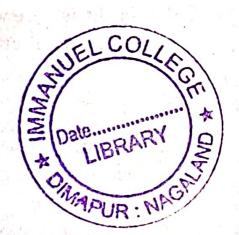
2025

(FYUGP)

(4th Semester)

ECONOMICS (MAJOR)

Paper: EC4.CC7



(Intermediate Microeconomics—II.)

Full Marks: 75
Pass Marks: 40%

Time: 3 hours

The questions are of equal value

Answer one question from each Unit

UNIT-I

- 1. Define the concept of economic rent. How is rent determined according to Ricardian theory?
- 2. Discuss how modern theory of wages differ from marginal productivity theory of wages.

UNIT-II

3. Profit is a dynamic surplus. Discuss.



4. Profit is a reward for risk-bearing innovation or a result of monopoly power. Comment.

UNIT-III

- 5. Discuss the nature and scope of welfare economics.
- 6. What is social welfare function? How does the use of social welfare function solve the problem of Pareto's value-free criterion of social welfare?

UNIT-IV

- 7. What is monopoly? Explain the process of price determination under monopoly.
- 8. Explain and illustrate how a firm in monopolistic competition attain equilibrium.

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UNIT-V

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- 9. What is meant by externalities? How does existence of externalities affect efficient allocation of resources?
- 10. What is the efficiency condition for the production of a commodity? Illustrate and explain efficient production of a public good.

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