## MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

## Term-End Examination June, 2012

## MS-94: TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks : **100** 

(Weightage 70%)

Note:

Answer any four questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

- (a) Explain the role of technology and technology management in the overall business strategies of a firm. How does technology affect the business plan of a company? Give examples.
  - (b) What is Appropriate Technology? Discuss its various aspects and critically comment on the concept.
- 2. (a) Elaborate your understanding regarding nature of technological change with the help of examples.
  - (b) What are the factors to be considered in developing technology strategies and R&D management.

- **3.** (a) What is technology transfer? Discuss the various models of technology transfer.
  - (b) Explain the management of technology absorption, particularly in relation to projects, skills, facilities user's involvement.
- 4. (a) Define Technology Assessment. Briefly discuss the methodology of Technology Assessment.
  - (b) What do you mean by diffusion of technology? Discuss the important activities for diffusion.
- 5. (a) Enumerate the role of international agencies in promotion of S&T co-operation between developed and developing country.
  - (b) Discuss the various issues related to Technology Information.
- 6. Write short note on Any Three of the following:
  - (a) Venture Capital.
  - (b) Technology Evaluation
  - (c) Technology Life Cycle
  - (d) Technology forecasting
  - (e) Incentives and support mechanisms adopted by developing economies.