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B.Sc. LEATHER GOODS AND ACCESSORIES DESIGN (BSCLGAD)

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BFW-069: SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Attempt any seven questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- (a) Which characteristics of a supplier are most important to the buyer?
 - (b) What is meant by a strategic partnership between a buyer and a supplier?
- 2. (a) JIT suppliers have additional pressures that other suppliers do not have, what are they?
 2x5=10
 - (b) Which skills and training are most important for a purchasing officer?
- 3. Differentiate between the following (any two):
 - (a) Cycle view and push and pull view 2x5=10
 - (b) Strategy Design Phase and Planning Phase
 - (c) Road and Rail Shipment

4.	Explain stages of supply chain. Also state Push and Pull Boundary of any one of the following:		10
	(a)	Supply Chain of Walmart Selling Detergent	
	(b)	Supply Chain of Dell Computers.	

- 5. Currently you are using multiple suppliers for each purchased item. How would you go about choosing one of them to be your long-term sole source?
- 6. Consider the supply chain involved when a 10 customer purchase a book at the book store?

 Identify the cycles in the supply chain and location of Push and Pull process.
- 7. What is more important-inbound or outbound 10 logistics in a supply chain? Why?
- 8. What are the fundamental mistakes commonly made while capturing information? How would these mistakes be minimize in Supply Chain Management?
- 9. What is Customer Profitability Analysis? Why it has gained importance in the recent times?
- 10. How do firm take, make-versus-buy decision? 10 Discuss some cost and benefits of outsourcing.