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## M. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2023 SEMESTER 4 : ECONOMICS

COURSE: 16P4ECOT16: INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL SYSTEM AND ECONOMIC POLICY

(For Supplementary - 2016/2017/2018/2019/2020 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 75

## PART A Answer any 8 (2 marks each)

- 1. What is Nixon Shock?
- 2. What is 'Benign Neglect'?
- 3. Under what condition international monetary system is said to be liquid?
- 4. What is Hedging?
- 5. What is Capital account convertibility?
- 6. What is an open position?
- 7. What is Triangular Arbitrage?
- 8. What are the factors influencing exchange rate of a country's currency
- 9. Give equation for nation's supply of money.
- 10. Explain Internal Balance function.
- 11. What is a policy mix?
- 12. Define BP curve

 $(2 \times 8 = 16)$ 

## PART B Answer any 7 (5 marks each)

- 13. What are the components of international liquidity?
- 14. Explain Magnifico's propensity to inflation theory of forming an OCA
- 15. What is meant by hedging? What give rise to it?
- 16. What are forward contracts? How it differ from futures contract?
- 17. Examine advantages and disadvantages of flexible exchange rate system.
- 18. What is meant by interest parity? Graphically explain.
- 19. What is meant by Asset Portfolio?
- 20. Briefly explain policy measures used for correcting in balance of payments deficit
- 21. Analyse fiscal and monetray policy in a situation of prefect capital mobility under fixed exchange rate.
- 22. Explain the problem of internal and external balance when monetary policy and fiscal policy are used

 $(5 \times 7 = 35)$ 

## PART C Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

- 23. Examine gold standard and the factors which led to the reestablishment gold standard during the interwar period.
- 24. Evaluate in detail fixed and flexible exchange rates.
- 25. Compare the Asset market and monetary approaches to BOP and exchange rates
- 26. Evaluate the effectiveness of monetary and fiscal policies under flexible exchange rate system assuming varying degrees of capital mobility.

 $(12 \times 2 = 24)$