

B.A. Part-II

Semester : IV

APC-I

Economics of Labour

(4 Credit -60 Lectures-100 Marks)

Subject Code: 465206

Objective-

- 1) To understand the functioning and dynamics of the markets for wage labour. Labour markets function through the interaction of workers and employers.
- 2) To make students aware about Labour economics which looks at the suppliers of labour services (workers), the demands of labour services (employers), and attempts to understand the resulting pattern of wages, employment, and income

Unit No.	Topic and Details	No. of Lectures Sub Topic	No. of Lectures Assigned	Marks Assigned	Credit
Unit-1	Introduction 1.1 Labour Economics 1.1.1 Meaning & Definition 1.1.2 Nature, & Scope 1.1.3 Significance of Labour Economics 1.2 Labour 1.2.1 Meaning & Definition 1.2.2 Significance & Characteristics of Labour 1.2.3 Types of Labour	3 5	8	13	0.5

Unit-2	Demand & Supply of Labour 2.1 Demand for Labour 2.1.1 Meaning & Definition 2.1.2 Nature of Demand for Labour 2.1.3 Determinants of Demand for Labour 2.2 Productivity of Labour 2.2.1 Meaning & Definition 2.2.2 Objectives & Forms 2.2.3 Determinants of Productivity of Labour 2.3 Supply of Labour 2.3.1 Meaning & Definitions 2.3.2 Nature of Supply of Labour 2.3.3 Determinants of Supply of Labour	8 6 8	22	37	1.5
Unit-3	Wage Determination 3.1 Meaning & Definition of Wage 3.2 Types of Wage 3.4 Concepts of - 3.4.1 Minimum wage 3.4.2 Living Wage 3.4.3 Fair Wage 3.3 Wage Determination- 3.3.1 In Rural Sector 3.3.2 In Urban Sector 3.3.3 In Organized Sector 3.3.4 In Unorganized Sector	5 8 9	22	37	1.5
Unit-4	Women & Child Labour 4.1 Women Labour 4.1.1 Main Features of Women Labour 4.1.2 Problems of Women Labour 4.1.3 Factors Affecting Employment of Women Labour 4.2 Child Labour 4.2.1 Meaning, Definition & Nature 4.1.2 Main Features of Child Labour 4.2.3 Causes of Child Labour	4 4	8	13	0.5

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