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Fifth Semester B.Com. Degree Examination, December 2022

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Core Course: CO 1543/CC1543/CX 1543/TT 1543/HM 1543 — MARKETING MANAGEMENT

(2018 Admission onwards)

(Common for Commerce/Commerce with Computer Applications/Commerce and Tax Procedure and Practice/Commerce and Hotel Management and Catering/Commerce and Tourism and Travel Management)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

SECTION - A

Answer **all** questions in **one** word or to a maximum of **two** sentences each. Each question carries **1** mark.

- 1. Define marketing.
- 2. What do you mean by social marketing?
- 3. What do you understand by consumer behaviour?
- 4. Define market segmentation.
- 5. What is product development?
- 6. Define brand name.
- Define advertisement.

- 8. What do you mean by intensive distribution?
- 9. What is logistics management?
- 10. What is sales promotion?

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - B

Answer any eight questions in not exceeding one paragraph each. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. "Modern marketing is competition-oriented" Comment.
- 12. Enumerate the different forms of cause marketing.
- 13. What are the benefits offered by relationship marketing?
- Enumerate the steps in target marketing.
- 15. What are the benefits of on-line marketing to potential buyers?
- 16. Explain briefly the major steps involved in the consumer decision making process.
- 17. What is product diversification?
- 18. Enumerate the factors influencing product mix.
- 19. Give the broad classification of products.
- 20. What are the requisites of a good package?
- 21. Distinguish between penetration pricing strategy and competitive strategy.
- 22. What is meant by outdoor advertisement? What are its different forms?
- 23. Give any two limitations of newspaper advertisement.
- 24. Give a brief account of vertical distribution channel.

- 25. Name the major methods adopted to evaluate communication of advertising.
- 26. Mention any four requisites of a good advertisement copy.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - C

Answer any six questions in about 120 words each. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 27. Differentiate marketing from selling.
- 28. Briefly explain the importance of marketing to companies and consumers.
- 29. Enumerate the objectives of market segmentation.
- 30. What are the factors to be considered while selecting a suitable channel of distribution?
- 31. Explain the modern concept of marketing.
- 32. Explain the significance of the study of Consumer behaviour.
- 33. What are the characteristics of consumer behavior?
- 34. What are the objectives of advertising?
- 35. What do you understand by sales force promotion? Explain the various schemes of sales force promotion?
- 36. What are the advantages and limitations of television advertising?
- 37. What are the limitations of sales promotion?
- 38. Explain the factors influencing promotion mix decisions.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - D

Answer any **two** questions in not exceeding **4** pages each. **Each** question carries **15** marks.

- 39. What are the characteristics of services?
- 40. Elucidate the factors affecting marketing mix.
- 41. Discuss the various bases of market segmentation.
- 42. Define Product Life Cycle. Elucidate the various phases of PLC.
- 43. Discuss in detail the importance of pricing.
- 44. Discuss in detail the different kinds of advertising.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$