2017 ECONOMICS PAPER: EOC 3.1

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

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Time: 3 hours

{ The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the question.}

1. Answer the following questions.

2x4 = 8

- a. What is Export Tax?
- b. What are Cartels?
- c. What is a customs union?
- d. What is a managed flexibility exchange rate mechanism?
- 2. Answer the following questions.

5x4 = 20

- a. Write a note on SEZ.
- b. What is a optimum currency area?
- c. Explain in short the fixed but adjustable exchange rate mechanism.
- d. Discuss the main issues related to Britain's Exit from the European Union.
- 3. Answer the following questions.(Any two)

10x2 = 20

- a. Discuss the Imitation gap theory.
- b. Explain the importance of Export subsidy in context with Make in India concept.
- c. Explain Rebczynski theorem with its assumptions.
- d. Explain immiserising growth put forwarded by Jagdish Bhagwat.
- 4. Answer the following questions.

16x2=32

a. Explain the theory of Heckscher-Ohlin trade theory with its as sumptions. Is it an improvement over the Ricardian theory of In ternational trade?

12+4=16

OR

b. Explain the Stopler-Samuelson theorem of international trade. Explain that it is an extension of Heckscher-Ohlin trade theory.

13+3=16

c. What is optimum tariff? Explain the optimum tariff rate formula for a country for determining the improvements in terms of trade which is consistent for maximization of welfare for a country.

2+14=16

OR

d. Discuss the various effects of tariff under partial equilibrium analysis for a small country case.
