FIRST SEMESTER QUESTION BANK

TOURISM ECONOMICS

Blueprint

Section	MODULE 1	MODULE 2	MODULE 3	MODULE 4	MODULE 5
	Number of				
	Questions	Questions	Questions	Questions	Questions
A (5 marks)	1	1	1	1	1
B (9 marks)		1		1	1
C (12 marks)			1		

Note: Module wise questions for the blueprint can be taken in any combination like

Section A – 1, 1, 1, 1, 1 or 2, 1, 1, 1 or 2, 2, 1 or 2, 3

MODULE 1

	SECTION – A			
1.	5 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)			
Sl.No.	Question	Blooms	CO	Marks
		Level		
1	Discuss the historical perspective of tourism in India.	L2	CO1	5
2	Explain the meaning and scope of tourism.	L2	CO1	5
3	Outline the tourism evolved in India from ancient times to the present day.	L1	CO1	5
4	Compare and contrast the different types and forms of tourism in India.	L4	CO1	5
5	Explain the emerging forms of tourism.	L2	CO1	5
6	State the difference between inbound and outbound tourism.	L1	CO1	5
	SECTION - B			1
2.	9 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)			
1	Examine the role of transportation in the tourism industry.	L4	CO1	9
2	Discuss the importance of sustainable tourism in the context of India.	L2	CO1	9

3	Illustrate the challenges and opportunities associated with each	L2	CO1	9
	type in the context of India.			
4	Discuss at least three new trends in tourism and their potential	L2	CO1	9
	impact on the tourism industry in India.			
5	Assess the economic, social, and cultural impacts of tourism in	L5	CO1	9
	India.			
6	Discuss the challenges faced by the tourism industry in India.	L2	CO1	9
	SECTION – C			
3.	Case study or application-based question for 12 marks (1:6 Ratio)			
1	Assess the impact of a major international event (e.g., sports	L5	CO1	12
	tournament, cultural festival) on the tourism industry of a host city			
	in India. What measures should be taken to maximize the benefits?			
2	A coastal town is aiming to boost its tourism industry. Analyze	L6	CO1	12
	how defining the meaning, scope, and composition of tourism can			
	help the town develop a strategic plan.			
3	A travel agency is designing tour packages for different types of	L6	CO1	12
	tourists (individual, group, mass). How should the agency tailor its			
	services to meet the needs of each type of tourist?			
4	A rural village is looking to develop eco-tourism to boost its	L6	CO1	12
	economy. What are the essential components that need to be in			
	place for eco-tourism to succeed? Discuss the potential benefits			
	and drawbacks			
5	Assess the impact of a major international event (e.g., sports	L5	CO1	12
	tournament, cultural festival) on the tourism industry of a host city			
	in India. What measures should be taken to maximize the benefit			
6	Identify various types and forms of tourism in India, explain with	L2	CO1	12
	examples			

MODULE-II

SECTION - A

1. 5 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)

Sl.No.	Question	Blooms	CO	Marks	
		Level			
1	Discuss how tourism contributes to economic growth and	L2	CO2	5	
	development in a country.				
2	Explain the various ways tourism affects income, employment,	L2	CO2	5	
	and economic activity.				
3	Define the multiplier effect and illustrate how tourism spending	L1	CO2	5	
	circulates within an economy.				
4	Describe the direct and indirect ways tourism creates jobs and	L2	CO2	5	
	income for individuals and businesses.				
5	Explain how tourism affects foreign exchange earnings and	L2	CO2	5	
	international trade balance.				
6	Explain how tourism can promote development in specific regions	L2	CO2	5	
	or areas within a country.				
	SECTION - B	1			
2.	9 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)				
1	Describe the principles of sustainable tourism and why it is	L2	CO2	9	
	essential for long-term economic and environmental health				
2	Explain the concept of Pro-Poor Tourism and how tourism	L2	CO2	9	
	initiatives can support women empowerment and reduce poverty.				
3	Describe the principles of sustainable tourism and why it is	L2	CO2	9	
	essential for long-term economic and environmental health.				
4	Explain how economic development and tourism influence each	L2	CO2	9	
	other, providing examples to illustrate their interdependence.				
5	Discuss the characteristics of tourism as a consumption industry	L2	CO2	9	
	and how it contributes to the economy.				
6	Compare the positive and negative economic impacts of tourism	L4	CO2	9	
	on a destination, with examples.				
	SECTION – C				
3.	Explain the concept of Pro-Poor Tourism and how tourism initiatives can support women empowerment and reduce poverty. Describe the principles of sustainable tourism and why it is essential for long-term economic and environmental health. Explain how economic development and tourism influence each other, providing examples to illustrate their interdependence. Discuss the characteristics of tourism as a consumption industry L2 CO2 9 and how it contributes to the economy. Compare the positive and negative economic impacts of tourism L4 CO2 9 on a destination, with examples.				

