



BHARATHIDASAN UNIVERSITY, TIRUCHIRAPPALLI 620 024

B.A ECONOMICS Syllabus under CBCS

(Applicable to the candidates admitted from the academic year 2016 -2017 onwards)

Sem	Part	Course	Ins. Hrs	Credit	Exam Hours	Marks		Total
						Int.	Ext.	
I	I	Language Course – I (LC) – Tamil*/Other Languages +#	6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course - I (ELC)	6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – I (CC) Micro Economics-I	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – II (CC) Tamil Nadu Economy	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Allied Course –I (AC) Principles of Commerce	4	3	3	25	75	100
	IV	Value Education	2	2	3	25	75	100
	Total			30	21	--	--	--
II	I	Language Course – II (LC) - Tamil*/Other Languages +#	6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course – II (ELC)	6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – III(CC) Micro Economics- II	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – IV (CC) Indian Economic Development	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Allied Course – II (AC) Marketing	4	3	3	25	75	100
	IV	Environmental Studies	2	2	3	25	75	100
Total			30	21	--	--	--	600

III	I	Language Course – III (LC) Tamil*/Other Languages +#	6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course - III (ELC)	6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – V (CC) Macro Economics -I	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – VI (CC) Money and Banking	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Allied Course – III(AC) Economic Statistics	4	3	3	25	75	100
	IV	Non Major Elective I – for those who studied Tamil under Part I a) Basic Tamil for other language students b) Special Tamil for those who studied Tamil upto 10 th +2 but opt for other languages in degree programme c) Advertisement Management	2	2	3	25	75	100
	Total		30	21	--	--	--	600
IV	I	Language Course –IV (LC) Tamil*/Other Languages +#	6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course – IV (ELC)	6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – VII (CC) – Macro Economics -II	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course - VIII (CC)- Monetary Economics	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Allied Course – IV (AC) Statistical Methods	4	3	3	25	75	100
	IV	Non Major Elective II – for those who studied Tamil under Part I a) Basic Tamil for other language students b) Special Tamil for those who studied Tamil upto 10 th +2 but opt for other languages in degree programme c) Economics of Transportation	2	2	3	25	75	100
	IV	Skill Based Elective I	2	2	3	25	75	100
Total		30	23	--	--	--	700	

V	III	Core Course – IX (CC) Public Finance	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – X (CC) Economics of Growth and Development	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – XI (CC) International Economics	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – XII (CC) History of Economic Thought	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Major Based Elective – I Capital Market	4	3	3	25	75	100
	IV	Skill Based Elective – II	2	2	3	25	75	100
	IV	Skill Based Elective – III	2	2	3	25	75	100
		Soft Skills Development	2	2	3	25	75	100
		Total	30	29	--	--	--	800
VI	III	Core Course – XIII (CC) Agricultural Economics	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – XIV (CC) Human Resource Management	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – XV (CC) Environmental Economics	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Major Based Elective II Entrepreneurship Development	5	4	3	25	75	100
		Major Based Elective III Economics of Insurance	6	4	3	25	75	100
	V	Extension Activities	-	1	-	-	-	-
	V	Gender Studies	1	1	3	25	75	100
		Total	30	25	-	-	-	600
		Grand Total	180	140	-	-	-	3900

Language Part – I	-	4
English Part –II	-	4
Core Paper	-	15
Allied Paper	-	4
Non-Major Elective	-	2
Skill Based Elective	-	3
Major Based Elective	-	3
Environmental Studies	-	1
Value Education	-	1
Soft Skill Development	-	1
Gender Studies	-	1
Extension Activities	-	1 (Credit only)

* for those who studied Tamil upto 10th +2 (Regular Stream)

+ Syllabus for other Languages should be on par with Tamil at degree level

those who studied Tamil upto 10th +2 but opt for other languages in degree level under Part I should study special Tamil in Part IV

** Extension Activities shall be out side instruction hours

Non Major Elective I & II – for those who studied Tamil under Part I

- Basic Tamil I & II for other language students
- Special Tamil I & II for those who studied Tamil upto 10th or +2 but opt for other languages in degree programme

Note:

1. Theory Internal 25 marks External 75 marks

2. Separate passing minimum is prescribed for Internal and External

- The passing minimum for CIA shall be 40% out of 25 marks (i.e. 10 marks)
- The passing minimum for University Examinations shall be 40% out of 75 marks (i.e. 30 marks)

CORE COURSE II TAMIL NADU ECONOMY

Objective : To expose the students to the basics of Tamil Nadu economy.

Module I : A Profile of the Tamil Nadu Economy

Tamil Nadu – Salient Features- Land Area – Distribution of occupational structure in Tamil Nadu – population of Tamil Nadu – Land use – Livestock – Forest resources – Human Resources – Infrastructure: Rural – Urban Education, Health, Banking, Power, Transport and Communication.

Module II : Agricultural Development

Agriculture – Land use – Cropping pattern – Principal Commodities – Irrigation – Green Revolution, Blue and White Revolution – Agricultural Marketing – Defects, remedial measures – Animal husbandry and fisheries – Agricultural Finance – Agencies – Government role – Self Help Groups and Microfinance.

Module III : Industrial Development

Major Industries – Automobile, leather, cotton, sugar, cement, software – MSME, Cottage industries – Ancillary industries – Handloom industries – Tamil Nadu Government's role in industrial development – Industrial Financial Institutions – TIIC, SIDCO, SIPCOT, Industrial Estate, DIC, EPZ, SPZ, SEZ (Export Processing Zone, Special Processing Zone, Special Economic Zone).

