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Second Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. - OBE - Supplementary/ Improvement) Examination, April 2025 (2019 to 2023 Admissions)

CORE COURSE IN ECONOMICS/DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS 2B02ECO/DEVECO : Micro Economic Analysis – II

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

#### PART - A

Answer all questions. Each question carries one mark.

 $(6 \times 1 = 6)$ 

- 1. Define marginal revenue.
- What is price discrimination?
- 3. Define Pareto optimality.
- 4. What is total physical product?
- 5. Mention two ways of regulating monopoly.
- 6. What is a cartel?

### PART - B

Answer any six questions. Each question carries two marks.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12)$ 

- 7. What is price leadership?
- Define marginal revenue product.
- 9. What is Lerner index?
- Define collusive oligopoly.
- 11. What is monopsony market?
- 12. What do you mean by the wage fund theory?
- 13. What is the dynamic theory of profit?
- 14. List out the examples of oligopoly industries of Indian markets.

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## PART - C

Answer any four questions. Each question carries three marks.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12)$ 

- 15. Explain the nature of AR, MR and demand curves in the perfect competition.
- 16. Explain the long run equilibrium of industry in the perfect competition.
- Discuss the nature of average and marginal revenue curves of a monopolist.
- Explain different types of dumping.
- 19. Explain the classical theory of interest.
- Discuss the product exhaustion theorem.

# PART - D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries five marks. 21. Explain the characteristics of oligopoly. Discuss the price rigidity in oligopoly

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$ 

- with kinked demand model. 22. Define price discrimination. Discuss different degrees of price discriminations.
- Explain the marginal productivity theory of distribution.
- 24. Discuss the short run and long run equilibrium in the monopolistic competition.