1	Explain the multiplier effect in the context of tourism and how it	L2	CO2	12
	influences the local economy.			
2	Explain how the tourism multiplier effect contributes to economic	L2	CO2	12
	development in a destination, including the different types of			
	multipliers.			
3	Compare the role of tourism in promoting women's	L4	CO2	12
	empowerment, providing examples of initiatives and outcomes.			
4	Discuss the concept of Pro-Poor Tourism and how it aims to	L2	CO2	12
	benefit impoverished communities.			
5	Explain the concept of sustainable tourism and its importance for	L2	CO2	12
	the long-term viability of tourism destinations.			
6	Discuss the environmental impacts of tourism, providing examples	L2	CO2	12
	of both positive and negative effects.			

MODULE-III

	SECTION – A			
1.	5 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)			
Sl.No.	Question	Blooms	CO	Marks
		Level		
1	Summarize the main goals and initiatives introduced in this policy to promote tourism in India.	L1	CO3	5
2	Explain the different modes of tourism in India.	L2	CO3	5
3	Discuss the reasons why people travel to and within India, such as leisure, business, pilgrimage, etc.,	L2	CO3	5
4	Discuss how FDI has contributed to the development and growth of tourism in India.	L2	CO3	5
5	List and explain the various financial incentives offered by the government to boost tourism.	L1	CO3	5

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6	Explain the objectives and outcomes of the PRASAD scheme in	L2		3
	promoting pilgrimage tourism.			
	SECTION - B			
2.	9 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)			
1	Discuss the use of digital platforms, marketing strategies, and their	L2	CO3	9
	effectiveness in attracting tourists.			
2	Discuss the types of incentives offered and how they have	L2	CO3	9
	influenced FDI inflows into the tourism industry.			
3	Discuss the goals, key initiatives, and impacts of the PRASAD	L2	CO3	9
	scheme on pilgrimage tourism.			
4	Explain the objectives, implementation, and outcomes of the	L2	CO3	9
	Swadeshi Darshan scheme.			
5	Discuss how the campaign has influenced tourist inflows and the	L2	CO3	9
	country's global image			
6	Explain the various transportation modes used by tourists and the	L2	CO3	9
	primary reasons people travel within and to India.			
	SECTION – C			
3.	Case study or application-based question for 12 marks (1:6 Ratio)			
1	Discuss the key characteristics and challenges of both domestic	L2	CO3	12
	and international tourism in India.			
2	Assess the various components of the composition of the tourism	L5	CO3	12
	industry in India, including accommodation, hospitality,			
	transportation, travel agents, and tour operators.			
3	Compare the role of government policies and initiatives in shaping	L4	CO3	12
	the future of tourism in India.			
4	Discuss the role and significance of the National Mission on	L2	CO3	12
	Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual Augmentation (PRASAD)			
	in Indian tourism.			
5	Compare the objectives and achievements of the Swadeshi	L4	CO3	12
-	Darshan scheme in promoting tourism in India.	.		
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6	Explain the key features and objectives of the Tourism Policy	L2	CO3	12
	2015-20 in India.			

