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# BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2025

### 2023 ADMISSIONS SUPPLEMENTARY

## SEMESTER II - CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS )

#### EC2C02B23 - Micro Economic Analysis

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

#### Part A

#### I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

- 1. Define Sunk Cost.
- 2. What do you mean by Cost of Production?
- 3. Why does the demand curve of a monopolist slope downward?
- 4. Comment on long-run profit maximisation of a monopolist.
- 5. Define bilateral monopoly.
- 6. What is barometric price leadership?
- 7. Explain the problem of adverse selection.
- 8. Explain the new cost introduced by Chamberlin.
- 9. What is precautionary motive of demand for money?
- 10. Differentiate gross and net interest.
- 11. What do you mean by Pareto Optimality Criterion?
- 12. Explain Edgeworth Box with a Diagram.

### Part B

## II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

- 13. Why LAC curve is referred as envelope curve?
- 14. What are the different forms of dumping?
- 15. What are the assumptions of perfect competition?
- 16. Diagrammatically explain the equilibrium with price competition under monopolistic competition.
- 17. Explain the main features of monopolistic competition.
- 18. Discuss the effect of labour unions on wages.
- 19. Explain the reasons for interest rate differential
- 20. Discuss the conditions for Pareto optimality.
- 21. Explain Bergson- Samuelson Social Welfare function.

#### Part C

### ill. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

- 22. Analyse Modern Cost theory with diagram.
- 23. Use appropriate diagrams to illustrate short-run equilibrium of perfect competition by MC-MR approach and TC-TR approach.
- 24. Explain the monopolistic competition and the methods of equilibrium determination.
- 25. Explain the different theories of interest.