### SES's L.S.RAHEJA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND COMMERCE

# (AUTONOMOUS)



Syllabus of Microeconomics-II under NEP 2020 for Bachelors of Arts (BA) Major (4 credits) in Sem II

**Department of Economics** 

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Programme: Bachelors of Arts				Semester :	Semester : II	
Course : Microeconomics-II (Major 4 credits)Academic Year: 2024-2025Batch: 2024-2027				Code: UGB	SAIIECOMJ124	
Teaching Scheme Eva			<b>Evaluation Sch</b>	aluation Scheme		
Lectures	Practical	Tutorials	Credits	Internal Continuous Assessment (ICA) (weightage)	Term End Examinations (TEE) (weightage)	
60	Nil	Nil	04	40 marks/40% of the total marks	60 marks/60% of the total marks	

Particulars	%
Class tests / Assignment / Project / Quiz etc. (three components- to be conducted at different instants of time)	40
Class test, Quiz/presentation/Viva-Voce (OR)	20+10+10=40 Marks
Assignment/Project, Quiz and presentation/Viva-Voce	20+10+10=40 Marks

Learning Objectives :	1)To develop understanding of basic
	microeconomic concepts of production, costs
	and revenue.
	2) To make learner aware about difference
	between various market structures through their
	features and equilibrium.
	3) To help learner comprehend various examples
	perfect competition and monopoly as market
	structures in real world and its applications.
	4) To help learner comprehend various examples
	monopolistic competition and oligopoly as
	market structures in real world and its
	applications.
Learning Outcomes :	1) At the end of this course, the learner will be
	able to develop understanding of production,
	costs, revenue and market structures.
	2) At the end of this course, the learner will be
	able to compare the difference between revenue,
	cost and various market structures.
	through their features and equilibrium.
	3) At the end of this course, the learner will be
	able to interpret various examples of market
	structures in real world to theory
	4) At the end of this course, the learner will be
	able to categorize various market structures.
Pedagogy:	ICT Based Pedagogy/ Lecture/ Videos followed by
	discussion/Group work/Case studies/individual
	and group Assignments etc.

Detailed Syllabus: (per session plan)

Module	Module Content	Module Wise Pedagogy Used (only pointers)	Module Wise Duration/ Lectures
Ι	<b>Production Analysis:</b> Production Function: Concept And Types; Concepts of Total, Average and Marginal Product; Isoquant and Producer's Equilibrium- Law of Variable Proportion and Returns to Scale,	ICT Based Pedagogy/ Lecture/ Videos followed by discussion/Group work/Case studies/individual and group Assignments etc.	15
II	Cost and Revenue Analysis: Concepts and types of Costs- Interrelationship; Derivation of Short Run and Long Run Cost Curves; Concepts of Revenue: Types and Interrelationship (numerical problems on Cost and Revenue), Concept Of Equilibrium: TR - TC And MR - MC Approach; Break Even Analysis (with business application)	ICT Based Pedagogy/ Lecture/ Videos followed by discussion/Group work/Case studies/individual and group Assignments etc.	15
III	Introduction to Market structure: Features of Perfect Competition-Equilibrium of firm and industry under Perfect Competition; Monopoly and Measurement of Monopoly Power -Sources of Monopoly Power-Equilibrium of firm and industry under Monopoly- Price Discrimination: Types and Classification of Price Discrimination (Degrees of Price Discrimination) Dumping Case studies of Perfect competition and Monopoly	ICT Based Pedagogy/ Lecture/ Videos followed by discussion/Group work/Case studies/individual and group Assignments etc.	15
IV	Monopolistic Competition and Oligopoly: Monopolistic Competition: Concept and Features, Short Run and Long Run Equilibrium of Firm and Industry under each Market Condition; Wastages under Monopolistic competition. Characteristics of Oligopoly Market - Model of Kinked Demand Curve, Discontinuous MR under oligopoly (Case studies related to Monopolistic Competition, Oligopoly)	ICT Based Pedagogy/ Lecture/ Videos followed by discussion/Group work/Case studies/individual and group Assignments etc.	15

## **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. H.L Ahuja, Principles of Microeconomics, 22e, S Chand Publication.
- 2. Paul A. Samuelson and William D. Nordhaus, Microeconomics, McGraw Hill Education, 19th edition
- 3. Gregory Mankiw, Principles of Economics, South-Western College Publishing; 7th edition December 2013
- 4. Jeffery M Perloff, Microeconomics 7th edition Pearson education 2019
- 5. Robert Pindyck & Daniel Rubinfeld Microeconomics 8th edition, Pearson education

#### **QUESTION PAPER PATTERN (4 credit course)**

# **EXTERNAL EXAM PAPER PATTERN (60 MARKS)** to be implemented under NEP 2020 from Academic Year 2024 -25

- Q.1. Any 2 questions out of 3 on Module 1 (15 marks)
- Q.2. Any 2 questions out of 3 on Module 2 (15 marks)
- Q.3. Any 2 questions out of 3 on Module 3 (15 marks)
- Q.4. Any 2 questions out of 3 on Module 4 (15 marks)

## Rubrics for Evaluation of Internal Continuous Assessment (40 marks) to be implemented under NEP 2020 from Academic Year 2024 -25

Sr No.	Examination Method	Marks	Marking Scheme	Criteria
1	Class Test	20	As per the student's score	MCQ, Short Answers, Diagrams
2	Assignment/ Project	10	Subject knowledge – 10 marks, Content – 06 marks, Presentation- 04 marks	Topic will be given by faculty
3	Presentation	10	Subject knowledge- 06marks, Presentation skills - 04 marks	Poster Presentation, PPT