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**FINAL EXAMINATION
MARCH 2026 SEMESTER**

COURSE CODE	: EGB11003
COURSE NAME	: PRINCIPLES OF MACROECONOMICS
PROGRAMME NAME	: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONOURS) IN ANALYTICAL ECONOMICS
DATE	: 25 JUNE 2026
TIME	: 9.00AM – 12.00PM
DURATION	: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Please **CAREFULLY** read the instructions given on this question paper.
 2. This question paper has information printed on both sides of the paper.
 3. This examination comprises of only **ONE (1)** section.
 4. You are required to answer only **FOUR (4)** questions
 5. Please write your answer in the answer booklet provided.
 6. All questions must be answered in **English** (any other language is not allowed).
 7. This question paper must not be removed from the examination hall.
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SECTION A (Total: 100 marks)

INSTRUCTION: Answer only **FOUR (4)** questions. As each question brings in 25 marks, the maximum mark for this examination is 100.

Question 1

- (a) Explain the Aggregate Demand and Aggregate Supply model.
(10 marks)
- (b) Briefly explain equilibrium GDP.
(5 marks)
- (c) List **FIVE (5)** factors that can change equilibrium GDP.
(5 marks)
- (d) Explain how inflation and business cycles are related to national output.
(5 marks)

Question 2

- (a) Explain the meaning of government budget and its main components.
(10 marks)
- (b) Briefly explain discretionary fiscal policy.
(5 marks)
- (c) Explain automatic stabilizers with examples.
(5 marks)
- (d) Explain how fiscal policy can affect the price level.
(5 marks)

Question 3

- (a) Analyse **FOUR (4)** main functions of money. (10 marks)
- (b) List **FIVE (5)** measures or forms of money. (5 marks)
- (c) Briefly explain how commercial banks create money. (5 marks)
- (d) Explain the role of reserve requirement in money creation. (5 marks)

Question 4

- (a) Examine how monetary policy works to stabilise the economy. (10 marks)
- (b) Briefly explain money demand and interest rate. (5 marks)
- (c) List **FIVE (5)** tools of monetary policy. (5 marks)
- (d) Explain the role of the central bank in an economy. (5 marks)

Question 5

- (a) Analyse the gains from international trade based on comparative advantage. (10 marks)
- (b) List **FOUR (4)** arguments for protectionism. (4 marks)
- (c) Briefly explain the importance Balance of Payment (BOP) in international trade. (6 marks)
- (d) Explain how exchange rates affect international trade. (5 marks)

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