2013 [JULY] ECONOMICS Macroeconomic Analysis II

Full Marks: 75; Time: 3 Hours The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer *five* questions, selecting at least *one* from each Credit

Credit I

- 1. What are the different measures of money supply in India? Derive the money multiplier and state its determinants. (3+9+3)
- 2. Critically discuss Tobin's theory of speculative demand for money. How does it differ from Baumol's Theory?

(12+3)

Credit II

- 3. Should monetary and fiscal policy makers try to stabilize the economy? Discuss. (15)
- 4. 'The theory of inflation is incomplete without considering the dynamic role of factor gap'. Analyze. (15)

Credit III

- 5. Define the concepts of the accelerator and the multiplier. Give a critical explanation of the multiplier-accelerator interaction as given by Samuelson in his theory. (3+12)
- 6. Show how the Hicksian Theory sets up the business cycle through the interaction between the multiplier and the accelerator around a progressing equilibrium path. (15)

Credit IV

- 7. Give a critical evaluation of Duesenberry's model of equilibrium growth rates. (15)
- 8. Give a detailed analysis of Kalecki's theory of aggregative income distribution as an attempt to explain the share of wages in national income. (15)