

Economics (COQP10) [CVET]

Micro Economics:

- Consumer Theory or Behavior: Demand, Utility, Indifference Curve, Revealed Preference Theory, Consumer Surplus
- Production Theory: Production Function, Law of Variable Proportions, Returns to Scale, Cost Function, types and concepts
- Price and Output determination in Market: Perfect and Imperfect Competition (Monopoly, Price Discrimination, Monopolistic, Duopoly and Oligopoly models) General Equilibrium, Efficiency and Welfare: Equilibrium and efficiency under pure exchange and production; overall efficiency and welfare economics, externality

Macro Economics:

- National Income Accounting
- Income and Output Determination: Aggregate Demand and Aggregate Supply, Effective Demand Principle, Classical and Keynesian Theory

Money and Inflation:

- Demand and Supply of Money, Money Multiplier and High-Powered Money, Credit Creation, Role of Reserve Bank of India and Commercial Banks, Quantitative Theories of Money, Philip's Curve
- Monetary and Fiscal Policy of India and its role.

Consumption and Investment Function:

- Permanent, Relative and Life Cycle Hypothesis, determinants of business fixed investment; residential investment and inventory investment, Multiplier and Accelerator
- Open Economy Models: Mundell and Fleming Model (IS, LM and BP curve), Balance of Payments, exchange rate determination, Purchasing Power Parity
- Economic Growth: Harrod-Domra Model, Solow Model

Statistical Methods in Economics:

- Mean, Mode, Median, Dispersion, Skewness, Quartile Deviation, Average Deviation, Standard Deviation
- Correlation
- Simple Regression Model Probability Distribution Sampling

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Mathematical Methods in Economics:

- Sets and Vector
- Functions of one and several real variables Single and Multi-variable optimization
- Integration of functions
- Difference equations
- Determinants Matrix
- Linear Programming Probability
- Differential Equations

Indian Economy:

Overview of colonial economy:

- Macro Trends: National Income; population; occupational structure.
- Agriculture: Agrarian structure and land relations; agricultural markets and institutions – credit, commerce and technology; trends in performance and productivity; famines. Railways and Industry: Railways; the de-industrialization debate; evolution of entrepreneurial and industrial structure; nature of industrialization in the interwar period; constraints to industrial breakthrough; labor relations.
- Economy and State in the Imperial Context
- The imperial priorities and the Indian economy; drain of wealth; international trade, capital.
- Flows and the colonial economy – changes and continuities; government and fiscal policy.
- New Economic Policy:
- Public Economics: Public and Private Goods, Externalities, Budget, Deficits, Public Debt, Fiscal Federalism in India.
- Taxation: its economic effects; dead weight loss and distortion, efficiency and equity considerations, tax incidence, optimal taxation.
- International Trade Theories: Adam Smith, Ricardo, Heckscher-Ohlin model and New Trade Theories

1. If two commodities are complementary, the direction of change of cross elasticity of demand between them will be

(A) Infinity
(B) Negative
(C) Positive
(D) Zero

Handwritten notes:
 cross price demand
 e_{c^2}
 ∴ change in Q^x
 ∴ change in P_y
 $e_c > 0$ (substitute)
 $e_c < 0$ (complementary)

Handwritten notes:
 $\Delta P_y > 0 \Rightarrow \Delta Q^x \downarrow$
 $\Delta P_y < 0 \Rightarrow \Delta Q^x \uparrow$

Diagram:
 $\frac{\Delta Q^x}{\Delta P_y} \cdot \frac{P_y}{Q^x} \approx \frac{\Delta Q^x}{\Delta P_y}$
 substitute: $\otimes \downarrow \otimes \uparrow$

3. The bowed shape of the production possibilities curve illustrates.

Handwritten note: Come to the origin

a) Law of Increasing Marginal Cost
 b) The production is inefficient
 c) The production is unattainable
 d) The demand is relatively elastic

4. Income effect is negative in the case of: -
 Normal goods
 superior goods
 giffen goods

5. If demand curve is more elastic than Marginal revenue will be
 A. positive.
 B. Negative.
 C. Straight line.

6. If two commodities are perfect substitutes, the shape of the indifference curve:
 1. will be a straight line
 2. will a tight angle
 3. will slope downwards
 4. will slope upwards

7. In which market situation, the firm in a particular industry decide to join together as a single unit for the Purpose of maximize their joint profits and to share the market?
 1 Perfect competition
 2 Monopoly
 3 Oligopoly
 4 Monopolistic competition

8. If the income effect is positive for both the goods X and Y, then the income consumption curve will slope:
 1. upward to the right
 2. backward to the left
 3. parallel to X axis
 4. downward to the right

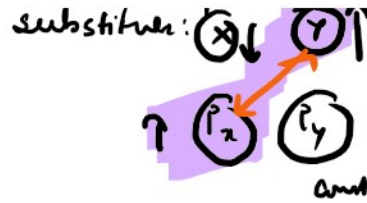
09. In which of the following kind of goods, law of demand does not operate?
 (A) Normal goods
 (B) Giffen goods
 (C) Veblen goods
 (D) both b and c

