

Management Programme

ASSIGNMENT
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MS – 57: Maintenance Management

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Note: Attempt all the questions and submit this assignment to the coordinator of your study centre. **Last date of submission for July 2022 session is 31st October, 2022 and for January 2023 session is 30th April, 2023.**

1. How does Total Maintenance (TPM) differ from preventive maintenance? Explain with the help of an example from the maintenance department of a nearby plant or any plant that you are more acquainted with.
2. Briefly describe the various applications of the reports from maintenance costing in decision making.
3. What are the objectives of the Maintenance Department of your Organization? Evaluate the top management's strategies, if any, to make a smooth and flawless maintenance function?
4. What is meant by reliability and explain how it is different from quality? 'Availability is a more practical and appropriate measure of equipment performance'. Discuss.
5. Distinguish productive maintenance from preventive maintenance.