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Part – [A]

(01) Which of the following is consistent with the law of demand?

- (1) A decrease in the price of a litre of milk causes a decrease in the quantity of milk demanded.
- (2) An increase in the price of soda causes a decrease in the quantity of soda demanded.
- (3) An increase in the price of carrots causes an increase in the quantity of carrots demanded.
- (4) A decrease in the price of salt causes no change in the quantity of salt demanded.
- (5) An increase in the price of a medicine causes no change in the quantity demanded.

(02) In a free market economy, the price mechanism:

- (1) Aids government control.
- (2) Allocates resources.
- (3) Reduces unfair competition.
- (4) Measures national wealth.
- (5) Increases competition.

(03) A fall in the price of a good cause producers to reduce the quantity of the good they are willing to produce. This fact illustrates,

- (1) A change in supply
- (2) The law of demand
- (3) The nature of an inferior good.
- (4) The law of supply
- (5) Non-of the above.

(04) As the opportunity cost of a good decreases, people buy,

- (1) More of that good but less of its complements.
- (2) Less of that good and also less of its complements.
- (3) Less of that good but more of its complements.
- (4) More of that good and also more of its complements.
- (5) The same amount of that good but less of the complements.

(05) Navin earned Rs.6,000 a month working part-time, after graduating from university he takes up a full time job where he now earns Rs.50,000 per month. After receiving his first paycheck, he gave away his bicycle and purchased a motor bike. Therefore,

- (1) Bicycles are a normal good for Navin.
- (2) Motor bikes are an inferior good for Navin.
- (3) Motor bikes are a normal good for Navin.
- (4) Navin's supply curve for motor Bikes is upward-sloping.
- (5) Bicycles and motor bikes are complementary goods for Navin.

(06) Each point on the demand curve reflects

- (1) The highest price consumers are willing and able to pay for that particular unit of a good.
- (2) The highest price sellers will accept for all units. They are producing.
- (3) The lowest cost technology available to produce a good.
- (4) All the wants of a given household.
- (5) The lowest price a consumer is willing to pay for a unit of good.

(07) When economists refer to price as a rationing mechanism, they mean that:

- (1) The government can establish a rationing program by setting prices.
- (2) Price clears from the market those who want the good, but can't afford it.
- (3) Most markets have chronic problems with excess demand so rationing is necessary.
- (4) Suppliers ration goods by setting a price demanders can afford.
- (5) Demanders ration their income by choosing only low-priced goods.

(08) The quantity supplied of a good is,

- (1) Equal to the difference between the quantity available and the quantity desired by all consumers and producers.
- (2) The same thing as the quantity demanded at each price.
- (3) The amount that the producers are planning to sell at a particular price during a given time period.
- (4) The amount the firm would sell if it faced no resource constraints.
- (5) The quantity the supplier can produce at full capacity.

(09) If we observe that the price of a product has fallen and the quantity of the product has also fallen, which of the following must have occurred?

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| (1) Demand has shifted to the right. | (4) Supply has shifted to the right. |
| (2) Demand has shifted to the left. | (5) Supply has shifted to the left. |
| (3) None of the above. | |

(10) All of the following are likely to lead an outward shift in the supply curve for a good, except

- (1) The introduction of cost-reducing technology
- (2) An increase in the price of the good
- (3) A decrease in the price of a resource used to make the good
- (4) A decrease in taxes on producers
- (5) A rise in household income

(11) Which of the following influences people's buying plans and causes movements along a demand curve?

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| (1) Preferences | (4) The price of related goods |
| (2) Income | (5) The number of buyers |
| (3) The price of the good | |

(12) Inferior goods are those for which demand increases as

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| (1) Income decreases | (4) The price of a substitute rises |
| (2) Income increases | (5) Population increases |
| (3) The price of a substitute falls | |

(13) The term used to emphasize that making choices in the face of scarcity involves a cost is;

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| (1) Substitution cost. | (4) Accounting cost. |
| (2) Opportunity cost. | (5) Marginal cost |
| (3) Utility cost. | |

(14) Normal goods are those for which demand decreases as

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| (1) The good's own price falls | (4) Income decreases |
| (2) The price of a substitute falls | (5) The good's own price rises |
| (3) The price of a complement falls | |

(15) If a change in the price of a good causes no change in total revenue

- (1) The demand for the good must be elastic.
- (2) The demand for the good must be inelastic.
- (3) The demand for the good must be unit elastic.
- (4) The demand for the good must be perfectly inelastic.
- (5) Buyers must not respond very much to a change in price.

(16) If 100 units of product (K) are sold at a unit price of \$10 and 75 units of product (K) are sold at a unit price of \$15, one can conclude that in this price range:

- (1) Demand for product (K) is elastic.
- (2) Demand for product (K) is inelastic.
- (3) Demand for product (K) has shifted to the right.
- (4) Consumers are sensitive to price changes of product (K).
- (5) Product (K) is an essential product.

(17) If a small percentage increase in the price of a good greatly reduced the quantity demanded for that good, the demand for that good is,

- (1) Income inelastic.
- (2) Price inelastic.
- (3) Price elastic.
- (4) Unit price elastic.
- (5) Income elastic.

(18) If supply increases and demand does not change, then price:

- (1) As well as quantities demanded and supplied will increase.
- (2) Will decrease, and quantity demanded and supplied will increase.
- (3) Will decrease, and quantity demanded and supplied will decrease.
- (4) And quantity demanded remain unchanged.
- (5) Remains unchanged, but both quantities demanded and supplied will decrease.

(19) If the price of a good starts out above the equilibrium price, then

- (1) Consumers will compete to bid the price up.
- (2) Suppliers will compete to bid the price up.
- (3) Suppliers will compete to bid the price down.
- (4) Consumers will compete to bid the price down.
- (5) Producers will hire more labor to produce more of the good.

(20) Sales of good T are currently 10,000 per year, and income elasticity of demand for good T is +1.5. If household income rises by 4%, what will be the new annual sales of good T?

- (1) 10,600
- (2) 10,400
- (3) 9,600
- (4) 9,400
- (5) 9,000

End of Part [A]

Part – [B]**Question [01]**

(A) **Name** ‘five’ features which exist within any society, which lead to the variety of economic systems

(05 marks)

(B) **List** the ‘three’ basic economic systems which have evolved to answer the three fundamental questions faced by all economic systems

(03 marks)**Question [02]**

State the Salient Characteristics of the following economic systems:

(A) Liberal Market Economic System

(B) Command Economic System

(C) Mixed Economic System

(04 marks each)**Question [03]**

(A) What is meant by ‘Consumer Surplus’ **(02 marks)**

(B) Suppose the market demand equation for a given product is $Q_d = 600 - 20P$, estimate the following at the price of Rs. 15.00 per unit.

(1) Total Consumer Surplus **(02 marks)**

(2) Price Elasticity of Demand **(01 mark)**

Question [04]

(A) What is meant by ‘Producer Surplus’ **(02 marks)**

(B) Suppose the market supply equation for a given product is $Q_s = -300 + 20P$, estimate the following at the price of Rs. 30.00 per unit.

(1) Total Producer Surplus **(02 marks)**

(2) Price Elasticity of Supply **(01 mark)**