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- (ii) An increase in the money supply could not affect the rate of interest
- (iii) It represents perfectly elastic demand for liquidity
- (iv) People prefer bonds instead of cash (Choose the correct answer)
- (d) Speculative demand for money is said to be
 - (i) interest elastic
 - (ii) income elastic
 - (iii) interest inelastic
 - (iv) None of the above (Choose the correct answer)
- (e) What do you mean by hyperinflation?
- (f) On which factor Keynesian theory of employment depends?
 - (i) Effective demand
 - (ii) Supply
 - (iii) Production efficiency
 - (iv) None of the above (Choose the correct answer)
- (g) The IS curve shows the combination of output and the real interest rate for which
 - (i) the goods market is in equilibrium
 - (ii) the labour market is in equilibrium
 - (iii) the financial asset market is in equilibrium
 - (iv) Both (i) and (ii) (Choose the correct answer)

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- (h) Fiscal policy is the policy related to
 - (i) public revenue
 - (ii) public debt
 - (iii) public expenditure
 - (iv) All of the above

(Choose the correct answer)

- 2. Write short notes on any *four* of the following (within 150 words each): 4×4=16
 - (a) GNP at market price and factor cost
 - (b) Expenditure method of calculating national income
 - (c) Inflation and deflation
 - (d) Say's law of market
 - (e) Functions of money

Answer the following questions (within 500 words each):

3. (a) Distinguish between micro- and macroeconomics. Discuss the scope of macroeconomics. 6+6=12

Or

(b) Do you consider national income or GDP as an indicator of economic welfare? Give arguments in support of your answer.

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4.	(a)	Explain	the	value	added	method	of
		computing GDP. Mention its advantages					
		and disadvantages.				6+5=11	

Or

- (b) Explain the circular flow of income in four-sector economy. 11
- **5.** (a) Discuss the Fisher's quantity theory of money. Mention its limitations. 8+3=11
 - (b) What is meant by credit creation?

 Explain the process of credit creation by commercial bank.

 2+9=11
- **6.** (a) What is inflation? Explain diagrammatically the demand pull inflation and cost push inflation. 1+5+5=11

 Or
 - (b) What is trade cycle? Explain the various stages of trade cycle. 1+10=11
- 7. (a) Explain Keynesian theory of employment.
 - (b) Diagrammatically show the derivation of IS and LM curves. Explain the general equilibrium with the help of IS-LM curve. 8+3=11

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