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Item No. – 7.8 (N) (1a) Sem. III

As Per NEP 2020

University of Mumbai

Syllabus for Basket of OE Vertical 3	
Faculty of Commerce & Management	
Board of Studies in Business Economics	
Second Year Programme	
Semester	III
Title of Paper	Credits
I) Basic sectors of Indian Economy	2
From the Academic Year	2025-26

Title of Paper : **Basic sectors of Indian Economy**

Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars
1	**Description the course:** **Including but Not limited to:**	This course explores the Traditional and Digital Economies, highlighting their evolution, significance, and impact on economic growth. It covers key sectors—agriculture, industry (MSMEs), and services—analyzing their challenges and recent reforms. The course also delves into the Digital Economy, focusing on emerging technologies like AI, IoT, Blockchain, digital payments, and public digital infrastructure. Through case studies and policy discussions, students will understand the transition from traditional to digital economic models.
2	**Vertical :**	Open Elective
3	**Type :**	Theory
4	**Credit**:	2 credits (1 credit = 15 Hours for Theory or 30 Hours of Practical work in a semester)
5	**Hours Allotted :**	30 Hours
6	**Marks Allotted**:	50 Marks
7	**Course Objectives**: By the end of this course, students will be able to: - 1. Understand Indian agriculture, Industry, and Service sector and their importance, problems, and recent trends. 2. Learn about the digital economy and technologies, digital payment systems, and public digital infrastructure.	

8	**Course Outcomes**: By the end of this course, students will be able to: - 1. Gain comprehensive knowledge of India's Agriculture, Industry, and Service sectors, their significance, key challenges, and evolving trends shaping their growth. 2. Develop a strong understanding of the digital economy, emerging technologies, digital payment systems, public digital infrastructure, and their impact on businesses, governance, and financial inclusion.
9	**Syllabus**
	Module 1: Traditional Economy sectors (15 hours)
	▪ **Agriculture Sector:** importance, problems, recent reforms ▪ **Industrial sector:** importance of MSME, Problems, reforms ▪ **Service sector:** importance, Problems, recent reforms
	Module 2: Digital Economy (15 hours)
	▪ **Digital economy:** Emerging technologies like AI, Machine learning, IoT, Big data and role ▪ **Digital payment system:** Digital banking, mobile wallet, UPI, Cryptocurrency and blockchain. ▪ **Public Digital infrastructure:** E-governance importance and projects, Jan Dhan Yojana, Aadhar, Direct benefit transfer, and Digital public goods.

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11 Internal Continuous Assessment: 40%

Continuous evaluation pattern		
1	Class Test Two (5 marks each)	10 Marks
2	Assignment/ Project Presentation/ Case Study writing	10 Marks
3	Book review/Newspaper review (in any language)/ Case Studies	10 Marks
	Take any two of the above (from 1, 2 and 3)	**20 Marks**

12	External, Semester End Examination 60% Individual Passing in Internal and External Examination

Format of Question Paper

Semester End Examination Question Paper Pattern

Time: 1 Hour Max. Marks:30

Note:

- All questions are compulsory
- Each question has internal options
- Figure to the right indicate full marks.

Q.1.	Answer the following questions **(Any 2):**	15 Marks
A.		
B.		
C.		
Q.2.	Answer the following questions **(Any 2):**	15 Marks
A.		
B.		
C.		

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