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# INTEGRATED M A PROGRAMME IN SOCIAL SCIENCES - ECONOMICS EXAMINATION, MARCH 2022 / 2021

#### (2020 & 2021 Admission Regular)

## SEMESTER II - CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS) EC02C05IM20 - MICROECONOMICS - II

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weight: 30

#### Part A

#### I. Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 1 weight

(8x1=8)

- 1. Define Perfect Competition.
- 2. What is Increasing cost industry?
- 3. Define Kinked Demand Curve.
- 4. Define Consumer Surplus.
- 5. Define Limit Pricing.
- 6. Define Variable cost pricing.
- 7. Define Gross interest.
- 8. Define Wage Differentials.
- 9. Define Edgeworth box.
- 10. Define Pareto efficiency in distribution.

#### Part B

### II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 2 weight

(6x2=12)

- 11. State the assumptions of perfect competition.
- 12. Explain the concept of excess capacity under monopolistic competition.
- 13. Explain Bain's limit pricing principle.
- 14. Difference between Markup pricing and Break-even pricing.
- 15. Explain the dynamic theory of profit.
- 16. State Eulers theorem.
- 17. Explain the important features of Walrasian equilibrium.
- 18. Difference between pareto efficiency and pareto improvement.

#### Part C

#### III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 5 weight

(2x5=10)

- 19. Explain the three cases of long run industry supply curve under perfect competition.
- 20. Explain in detail about the effects of government interventions in the market system.
- 21. Explain Schumpeter's innovation theory of profit
- 22. Describe general equilibrium of production, exchange and product mix in detail.