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PME Assignment - 3

Answers

Q1.

$$(a) \text{ Nominal GDP } 2010 = (1 \times 100) + (2 \times 50) = \text{Rs. } 200.$$

$$\text{Nominal GDP } 2011 = (1 \times 200) + (2 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 400.$$

$$\text{Nominal GDP } 2012 = (2 \times 200) + (4 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 600.$$

$$\text{Real GDP } 2010 = (1 \times 100) + (2 \times 50) = \text{Rs. } 200$$

$$\text{Real GDP } 2011 = (1 \times 200) + (2 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 400$$

$$\text{Real GDP } 2012 = (1 \times 200) + (2 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 400$$

$$\text{GDP deflator } 2010 = 100 \times (\text{Nominal GDP} / \text{Real GDP})$$

$$= 100 \times (200 / 200)$$

$$= \text{Rs. } 100.$$

$$\text{GDP deflator } 2011 = 100 \times (400 / 400)$$

$$= \text{Rs. } 100.$$

$$\text{GDP deflator } 2012 = 100 \times (600 / 400)$$

$$= \text{Rs. } 150.$$

$$(b) \text{ Nominal GDP } 2011 = (1 \times 200) + (2 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 400$$

$$\text{Nominal GDP } 2012 = (1 \times 200) + (4 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 600$$

$$\% \text{ change in Nominal GDP} = 50\%$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Real GDP } 2011 = (1 \times 200) + (2 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 400$$

$$\text{Real GDP } 2012 = (1 \times 200) + (2 \times 100) = \text{Rs. } 400$$

$$\% \text{ change in Real GDP} = 0 \%$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{GDP Deflator } 2011 = 100 \times \left(\frac{400}{400} \right) = \text{Rs. } 100$$

$$\text{GDP Deflator } 2012 = 100 \times \left(\frac{600}{400} \right) = \text{Rs. } 150.$$

$$\% \text{ change in GDP Deflator} = 50 \%$$

- (c) Yes, economic well-being rose from 2011 to 2012, since real GDP rose in 2011 but not in 2012. In 2011 real GDP rose but price did not. In 2012 real GDP did not rise but price rose.

Q2.

- (a) If an auto company owned entirely by German citizens opens a new factory in South Carolina. Then this type of foreign investment is known as Foreign Direct Investment (FDI).

- (b) FDI affects the economy.

Profits of the businesses increase and labor productivity too increases. Per capita income increases and consumption improves. Tax revenues increase and government spending rises. GDP increases and there is also a lagged effect due to which subsequent years GDP too increases.

(c) The auto company owned entirely by German citizens will not be counted in US's GNP. It will be counted under German's GNP. As it doesn't count under US's GNP. Hence it will ~~not~~ not affect the US's GNP.

So the US's GNP will be same.

Q3.

given $Y = \text{Rs. } 8 \text{ trillion}$

$$T = \text{Rs. } 1.5 \text{ trillion}$$

$$\text{Private Saving} = \text{Rs. } 0.5 \text{ trillion}$$

$$Y - T - C = 0.5 \text{ trillion.}$$

$$\text{public saving} = \text{Rs. } 0.2 \text{ trillion.}$$

$$T - G = \text{Rs. } 0.2 \text{ trillion.}$$

(a) ~~the~~ private saving = Rs. 0.5 trillion

$$Y - T - C = 0.5 \text{ trillion}$$

$$8 - 1.5 - C = 0.5 \text{ trillion}$$

$$C = 8 - 1.5 - 0.5 \text{ trillion}$$

$$\boxed{C = \text{Rs. } 6 \text{ trillion.}}$$

The consumption is Rs. 6 trillion.

(b) public saving = Rs. 0.2 trillion

$$T - G = \text{Rs. } 0.2 \text{ trillion}$$

$$1.5 - G = \text{Rs. } 0.2 \text{ trillion}$$

$$G = 1.5 - 0.2 \text{ trillion}$$

$$\boxed{G = \text{Rs. } 1.3 \text{ trillion}}$$

The Government purchase is Rs. 1.3 trillion.

(c) National Saving = Investment (in close economy)

$$\text{National Saving} = \text{Investment} = \text{private saving} + \text{public saving}$$

$$= Y - T - C + T - G$$

$$= Y - C - G$$

$$= 8 - 6 - 1.3$$

$$= \text{Rs. } 0.7 \text{ trillion}$$

$$\boxed{\text{National Saving} = \text{Investment} = \text{Rs. } 0.7 \text{ trillion}}$$