

Short Questions

- 1. What is the structure of a business firm?
- 2. Explain the theory of the firm.
- 3. What are the different types of business entities?
- 4. What is limited liability, and how does it affect businesses?
- 5. Name some sources of capital for a company.
- 6. What are non-conventional sources of finance?
- 7. Why is economics significant?
- 8. Distinguish between micro and macroeconomic concepts.
- 9. Define and explain the importance of national income.
- 10. How does inflation impact an economy?
- 11. What is money supply, and how does it relate to inflation?
- 12. Describe the concept of the business cycle.
- 13. What are the features of a business cycle?
- 14. List the phases of a business cycle.
- 15. What is the nature and scope of business economics?
- 16. Explain the role of a business economist.
- 17. How is business economics multidisciplinary?
- 18. Define demand in economics.
- 19. What factors affect supply?
- 20. Explain the concept of equilibrium price.
- 21. What is elasticity of demand?
- 22. Describe the law of diminishing marginal utility.
- 23. Define perfect competition.
- 24. What is a monopoly?
- 25. Explain monopolistic competition.
- 26. Define oligopoly.



- 27. What is price discrimination?
- 28. Explain the concept of economies of scale.
- 29. Describe the concept of a mixed economy.
- 30. What is the difference between nominal and real GDP?
- 31. Define unemployment rate.
- 32. Explain the concept of fiscal policy.
- 33. What is monetary policy?
- 34. Describe the functions of money.
- 35. What is the role of the central bank in an economy?
- 36. Explain the concept of comparative advantage.
- 37. Define opportunity cost.
- 38. Describe the law of supply.
- 39. What is the difference between accounting and economics?
- 40. Explain the concept of market equilibrium.
- 41. What is the production possibility frontier?
- 42. Describe the concept of a public good.
- 43. What is a merit good?
- 44. Define externalities.
- 45. Explain the tragedy of the commons.
- 46. What is a command economy?
- 47. Describe the concept of consumer surplus.
- 48. Define production function.
- 49. What is utility in economics?
- 50. Explain the concept of perfect information.
- 51. What is elasticity of demand?
- 52. Name the types of elasticity of demand.
- 53. Explain the law of demand.
- 54. How is elasticity of demand measured?
- 55. Why is elasticity of demand significant?



- 56. What factors affect elasticity of demand?
- 57. How does elasticity of demand influence decision making?
- 58. Define cross-price elasticity of demand.
- 59. Differentiate between elastic and inelastic demand.
- 60. What is income elasticity of demand?
- 61. How does price elasticity of demand vary along a linear demand curve?
- 62. Give examples of goods with elastic and inelastic demand.
- 63. What is the concept of unitary elasticity?
- 64. Explain the concept of perfectly elastic demand.
- 65. Describe the concept of perfectly inelastic demand.
- 66. How does elasticity of demand affect tax incidence?
- 67. What are the characteristics of good demand forecasting?
- 68. What are the steps involved in demand forecasting?
- 69. Discuss the qualitative methods of demand forecasting.
- 70. Explain the quantitative methods of demand forecasting.
- 71. What is time-series analysis in demand forecasting?
- 72. Define market research in the context of demand forecasting.
- 73. How do economic indicators influence demand forecasting?
- 74. Discuss the role of technological advancements in demand forecasting.
- 75. Why is accurate demand forecasting crucial for businesses?
- 76. How does demand forecasting aid in inventory management?
- 77. What is the difference between short-term and long-term demand forecasting?
- 78. How does demand forecasting contribute to strategic planning?
- 79. What are the determinants of supply?
- 80. Explain the concept of supply function.
- 81. Define the law of supply.
- 82. How does technology impact supply?



- 83. Discuss the role of government policies in influencing supply.
- 84. Explain the concept of elasticity of supply.
- 85. What factors affect the elasticity of supply?
- 86. Describe the relationship between price and quantity supplied.
- 87. How does production capacity influence supply?
- 88. What role does production efficiency play in supply analysis?
- 89. How does the cost of production affect supply?
- 90. Discuss the concept of time lag in supply response.
- 91. What is the significance of understanding supply elasticity for producers?
- 92. Name the factors of production.
- 93. Define the production function.
- 94. Explain the concept of a production function with one variable input.
- 95. Discuss the concept of a production function with two variable inputs.
- 96. What are returns to scale in production analysis?
- 97. Differentiate between short-run and long-run production functions.
- 98. Explain the law of diminishing returns.
- 99. How does technological progress influence production?
- 100. Discuss economies of scale in production.
- 101. What is the difference between fixed and variable inputs in production?
- 102. How do input prices affect production decisions?
- 103. What role does managerial skill play in production efficiency?
- 104. Explain the concept of marginal product of labor.
- 105. Name the types of costs.
- 106. Define fixed costs and give examples.
- 107. Explain variable costs and give examples.
- 108. Differentiate between explicit and implicit costs.
- 109. What is the total cost function?



- 110. Discuss the concept of marginal cost.
- 111. Define average cost and its types.
- 112. How do economies of scale affect cost?
- 113. Explain the concept of opportunity cost in cost analysis.
- 114. What is the relationship between marginal cost and average cost?
- 115. Discuss the concept of sunk costs in decision making.
- 116. How does cost analysis contribute to pricing decisions?
- 117. Explain the concept of cost minimization in production.
- 118. What is the importance of cost analysis for profitability assessment?
- 119. Describe the nature of competition in perfect competition.
- 120. Explain the features of perfect competition.
- 121. What are the characteristics of a monopoly market?
- 122. Discuss the strategies used by monopolies to maintain dominance.
- 123. Define oligopoly and provide examples.
- 124. How do firms in oligopolistic markets behave?
- 125. Explain the concept of monopolistic competition.