Q1. arrange these theories into chronological order.
 1. Bertrand model. 2. Edgeworth model
 3. Chamberlin model. 4. Cournot model.
 5. Stackelberg model.
 A. 4, 1, 3, 2, 5.
 B. 4, 1, 2, 5, 3.
 C. 4, 3, 1, 2, 5
 D. 4, 1, 2, 3, 5

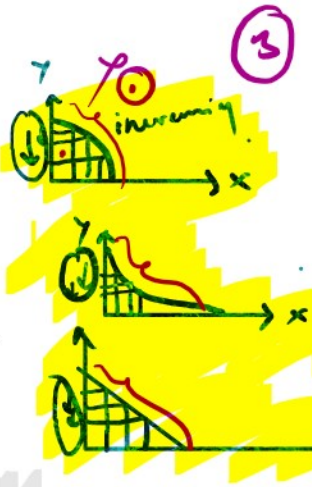
23. Gossens first law.
 A. Law of equi-marginal utility.
 B. Law of diminishing marginal utility.
 C. Law of marginal utility.
 D. Law of demand.

24. Who among the following economists are associated with the concept of Quasi rent ?
 A. Marshal
 J. Robinson
 D. Ricardo
 Answer from the code
 (1) Only I and III
 (2) I and II
 (3) All the three

$e_c < 0$ (complementary)
 $e_c > 0$ } unrelated goods

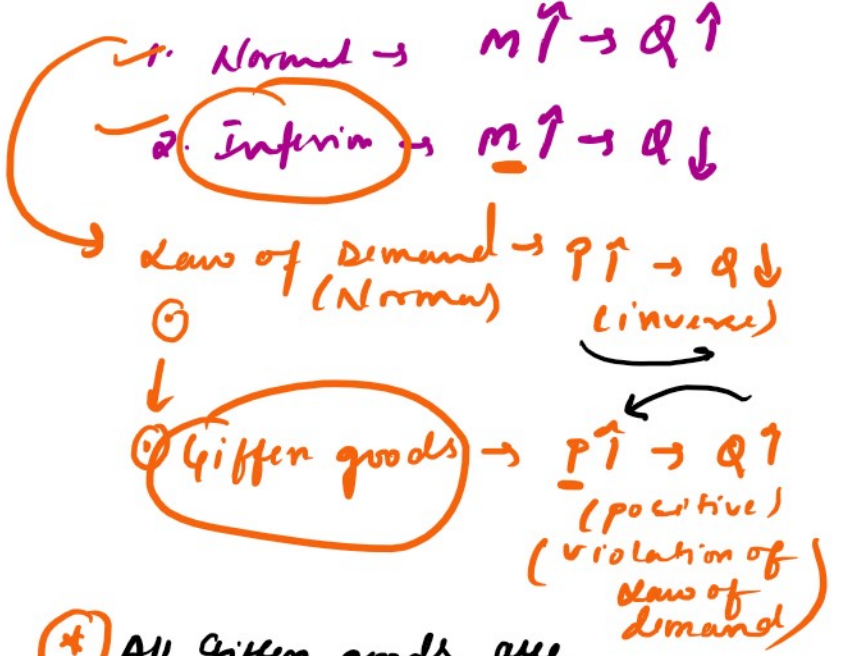


PPC: ① definition
 ② slope \rightarrow opportunity cost (MRT)



③ shapes of PPC
 ① concave \rightarrow increasing opp cost
 ② convex \rightarrow decreasing
 ③ straight \rightarrow const
 ④ efficiency & inefficiency

⑤ Types of Goods



* All Giffen goods are INFERIOR GOODS but vice versa is not true.



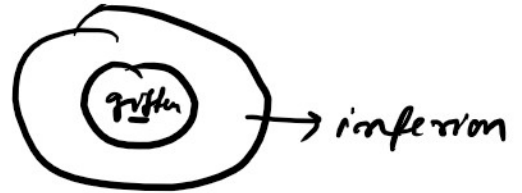
Answer from the code

(1) Only I and III

(2) I and II

(3) All the three

(4) Only III



$$\text{Price effect} = SE + IE$$

① Normal goods \rightarrow $-ve + +ve$
 \hookrightarrow $-ve$ SE is more than $+ve$ IE

$P \uparrow \rightarrow Q \downarrow \therefore$ PE is $-ve$
(Demand downward and)

② Giffen goods $\rightarrow +ve + -ve$

$+ve$ SE $>$ $-ve$ IE
PE is $+ve$
(Demand curve is positive)

③ Inferior goods \rightarrow $-ve + -ve$

PE $\rightarrow -ve$

(Demand curve is negative)

\therefore Normal & Inferior \rightarrow Law of demand holds
Giffen \rightarrow violation.