## MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

## Term-End Examination

## December, 2014

## MS-54 : MANAGEMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Time : 3 hours

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Maximum Marks : 100 (Weightage 70%)

*Note*: (i) Answer any four questions. (ii) All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. (a) Explain SIMON'S decision making model.
  - (b) Discuss the role played by information in an organisation.
- **2.** (a) Differentiate between physical structure and the conceptual structure of information systems.
  - (b) Discuss the different ways of allocating resources to different applications in an organisation.
- 3. (a) Explain a system. Why analyse a system ? Discuss.
  - (b) Describe the major phases in MIS design. Can these phases be compared with Research and Development projects ?

- 4. (a) What are the various stages of a system development life cycle and how are the efforts distributed over these phases ?
  - (b) Describe the major steps in implementation of MIS design. Are they overlapping or exclusive ? Explain.
- 5. (a) Discuss the evolution of software systems and its application in business organisation.
  - (b) What are the main functions of data communication software ?
- 6. (a) Briefly describe Relational Data Base Management System.
  - (b) Differentiate among Trojans, Worms and Viruses. Give one example of each.

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