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Minutes of Meeting

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Course : 15 – Indian Economic Development Historical
Perspectives and Current Issues - II
Date of Meeting : Tuesday, 12th January, 2016
Venue : Department of Economics, Delhi School of Economics,
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Examination Pattern:

It was agreed that students would be required to answer any 5 out of 8 questions. Distribution of questions should be roughly proportional to the amount of reading material under each topic.

Topic-wise revised reading list for 2016

1. Macroeconomic Policies and Their Impact

Fiscal Policy; trade and investment policy; financial and monetary policies; labour regulation.

1. Manoj Panda, 2015, 'Macroeconomic Overview: The Growth Story', in Mahendra Dev (ed), *India Development Report 2015*, OUP.

2. Pulapre Balakrishnan, 2014, 'The Great Reversal A Macro Story' *EPW* May 24.
3. K Kanagasabapathy, Vishakha G Tilak, and R Krishnaswamy, 2013, 'A Rethink on India's Foreign Trade Policy', *EPW* August 3.
4. Biswajit Dhar, 2015, 'India's New Foreign Trade Policy Pluses and Minuses', *EPW*, April 18.
5. Basudev Chatterjee, 1992, *Trade, Tariffs and Empire*, 'Epilogue' OUP, pp. 474-480.
6. A. Ahsan, C. Pages and T. Roy, 2008, 'Legislation, Enforcement and Adjudication in Indian Labour Markets: Origins, Consequences and the Way Forward', in D. Mazumdar and S. Sarkar, editors, *Globalization, labour Markets and Inequality in India*, Routledge.
7. MD Morris, 1965, *Emergence of an Industrial Labour Force in India*, Chapter 11, Summary and Conclusions, OUP, pp.198-210.

2. Policies and Performance in Agriculture

Growth; productivity; agrarian structure and technology; capital formation; trade; pricing and procurement.

1. Tirthankar Roy, 2011, *The Economic History of India 1857-1947*, 'Agriculture', Chapter 4, OUP, 3rd edition, pp. 104-113, 128-145.
2. Mahendra Dev and Vijay Lakshmi Pandey, 2012, 'Performance and Key Policy Issues of Indian Agriculture', in Mahendra Dev (ed), *India Development Report 2012-13*, pp. 85-94.
3. Chandrasekhar Rao and Mahendra Dev, 2010, 'Agricultural Price Policy, Farm Profitability and Food Security', *EPW* June 26, pp. 174-175 (Introduction), 180-181 (Section 5 & 6).

3. Policies and Performance in Industry

Growth; productivity; diversification; small scale industries; public sector; competition policy; foreign investment.

1. Rajat Ray (ed.) 1994, *Entrepreneurship and Industry in India*, Introduction OUP, pp.1-6, 47-69.
2. R. Nagaraj, 2011, 'Industrial Performance, 2001-2008', in Nachane (ed), *India Development Report 2011*.
3. Pulin Nayak, 2012, 'Privatization', in K. Basu and A. Maertens (eds), *New Oxford Companion to Economics in India*, OUP.
4. Aditya Bhattacharjea, 2010, 'Of Omissions and Commissions: India's Competition Laws', *EPW*, 28 August, sections 1 and 3 only.
5. Dipak Mazumdar and Sandeep Sarkar, 2009, 'The Employment Problem in India and the Phenomenon of the Missing Middle', *Indian Journal of Labour Economics*.

4. Trends and Performance in Services

1. Rupa Chanda, 2012, 'Services Led Growth' in K. Basu and A. Maertens (eds), *New Oxford Companion to Economics in India*, OUP.