

VPM's  
DR VN BRIMS, Thane  
Programme: PGDM (2014-16) Fourth Batch  
Second Semester Examination December 2014

Subject	Macroeconomics		
Roll No.		Marks	60 Marks
Total No. of Questions	7	Duration	3 Hours
Total No. of printed pages	1	Date	27-12-2014

**Note: Q1 is compulsory and solve any FOUR from the remaining SIX questions.**

**Q1) 20 Marks (Compulsory)**

a. Justify the following couplet:

*“Money is a matter of functions four;  
A medium, a measure, a standard, a store.”*

b. Rohit is a student of economics. Help him to understand the 'Aggregate Expenditure Model'.

**Attempt Any FOUR from the Remaining SIX Questions**

**Q2) Any two from (a) or (b) or (c) ————— (5x2) = 10 Marks**

- Write a short note on : Monetary Policy
- "Inflation is a situation of too much money chasing too few goods" Justify
- Why is the US dollar called 'Vehicle Currency'?

**Q3) Any two from (a) or (b) or (c) ————— (5x2) = 10 Marks**

- Radha wants to major in economics. Explain her significance of macroeconomics.
- Discuss in detail the migratory characteristic of Indian labour.
- Explain the term : Creeping inflation

**Q4) Any two from (a) or (b) or (c) ————— (5x2) = 10 Marks**

- Explain the term : Disposable Income
- Why did the German housewife burn Deuche Marks in 1923?
- Justify the equation:  $MV=PT$

**Q5) Any two from (a) or (b) or (c) ————— (5x2) = 10 Marks**

- Certain countries like El Salvador do not have separate legal tender. Justify
- Write a short note on : Lender of the last resort.
- What is meant by Cost Push Inflation?

**Q6) Any two from (a) or (b) or (c) ————— (5x2) = 10 Marks**

- What is labour? Can the effort put by dabbawalas in Mumbai be considered as labour?
- What is stagflation?
- Explain the term: Hedging

**Q7) Any two from (a) or (b) or (c) ————— (5x2) = 10 Marks**

- What are lessons for economics from 'The Spirit of Tata Steel'?
- 'Consumption is never zero at any level of income. Justify.
- What is meant by Purchasing Power Parity?