

SIXTH SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2026**(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)****ECONOMICS & MATHEMATICS (DOUBLE MAIN)****GDEC6B09T: INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS****Time: 2 Hours****Maximum Marks: 60****SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks.****(Ceiling 20 marks)**

1. Comment on flexible exchange rate.
2. What is meant by economic integration.
3. Examine the need of protection in international trade.
4. Differentiate between depreciation and devaluation.
5. Define Advelorum duty.
6. Comment on Leontief paradox.
7. What is balance of payment?
8. What are the effects of import quotas?
9. Define purchasing power parity.
10. Define Cartel.
11. Comment on comparative cost advantage.
12. Examine the subject matter of international economics.

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks.**(Ceiling 30 marks)**

13. Why do nations enter into international trade?
14. Explain Stopler Samuelson effects.
15. Discuss the main arguments for free trade.
16. Describe the theory of absolute cost advantage.
17. Explain mint parity theory of exchange rate.
18. What is dumping? How it affects the trading countries?
19. Explain Asset market model.

SECTION C: Answer any one question. The question carries *ten* marks.

20. Explain the Ricardian Principle of comparative cost advantage.
21. What do you mean by discipline in balance of payment? Explain the major measures for correcting disequilibrium in the balance of payment.

(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)