative frequency - Ogive. Unit2: Central Tendency- Arithmetic Mean, Median and Mode (for both grouped and ungrouped data) Unit3: Dispersion: Range and Standard Deviation, Measures of Relative Dispersion — Curve of Concentration, Concepts of Measurement of Economic Inequality:	7

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Academic session	Part	Topic covered	Number of lectures	Examination
July 2016 to March 2017	PART 1 (Hons)	Unit5: Money and Monetary Institutions		June 2017
	Paper-IB	6.1 The Classical and Modern View	2	
	Macroeconomics-	6.2 Definition and functions of Money.	2	
		6.3 Origins of Money including Gresham's Law.	3	
		6.4. Money Creation, Models of Banking – ratios approach and competitive banking system, money supply and competitive banking.	3	
		6.5 Money and Relative Values — money as a veil, neutrality of money, money illusion, real and monetary effects and price level changes.	2	
		Unit7: Inflation		
		7.1. Definition and measurement of Inflation rate – CPI and GNP Deflator.	2	
		7.2 Index-number problems in measuring the cost of living	2	
		7.3. Types of Inflation		

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		 Moderate inflation, Galloping Inflation and hyperinflation. 7.4 Impact of Inflation redistribution of Income and Wealth and distortions on output and prices. 	2
		7.5 Correcting economic variables from inflationary effects.	2
	Paper-II-B	Unit1: Introduction to Functions and Graph	
	Mathematics for Economic	Unit2: Derivatives and its uses in single-variable calculus 2.1 Use of first derivatives for	6
		graphing, second derivatives and curvature 2.2 Maxima and minima (local and	3
		global) 2.3 Concepts of average and marginal change, and elasticity	3
		Unit3: Functions of several variables 3.1 Level curves 3.2 Partial derivatives, second order derivatives and use of chain rule, convexity of	3 3
		level curves 3.3 Monotonic transformation, homogeneous function, Euler's theorem	3
		Unit6: Difference Equations	

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		6.1 Linear first-order difference equation and their solution 6.2 Linear second-order difference equation and their solution	5	
	PART-I (Gen) Paper-IB Macroeconomics- I	Unit1:National Income Accounting 1.1. National Income Concepts: Distinction between Goss Domestic Product, Net Domestic Product and Net National Product 1.2. Different Methods of Measuring National Income.	4	
			2	
		Unit2: Money and Banking 2.1 Concept and Functions of Money- Value of Money- Money supply — components of money supply (M1, M2, etc) 2.2 Quantity Theory of Money: Fisher's Version and Cambridge Version 2.3 Banking: Functions of Commercial Banks: Credit Creation	4 4	
July 2016 to March	PART-II	Unit3: Market		May 2017
2017	(Hons)	Structure	7	
	Paper-IIIA Microeconomics	Monopolistic competition – short run and long run equilibrium, excess capacity.		
		Oligopoly – Oligopoly		

	equilibrium as Nash equilibrium, Cournot and Stackelberg Model, Competition versus collusion – the Prisoners' Dilemma.	10	
Paper-IVA Development The	Unit 7: Environment and development 7.1 Development and Environmental – an overview.	2	
PART-II (Gen Paper-IIA Macroeconomic	Unit1: National Income Accounting 1.1. National Income Concepts:	5	
	Unit2 : Money and Banking		

July 2016 to March 2017	PART III (Hons)	Unit7: Development policies and role of the state		April 2017
	Paper -VIA Comparative Development Experience	7.1 Nature of Development planning, Rationale for development planning.	3	
		7.2 Washington Consensus, New Consensus and the State	3	
		Unit8 : Some Recent Development Experiences	4	
		(i) China, (ii) Africa (iii) Argentina.		
	Paper-VIB	Unit1:Economic Reform in India Since 1991		
	Contemporary Economic Issues: India and West Bengal	1.1. Background of Indian Economic Reforms	4	
	Group-A	1.2 Industrial Policy, Disinvestment policy and Privatization.	4	
		1.3 Financial sector reforms including banking reform.	4	
		1.4 Fiscal Policy Reform – tax reform, debt management, FRBM act and subsidies	4	
		1.5 External sector reforms: Foreign Exchange market, balance of payments, reform, convertibility, export-import policy, foreign direct investment.	4	
1		Unit2: Agriculture,		

	PART-III (Gen) Paper- IVA Development Economics	Agricultural Performance and its Crisis. 2.2 Poverty and exclusion, NREGA, social security for unorganized workers and forest policy Unit4:Foreign Investment: Different forms -Their roles in Economic Development. Role of IMF & World Bank in economic development of the LDCS. Unit 5: Gender Related Issues.	4	
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July 2016 to March 2017	PART -1 (Hons) IA	Unit 2: Market and Adjustments 2.1 The Evolution of Market	3	June 2017

	The Concepts of 3
Mark	kets –
2.4 🛭	Different Goods:
Publ	ic goods, Private 3
	ds, Common
	urces and Natural
	opolies
	Market and 3
	petition 2
	equilibrium and
	quilibrium 2
2.7 N	Market Adjustment
with with	out Government
Unit	t 3: Market
	sitivity and
	sticity
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	Importance of
	ticity in Choice-
	isions 2
	Method of
Calc	culation- Arc
Elas	ticity, Point 2
Elas	ticity-definition
	Demand and
	oly Elasticities
	Income and 2
	ss Price Elasticity
	Applications:
	studies of Ec
and	Oil Price, Illegal
Drug	gs
	2
Unite	4: Government
Inter	rvention
4.1 T	he Economic Role
of Go	overnment with
respe	ect to Market:(i)
I	e Ceiling, Price
	r and Market 6
	stment (with short
	studies of
	cultural
	inistered price,
	mum wage and
	control); (ii) Black
	ket (iii) Tax and
	ket adjustment;
	Elasticity and Tax lence.

	PART-I (Gen) IA Microeconomics- I	Unit1:Economics and Microeconomics 1.1 What is economics? Branches of Economics. What is microeconomics? 1.2 Economic agents and their activities as consumer, producer, investor.Concepts of demand and supply, and markets	2	
		Unit2:Demand and Consumer Behaviour 2.1 What is demand? Law of Demand - Demand curve and its foundation in consumer behaviour 2.2 Utility Approach: Total and Marginal Utility-Law of Diminishing Marginal Utility Relation between Law of Demand and Law of Diminishing Marginal Utility. 2.3 Indifference Curve Approach: 2.4 Elasticity of Demand	2 2 6 3	
		Unit3: Producer's Behaviour 3.1 Concept of production 3.2 Production technology and production Function 3.3 Cost of Production 3.4 Revenue	3 4 4 3	
July 2016 to March 2017	PART-II (Hons)	Unit 2: Production and Costs 2.1 Technology – general concept of	6	May 2017

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	Paper-IIIA	Production Function	
	Microeconomics	2.2 m 2	
		2.2 Types of	
		production functions-	5
		Cobb-Douglas,	
		fixed-coefficient and	
		CES functions	
		2.3 Cost structure	
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		Unit1: Concepts and	
		measures of	
		development	
		1.1 Nature, Questions	
	Paper-IVA	and Values of	2
	_	Development,	
1	Development	Meanings of	
·	Theory	development –	
		economic growth,	
		redistribution from	
		growth and	
		capabilities approach	
		to development,	
		Objectives of	
		development.	
		1.2 Measures of	
		development –	
		Purchasing power	3
		parity and Per capita	
		income as an index of	
		development,	
		difference between	
		growth and	
		development, human	
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