UNIVERSITY OF ESSEX

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION 2014

ECONOMICS FOR BUSINESS

Time allowed: 3 hours

The paper consists of THREE parts.

Candidates must answer all three parts A, B and C of this exam.

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All answers must be written in the answer book(s) provided.

All rough work must be written in the answer books provided. A line should be drawn through any rough work to indicate to the examiner that it is not part of the work to be marked.

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INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMICS

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Section A: True/False/Uncertain Statements
Section A contains FIFTEEN questions.
Answer any TEN questions: state first whether each is TRUE/FALSE/UNCERTAIN and then
briefly justify your answer.
Marks will be awarded only for the justification you give.
Section A is worth 50% of the marks: 5% per question in Section A.

Section B: Essays/Problems
Section B contains THREE questions. Answer ONE question.
Section B is worth 25% of the marks.

Section C: Essays/Problems
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Section C is worth 25% of the marks.

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**INTRODUCTION TO QUANTITATIVE ECONOMICS**

Time allowed: 3 hours.

Candidates must answer FOUR questions: BOTH questions in section A and TWO questions from section B.

All questions carry equal weight.

This paper consists of SIX questions, TWO questions in section A (compulsory) and FOUR questions in section B.

Statistical tables are provided on pages 9, 10, 11 and 12.

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METHODS OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS

Time allowed: 3 hours.

This paper consists of SIX questions, TWO questions in Section A (compulsory) and FOUR questions in Section B.
Candidates must answer FOUR questions: answer BOTH questions in Section A and TWO questions from Section B.
All questions carry equal weight.

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THE WORLD ECONOMY IN HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE

Time allowed: 3 hours.

Candidates must answer FOUR questions:
  - Answer the ONE question in section A (for a maximum 10 marks)
  - Answer ONE question from section B (for a maximum 30 marks)
  - Answer ONE question from section C (for a maximum 30 marks)
  - Answer ONE additional question from either section B or section C (for a maximum 30 marks)

This paper consists of NINE questions in three sections:
  - Section A contains ONE question
  - Section B contains FOUR questions
  - Section C contains FOUR questions

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