SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY Programme: FOURTH YEAR OF BCOM Semester: VII Syllabus with effect from: JUNE 2014 (BATCH 2011)

Paper Code: UB07CCOM01Title Of Paper: Fundamentals of International Business

Total Credits: 3

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
1	International Business & Free Trade vs Protection	
	Meaning .Difference between national and international business.	
	Reasons to entre international business	
	Factors affecting international business	25 %
	Methods of entry in international business	
	Challenges of international business	
	Meaning, arguments in favor and against free trade and Protection.	
2	Exchange Rate and Exchange Control	
	Fixed V/S Fluctuating rate of Interest, Types, and Arguments in favor and	25 %
	against fixed and fluctuating rate. Factors affecting exchange rate.	
	Meaning, objectives and methods of Exchange Control (with reference to India)	
3	Documentary Frame Work, Quality Control, Pre-shipment inspection and	
	International Payment for Export and Import	
	Registration of an export firm and licensing regulation, Processing of an export	
	order. Export documents - Need and Types, Scheme and Procedures.	25 %
	Quality control pre-shipment inspection	
	Instruments and Methods of Financing International trade, including	
	documentary credit and its types.	
4	Regimes & International Economic Organizations:	
	Regimes – Definition, concept, Theories of Regimes- Hegemonic stability	
	theory and Reciprocity Theory of Regime. General Agreement on Tariffs and	25 %
	Trade (GATT), World Trade Organization (WTO), United Nations Conference	
	on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), International Labor Organization	
	(ILO)	

Basic Text & Reference Books:

- ➢ Ahswathappa K Business Environment.
- > D.M. Mithani Money, Banking, International Trade and Public finance.
- > Francic cherunilam Business environment.

