

## ADMISSION NUMBER

## **School of Liberal Education**

Bachelor of Arts Honours in Economics Mid Term Examination - Nov 2023

**Duration : 90 Minutes Max Marks : 50** 

## Sem III - K1UB304T - Business Economics

General Instructions
Answer to the specific question asked
Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary
Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

| 1) | Examine the factors that can cause shifts in the demand curve for a specific product.                                                                                                                        | K2 (2)  |
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| 2) | How would you apply the principles of business economics to optimize production processes                                                                                                                    | K1 (3)  |
| 3) | Discuss the types of inflation.                                                                                                                                                                              | K2 (4)  |
| 4) | Develop a comprehensive economic analysis framework for making investment decisions.                                                                                                                         | K2 (6)  |
| 5) | Explain the difference between short-run total costs and long-run costs.                                                                                                                                     | K3 (6)  |
| 6) | Given a production function, calculate the total product, average product, and marginal product for different levels of input.                                                                               | K3 (9)  |
| 7) | Explain why the long-run average cost (LAC) curve is known as a planning curve.                                                                                                                              | K4 (8)  |
| 8) | Create a hypothetical case study where a firm successfully achieves both profit maximization and growth maximization                                                                                         | K4 (12) |
|    | OR                                                                                                                                                                                                           |         |
|    | Develop a decision-making framework that integrates break-even analysis with other financial and non-financial factors to help firms determine optimal pricing and production strategies in dynamic markets. | K4 (12) |