

# ST. ALOYSIUS COLLEGE(AUTONOMOUS), JABALPUR

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# **Faculty of Arts**

SUBJECT: ECONOMICS
M.A. II Semester
Paper – IV

#### **International Economics**

#### **Course Outcomes**

CO. No.	Course Outcomes	Cognitive
		Level
CO 1	Be familiar with the major models of international trade and be able to	R and U
	distinguish between them in terms of their assumptions and economic	
	implications.	
CO 2	The students will understand economists' arguments concerning trade	U and An
	policy and its analysis.	
CO 3	The student will be acquainted with economic concepts and models of	U and E
	international trade.	
CO 4	It will also help to understand the practical aspects such as trade reforms and	R and U
	their impact on India economy.	
CO 5	To analyze the economic effects of policy interventions including tariffs,	An and E
	quotas, anti-dumping duties and the creation of better trading agreements.	

### **Marking Scheme**

	Credits	Marks		Total Marks
Credits		Internal	External	Total Warks
Theory	5	10	40	50
Total	5		50	

### **Evaluation Scheme**

	Marks			
	Internal	External		
Theory	1 Internal Exams of 10 Marks (During the Semester)	1 External Exams (At the End of Semester)		



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### **Content of the Course**

No. of Lectures (in hours per week): 4.5 Hrs. per week
Total No. of Lectures: 56.25 Hrs.

Maximum Marks: 40

Units	Topics	No. of		
		Lecture		
Unit - 1	Distinguishing Features of Inter-regional and International Trade,	15		
	Importance and Scope of International Trade, International Division			
	of Labour and Specialization, Adam Smith's Theory of Absolute			
	Advantage, Ricardian Theory of Comparative Cost and its			
	Application in Underdeveloped Countries.			
Unit – 2	Mill's Theory of Reciprocal Demand, Concept of Offer Curve,	15		
	Explanation of Mill's Concept of Reciprocal Demand with the help of			
	Marshall's Offer Curve, Free Trade v/s Protection, International Trade			
	Equilibrium.			
Unit – 3	Haberler's Theory of Opportunity Cost, International Trade under	15		
	Constant, Increasing and Decreasing Opportunity Cost, The Modern			
	Theory of Factor Endowment, its Explanation under Price Criterion and			
	Physical Criterion, Its Superiority over The Classical Theory, Leontief			
	Paradox.			
Unit – 4	International Trade and Factor Price, Samuelson Factor Price	15		
	Equalization Theorem, The Terms of Trade- Meaning and Various			
	Concept of Terms of Trade, Factor Affecting Terms of Trade, Terms			
	of Trade and Underdeveloped countries.			
Unit – 5	Tariffs: Meaning and Types, Optimum Tariff and Welfare Effect of	15		
	Tariff on Income Distribution, The Stolper and Samuelson Theorem,			
	Dumping, Types, Objective and Effect of Dumping, Current Incidence			
	of Dumping in India, Its impact on our Economy, Anti-Dumping			
	Measures.			



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#### **Suggested Readings:**

- Bhagwati, J. (Ed.) (1981), International Trade, Selected Readings, Cambridge, University Press, Massachusetts.
- Carbough, R.J. (1999), International Economics, International Thompson Publishing, New York.
- Chacholiades, M.(1990), International Trade: Theory and Policy, McGraw Hill, Kogakusha, Japan.
- Dana, M.S. (2000), International Economics: Study, Guideand Work Book, (5th Edition), Routledge Publishers, London.
- Dunn, R.M.and J.H.Mutti(2000), International Economics, Routledge, London. Kenen, P.B. (1994), The International Economy, Cambridge, University Press, London.

