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FOURTH SEMESTER P.G. (CCSS) DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

Economics

ECO 4E 11—INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS

(2022 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 50 Marks

Part A (Multiple Choice Questions)*Answer all questions.**Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. The ownership and control of the firm in the same hand means :
 - (a) Co-operative organization.
 - (b) Corporate firm.
 - (c) Individual proprietorship.
 - (d) Joint stock company.
2. Which efficiency is output maximization from given inputs ?
 - (a) Allocative.
 - (b) Productive.
 - (c) Technical.
 - (d) Social.
3. The author of the book, "The Theory of the growth of the firm" is :
 - (a) R. Marris.
 - (b) J. Dowine.
 - (c) E. Penrose.
 - (d) G.T. Renner.
4. Which city is known as the 'Silicon Valley' of India ?
 - (a) Delhi.
 - (b) Bangalore.
 - (c) Chennai.
 - (d) Mumbai.
5. Which variable is not considered in measuring the size of a firm or plant ?
 - (a) Profits.
 - (b) Asset.
 - (c) Sales.
 - (d) Employment.

(5 × 1 = 5 marks)

Part B (Very Short Answer Questions)*Answer any five questions.**Each question carries 1 mark.**Answer in one or two sentences each.*

6. What is meant by CSR ?
7. What is economic efficiency ?

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8. Write a note on industrial financing.
9. What do you mean by tiny industries ?
10. What is industrial productivity ?
11. What is social cost ?
12. Write a note on industrial policy resolution.
13. What is industrial sickness ?

(5 × 1 = 5 marks)

Part C (Short Answer Questions)

*Answer any **six** questions.
Each question carries 4 marks.*

14. Explain the efficiency conditions in the theory of production.
15. Discuss the different measures of market concentration.
16. Explain the significance of the firm in industrial economics.
17. Explain industrial locational pattern in India.
18. Critically examine the Downie's theory of growth of the firm.
19. Explain the role of primary and secondary capital markets in India.
20. Examine the trends in total factor productivity in India.
21. Explain the factors influencing optimum size of the firm.
22. Examine the growth of private sector industries in India.

(6 × 4 = 24 marks)

Part D (Essay Type Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions.
Each question carries 8 marks.*

23. Explain the significance of social cost benefit analysis in industrial financing and investment decisions.
24. Analyse the extent of market concentration in India.
25. Explain the performance of the public sector enterprises in India.
26. Critically examine the 1991 industrial policy of India.

(2 × 8 = 16 marks)