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B.A Economics Model I,B.A Economics Model II Foreign Trade,B.A Economics Model II Insurance 2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Define Variables.
- 2. Define Quadratic Equations.
- 3. Define Exponent.
- 4. Define Arithmetic Progression.
- 5. Find the second order derivative of the following function: $y = x^3 + 4x^2 + 2x + 3$
- 6. Find the subset of set $S = \{1,3,5,7\}$. Also find the total number of subsets possible.
- 7. Define Venn diagram.
- 8. If $A = \{1,2\}$ and $B = \{a, b\}$. Find A * B
- 9. Define a triangular matrix.
- 10. What are the basic principles of Axiomatic approach of probability?
- 11. State the Multiplication theorem of probability.
- 12. Define partially overlapping events.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

13. One borrows Rs. 20,000 at 12% compound rate of interest. How much money he has to



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pay back at the end of 4 years? Also find the interest for the period.

- 14. Explain the mathematical properties of real numbers.
- 15. Differentiate $y=x(1+x^2)$
- 16. Examine the following functions for its maxima or minima and determine its value $C = 2x^2-12x+40$
- 17. Derive a TR curve from a firm's demand function P= 80- 2x

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$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{\text{and Q=}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{\text{. Then show that PQ not equal to QP}}$$

- 20. Find the probability of drawing an ace or a spade from the pack of cards.
- 21. State the properties of binomial distribution.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. What is meant by differentiation. State the important rules of differentiation.
- 23. The demand function of a monopolist is p=15-2x and the cost function is $c=x^2+2x$ find the
 - 1. marginal cost
 - 2. marginal revenue
 - 3. equlibrium output
 - 4. average cost
 - 5.average cost when output is 4 units
- 24. Solve the system of equation : 12 x- 16 y+20z = -24, 4x+4y-8z = -4 and 8x+12y +4z = 20
- 25. In an intelligence test administered to 1000 students the average score was 42 and SD 24. Find the number of students (a) exceeding a score 50, (b) scoring between 30 and 54. Also find (c) the value exceeded by the top 100.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

