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MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

(MP) -

Term-End Examination

June, 2020

MS-53: PRODUCTION/OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (i) Attempt any four questions.

- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- (a) Discuss in brief the scope of operations management.

- (b) The Internet has altered the way companies compete in the marketplace.

 Name ten ways that bank compete for customers.
- (a) List some factors that can affect productivity and some ways that productivity can be improved.
 - (b) A proper forecast should fulfill specific requirements. What are some of the consequence of poor forecasts? Explain.
- 3. (a) Explain, what quality function deployment is and how can it be useful?
 - (b) Discuss in detail the concept of group technology and its importance in operations management.

- 4. (a) What are the primary uses of time study information? Discuss in detail.
 - (b) Contrast the meanings of Job enlargement and Job enrichment.
- 5. (a) Define the term quality as it relates to products and as it relates to services.
 Discuss the determinants of quality.
 - (b) Discuss in detail Type I error and Type II
 error. Classify each of the following as
 either a Type I error or a Type II error:
 - (i) Putting an innocent person in Jail
 - (ii) Releasing a guilty person from Jail
 - (iii) Eating (or not eating) a cookie on the floor.
 - (iv) Not seeing a doctor as soon as possible after ingesting poison.

- 6. (a) List the *eight* wastes according to lean philosophy.
 - (b) Discuss the relationship between preventive maintenance and quality.

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