

International Islamic University Chittagong

Department of Economics & Banking

Semester Ending Examination; Autumn-2023

Course Code: BDEC-2401

Time: 2 hours 30 minutes

Program: BSS (Hons) in Economics & Banking

Course Title: Bangladesh Economy

Full Marks: 50

[Answer any five of the following questions. Figures in the right margin indicate full marks.]

QN	Description of Questions	Marks	CLOs & PLOs	Cognitive learning
1(a).	What is income inequality? How do you measure income inequality? Explain	5	CLO4& PLO3	Analyze
1(b).	What are the factors that you think is causing such kind of inequality in Bangladesh? State some suggestions to reduce it.	5		Evaluate
2(a).	What are the goals of MDG? State the human development-related MDGs.	4	CLO-5 & PLO-2	Understand
2(b).	Do you think Bangladesh can achieve the goals of MDGs? Explain with the relevant data	6		Evaluate
3(a).	Why SDGs are known as "Global Goal"	2	CLO4& PLO1	understand
3(b).	In what situation were the SDGs adopted? Mention the 17 goals of SDG.	4		apply
3(c).	Discuss the progress of Bangladesh in women empowerment, sustainable energy system, ensuring peace and justice, and global partnership for sustainable development in the light of the goals of SDG.	4		analyze
4(a).	"In the absence of interventions by finance ministries or central banks the current account and capital account must sum to zero" do you agree with the statement? Why or why not?	3		Evaluate
4(b).	Using a numerical example describe the differences between domestic currency devaluations and depreciations relative to foreign exchange rates.	3		Evaluate
4(c).	State the characteristics and problems that are associated with the export sector of Bangladesh.	4	CLO5& PLO4	Analysis
Or				
4(a).	What are the export sector segments of Bangladesh? Explain these segments with their corresponding export products with relevant data and also mention the main exporting countries of Bangladesh.	6		Evaluate
4(b).	Do you think Bangladesh's export sector is diversified enough to compete with the world's competitors? And explain why these export diversifications are necessary	4		Analysis
5(a).	Do you think remittance plays any vital roles in our economic growth? Explain your answer with relevant data.	4		Understand
5(b).	What are the power and energy sector of Bangladesh? Present the status of power and energy situation in Bangladesh.	6		Analyze
Or				
5(a).	What are the difference between public sector and private sector.	3	CLO5 & PLO3	understand
5(b).	Define nationalization and privatization. What are the reasons behind these nationalization and privatization?	3		Analyze
5(c).	State the recent industrial development in Bangladesh and also explain the problems that are associated with this sector.	4		Analyze