

SYLLABUS :-

Module I: Applications of Functions, Limits and Derivatives [7] Concept of margin and its importance in Economics. Theorems relating to Demand function, Elasticity of demand and supply. Jacobian Determinants and comparative static analysis in economics. Homogenous functions: Demand function and money illusion, Types of production functions (Cobb-Douglas, S-MAC, Linearly homogenous production functions) and their properties. Module II: Optimization in Economics [7] Economic applications of optimization with one variable and optimization with multiple variables. Application areas: Profit Maximisation, Price discrimination, Multi-product firm, Multi-market equilibrium. Module III: Constrained optimization in Economics [11] Applications of constrained optimisation to consumer choice and firm theory, Quasi-concavity and its economic implications, Bordered Hessian Determinants and its economic applications. Cramer's Rule and its applications: Decomposition of Slutsky equation, IS-LM models, Leontief Input-Output Model. Module IV: Basic game theory and its applications [8] Concepts of Dominance, Nash equilibrium, Pure and Mixed Strategy, Cournot and Bertrand models, Cartel formation, Stackelburg model. Module V: Lagged models [5] Lagged models and market equilibrium, Simple Cobweb model, Incorporating Inventory, Price ceilings; Harrod-Domar growth model; Multiplier-Accelerator model. TEXT 1. M. Pemberton and N. Rau (2016) Mathematics for Economists, Manchester University Press. 2. A.K. Chiang and Kevin Wainwright (2005) Fundamental methods of Mathematical Economics, McGraw Hill. 3. Eugene Silverberg (2000) The Structure of Economics: A Mathematical Analysis, McGraw Hill. REFERENCES 1. Dorfman, Solow and Samuelson, Linear programming and economic analysis, McGraw Hill. 2. Luigi Pasinetti, lectures in production theory, Macmillan. 3. Peter J. Hammond and Knut Sydsaeter (2002) Mathematics for Economic Analysis, Pearson.