Module IV : State Finance & Development Programmes

State Finance – Revenue and Expenditure of the State – Tamil Nadu's Recent Budget – Poverty Alleviation Programmes in Tamil Nadu – Healthcare and other Government Schemes – Unemployment Problem – **Women Development Programmes.**

Module V : General Performance of the State

Tourism Development in Tamil Nadu – Ports – Trade – Commerce – Role of Local bodies – Industrial sector and its role – Science & Technology – Environmental Protective measures in Tamil Nadu.

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3. Perumalsamy, S.(1990), Economic Development of Tamil Nadu, S.Chand &Co. Ltd, New Delhi.

CORE COURSE XIV
HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Objective : To make the students understand the Human capital effectively utilized for the growth of Indian Economic Development.

Module I : Approaches to Human Capital

Evolution of the Concept of Human Capital- Meaning- Nature – Significance – Schultz’s Approach- Becker’s Theory.

Module II : Methods of Human Capital Formation

Education and Economic Growth- Health and Nutrition – Information about Job Market – Elimination of Social Discrimination- Brain Drain Development Indicators.

Module III : Human Resource Planning

Meaning-Objectives- Need-Process- Benefits- Problems.

Module IV : Gender Issues

Role of Women in Economic Development - Gender and Inequality – Gender Disparities in Education, Occupation and Earnings - Development of Women Entrepreneurship in India.

Module V : Population and Development

Work Participation Rate – Male & Female Work Participation Rate – Decadal Variations – Human Development Index in India.

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2. Mira,S.& Saiyandain(2009), Human Resources Management, McGraw –Hill Education Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
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4. Jaysankar,J.(2013), Human Resource Management, Margham Publications, Chennai.
5. Aswathappa,K. (2009), Human Resource Management, Tata McGraw –Hill Publishing Company Ltd, New Delhi.
6. Ruddar Datt,K.P.M. Sundharam. (2004), Indian Economy, Shultan Chand & Company Ltd, New Delhi.

MAJOR BASED ELECTIVE COURSE-II ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Objective: To enable the students to have a thorough knowledge about the Scope of Entrepreneurship in India.

Module I Definition and Scope of Entrepreneurship

Definition- Scope –Significance of Entrepreneurship- Functions of an Entrepreneur – Characteristics- Types- Theories of Entrepreneurship.

Module II Micro, Small, Medium and Large Scale Industries

Micro, Small, Medium and Large Scale Industries and their Significance – Problems – Industrial Policy on Small Scale Industries- **Women Entrepreneurship** – Concept – Growth- Problems- Prospects and Development Scheme – SHGs and Micro Finance.

Module III Promotional Agencies

Promotional Agencies – NSIC, TIIIC, SIDCO, SIPCOT, District Industrial Centres- Industrial Estates – Industrial Service Institute.

Module IV Cost and Price

Cost and Price – Methods of Cost Estimation – Cost Control- Pricing Methods – Price Policy- Full Cost Pricing- Legislative Control over prices- Packed Commodities Regulation Act.

Module V Project Preparation and Evaluation

Project Preparation and Evaluation- Break Even Analysis: Concept- Features- Assumptions- Graphical Analysis – Importance and Limitations.

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1. Sangram Keshari Mohanty(2006), Fundamentals of Entrepreneurship, Prentice, Hall of India Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
2. Khanaka, S.S. (2009), Entrepreneurial Development, Sultan Chand & Sons –New Delhi.
3. Jayshree Suresh, (2013), Entrepreneurial Development, Margham Publications, New Delhi.
4. Vasanthagopal, R. & Santha, S. (2008), Women Entrepreneurship in India, New Century Publications, New Delhi.
5. Dr. C.B.Gupta & Dr. N.P.Srinivasan (2010), Entrepreneurial Development in India, Sultan Chand & Sons, New Delhi.
6. Bose, S.(2013), Self- Help Groups and Rural Development, MJP Publishers, Chennai.
7. Jasmer Singh Saini,(2009), Entrepreneurship Development, Deep and Deep Publications Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
8. Anil Kumar., Poornima, S.C., Mani, K. Abraham and Jayashree,K.(2009), Entrepreneurship Development, New Age International Publishers, New Delhi.

CORE COURSE XV
ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

Objective: To make the students understand the Nature and Scope of Environomics in India.

Module I : Definition and Scope of Environomics

Definition and Scope of Environomics – Concepts and other Theories – Relationship with other sciences – Problems in Pollution – Approaches in Environomics- Environment and Economics - Natural Resources- Conservation of Natural Resources – Green House Effect – Ozone Depletion- Acid Rain- Tragedy of Commons.

Module II : Welfare Economics and Environomics

Welfare Economics and Environomics – Pareto Theory – Other effects- Environment quality as public good- Optimum Theory – Private and Social cost- Problem of Second cost- Population Menace and Degradation of Environment quality – Urbanisation-Land Use – Air and Water pollution- Noise Pollution.

Module III : Economic Development and Quality of Environment

Economic Development and Quality of Environment- Environmental Issues in Developed and Developing Countries – Uses of Resources – Environmental Protection Laws- Environmental Education in Curriculum.

Module IV : Cost Benefit Analysis

Cost Benefit Analysis – Environmental cost of Economic growth – Limits to growth – Pollution cost distribution- Effects- Plans – Total and Marginal Benefits of Pollution Control – Efficiency in Pollution- Pollution Control Boards.

Module V: Measures of Pollution Control

Measures of Pollution Control – Fiscal and Direct control measures – Taxes and Subsidies- Pollution Control Methods – Government Investment Programmes- Pollution Permits- Global Issues in Environmental Quality- Role of Government Voluntary and Consumer organization – Treaties and Agreements at Global Level.