2020

INTERNATIONAL TRADE ECONOMICS — HONOURS

Second Paper

Full Marks: 80

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer any four questions.

- 1. (a) Discuss briefly the developments leading to the establishment of WTO, 1995.
 - (b) Also discuss the differences between WTO 1995 and GATT, 1948.

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- 2. (a) Discuss the scope and functions of WTO. Discuss in brief the organizational structure of the WTO.
 - (b) How TRIPS Agreement works? Explain with the help of legal provisions.

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- 3. (a) Discuss the rules governing 'Most Favoured Nation Treatment' and 'National Treatment'.
 - (b) Enumerate in detail anti dumping provisions under GATT and WTO. What are the methods laid down for determination of 'anti dumping'?
- 4. Discuss briefly any two of the following:

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- (a) General Agreement on Trade in Services
- (b) Structure of WTO, 1995
- (c) Background on Trade Related Investment Measures Agreement (TRIMS).
- **5.** What are the objectives of Dispute Settlement Body of the WTO? Discuss in detail the different stages of the WTO Dispute Settlement Process.
- 6. (a) Discuss arbitration as a method of settlement of international commercial disputes.
 - (b) What are the measures prohibited by TRIMS Agreement 1995?

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- 7. (a) What are technical barriers to trade? Explain the relevant international agreement on the subject.
 - (b) Discuss the WTO in developing third world countries.

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- **8.** (a) Explain the dispute settlement mechanism under the WTO.
 - (b) What are the remedies available to the complaining party when the state in question does not comply with the decision of the WTO?