

C.U. SHAH UNIVERSITY WADHWANCITY



Faculty

Arts & Humanities

Department of

Economics

Semester

- 11

Name of Subject

International Economics-1

Subject Code

5AH03INE1

Teaching & Evaluations Scheme

Subject Code	Subject	Teaching Scheme (Hours)				Evaluations Scheme								
5AH03INE1	International	4	0	0	4	30	1.5	70	3	100				100
	Economics-1													100

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

International trade acts as an engine of growth.

• It is necessary for P.G. students in economics to know international trade Theories practice and policies; it will help them to examine impact of trade policies followed by welfare implication.

COURSE CONTENTS:

Unit No.	Course Content (Title of the Unit)	Minimum No. of Hours
0	Prerequisites	04
1	Concept of Inter-regional and international Trade; Theory of Comparative Advantage, Hecksher-Ohline Theory of trade, factor Endowment and factor price, Leontief Paradox. Empirical verification and relevance of Theories; International Trade under imperfect Competition.	14
2	Terms of Trade and Economics Growth; Secular deteri/ation f terms of trade hypothesis: a croitical review; International trade as an engine of growth; Gains from Trade and LDCs; Foreign Trade Multiplier: Trade and Labour Skills Theory by Donald Kessing; Research and Development factor and Structure of Commodity Trade (By Gruber, Mehta and Vernon)	14

3	Measurement of Gains from trade; Concepts of Terms of trade, their uses and limitation; Factors affecting Terms of Trade; Impact of Tariffs; Political economy of Non-tariff Barriers; Trade and Development; Trade as engine of growth: Two Gap analysis-views of Prebisch, Singer and Myrdal.	14		
4	Meaning and concepts of Balance of Trade and Balance of Payment- Equilibrium and Disequilibria in Balance of payment- The process of adjustment under systems of Gold Standard - Steps to Correct imbalance of payments, traditional and monetary approaches for adjustment in the Balance of Payment - Theory of International reserves- Theory of Foreign Exchange Rate.			
	Total Hours	60		

TEXT AND REFERENCE BOOKS:

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- Dunn R.M. and J.H. Mutti. "International Economics", Routledge, London, 2000. 3.
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- Ohlin B. "Inter-regional and international Trade", Harvard Uni. Press, Cambridge, 1933.
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