2018

ECONOMICS

ECO: 3.1

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

Full Marks: 80 Time: 3 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer the following questions.

2x4 = 8

- a. Integration: what and why?
- b. What were the immediate causes for Britain's exit from EURO?
- c. What is floating exchange rate mechanism?
- d. What is gold standard?

2. Answer the following questions.

5x4=20

- a. What were the agreements on agriculture between WTO and Agriculture.
- b. What are the special provisions made for LDC countries and Why?
- c. Outline the economics of International Monetary system.
- d. What are the static gains from trade?

3. Answer any two (2) of the following questions.

10x2 = 20

- a. Analyse the impact of capital-saving technical progress upon trade.
- b. Explain the different exchange rate mechanisms.
- c. Explain the dynamics of BOP adjustments.
- d. Discuss the imitation gap model.

4. Answer the following questions.

16x2 = 32

a. What are the factors that govern the elasticity of demand for the Cartels? Narrate the importance of each factor. How is the optimal price calculated? (2+6+8)

OR

- b. State and explain Rybczynski theorem.
- c. Discuss the effects of import quotas on price, production, consumption, government revenue and redistribution under partial equilibrium.

OR

d. Explain how economic growth may be immiserizing for a small country in presence of tariff protection.
