ECON 4000 Exam #1

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- 1. In the U.S. the unit of account is the \_\_\_\_\_ and the medium of exchange is now the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. V is measured as \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3. The capital of Australia is \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4. GDP stands for \_\_\_\_\_.

Answer four (4) of the following six (6) questions:

- 1. In the classical model what determines the level of output? The level of employment, level of prices and level of money wages?
- 2. Where D=25Y+50-5r and  $M_s=80$ . What is the equation for the LM curve? Where Y=C+I, and C=20+.6Y and I=100-10r. What is the equation for the IS curve? At equilibrium what is the value for r and Y? What do these curves show?
- 3. Comparison of prices and/or output (GDP) is difficult and imperfect at best. Explain, describe and illustrate the problems.
- 4. Compare and contrast the role and determination of interest rates in the classical and Keynesian models.
- 5. What are the policy implications and conclusions about the operation of the classical model? How are the assumptions critical to these results?
- 6. What are the basic categories of economic activity? What are the characteristics and importance of each? What assumptions are being made and how are they important? (What are the implications?)