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# Third Year T.D.C. Arts Paper – II INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

## UNIT - I

Importance of International Economics, Inter-regional and international trade, Theories of International Trade, Theory of Absolute Advantage, Comparative Advantage and Opportunity Cost, Hecksher-Ohlin theory of trade.

### UNIT – I

Gains from Trade – Their measurement and distribution, Trade as an engine of economic growth, Concepts of terms of trade and their importance; Doctrine of reciprocal demand.

# UNIT – III

Foreign Trade Policy – Free trade v/s Protection, Types of Tariffs and Quotas and their impact on Partial Equilibrium analysis.

Concept of Optimum tariff, Dumping and its Impacts Concept of Foreign Trade Multiplier.

## UNIT - IV

Concept and components of Balance of Trade and Balance of Payments, Equilibrium & disequilibrium in Balance of Payments, Consequences of dis-equilibrium in Balance of Payments, Various measures to correct deficit in the Balance of Payments.

Devaluation, Merits, Demerits and limitations, Functions of IMF, World bank and WTO.

#### UNIT - V

Foreign exchange – Meaning, Theories of Determination of Exchange Rate- The Purchasing Power Parity Theory, Modern Theory, The Balance of Payment Theory, Exchange Rate Policy.

Fixed v/s Flexible Exchange Rate, Forward Exchange Rates, Exchange Control- Meaning, Objectives and Methods of Exchange Control.

## **Basic Reading List**

- 1. Jhingar, M.L. International Economics, Vrinda Publications, New Delhi.
- 2. Mithani, D.M. International Trade, Himalaya Publication House, Bombay.
- 3. Barla and Agrawal International Economics, Laxmi Narayan Agarwal, Agra.
- 4. Sodersten, B.C. (1991) International Economics, Macmillan Press, London.
- 5. वैश्य, एम.सी. एवं सुदामा सिंह अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय अर्थशास्त्र, ऑक्सफोर्ड एवं आई.बी.एच. पब्लिशिंग कम्पनी प्रा. लि., नई दिल्ली।
- जय प्रकाश अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय अर्थशास्त्र राधा पब्लिकेशन, नई दिल्ली।
- 7. सिंह, एस.के. अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय अर्थशास्त्र, एस. चन्द एण्ड कम्पनी, नई दिल्ली।
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- 9. बरला एवं अग्रवाल अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय अर्थशास्त्र, लक्ष्मीनारायण अग्रवाल, आगरा।