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BA5102 PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT

IMPORTANT QUESTIONS AND QUESTION BANK

UNIT-I INTRODUCTION TO MANAGEMENT

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- 1. Define management?
- 2. What are the essential skills of management?
- 3. Define scientific management.
- 4. List out the functions of management.
- 5. List out the management level and functions.
- 6. List out the principles of scientific management.
- 7. Is management an art of science?
- 8. What are the roles played by a manager?
- 9. Define 'Sole Proprietorship'?
- 10. What is a co-operative enterprise?

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- 1. Trace the evolution of management with reference to the contribution made by management thinkers?
- 2. What is the role of scientific management in the modern era?
- 3. Explain the contribution of F.W. Taylor to management.
- 4. Explain the contribution to Henri Fayol.
- 5. Discuss the functions of management with neat diagram.
- 6. What are the various environment factors that a manager should consider in an organisation?
- 7. Outline the various forms of business organization?
- 8. Elements of scientific management?
- 9. Henry Fayol's 14 principles of management.
- 10. Trends and challenges of management in global scenario?

UNIT-II PLANNING

2-Marks

- 1. What is planning?
- 2. What are the important observations subjected about planning?
- 3. Define mission and vision.
- 4. Define policies.
- 5. Define planning premises.

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- 6. Explain in brief about the two approaches in which the hierarchy of objectives can be explained.
- 7. Definition of MBO?
- 8. Define strategy.
- 9. Steps involved in strategic planning?
- 10. Name of classification of planning premises?

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- 1. Explain the process of decision making with neat diagram.
- 2. Define MBO. Explain the process of MBO with merits and demerits.
- 3. Explain the various types of planning.
- 4. Mention and explain the steps in planning with neat diagram.
- 5. Explain the nature and purpose of planning.
- 6. Explain the components of planning.
- 7. Features of objectives.
- 8. Nature of stability strategy.

<u>UNIT-III ORGANISING</u>

2-Marks

- 1. Define organisation.
- 2. What is the purpose of organisation?
- 3. What is organization?
- 4. What is job design?
- 5. What is organisation structure?
- 6. What is an organizational chart?
- 7. Distinguish between authority and power.
- 8. What are the different bases of power?
- 9. What is functional authority?
- 10. Uses of organizational chart?

13-Marks

- 1. Enumerate in detail about the selection process which is widely followed in selecting IT professionals. Also highlight the different techniques used in selection process?
- 2. Bring out the factors affecting centralization and decentralization. Also highlight the merits and demerits of centralization and decentralization with example.
- 3. Explain in detail about delegation of authority.
- 4. What do you mean by departmentation?
- 5. Discuss in detail about the different strategies adopted in demartmentation.

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- 6. Explain detail about performance appraisal with neat diagram.
- 7. Explain the selection and recruitment process in neat sketch.
- 8. What are the stages in career development? Explain in detail.

UNIT-IV DIRECTING

2-Marks

- 1. Define direction.
- 2. State two important characteristics of directing.
- 3. Mention the importance of leadership.
- 4. Name various leadership styles.
- 5. What are the advantages of democratic leadership?
- 6. What is laissez-Faire?
- 7. List out the human factors in managing.
- 8. Define creativity.
- 9. What are the involved in creative process?
- 10. How are the problems solved by creative tool?

13-Marks

- 1. What is SCAMPER tool?
- 2. What is meant by reframing matrix?
- 3. What are the steps involved in simplex tool?
- 4. Differentiate innovation and invention.
- 5. How can be harmonizing objectives achieved.
- 6. Mention the various factors involved in using motivational techniques.
- 7. Give the required guidelines to make effective job enrichment.
- 8. Explain the creative process.
- 9. What are the limitations of job enrichment?
- 10. Mention the various elements in the process of communication.

UNIT-V CONTROLLING

2-Marks

- 1. What is feed forward control?
- 2. What is concurrent control?
- 3. List out the important features of controlling.
- 4. What is flexible budget?
- 5. What are the benefits of control?
- 6. List out characteristics of control functions.
- 7. What are the basic steps involved in the process of controlling?

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- 8. What is performance appraisal?
- 9. What are the advantages of performance appraisal?
- 10. What is globalization?

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- 1. Explain the process of controlling.
- 2. Explain the budgetary controlling.
- 3. Explain the non-budgetary controlling techniques.
- 4. Explain productivity and its types.
- 5. Write planning operation.
- 6. Explain the supply chain management.
- 7. Explain the steps in detail about the planning operations.
- 8. Explain about Cost, Purchase, Maintenance and Quality control.

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