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TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2023

COMMERCE

(5th Semester)

Course No. : COMGE-501T

(Principles of Microeconomics)

Full Marks : 70 Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

Answer *twenty* questions, selecting *four* from each Unit : 1×20=20

Unit—I

- 1. What is derived demand?
- 2. Name two factors influencing elasticity of demand.

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- **3.** Define elasticity of supply.
- 4. What is complementary good?
- 5. What do you mean by supply schedule?

Unit—II

- **6.** Who introduced the concept of indifference curve?
- 7. Write down the budget equation.
- 8. Define price consumption curve.
- 9. Mention two criticisms of law of demand.
- 10. Define utility.

UNIT-III

- **11.** Define production.
- **12.** Give one example of short-run production function.
- **13.** Define implicit cost.
- 14. Can there be some fixed costs in the long run?
- 15. When total production becomes maximum?

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Unit—IV

- **16.** Who introduced the concept of monopolistic competition?
- 17. What do you mean by dead weight loss in monopoly?
- **18.** Define normal profit.
- **19.** Name the demand curve of firm under perfect competition.
- 20. Define long run.

UNIT-V

- 21. What do you mean by factor pricing?
- 22. Define marginal land.
- 23. What is subsistence wage?
- 24. What is quasi-rent?
- **25.** Mention the name of remuneration of the factors of production.

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SECTION-B

Answer five questions, selecting one from each Unit : 2×5=10

Unit—I

- 26. Mention two assumptions of law of supply.
- 27. State the law of demand.

Unit—II

- **28.** Why is indifference curve downward sloping?
- 29. Define marginal utility. Give one example.

Unit—III

- **30.** What is the difference between economies and diseconomies of scale?
- 31. Explain why isoquant is downward sloping.

UNIT-IV

32. What is the difference between collusive and non-collusive oligopoly?

33. Why is AR=MR under perfect competition?

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UNIT-V

- **34.** Explain the difference between functional distribution and personal distribution of income.
- **35.** Mention two criticisms of Ricardian theory of rent.

SECTION-C

Answer *five* questions, selecting *one* from each Unit : 8×5=40

Unit—I

- 36. What is market equilibrium? Discuss the concept of market equilibrium with suitable diagram. 2+6=8
- 37. Mention two determinants of supply. Explain the concept of movement along and shift in supply with suitable diagram. 2+6=8

Unit—II

- **38.** Discuss the concept of income effect with suitable diagram. 8
- **39.** Explain the concept of market equilibrium with market demand and supply.

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Unit—III

- 40. Discuss the law of returns to scale with the help of schedule and diagram.8
- **41.** Explain the important factors influencing diseconomies of scale. Give one example of diseconomies of scale. 6+2=8

Unit—-IV

- **42.** Define monopoly. Discuss the important features of monopoly market. 2+6=8
- **43.** Discuss the long-run supply curve of an industry under increasing cost condition. 8

UNIT-----V

- **44.** What do you mean by supply of factor? Explain the important factors influence the supply of factor. 2+6=8
- **45.** Discuss the modern theory of wages with the help of suitable diagram. 8

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