

# Doon University, Dehradun Final Examination, December, 2017 School of Social Science

M.Sc Semester-7<sup>th</sup>/M.A. Semester-I<sup>st</sup> (Economics) Course Code- SSEI-510/SSE-510

Course Title-Advanced Microeconomics-I/Microeconomics-I

Time Allowed: 3hrs

Maximum Marks:50

#### Section - A

### Attempt All questions

Marks:4x3= 12

- Q.1 Explain the following:-
  - (a) Expansion path
  - (b) Elasticity of substitution in CES production Function
  - (c) Nature of Indifference curve
  - (d) Degrees of price discrimination

#### Section - B

## Attempt Any Three questions.

Marks: 3x6=18

- Q.2 Elucidate the relationship between Short-Run Average Cost Curves (SAC) and Long-Run Average Cost Curves (LAC) both in traditional as well as modern approach?
- Q.3 Analyze group equilibrium working under monopolistic competition
  - a) When there is price competition and entry is restricted.
  - b) When new firms entering the industry
- Q.4 How the perfectly competitive firm and industry reach equilibrium in the long run?
- Q.5 In what way is the theory of revealed preference related to ordinal consumer theory.

#### Section - C

## Attempt Any Two questions

Marks:2x10 = 20

- Q.6 Explain how equilibrium can be achieved under Price leadership.
- Q.7 What is Cobb-Douglas production function? Explain any four properties (with proof).
- Q.8 Write short note on the following:-
  - (a) Economic region of production
  - (b) Excess capacity and Reserved capacity