

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600086**  
**(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2019 – 2020)**

**SUBJECT CODE: 19EC/PC/IT44**

**M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2021**  
**BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS**  
**END SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

**COURSE: CORE**  
**PAPER: INTERNATIONAL TRADE**  
**TIME: 1 ½ HOURS**

**MAX. MARKS: 50**

**SECTION – A**

**(3 x 10 = 30)**

**ANSWER ANY 3 OUT OF 5 QUESTIONS. (300 WORDS EACH)**

1. Derive the offer curve using the trade triangle approach.
2. Trade in products acts as a substitute for the movement of factors between countries – Elucidate.
3. Discuss the impact of an import subsidy in the case of a large country under partial equilibrium.
4. What are the various provisions of the Agreement of Agriculture adopted by the WTO?
5. Briefly examine product life cycle theory of international trade.

**SECTION – B**

**(1 x 20 = 20)**

**ANSWER ANY 1 OUT OF 2 QUESTIONS IN 1200 WORDS**

6. Discuss how differences in factor endowments serves as the basis for trade
7. Why do countries face a disequilibrium in balance of payments? What are the different measures that can correct the disequilibrium in balance of payments?