MODULE-IV

	SECTION – A			
1.	5 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)			
Sl.No.	Question	Blooms	CO	Marks
		Level		
1	Discuss the future potential of the tourism industry in India.	L2	CO4	5
2	Compare the trends in foreign exchange earnings from tourism in	L4	CO4	5
	India			
3	Identify the top three source countries for foreign tourist arrivals in	L2	CO4	5
	India.			
4	List and describe three major tourism products offered in India.	L1	CO4	5
5	Explain the key features of the Swadesh Darshan scheme.	L2	CO4	5
6	Assess the India's share in the global tourism market.	L5	CO4	5
	SECTION - B			
2.	9 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)			
1	Examine the trends in foreign exchange earnings from tourism in	L4	CO4	9
	India.			
2	Define tourism receipts and explain their importance. Analyze the	L1	CO4	9
	recent trends in tourism receipts in India.			
3	Identify the top five source countries for foreign tourist arrivals in	L2	CO4	9
	India. Discuss the reasons why tourists from these countries visit			
	India.			
4	Explain the concept of tourism products and mega-destinations.	L2	CO4	9
	Identify and describe at least three mega-destinations in India.			

5	Compare the trends in the contribution of tourism to India's GDP	L4	CO4	9
	over the past decade.			
6	Describe the key schemes and programs initiated by the Indian	L2	CO4	9
	government to promote tourism.			
	SECTION – C			
3.	Case study or application-based question for 12 marks (1:6 Ratio)			
1	Discuss the major schemes and programs initiated by the	L2	CO4	12
	Government of India for the development of tourism.			
2	Compare the trends in the contribution of tourism to India's GDP	L4	CO4	12
	over the past decade.			
3	Describe the key tourism products and mega-destinations in India.	L2	CO4	12
	How do they attract both domestic and international tourists?			
4	Examine the trends in domestic and foreign tourist arrivals in	L4	CO4	12
	India.			
5	Write the key components of sustainable tourism development in	L6	CO4	12
	India? Discuss the initiatives taken to promote sustainability in			
	tourism.			
6	Assess the role of technology in the development of tourism in	L5	CO4	12
	India. How has e-tourism contributed to the industry's growth?			

MODULE-V

	SECTION – A					
1.	5 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)					
Sl.No.	Question	Blooms	CO	Marks		
		Level				
1	Define the different classifications of hotels in India.	L1	CO5	5		
2	Explain the types of incentives provided to hotels in India.	L2	CO5	5		

3	Discuss how travel agents contribute to the tourism industry.	L2	CO5	5
4	Identify and analyze the roles of major players in the tourism	L1	CO5	5
	sector.			
5	Assess the impact of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) on the	L5	CO5	5
	development of hotels in India.			
6	Explain five star hotels groups.	L6	CO5	5
	SECTION - B			
2.	9 Marks Questions (1:6 Ratio)			
1	Explain the various classifications of hotels in India.	L2	CO5	9
2	List and describe the different types of accommodation available	L1	CO5	9
	in the tourism industry.			
3	Design a comprehensive package tour plan for a specific target	L1	CO5	9
	audience.			
4	Describe the role and objectives of the India Convention	L2	CO5	9
	Promotion Bureau (ICPB).			
5	Demonstrate the strategies for publicity and market development	L3	CO5	9
	to promote a new tourist destination in India.			
6	Demonstrate the impact of foreign direct investment (FDI) on the	L3	CO5	9
	development of hotels in India.			
	SECTION – C			
3.	Case study or application-based question for 12 marks (1:6 Ratio))		
1	Explain the allied components of tourism and their role in	L2	CO5	12
	enhancing the overall tourism experience. Include examples such			
	as transportation, accommodation, and travel services.			
2	Describe the different types of accommodation available to	L2	CO5	12
	tourists. Compare their features, benefits, and suitability for			
	different types of travelers.			
3	Discuss the significance of hotels and restaurants in the tourism	L2	CO5	12
	industry. How do they impact tourist satisfaction and the overall			
	tourism experience?			

4	Identify and describe the major players in the hotel industry in India. How do they contribute to the development and promotion	L1	CO5	12
	of tourism?			
5	Examine the role of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in the development of hotels in India.	L4	CO5	12
6	Explain the role of the India Convention Promotion Bureau (ICPB) in promoting tourism. How does the ICPB contribute to attracting international conferences and conventions to India?	L2	CO5	12