## GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY GANDHINAGAR

Course: Principles of Micro Economics Semester-I (Batch: 2015-20)

## End Semester Examination: Oct-Nov. 2015

Date: 29th October, 2015

Duration: 3 hours Max. Marks: 50

## Instructions:

- Read the questions properly and write the answers in the given answer book.
- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Do not write anything on the question paper.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answers.
- No questions or clarifications can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.

## Answer the following question.

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Q.1 Answer any seven of the following questions with the help of appropriate diagrams.

(7x2 = 14)

- (a) Explain and give examples of perfect substitutes and perfect complimentary factors of production through the Isoquant curve approach.
- (b) Explain the relationship between TR, AR and MR in a perfectly competitive market.
- (c) Explain the kinked demand curve faced by an Oligopolist.
- (d) Explain how safe would a manufacturer make his product applying the principle of MC and MR.
- (e) Explain the significance of the long run average cost of production.
- (f) Explain the long run production function using Isoquants to derive the principle of returns to scale.
- (g) Explain the equilibrium of a firm with respect to selling costs.
- (h) Explain agency game as applicable in contracts.
- (i) Explain with the help of elasticity whether drug interdiction lead to an increase or decrease in drug-related crime?
- (j) Explain the difference between normal goods and inferior good with help of the income elasticity.
- Q.2 Answer any six of the following questions with the help of appropriate diagrams.

(6x6)

- (a) Explain the general conditions of equilibrium in terms of TC, TR and profit maximisation.
- (b) Explain Game theory and apply the same to an Oligopoly market.
- (c) What are the objectives of regulating a Monopoly and How a Monopoly can be regulated by applying the Average cost and the Marginal cost principle? Explain.
- (d) Explain the short run equilibrium of a perfect market and a monopolistic market, identifying its similarities and differences.
- (e) Explain the equilibrium of a firm in the monopolistic market as per the Chamberlain model.
- (f) Why and How does the monopoly practice and price discrimination? Explain.

- (g) Explain market failure and discuss how market failures are addressed by the Government?
- (h) Explain the Long run supply curve of the industry in perfect competition under different cost conditions.

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