MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBACN)

Term-End Examination December, 2012

MCN-004: MARKETING MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Answer any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- In what ways marketing concept is different from selling concept? Briefly discuss the elements of marketing concept.
- 2. Briefly discuss the concept of segmentation, targeting and positioning. Explain the positioning strategy followed by a brand or firm of your choice.
- 3. Briefly discuss as to how the macro-environment forces may affect the marketing program of Airtel. Give reasons.
- **4.** (a) What is Product Life Cycle? Explain the concept of PLC with suitable examples.

- (b) What is meant by breadth, depth and consistency of product mix? Explain giving suitable examples.
- 5. What is strategic marketing? How important is SWOT analysis to the marketing planning process of an organisation?
- 6. Briefly discuss the factors affecting the choice of channels. Illustrate your answer with suitable examples.
- 7. (a) Enumerate the steps involved in the selling process. Give suitable examples.
 - (b) Discuss briefly the importance of sales forecasting. Illustrate with examples.
- 8. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - (a) Marketing in an economical downfall
 - (b) Elements of marketing mix
 - (c) Marketing services
 - (d) Promotion mix