

Daffodil International University
Faculty of Business & Entrepreneurship
Department of Business Administration
Program: BBA

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Examination: Midterm
Full Marks: 25

Course Code: 0311-212
Course Title: Microeconomics
Teachers' Initial: DAMI, DSMR, SKH

1. Explain how the concept of opportunity cost influences decision-making for both consumers and producers. A farmer has one hectare of land and must decide whether to grow rice or vegetables. Explain how scarcity, choice, and opportunity cost are interrelated in this situation. 5 [CLO 1, Level 2]
2. Suppose a hypothetical country ‘Wonderland’ can produce either rice or wheat using all its scarce resources. The figures are in units:

Combination	Rice	Wheat
A ✓	100	0
B ✓	80	25 × 2 = 50
C ✗	60	45 × 2 = 90
D ✗	40	65 × 2 = 130
E ✗	20	75 × 2 = 150
F	0	85 × 2 = 170

- a. Plot a well-labeled PPF diagram for ‘Wonderland’, with *rice* on the Y-Axis, and *wheat* on the x-axis. 2 [CLO 2, Level 3]
- b. What would happen if the country moves from C to D without changing existing technology? If the country adopts a new farming technology that doubles wheat production without affecting the production of rice then how this change would be reflected on the Production Possibility Frontier (PPF)? 3 [CLO 2, Level 3]
3. a. Construct and explain a hypothetical demand curve for a product “Mr. Mango” candy using a demand schedule. 3 [CLO 2, Level 3]

6. The price of the cell phone “Samsung” would decrease from the next January. **Show** its impact on demand curve. 2 [CLO 2, Level 3]

4. The price of medical equipment is increasing rapidly nowadays, as a result its supply is also rising. **Analyze** how several impact factors influence the supply in a competitive market. 5 [CLO 3, Level 4]

5. The table sets out the demand and supply schedule for Greeting Cards on a normal weekend. Identify the following situations:

Price (dollar per card)	Quantity demanded	Quantity supplied
9	200	110
10	150	150
11	120	180
12	100	210

Analyze Market equilibrium and disequilibrium in this market. 5 [CLO 3, Level 4]