SYBBA (CA) Sem - III

International Economics and Business

Unit 1: Introduction to International Economics

- 1.1 Meaning, Nature, and Scope of International Economics
- 1.2 Inter-regional and International Trade
- 1.3 Trade as an engine of Economic Growth
- 1.4 Case studies on international trade

Unit 2: Globalization and International Business

- 2.1 Historical Perspective and Factors Influencing Globalization of Business
- 2.2 Concept of International Business
- 2.3 Factors Affecting International Business
- 2.4 Current Trends in International Business
- 2.5 Case studies on process of globalisation of countries

Unit 3: Theories of International Trade

- 3.1 Comparative Advantage Theory
- 3.2 Factor Endowment Theory
- 3.3 International Product Life Cycle Theory
- 3.4 Implications of Trade Theories
- 3.5 Case studies of international theories and real world

Unit 4: International Trade Patterns and Multinational Enterprises

- 4.1 Balance of Payments
- 4.2 Overview of World Trade
- 4.3 India's Foreign Trade
- 4.4 Concept and Types of MNCs
- 4.5 Factors Contributing to the Growth of MNCs
- 4.6 Case studies of Indian MNCs

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- 1. International Economics, Francis Cherunilam, Tata McGrawHill 1999
- 2. International Economics, Salvatore D.L., Prentice Hall7th Edn.2001
- 3. International Business, Rakesh Mohan, Oxford Publications.
- 4. International Trade and Finance, Directorate of Distance Education, Pondicherry University.
- 5. International Business Environment, P. Subba Rao, Himalaya Publishing House, 2008

SYBBA (CA) Sem - IV

International Trade and Finance

Unit 1: Trade Policy

- 1.1 Free Trade Policy: Meaning, Case for and against Free Trade Policy
- 1.2 Protection Policy: Meaning, Case for and against Protection Policy
- 1.3 Tariffs and quotas, Impact of tariff and quota under partial equilibrium analysis
- 1.4 Non-tariff barriers
- 1.5 Case studies on Tariffs and Protection

Unit 2: Foreign Exchange Market

- 2.1 Foreign Exchange rate determination, Factors affecting Foreign Exchange rate.
- 2.2 Exchange rate systems—Fixed and Flexible exchange rates, Managed Floating systems.
- 2.3 FERA and FEMA, Convertibility of Rupee
- 2.4 Forward rate, Spot rate- Speculation and arbitrage, currency swaps, future, and options

Unit 3: International Investments

- 3.1 Foreign Direct Investment (FDI): Types, benefits, and costs of FDI, the present position of FDI in India
- 3.2 Foreign portfolio investment (FPI) FII investment: risks and returns of international portfolio investment.
- 3.3 Risks involved in international investment decisions currency risk political risk inflation risk country risk.

Unit 4: Multi-Lateral Agreements & International Institutions

- 4.1 Economic Integration NAFTA, EU, SAARC, ASEAN, BRICS, OPEC
- 4.2 International Institutions—IMF, World Bank, Asian Development Bank

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- 2. International Trade and International Finance, Malabika Roy & Saikat Sinha Roy, Springer Nature, 2016.
- 3. International Trade and Finance Edited by Dr. Pavitra Parkash Singh, Publications for Lovely Professional University
- 4. International Business Environment, P. Subba Rao, Himalaya Publishing House, 2008