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SEMESTER – I

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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
Paper Titles and Paper Codes

Semester	Paper Code	Paper Title
I	ECO1101	Indian Economy
II	ECO1201	The History of Economic Thought

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ECO1101 - INDIAN ECONOMY

OBJECTIVES:

The underlying philosophy of the Indian Economics course is to equip the students with a thorough understanding of the various dimensions of the Indian Economy. It will enable them to better understand the pluralistic nature of the Indian Society. In the rapidly evolving market scenario, the need was felt to empower students with the capability to understand the various issues of the Indian economy so that they are able to comprehend and critically appraise current Indian economic problems.

UNIT- 1	<p>Indian Agriculture</p> <p>1.1 Role in development, place in Indian Economy and Main features</p> <p>1.2 Farm size and Efficiency</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.2.1 Meaning and importance</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.2.2 General trend in profitability and productivity</p> <p>1.3 Agricultural Finance</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.3.1 Need for finance</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.3.2 Financial Resource</p> <p>1.4 Agricultural Labour</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.4.1 Meaning and features</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.4.2 Measures for improvement</p> <p>1.5 Agricultural Marketing and Prices</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.5.1 Methods of Agriculture marketing.</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.5.2 Methods of Agriculture Pricing.</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.5.3 Defects & Measures.</p> <p>1.6 Recent issues concerning agriculture in India</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.6.1 Farmer suicide</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">1.6.2 Maharashtra State: Overview state of Economics</p>	13
UNIT - 2	<p>Indian Industry</p> <p>2.1 Role in Development, Place in Indian Economy and Main Features</p> <p>2.2 Industrial Labour</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">2.2.1 Characteristics of Industrial Labour</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">2.2.2 Industrial Dispute- Types and Settlement.</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">2.2.3 Social Security Measures in India.</p>	13

	<p>2.3 Size of Industry 2.3.1 Small Scale, Medium and Large Scale Industries 2.3.2 Growth and Problems</p> <p>2.4 Industrial Policy 2.4.1 Industrial Policy of 1991 2.4.2 Policy Reforms-LPG,SEZ's</p> <p>2.5 Maharashtra Industrial Development Act 1961</p>	
UNIT - 3	<p>Indian Population and Poverty</p> <p>3.1 Population in India Size and Growth Rate</p> <p>3.2 Features and Problems of Indian Population 3.2.1. Sex Composition 3.2.2. Rural Urban Distribution 3.2.3. Age Composition 3.2.4. Density of population 3.2.5. Occupational Distribution</p> <p>3.3. Population Policies 2000 onward</p> <p>3.4. Meaning and Concept of Poverty</p> <p>3.5. Estimation of Poverty</p> <p>3.6. NSO 55th Round</p>	12
UNIT- 4	<p>Indian Public Finance</p> <p>4.1 Indian Tax Structure 4.1.1 Types of Taxes 4.1.2 Tax Reforms</p> <p>4.2 Public Expenditure in India 4.2.1 Growth 4.2.2 Composition 4.2.3 Causes of Growth in Public Expenditure</p> <p>4.3 Public Debt in India 4.3.1 Meaning and Types 4.3.2 Volume of Public Debt</p> <p>4.4 Concept of Deficit Financing</p> <p>4.5 Central-State Financial Relations</p>	12
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SEMESTER - II

ECO1201 - THE HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THOUGHT

OBJECTIVES:

The History of Economic thought course looks to introduce the students to the various existing schools of thought of their progression through in the years. A combination of Indian and International economic thinkers will broaden their view and help them understand evolution of economic thought across the globe.

UNIT- 1	1. Economic Thoughts 1.1 Mercantilism: Views on Trade, Money and Prices 1.2 Physiocracy: Natural Order: Net product and Circulation of wealth Classical Political Economy: 1.3 Adam Smith – Theories of Value and Distribution, and canons of taxation. 1.4 David Ricardo - Theory of Value and views on distribution 1.5 Thomas Malthus – Population Theory 1.6 Mark's theory of surplus value.	13
UNIT- 2	2. Indian Economic Thoughts 2.1 Kautilya, Ranade, N. M. Roy 2.2 Mahatma Phule - Views on agriculture and education. 2.3 Rajarshi Shahu Maharaj - Policy for agricultural development and water management. 2.4 Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar - views on agricultural and development policy. 2.5 Dadabhai Nowroji - Drain Theory. 2.6 Gandhian School of thought.	13
UNIT- 3	3 Economic Thoughts Of Modern Economists 3.1 D.R. Gadgil - views on cooperative development and decentralization of power. 3.2 Amartya Sen - Concept of social choice and welfare. 3.3 Sen's views on poverty and public action	12
UNIT-4	4. Introduction to Theoretical Economics 4.1 Micro Economics 4.1.1 Meaning ,Nature and Scope 4.1.2 Importance and Limitations 4.2 Macro Economics 4.2.1 Meaning ,Nature and Scope 4.2.2 Importance and Limitations 4.3 Comparison between Micro and Macro 4.4 Basic Economic Problems.	12

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12. आंतरराष्ट्रीय अर्थशास्त्र भोसले, काटे, फडके पब्लिकेशन, कोल्हापूर
13. अर्थिक विचारांचा इतिहास, प्रा. रायखेलकर, डॉ. दामज पब्लिकेशन विद्या बुक्स.
14. अर्थिक विचारांचा इतिहास, पटवर्धन, विद्याधर महादेव पब्लिकेशन, नागपूर पिंपळपूरे.