MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

Term-End Examination

December, 2018

MS-054 : MANAGEMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

(Weightage 70%)

Note: (i) Answer any four questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. (a) "The way organisation cannot exist without MIS, even information does not exist without organisation". Discuss.
 - (b) What is the relevance of Molan's Stage Growth Model for the Study of Information Systems in today's organisation?
- 2. (a) Describe the major phases in MIS Design.
 Can you compare these phases with research and development projects?
 - (b) "Analysis is the 'what' of the system, design is the 'how' of the system". Comment.
- 3. (a) What are expert systems and how do they help in decision-making? Can you give example to illustrate the same?
 - (b) What do you mean by Local Area Network (LAN)? Explain its characteristics.

- **4.** (a) Discuss the effect of normalization on database storage and database performance.
 - (b) Discuss the main functions of any data communication software.
- 5. (a) Describe the problems which may arise if the DBMS evaluation team consists entirely of persons from system and programming in the Data Processing Department.
 - (b) Differentiate between DSS, MIS and EIS with the help of suitable examples.
- 6. Write short notes on any four of the following:
 - (a) Office Automation Systems
 - (b) Multitasking
 - (c) Bits and Baud
 - (d) Frequency Division Multiplexing
 - (e) Fourth generation language
 - (f) Legal aspects of use of Computers