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Government management of the economy

- SOCIAL POLICY
- POLITICAL CONCERNS



ECONOMIC POLICY

- KEYNESIAN ECONOMICS
- SUPPLY SIDE ECONOMICS



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WHAT OBJECTIVE? (select one)

- 1. domestic economy in recession (DC or LDC)
- 2. inflation is running out of control
- 3. poverty continues to be a key problem (LDC)
- 4. other

State why you are using this policy.

What OBJECTIVES?

Economic objectives:

- Full Employment
- Low Inflation
- Stable currency
- Rising standard of living
- Economic growth
- Economic development
- Regional development
- Trade policy: BoPayments, B of Trade.
- Balanced budgeting
- · Redistribution of wealth



HICH POLICIES TO

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What exactly should the government do? Here you must suggest specific policy measures e.g. cut income taxes by 10 % over a five year period

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How to achieve them?

- 1. Legislation
- 2. Fiscal policy
- 3. Monetary policy
- 4. Direct intervention e.g. prices + incomes policies

5.Exchange rate policy

- Balance of Trade
- Terms of Trade
- Balance of Payments

Advantages (use diagrams)

Disadvantages (use diagrams)

Non economic objectives:

- social /political policies
- essential services
- law and order
- cultural affairs
- international relations
- social issues e.g. immigration in the EU
- wealth distribution



WHAT ARE THE POLICY CONFLICTS?

(use diagrams where possible)